



WUR's research data policy



Research data are highly valuable outputs of our research. We need to treat our data carefully. It is only then that our research can be shared, verified and re-used. To ensure that research data of Wageningen University & Research are safely stored during research and archived in a secure environment afterwards, WUR has established a [research data policy](#). This flyer gives a general overview of the policy. More information is available [online](#).



Data Management Plan

Write a [Data Management Plan](#) (DMP) describing what data you will collect and how you plan to store, organise, share and archive them. All PhD candidates and chair groups should have a DMP.



Safe data storage during research

Store your data on a safe, shared environment. WUR offers the W-drive and Sharepoint Teamsites, but other solutions can be used. Visit [this page on the data storage policy](#) for details.



Data archiving after research

Archive datasets underlying publication in a data repository. This ensures that your research can be verified, and that you data can be re-used (if you provide access). [This page on data archiving](#) gives details on what repositories you can use.



Registration of archived data sets

Make sure that your archived data sets are registered in Pure, WUR's research output system. This makes your data sets easily findable by others and helps to make WUR's data output visible. Visit [this page on data set registration](#) for details.

Questions? Don't hesitate to contact [Data Management Support](#), or visit the [Data Management](#) website for more information.