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Data Sharing

Sharing data is good. But sharing your own data? That can get complicated. As two research communities who held meetings in May on the issue report their proposals to promote data sharing in biology, a special issue of *Nature* examines the cultural and technical hurdles that can get in the way of good intentions.

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Editorial



Data's shameful neglect

Research cannot flourish if data are not preserved and made accessible. All concerned must act accordingly. 9 September 2009

Feature



Data sharing: Empty archives

Most researchers agree that open access to data is the scientific ideal, so what is stopping it happening? Bryn Nelson investigates why many researchers choose not to share. 9 September 2009

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Prepublication data sharing

Rapid release of prepublication data has served the field of genomics well. Attendees at a workshop in Toronto recommend extending the practice to other biological data sets. *9 September 2009*

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Empfehlung 7

Primärdaten als Grundlagen für Veröffentlichungen sollen auf haltbaren und gesicherten Trägern in der Institution, wo sie entstanden sind, für zehn Jahre aufbewahrt werden. Good scientific practice in research and scholarship European Science Foundation (ESF), 2000

Data accumulation, handling, and storage

36. Data are produced at all stages in experimental research and in scholarship. Data sets are an important resource, which enable later verification of scientific interpretations and conclusions. They may also be the starting point for further studies. It is vital, therefore, that all primary and secondary data are stored in a secure and accessible form.

37. Institutions may pay particular attention to documenting and archiving original research and scholarship data. Several codes of good practice recommend a minimum period of 10 years, longer in the case of especially significant or sensitive data. National or regional discipline-based archives should be considered where there are practical or other problems in storing data at the institution where the research was conducted.

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The system is open to any scientist or project to archive and publish data.

History & Milestones

- ✤ 1987 Core repository database
- ✤ 1989 sedi/sedat proprietary predecessor
- ✤ 1994 sedan/sepan relational predecessor
- ✤ 1996 PANGAEA
- ✤ 1998 www.pangaea.de
- ✤ 2001 WDC-MARE
- ✤ 2004 OAI and DOI

each dataset can be identified, shared, published and cited by using a Digital Object Identifier (DOI)

- ✤ 2006 Data citation, Portal software
- ✤ 2008 Data warehouse
- ✤ 2009 Elsevier-Partnership

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PANGAEA---an information system for environmental sciences

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Abstract

PANGAEA is an information system for processing, long-term storage, and publication of georeferenced data related to earth science fields.

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Both institutions have committed to long-term operate PANGAEA and the World Data Center for Marine Environmental Sciences (WDC-MARE)

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Compilation of ozonesonde profiles from the Antarctic Georg-Forster-Station from 1985 to 1992

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Abstract. On 22 May 1985 the first balloon-borne ozonesonde was successfully launched by the staff of Georg-Forster-Station (70°46' S, 11°41' E). The subsequent weekly ozone soundings mark the beginning of a continuous investigation of the vertical ozone distribution in the southern hemisphere by Germany.

The measurements began the year the ozone hole was discovered. They significantly contribute to other measurements made prior to and following 1985 at other stations. The regular ozone soundings from 1985 until 1992 are a valuable reference data set since the chemical ozone loss became a significant feature in the southern polar stratosphere.

The balloon-borne soundings were performed at the upper air sounding facility of the neighbouring station Novolazarcvskaya, just 2 km from Georg-Forster-Station. Until 1992, ozone soundings were taken without interruption. Thereafter, the ozone sounding program was moved to Neumayer-Station ($70^{\circ}39'$ S, $8^{\circ}15'$ W) 750 km further west.

Data coverage and parameter measured

Repository-Reference: doi:10.1594/PANGAEA.547983 Coverage: East: 11.8300; South: -70.7700; Location Name: Georg-Forster-Station, Antarctica Date/Time Stat: 1985-05-22705:19:00 Date/Time End: 1992-01-29701:19:00

Parameter	Short Name	Unit	Comment
Altitude	Altitude	m	height above mean sea level
Date/Time	Date/Time		universal time code (UTC)
Longitude	Longitude		at lannching point
Latitude	Latitude		at launching point
Ozone, partial pressure	O3	mPa	
Pressure, at given altitude	PPPP	hPa	
Temperature, air	TTT	dcgC	
Wind direction	dd	deg	
Wind speed	ff	m/sec	



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1 Introduction

The first permanently operated German research base – later named Georg-Forster-Station – was established in 1976 in the Schirmacher Oasis at 70°46' S, 11°41' E. The station was permanently used and operated as an annex to the Russian station Novolazarevskaya until 1987, and then as a German Antarctic station named after the German natural scientists, author and revolutionary Georg Forster (1754–1794) until 1993.

Long-term studies of magnetospheric-ionospheric processes, geophysical investigations, biological studies and sea ice observations using satellite imaging were performed.

The station became known to the international scientific community when the vertical extent of the "ozone hole" in the southern polar stratosphere was firstly recorded by regular balloon-borne ozone observations in 1985 (Gernandt, 1987a, b).

The ozone sounding programme was a major contribution of the Meteorological Service to the Antarctic research of the German Democratic Republic (GDR). The station was established as a long-term ozone-sonde observatory in cooperation with the Russian Arctic and Antarctic Research Institute (AARI) and the Aerological Observatory Lindenberg (AOL) in order to study the climatology of the ozone layer in



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Archive of Underwater Imaging



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Joint Global Ocean Flux Studies



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International Polar Year (1882-1883)









Empty archives

Most researchers agree that open access to data is the scientific ideal, so what is stopping it happening? **Bryn Nelson** investigates why many researchers choose not to share.



n 2003, the University of Rochester in New York launched a digital archive designed to preserve and share dissertations, preprints, working papers, photographs, music scores — just about any kind of digital data the university's investigators could produce. Six months of research and marketing had convinced the university that a publicly accessible online archive would be well received. At the time of the launch, the university librarians were worried that a flood of uploaded data might swamp the available storage space.

Six years later, the US\$200,000 repository lies mostly empty.

or didn't understand how to use the archive, or lamented that they just didn't have any more hours left in the day to spend on this business.

As Gibbons and anthropologist Nancy Fried Foster observed in their 2005 postmortem¹, "The phrase 'if you build it, they will come' does not yet apply to IRs [institutional repositories]."

A similar reality check has greeted other

data-sharing efforts. Most researchers happily embrace the idea of sharing. It opens up observations to independent scrutiny, fosters data. Physicists, mathematicians and computer scientists use arXiv.org, operated by Cornell University in Ithaca, New York; the International Council for Science's World Data System holds data for fields such as geophysics and biodiversity; and molecular biologists use the Protein Data Bank, GenBank and dozens of other sites. The astronomy community has the International Virtual Observatory Alliance, geo-

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