



Data from Norwegian Research Projects

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The Norwegian experience = Collaboration



Research Council of Norway

- Funding of existing archives containing data on individuals, regions, and political and administrative systems
- Long term commitment



Data Protection Agency

- NSD as a broker between the Agency and the scientific community. Today NSD function as Data Protection Official for research in 150 institutions



Statistics Norway

- Since 1976, a formal agreement on dissemination of data for research purposes. Allowing for extensive use of aggregated and individual data; for instance surveys and register data



Research Community

- Close contact with researchers in different scientific fields

The situation in Norway (2008)

In 2008 The RCN conducted a survey to find out if Norwegian researchers and research institutions complied with the requirements of the OECD guidelines concerning data management and sharing

Major findings:

- Institutional support to the principle of open access and data sharing
- See no need to change institutional practice

Changes in 2012:

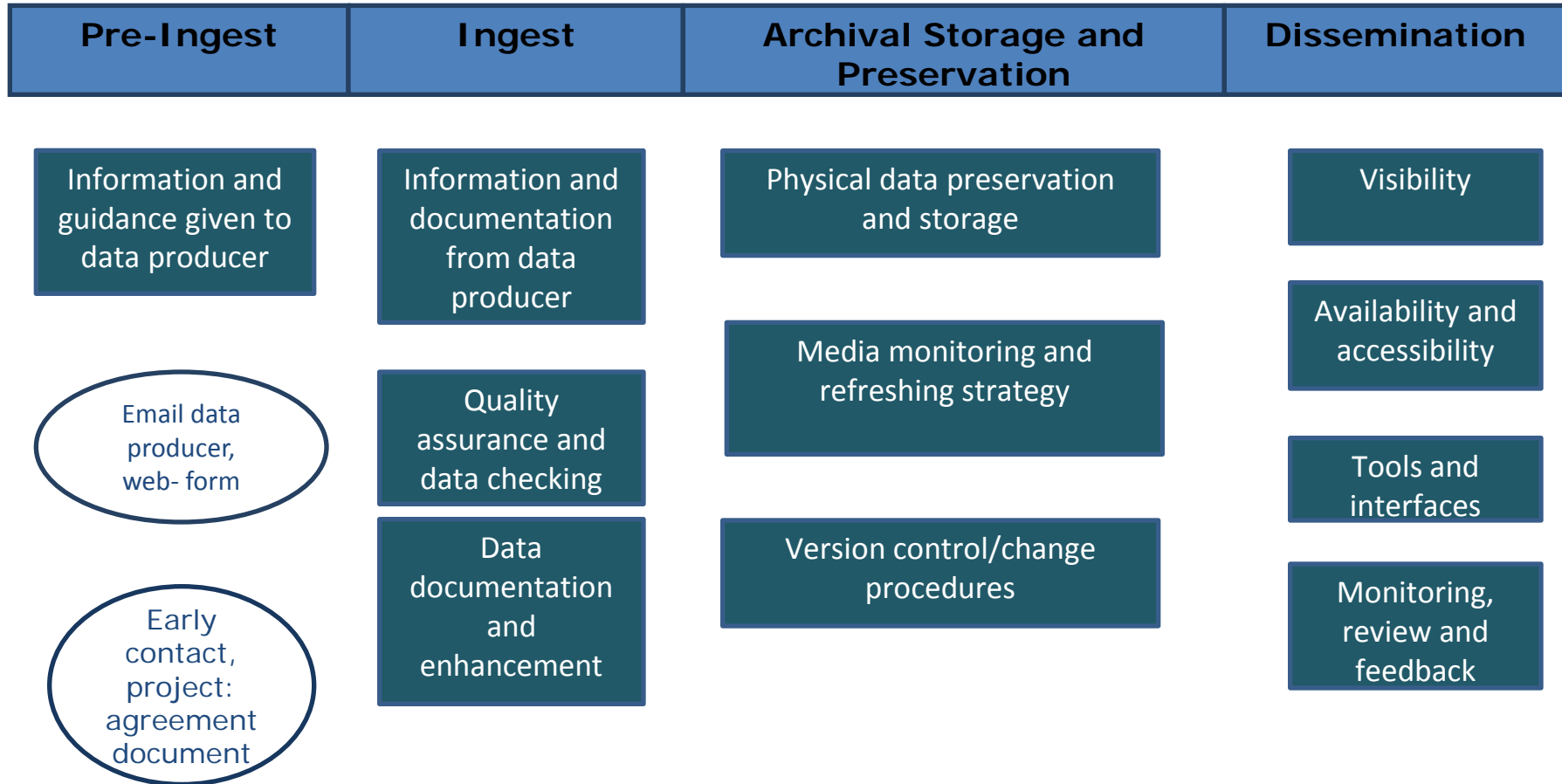
- Some University College and Research Institutes have contacted NSD for data deposit
- New text in the RCN project agreement document
- Growing awareness among students regarding data repositories

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- Selected divisions
- Project Agreement Document
- Copies of all research-generated data shall be transferred to NSD, including documentation
- RCN transferees information regarding projects



Data Curation



Research Council of Norway - 2012

- 480 projects
- 130 used web-form, (270 have not)
- 120 prolonged project period
- 50 archived other places
- 40 deleted project data
- 80 not answered
- 25 datasets archived

Educational Research 2020

- [Portal for Educational Research](#)
- Visibility project