

France and EOSC

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Plan

- An evolving context
- Current French involvement in EOSC projects
- Future plans

Context

- Initiatives on French level to share infrastructures, services and expertise across disciplines
- Strongly supported by French ministry
- Well aligned to EOSC program

Research Ministry reflection on the digital strategy

- The French Ministry of Higher Education and Research is currently working on the next organisation of the e-infrastructures and e-services for research.
 - 11 recommendations and actions plans on governance and strategy, services offering, security and support.
 - « INFRANUM* » roadmap (2016-2017)
- We are waiting for announcements



* INFRANUM: Infrastructures and services



A new law: 7th October 2016

- A general law on digital purpose with impact on research:
 - Open Data is the default for public founded research
 - exception for personal and/or sensitive data
 - Open Access possible for public founded research results
 - after possible embargo
 - Text and Data Mining allowed for public research purpose
 - New rights for personal data (anticipation of REGULATION (EU) 2016/679 OF THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT AND OF THE COUNCIL of 27 April 2016) due May 2018
- Decrees are on-going



Current French involvement in EOSC projects

- EOSCpilot project
 - CNRS, CEA as partners and INRA* and RENATER* as third parties
 - focus on EOSC interoperability WP (CNRS is responsible)
 - participation in Governance WP
- Participation in an EGI-EUDAT-INDIGO led proposal submitted as part of **H2020 e-Infra-12-2017** topic, *Data & Distributed Computing e-Infrastructures for Open Science*, subtopic a) *Secure and agile data and distributed computing e-infrastructures*.

*INRA: French National Institute for Agricultural Research

*RENATER: French national research and education network

Future

- EC is currently preparing the 2018-2020 work programme (INFRAEOSC-xxx).
- EU member states were asked for comments
- The French ministry gathered comments from national research institutes and provided EC with feedback on work programme
- French community ready to continue as an important partner of the EOSC!