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Developing National Data Archive Services

Past, Present and Future

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CESSDA ERIC Widening Meeting

“Strengthening and Widening of the
European infrastructure
of social science data archives”

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Milan, Italy



Session plan

Introduction (J.Š.)

Invited country presentations from CESSDA Candidate Data Service Providers

- » Croatian case (Marijana Glavica, Filozofski fakultet Sveučilišta u Zagrebu)
- » Latvian case (Jānis Daugavietis, University of Latvia)

Roundtable Discussion

- » Participants from Iceland, Ireland, Lithuania, Poland, Romania.

CESSDA Strengthening and Widening project (SaW), 2015 - 2017

Ref. Ares(2017)3406114 - 06/07/2017

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Research and Innovation Action
CESSDA Strengthening and Widening

Project Number: 674939 Start Date of Project: 01/08/2015 Duration: 27 months

Deliverable 3.2 Country report on development potentials

Dissemination Level	PU
Due Date of Deliverable	31/03/2017
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Task	T3.2
Type	Report
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Abstract: The report identifies gaps for further development of data archives services (DAS) in each country by exploring the wider ecosystem of data sharing culture, organisational setting and service operational profile. Where now the research data infrastructure is only emerging, it identifies promising candidate services.

Task 3.2: State of the art of Data archive services in Europe

- » Maturity assessment framework
- » Allows for country self-assessment &
- » Helps setting aspirations
- » Inform action
- » Helps planning where do we want to go, how to?

http://cessdasaw.eu/content/uploads/2017/11/D3.2_CESSDA_SaW_v1.3.pdf

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SaW results for continuing widening activities

National Development Plans

Albania Austria Bulgaria



Latvia Macedonia Montenegro



Projects ↑

CESSDA SaW ↑

WP3 ↑

Guide for Developing National Data Service Plans

National development plans for data services in the ERA & media packs

CESSDA-CDM

Projects

Current Past



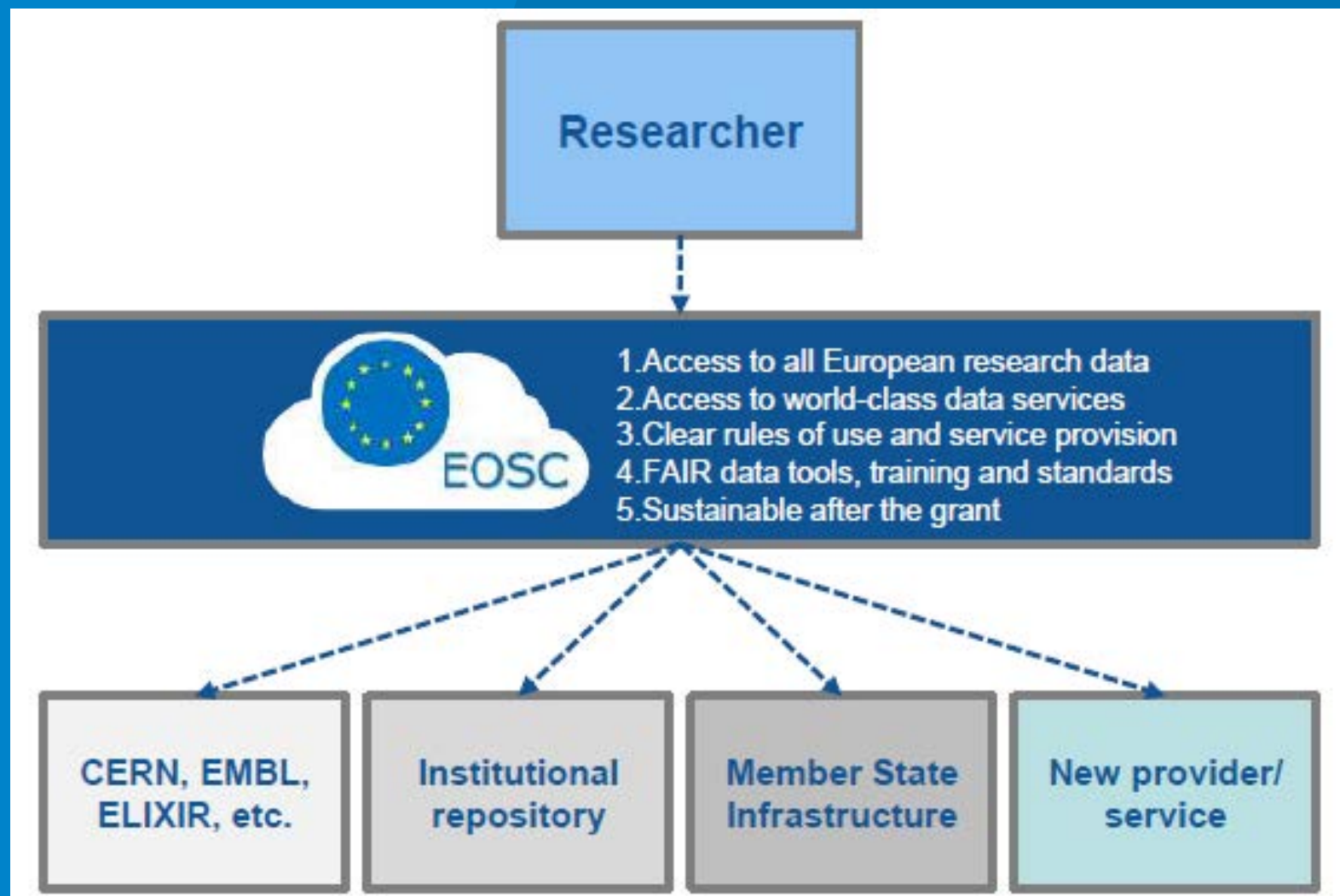
RISCAPE
European Research Infrastructures in the

- » [National Development Plans + Guide](#)
- » [Data Management Policies Overview](#)
- » Training
- » Knowledge Sharing
- » Tools
- » Trust Certification Support
- » [Cost-Benefit Advocacy Toolkit](#)

<https://www.cessda.eu/Projects/All-projects/CESSDA-SaW/WP3/National-development-plans-for-data-services-in-the-ERA-media-packs>

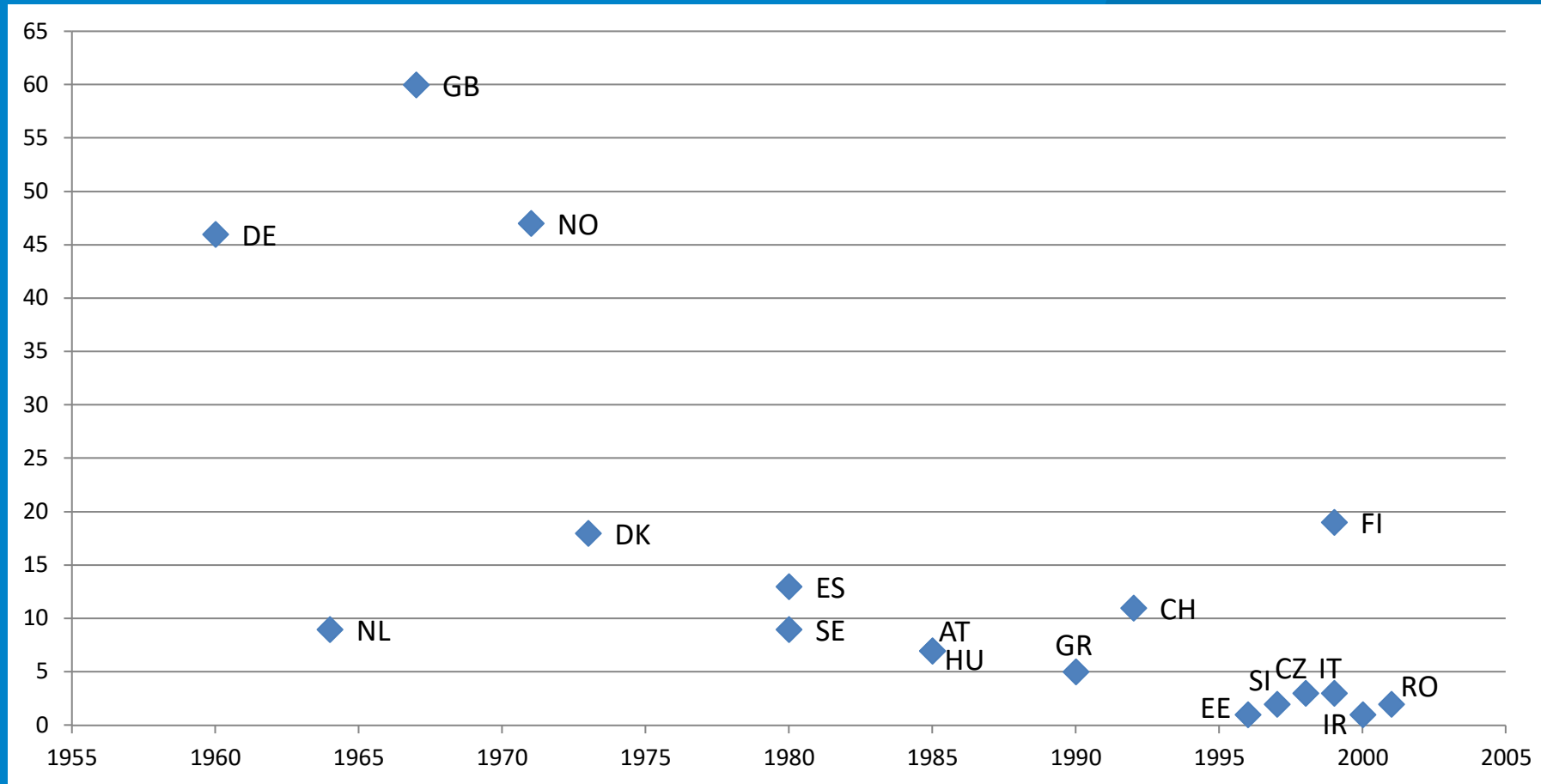
EOSC = Universal access to data instead of current fragmentation and unequal access

Federating existing and new data services

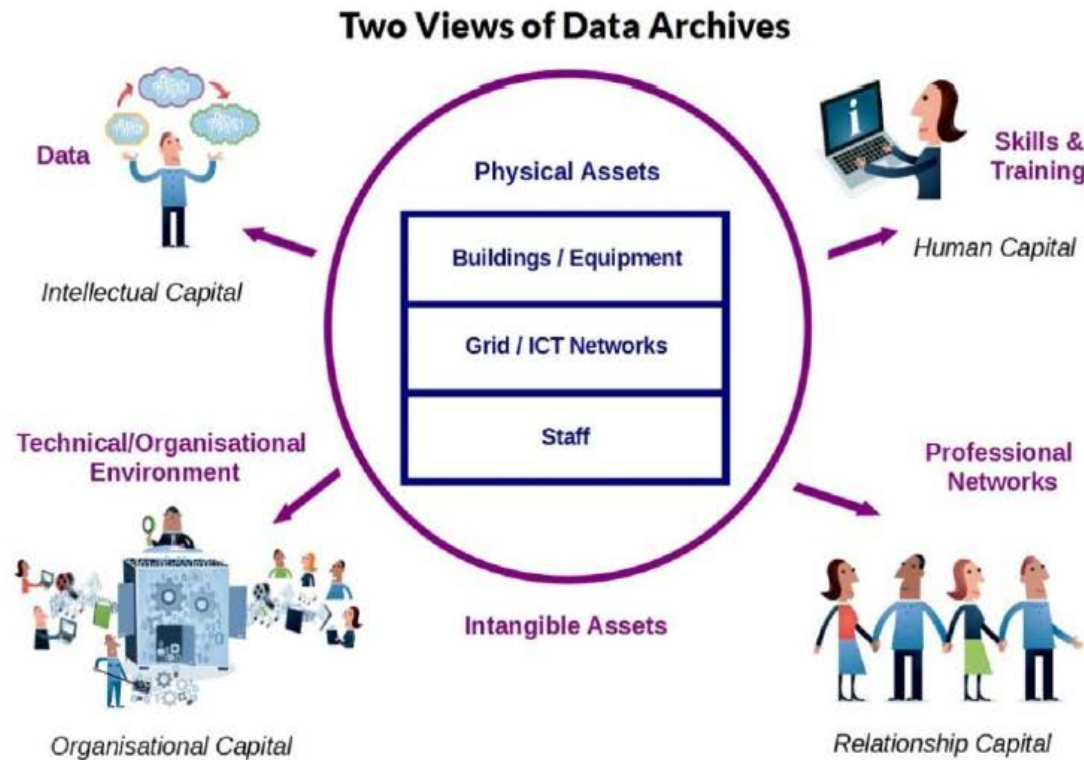


https://ec.europa.eu/research/openscience/pdf/eosc_strategic_implementation_roadmap_short.pdf

PAST: NATIONAL DATA ARCHIVE SERVICES SIZE (n of staff) BY YEAR WHEN ESTABLISHED



SaW results for continuing widening activities



Physical Assets and Intangible Assets.

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» Cost-Benefit Advocacy Toolkit:

The roles of data archives as “competency centres” in fostering skills and training; developing tools, standards and ontologies; and disseminating innovation in research data management practice, within their countries and disciplines, can be as important as the data they hold.

https://www.cessda.eu/content/download/1431/20407/file/04_Benefits_Factsheet_final.pdf

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SaW - State of the art Reports

Table 1.4.1: Target countries for CESSDA SaW Report (ERA countries, N=44)

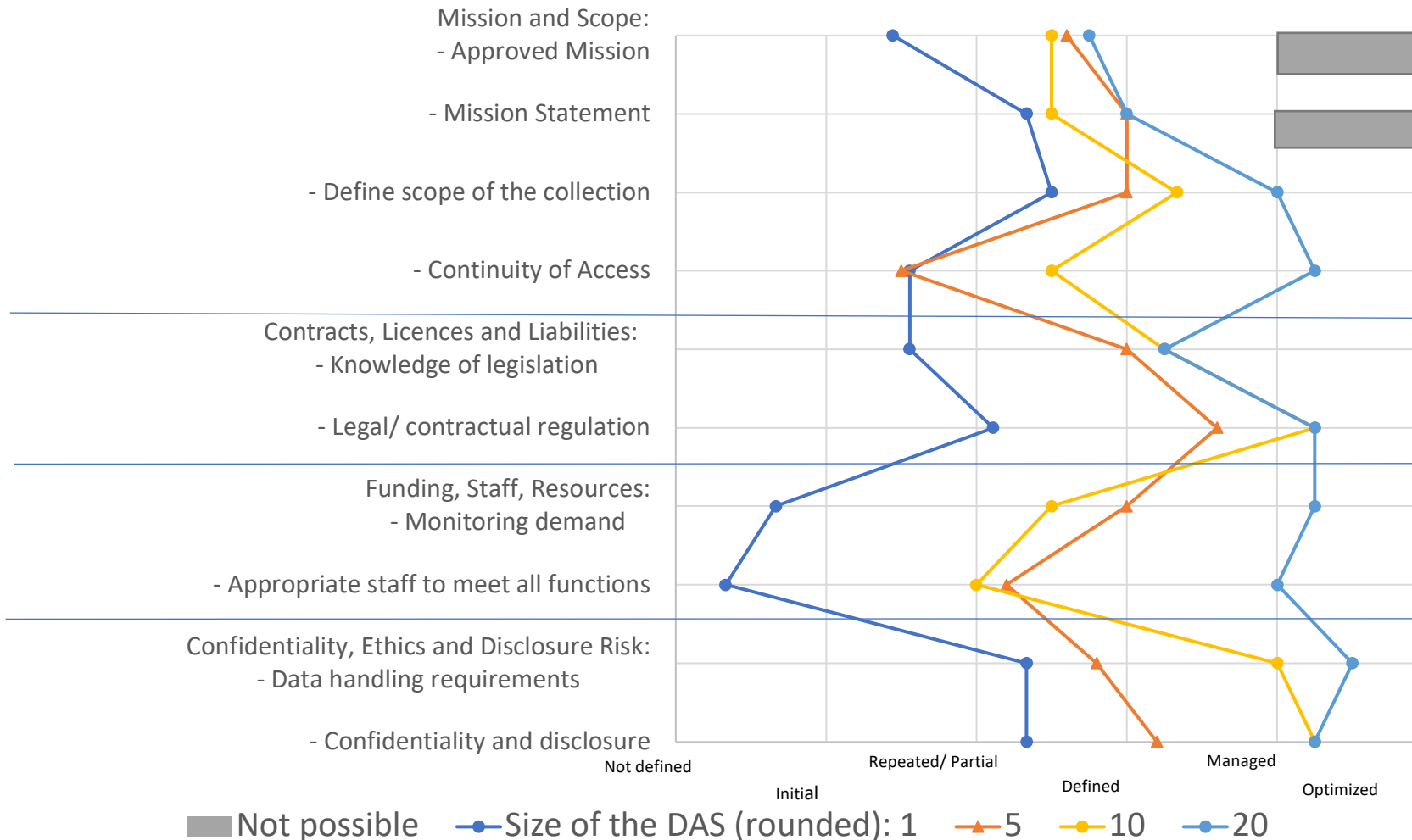
Broader eco-system	DAS proto-activities	Capability requirement	Basic info only	No report
35	11	23	5	5

[SaW WP3, D3.2 \(2017\): Country report on development potentials](#)

Size of DAS (estimated FTE rounded)	Table 1: Country by Size of a DAS Countries
1	Belgium, Estonia, Hungary, Italy, Lithuania, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Slovakia
5	Czech Republic, Greece, Ireland, Russia, Slovenia
10	Denmark, Finland, Sweden, Switzerland
20 and more	Germany, Netherlands, Norway, United Kingdom

[SaW WP3, D3.6 \(2017\): Final integrated audit report](#)

Organisational Infrastructure DAS self-assessment by size of organisation (2017);



cf. Human and Organisational capital, not to mention Data (Intellectual capital)

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Excerpts from SaW 2017 country reports

X Data archive (...) was founded in 200? and has been member of CESSDA since 20??. Development of the organisational infrastructure of X shows a mature DAS with insufficient funding and hence not fully operational.

At the moment of audit, X is performing only basic functions to provide access to existing data. There are no new decisions about future funding(...)

SaW WP3, D3.2 (2017): Country report on development potentials

This institution is well developed regarding internal standards of data acquisition, archiving and publishing. Problematic moment is the low level of institutionalization of this archive. It is neither independent organization nor department in organization(...)

Z has partial plans to ensure the continued availability and accessibility of data in case the organization ceases to operate, but there is no general plan about what will be with data after potential end of Z.

There is a strong need for a national policy and strategy with regard to RDM and RDM support.

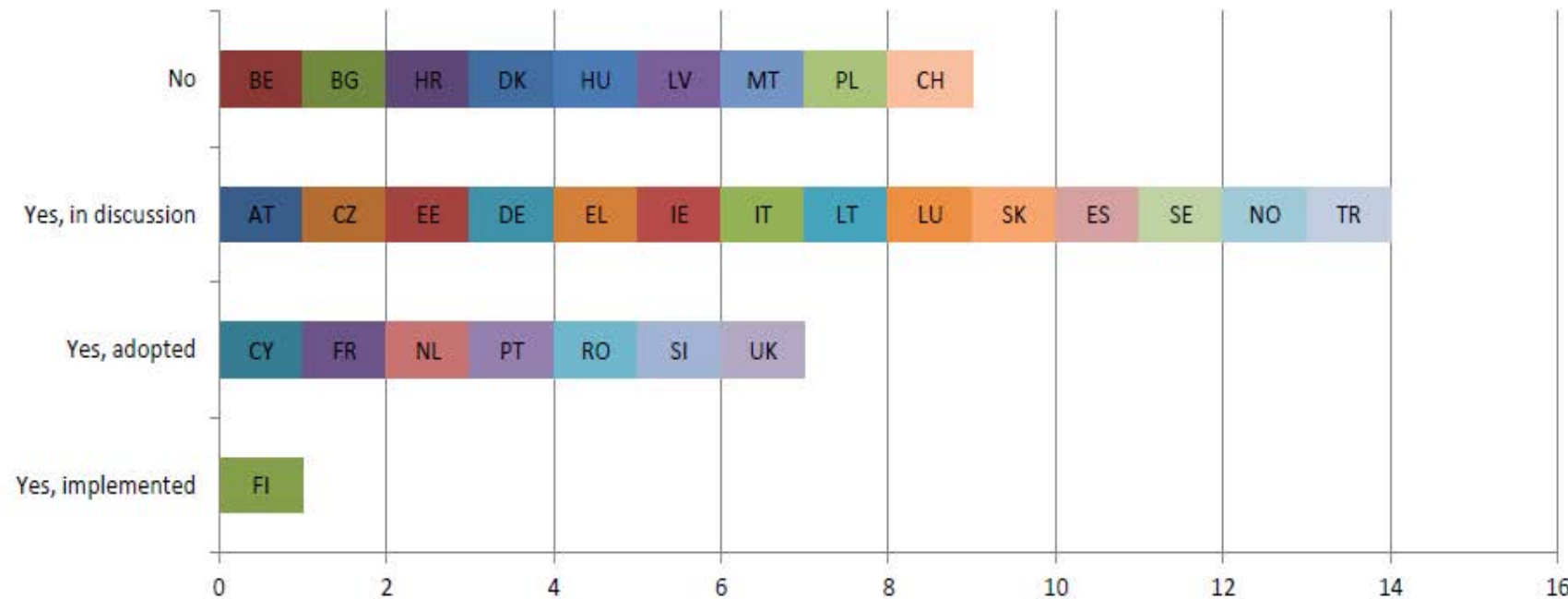
The Y has a long-standing mission statement that has not been subject to approval by other organizations.

Strenuous efforts are made to assure that Y is in compliance with all aspects of the regulatory environment and international best practices with regard to handling of confidential data.

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How are EU Member States doing?

3.1a National Policies or overall strategies to encourage or mandate dissemination of and OA to research data are defined at the national level

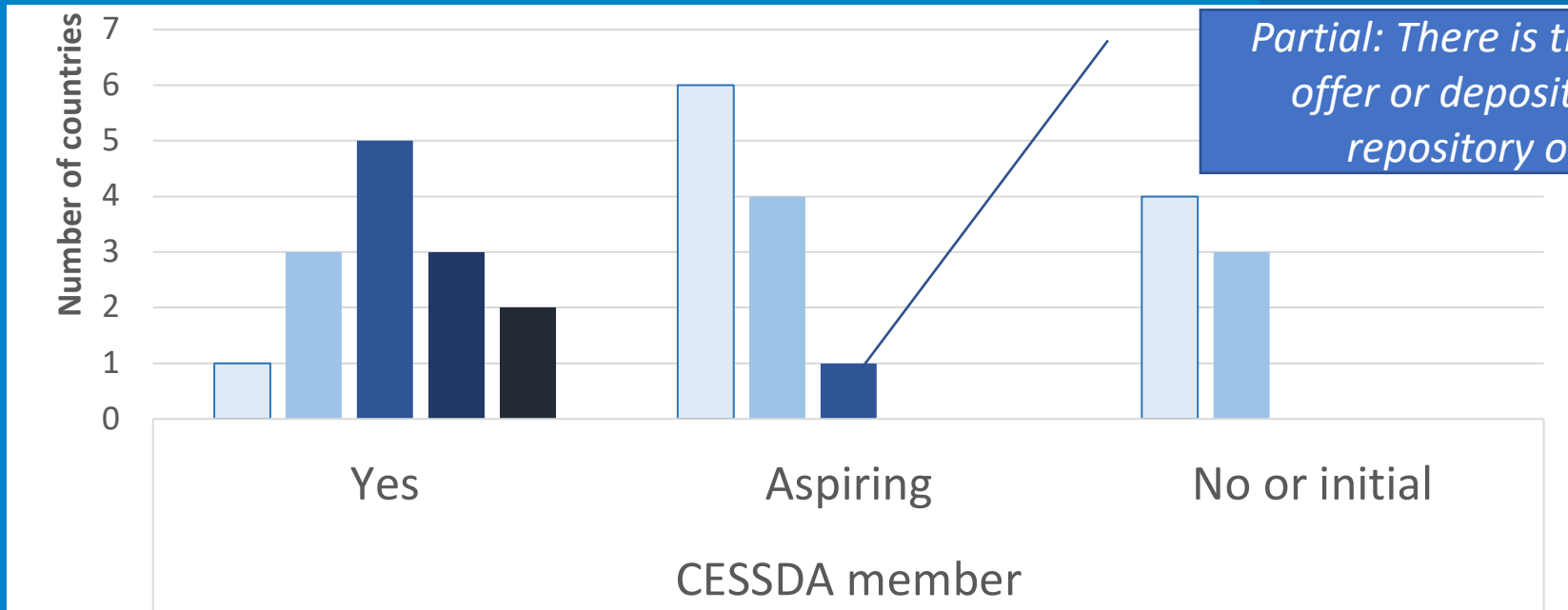


Source: NPR 2nd Report 2017 (to be published in spring 2018)

EU Commission:
EOSC Strategic
Implementation
Roadmap
2018-2020
May 2018 report

https://ec.europa.eu/research/openscience/pdf/eosc_strategic_implementation_roadmap_short.pdf

Figure 12: RDM policy requirements: Appropriate place of data deposit defined* by CESSDA Membership status



Partial: There is the expectation or recommendation to offer or deposit data in an appropriate disciplinary repository or equivalent data archive service

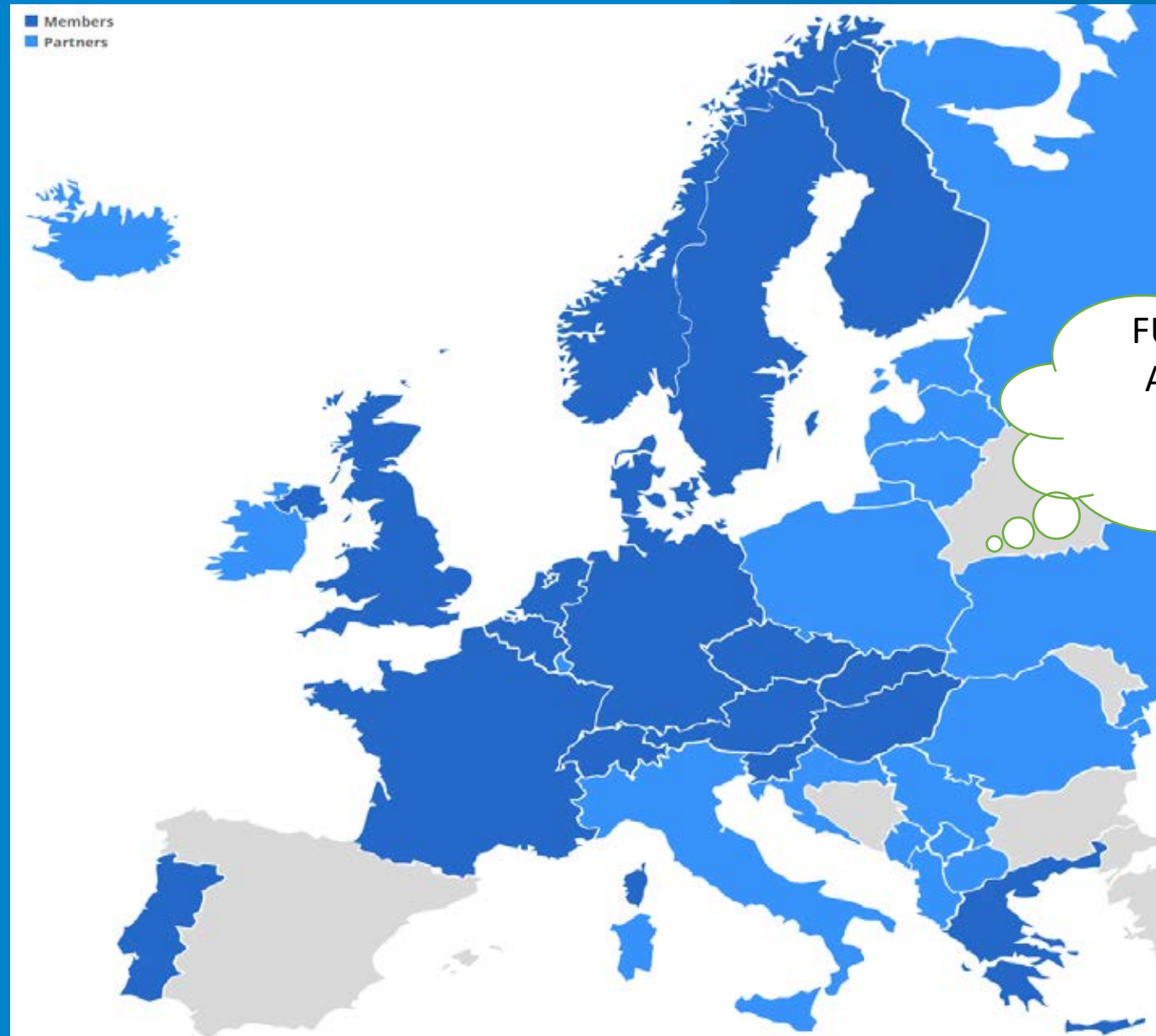
- RDM policy defined place of data deposit: None
- RDM policy defined place of data deposit: Initial
- RDM policy defined place of data deposit: Partial
- RDM policy defined place of data deposit: Defined
- RDM policy defined place of data deposit: Managed

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PRESENT MEMBERS

Cost-Benefit Advocacy Toolkit:

Professional networks and relationship capital are critical in fostering innovation and best practice internationally. The role of CESSDA as a professional network for social science data archives in Europe is particularly important in this context.



FUTURE: CESSDA
AIMS FOR FULL
EUROPEAN
COVERAGE

CESSDA Widening project 2018:

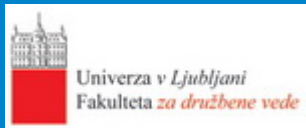
WP3 - Monitoring

- » Update contact list – following the Milan workshop, participants will be asked for an update
- » Monitoring system of state of play in prospective non-CESSDA countries (adapted on the base of SaW approach)
- » September: Short interviews will take place: We ask for cooperation!!!
- » Purpose: to allow for update information on situation in countries (services upgrade, recent activities, promotion among stakeholders, and advocacy in national setting)

- » Helps setting aspirations, assessment of benefit, impact
- » Inform action: Cost of Inaction?
- » Helps planning where to go
- » CESSDA Widening will continue with supporting the How to?

Questions

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