The EOSC Association
Advancing Science in Europe

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DPC event
The new governance model agreed with EU countries for the next EOSC implementation phase after 2020 will be tripartite including:

- The EU represented by the **Commission**
- The European research community represented by the **EOSC Association**
- EU countries and countries associated with Horizon Europe represented through a **Steering Board** to be set up in 2021 outside of the EOSC Association
The EOSC Association

**Mission:** Advancing Open Science to accelerate the creation of new knowledge, inspire education, spur innovation and promote accessibility and transparency

To provide a single voice for advocacy and representation for the broader EOSC stakeholder community.

To promote the alignment of European Union research policy and priorities with activities coordinated by the Association.

To enable seamless access to data through interoperable services that address the entire research data life cycle, from discovery to storage, management, analysis and re-use across borders and scientific disciplines

**Status: AISBL**

Formed in July 2020 by founding members CESAER, GÉANT, CSIC and GARR

Members are relevant stakeholders in the EOSC ecosystem

Research funders, service providers, representatives of the research community, and intergovernmental organisations

*international non-profit association under Belgian law
EOSC membership by geographical spread

135 Members

44 Observers

(As of December 2020)

How to join the Association: https://www.eosc.eu/join-association
Timeline

Minimum Viable EOSC (MVE)

- EOSC-Gov
  - Prepare
  - Grow

- EOSC-Core
  - Prepare
  - Grow

- Federated Infrastructures
  - Prepare
  - Grow

- EOSC-Exchange
  - Prepare
  - Grow

Wider Public Sector

- Prepare
  - Grow

Private Sector

- Prepare
  - Grow

Year: 2020, 2021, 2023, 2025, 2027

Stage 1: 2020
- 1st iteration

Stage 2: 2021, 2023
- 2nd & 3rd iterations

Stage 3: 2025, 2027

(EOSC Strategic Research Implementation Agenda v1)
https://eosc.eu/documents
Priorities for 2021-2022

- Ensure that Open Science practices and skills are rewarded and taught, becoming the new normal
- Enable the definition of standards, and the development of tools and services, to allow researchers to find, access, reuse and combine results
- Establish a sustainable and federated infrastructure enabling open sharing of scientific results

Currently establishing advisory groups that will contribute to these priorities