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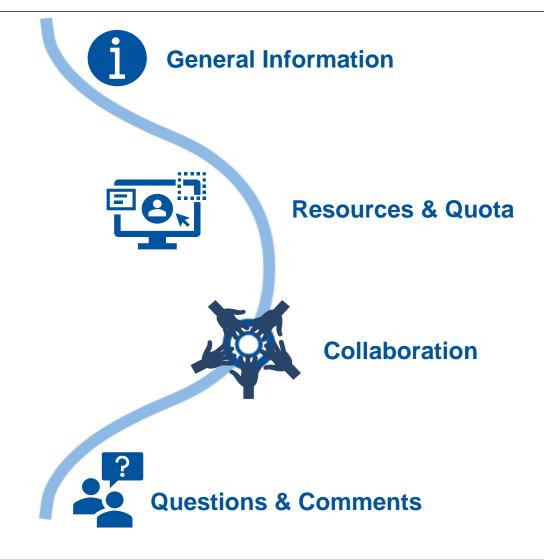
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General Information





Research Data Management – Motivation

Wishful Thinking

Idea



Experiment

Data



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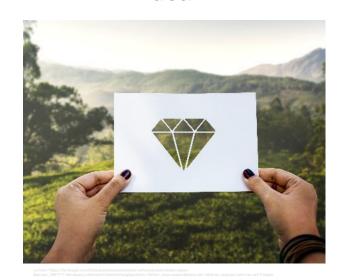




Research Data Management - Motivation

Reality

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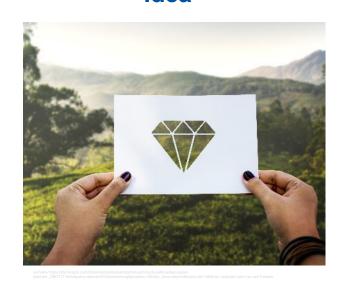




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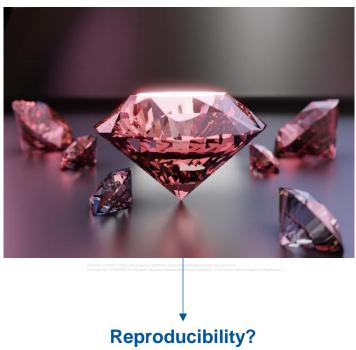
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Reuse? **Share Knowledge (Publications etc.)?**





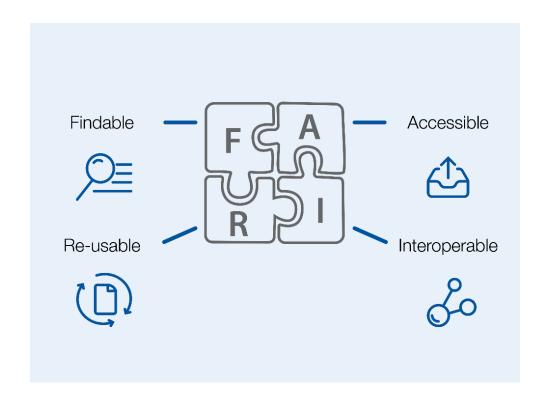
Coscine – Our Motivation

Problem

- FAIR handling of research data is not part of a researcher's daily routine
- Only a small proportion, if any, of a project's research data is handled according to FAIR principles
 - → Loss of metadata

Our solution

 Coscine - an environment for data management that implicitly implements the FAIR principles







Coscine – Another Motivation...

Problem

Researchers need a lot of storage space

Our solution

- (Research)DataStorage allows up to 125 TB of storage space per application – accessible via Coscine
- Demand: Research Data Management
- → More input regarding Storage (Applications) will follow during this Workshop

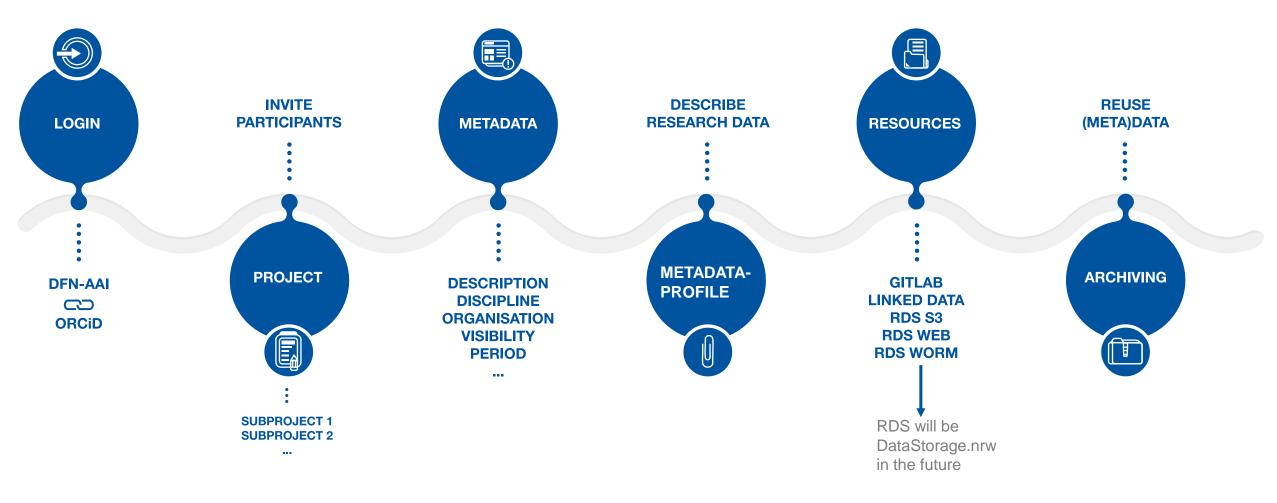


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Coscine - Workflow

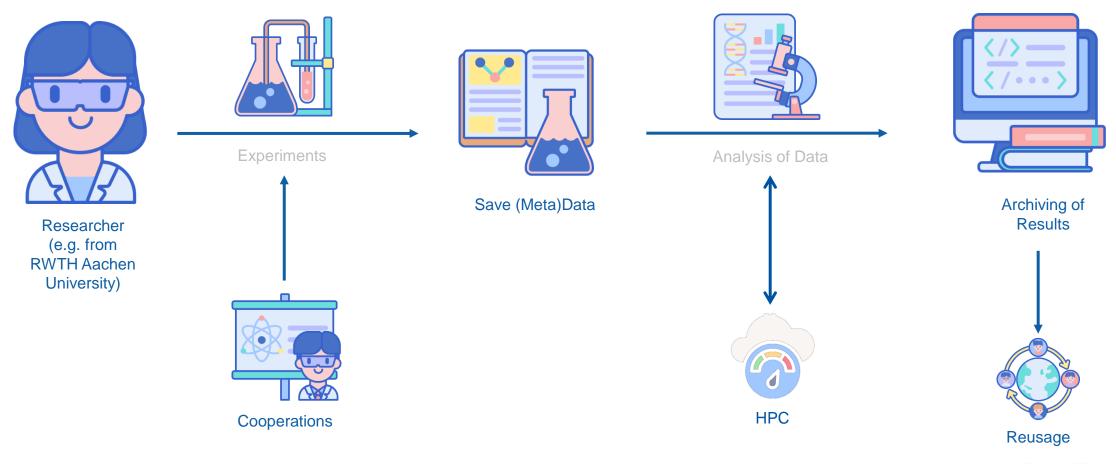


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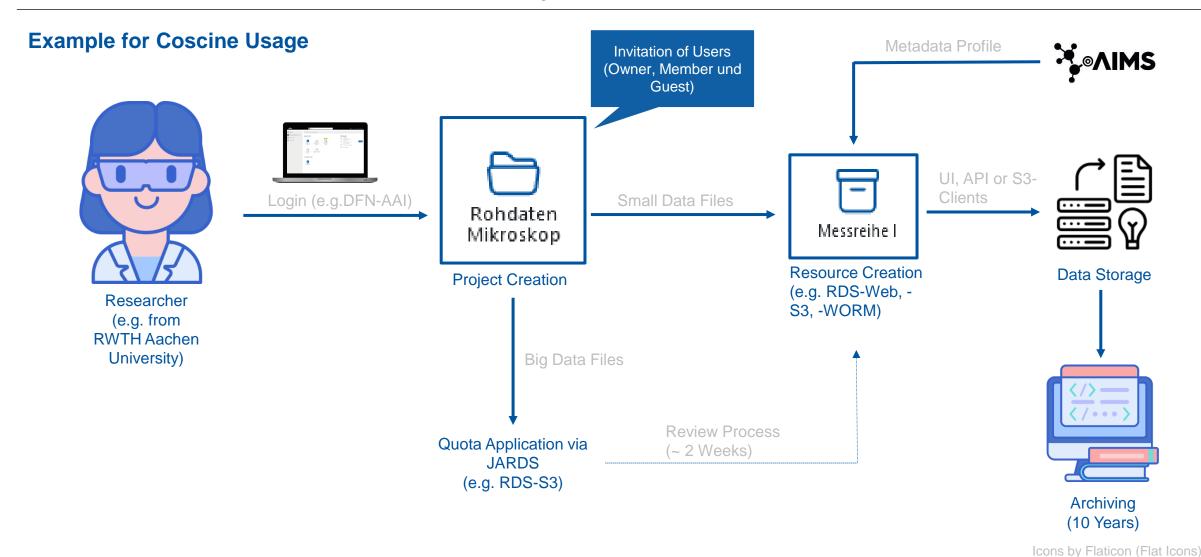
Example for Coscine Usage





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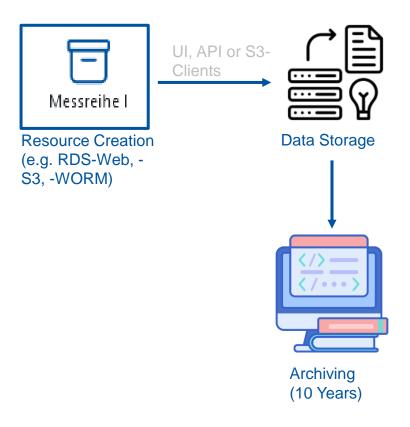




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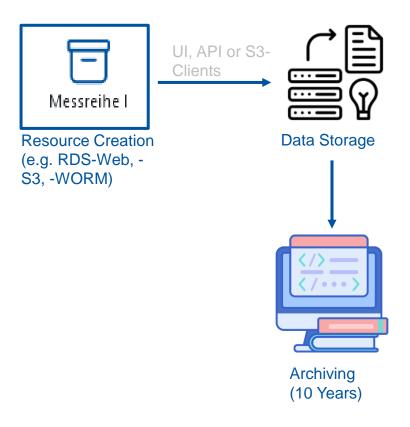
Data Storage in Coscine

- Upload files via web interface, API or S3 clients
 - Many small files at best as a zip file
 - Large files via S3 clients
 - · Write scripts for automated uploading
- PIDs for unique identification are assigned automatically
- Archiving for ten years after the end of the project
 - Good scientific practice
 - Reusability of the (meta)data
 - Read-only status





Example for Coscine Usage



Access for external users/share data in Coscine

- No Publication in Coscine
 - PIDs for reference of projects and resources
 - No DOIs
 - → Contact Publication Service
- Invite external persons to projects
 - Role concept (owner, member, guest)
 - Login option via ORCiD
 - For S3: sharing of read credentials possible
- Reference to research data stored in Coscine
 - Use Text Proposal



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FAIR Principles & Coscine

Login Possibilities

Across institutional boundaries

Role Management

• Owner, Member, Guest

Metadata

- On Project-, Resource- Data Level
- Can be shared publicitly in Coscine
- Searchable via ElasticSearch

Resources

- Different Resource Types
- Archiving for 10 Years
- Handle PIDs for identification











Resources & Quota





Quota Applications via JARDS Platform - Background

- Storage* is funded by Ministerium für Kultur und Wissenschaft des Landes Nordrhein-Westfalen
 - Coscine as a platform for Metadata Management as an access point
- Access for S3 and WORM Resources via S3-Clients (e.g. Cyberduck) possible
 - Quota Applications via JARDS Platform needed
 - Questions regarding Workflow, Metadata Management etc. (see next slides)
 - Applications for WORM include more specific questions
- JARDS Platform is already well established in HPC context
 - Own Coscine Instance since July 2023

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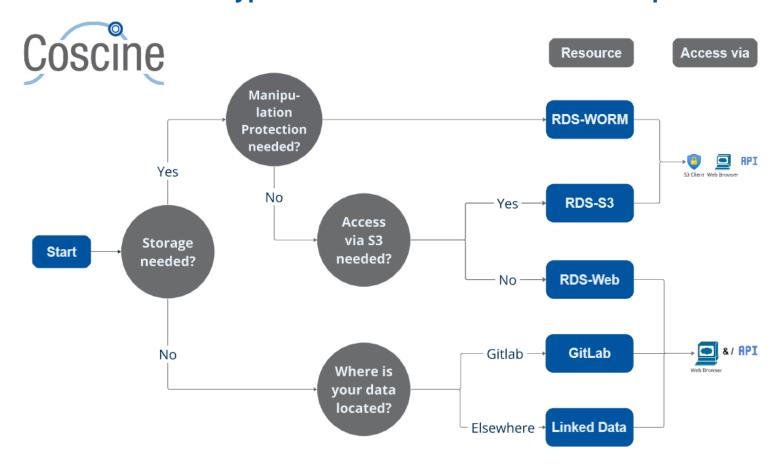








Which Resource Type fits the best? - Flowchart for help







Different Resource Types in Coscine - Documentation

Resource Type	RDS Authorized	External users	Link to Application Form	
RDS-Web	25 GB default; up to 100 GB with self service	no storage space	RDS-Web resources	
RDS-S3	no default; up to 125TB with RDS application	no storage space	RDS-S3 resources	JARDS Platfor
RDS-WORM	no default; up to 125TB with RDS application	no storage space	RDS-WORM resources	
Linked Data	no limit/storage space required	no limit since no storage space required	No application needed	
GitLab	No limit/no storage space required	no limit since no storage space required	No application needed	

- Applications for Quota via JARDS Platform
- Questions regarding Metadata Management & Data Workflow etc.
- Further input on the next slides...





Quota Applications via JARDS Platform - Workflow

Before the Application

- Project(s) in Coscine
- Metadata Profile(s)*
- Overview about file sizes and (roughly) total amount of quota needed
- Overview of Workflow
- * Please keep in mind:
 Review of new Metadata Profiles can
 take ~ 2-4 weeks

In the Application

- **Answering Questions**
 - Project URL(s)
 - MetadataManagement
 - How much quota is needed?

 How will the data be transferred to Coscine?

After the Application

- Two Cases:
- 1) Direct Approval
 - Storage can be directly used in Coscine
- 2) Restrictable Suitable
 - Open Questions from Reviewers
 - Application gets approved or rejected









Quota Applications via JARDS Platform – Outlook

~ Q1 2025

Current Status

- Research Data Storage (RDS)
 - Useable by authorized universities
- GitLab & LinkedData
 - Useable by all researchers via ORCiD

Outlook

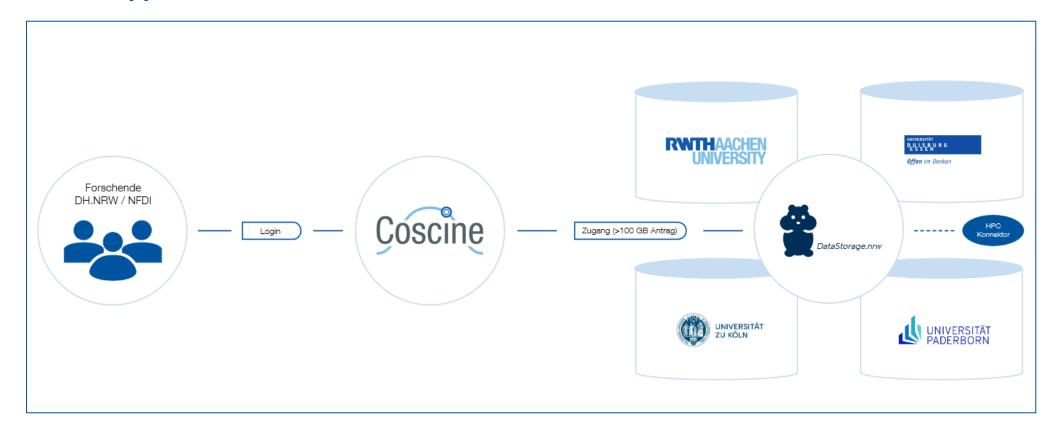
- DataStorage.nrw
 - Useable by DH.NRW
 - JARDS Reviews in a "Peer-Review" System
- GitLab & LinkedData
 - Useable by all researchers via ORCiD







Quota Applications via JARDS Platform – Outlook









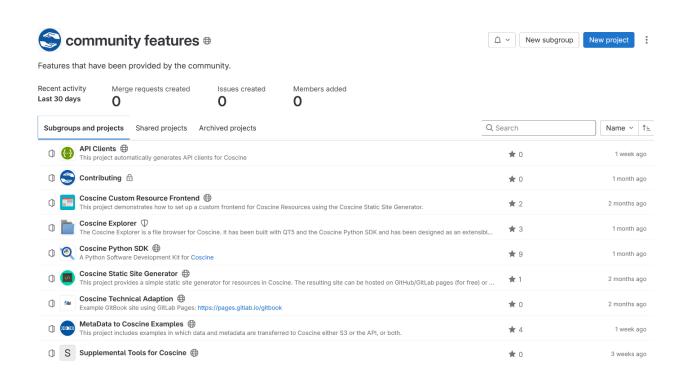
Community





Further Input

- Community Features
 - Contributions by the Coscine Community
 - Helpful for other users
 - Contributions welcome!
 - E.g. with examples from everyday research in which Coscine was used (scripts, automated upload, direct transfer of metadata from a device, etc.).









Upcoming Events

- Workshops for Coscine at RWTH Aachen
 - Basic-Workshop (Tomorrow at 10-12) | Online
 - Workshop regarding Metadata(profiles) (20.11.24 at 10-12) | Online
 - Workshop regarding automatised processes (27.11.24 at 10-13) | in Person



Thank you for your attention!







Coscine Dokumentation



Coscine Newsletter



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Questions & Comments

