

# DMP requirements

for public funding organisations

## What is a DMP?

A **DMP** is a **Data Management Plan**. Almost all funding organisations require researchers to write a DMP when they receive funding.



## Why are DMPs important?

A DMP requires a researcher to **actively think about research data management (RDM)**. RDM planning is the first step in making research data findable, accessible, interoperable, and reusable (**FAIR**).



## What are the different requirements for writing a DMP for public funding organisations?

|  | <u><a href="#">NWO</a></u>                         | <u><a href="#">KNAW</a></u> | <u><a href="#">H2020</a></u> | <u><a href="#">FP7</a></u> | <u><a href="#">ZonMW</a></u> |
|--|--|-----------------------------|------------------------------|----------------------------|------------------------------|
| <b>RDM mandatory?</b>                  | mandatory  | mandatory                   | encouraged, opt-out possible | encouraged                 | mandatory                    |
| <b>DMP requested?</b>                  | after funding                                      | after funding               | after funding                | not mandatory              | after funding                |
| <b>Template available?</b>             | yes  | no                          | yes                          | yes                        | yes                          |
| <b>Centered around FAIR?</b>           | yes  | yes                         | yes                          | yes                        | yes                          |
| <b>Which should be made available?</b> | relevant for reuse                                 | all research data           | validation for publications  | as much as possible        | all research data            |
| <b>Open access of data?</b>            | immediate open access, limited only when necessary |                             |                              |                            |                              |

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