Understanding the implications of implementing FAIR data in Life Sciences

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Findable Accessible Interoperable Reusable

What is FAIR?

Findable

F1. (meta)data are assigned a globally unique and persistent identifier

F2. data are described with rich metadata (defined by R1 below)

F3. metadata clearly and explicitly include the identifier of the data it describes

F4. (meta)data are registered or indexed in a searchable resource

Interoperable

I1. (meta)data use a formal, accessible, shared, and broadly applicable language for knowledge representation

I2. (meta)data uses vocabularies that follow FAIR principles

I3. (meta)data include qualified references to other (meta)data

Accessible

A1. (meta)data are retrievable by their identifier using a standardized communications protocol

A1.1. the protocol is free, open and universally implementable

A1.2. the protocol allows for an authentication and authorization procedure, where necessary

A2. metadata are accessible, even when the data are no longer available

Reusable

R1. (meta)data are richly described with a plurality of accurate and relevant attributes

R1.1. (meta)data are released with a clear and accessible data usage license

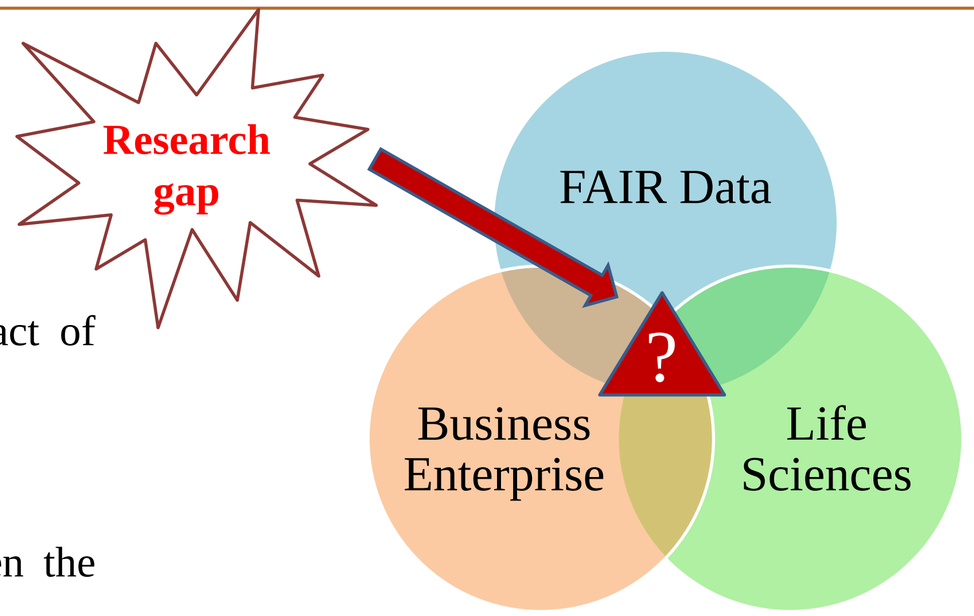
R1.2. (meta)data are associated with data provenance

R1.3. (meta)data meet domain relevant community standards

Aim & Objectives

➢ **To advance the state of the art and practice in FAIR data principles, and understand their implications on life sciences, involving three main objectives:**

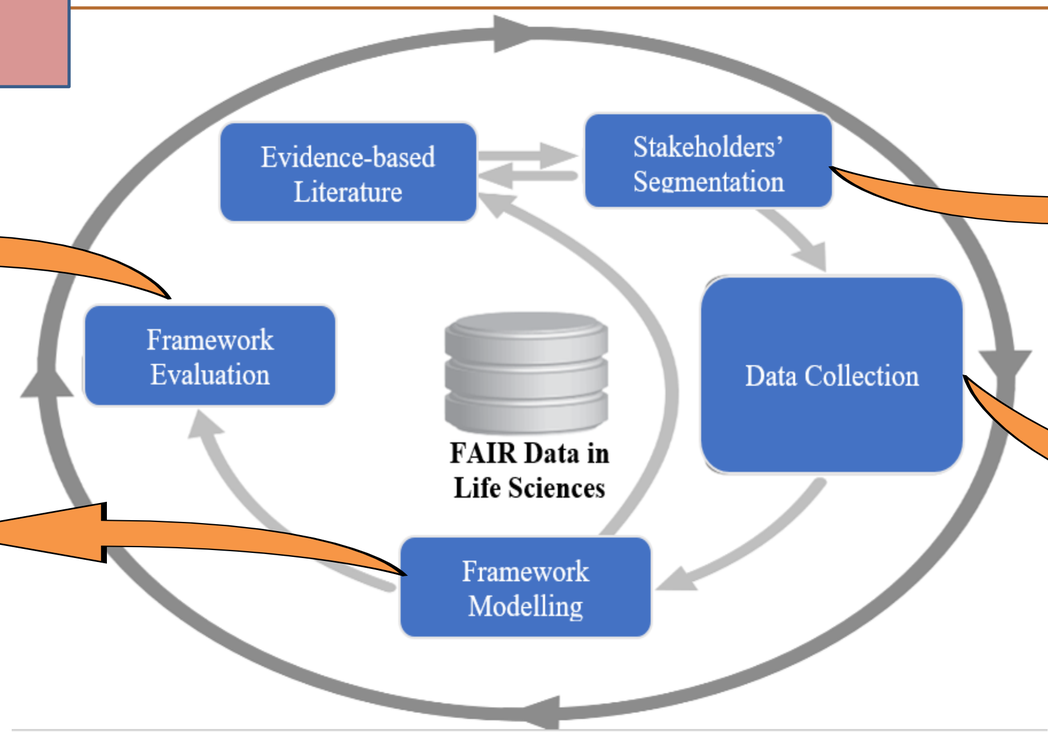
1. To develop a methodological framework to understand the impact of FAIR adoption,
2. To evaluate the framework using expert-based evaluation, and
3. To provide a strategic framework to support cooperation between the public and private sectors.



Method

Expert based evaluation

PEST framework



Researchers, Funder, Policy Makers

Focus group discussion
Semi-structured interviews

Community

European life-sciences infrastructure for biological information
https://elixir-europe.org/

EU public-private partnership funding health research and innovation
https://fairplus-project.eu/

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