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Research Data meets Research Information: Pure CERIF-CRIS & Eprints with CERIF extensions



The Guardian, Thursday 8 July 2010







Call to arms on data integrity

18 July 2013 Patrick Walter

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Data integrity in the chemical sciences is under the spotlight. In a broadside aimed at shoddy data practices, the editor of *Organic Letters*, **Amos Smith**, has called on chemists to put their house in order and root out poor practice. But with the focus now on this murky issue the question remains just how widespread manipulation of raw data actually is in the chemical sciences?

Smith declined to be interviewed by *Chemistry World* but in his editorial¹ he explains that his journal has hired an analyst to scrutinise supplementary data more closely. As a result a number of instances have been discovered where raw data, such as spectra, have been 'cleaned up', in some cases to remove evidence of impurities.



The number of cases of image manipulation brought before the US Office of Research Integrity has been growing steadily





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Drug development: Raise standards for preclinical cancer research

C. Glenn Begley & Lee M. Ellis

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Nature 483, 531–533 (29 March 2012) | doi:10.1038/483531a Published online 28 March 2012 Clarification (May, 2012) "Unquestionably, a significant contributor to failure in oncology trials is the quality of published preclinical data." "scientific findings were confirmed in only 6 (11%) cases. Even knowing the limitations of preclinical research, this was a shocking result."

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' ... three-quarters of published scientific papers in the field of machine learning are bunk ...', says Sandy Pentland, a computer scientist at MIT'
Economist, Oct 19th, 2013



" Publishing data in a reusable form to support findings must be mandatory "



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President Barack Obama signed an order Thursday requiring federal agencies to make their publicly accessible data open and machine-readable. Obama's order, which enforces a new Open Data Policy, was issued in hopes entrepreneurs will use government d...





UK Open Access policies

• RCUK policy from 01/04/2013

Papers should also include a statement on how the underlying research materials - such as data, samples or models – can be accessed. It is not necessary that the data itself be openly accessible if there are compelling reasons against this

• REF2020

To be eligible for the next Research Excellence Framework, peer-reviewed manuscripts must be deposited in an institutional or subject repository on acceptance for publication. These requirements apply to all journal articles and conference proceedings accepted for publication after 1st April 2016.

Didn't go as far as saying the data underlying these publications should be open.









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usable for future research.

under which they are accessed.

RCUK Common Principles on Data Policy

Making research data available to users is a core part of the Research Councils' remit and is undertaken in a variety of ways. We are committed to transparency and to a coherent approach across the research base. These RCUK common principles on data policy provide an overarching framework for individual Research Council policies on data policy.

with as few restrictions as possible in a timely and responsible manner that does not harm intellectual property.

results should always include information on how to access the supporting data.

ensure that these are considered at all stages in the research process.

both efficient and cost-effective in the use of public funds.

Publicly funded research data are a public good, produced in the public interest, which should be made openly available

Institutional and project specific data management policies and plans should be in accordance with relevant standards

and community best practice. Data with acknowledged long-term value should be preserved and remain accessible and

To enable research data to be discoverable and effectively re-used by others, sufficient metadata should be recorded and

RCUK recognises that there are legal, ethical and commercial constraints on release of research data. To ensure that the

research process is not damaged by inappropriate release of data, research organisation policies and practices should

To ensure that research teams get appropriate recognition for the effort involved in collecting and analysing data, those

who undertake Research Council funded work may be entitled to a limited period of privileged use of the data they have

datasets, all users of research data should acknowledge the sources of their data and abide by the terms and conditions

maximise the research benefit which can be gained from limited budgets, the mechanisms for these activities should be

collected to enable them to publish the results of their research. The length of this period varies by research discipline

and, where appropriate, is discussed further in the published policies of individual Research Councils.

In order to recognise the intellectual contributions of researchers who generate, preserve and share key research

It is appropriate to use public funds to support the management and sharing of publicly-funded research data. To

made openly available to enable other researchers to understand the research and re-use potential of the data. Published

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EPSRC framework

• By May 2015, EPSRC has 9 clear *expectations* of organisations receiving EPSRC funding, including :

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- '.. that *appropriately structured metadata* describing the research data they hold is published (normally within **12 months** of the data being generated) and made freely accessible on the internet; in each case the metadata *must be sufficient to allow others to understand what research data exists, why, when and how it was generated, and how to access it.'*
- Where access to the *data is restricted* the published metadata should also give the *reason* and summarise the conditions which must be satisfied for access to be granted. For example 'commercially confidential' data, in which a business organisation has a legitimate interest, might be made available to others subject to a suitable legally enforceable non-disclosure agreement.
- '... that EPSRC-funded research data is *securely preserved for a minimum of 10-years from* the date that any researcher 'privileged access' period expires or, if others have accessed the data, from *last date on which access* to the data was requested by a third party; all reasonable steps will be take to ensure that publicly-funded data is not held in any jurisdiction where the available legal safeguards provide lower levels of protection than are available in the UK



So ... managing research data is important for

• Future funding

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- Increased impact/citation of research
- Scientific integrity (reproducibility)
- Re-use and sharing of data -> innovation
- Aligned with University strategy

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 Future national assessment exercises – beyond REF2020



So what have we been doing?

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Common approach

• Pragmatic

- Joining up data silos and reusing data
- Using standards and aut
- Using carrots as well as
- Demonstrating added va managers and funders
- Communication is key

Adding datasets : extending our systems

- Institutional dataset register/catalogue
- Metadata harmonisation
 - Cerif for Datasets * Datacite * Pure & EPrints UG
- UK National data registry pilot
 - JISC * DCC * Institutions * Funders * Data Centres
 - CASRAI-UK working group

User groups working together

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Pure as a data repository?

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Relate dataset to awards

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So what have we been doing?

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Challenges

- Data is much more heterogeneous than publications
 - How it is manifested
 - How it is created and reused

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- How embedded within the research process
- Not just picking up a pdf & standard bibliographic metadata at the end of the process

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Academic-led review

"We need to avoid the idea of a data repository as "a place where data goes to die".

"... should be designed to act as a hub to encourage and facilitate cross-School interactions data science '

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".. broadening accessibility means that datasets must also be suitably annotated so that they can be found easily from simple keyword associations ("tagging"), through to structured metadata such as CERIF, up to full linked open metadata."

"Many subject areas already have multiple options for data storage, which need to be integrated rather than competed with."

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Conclusion

Researchers should be in the driving seat & some already are.

We can provide tools, infrastructure & standards ... & carrots (or sticks) along the way ...

BUT We can't do the research!

"We need to avoid the idea of a data repository as "a place where data goes to die".

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Research Data meets Research Information: Thank you for listening

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