

[DISCLAIMER: The following text should be taken as a general text recommendation (inspiration) for the new provision C1 (9) j) (p. 17/18) of Terms and Conditions for the Public Tender

and Grant Projects in Research, Experimental Development, and Innovation (GAČR 2023), which states: "...Part C1 has a prescribed structure and must include the following: ...

j) a brief description of the data generated by the project and how this data will be handled. "]

The text for a project proposal (1-2 paragraphs) should be adapted to a specific project proposal conditions and should ideally include answers to following questions:

- a. What kind of data will be generated? (Images, video, datasets, etc.)
- b. What is the format of your data? (jpg, csv, etc.)
- c. Where are you going to store your data? (You can check the possibilities of MU based on your data category from MU <u>Recommendations for the Usage of Storages</u>)
- d. How are you going to handle data? (How the data will be managed, used within the project, etc.)

The general text for use in addition to specific project proposal information:

Faculty of Science, as an important part of Masaryk University, handles data according to the Masaryk University Directive No. 6/2013 on Research Data and follows <u>Recommendations for the Usage of Storages</u> for storing and backing up the Research Data based on MU directives (https://it.muni.cz/en/overviews/recommendations-for-the-usage-of-storages).

Masaryk University (MU) has proactively supported the implementation of <u>Open Access and FAIR Data</u> practices since 2020 (https://openscience.muni.cz/en). A dedicated Open Science Methodologist at each faculty guides Tesearchers and academics to effectively exploit opportunities to share data for the benefit of their RGs, community, and society. MU Open Science Strategy 2022-2028 is now under development. The Strategy follows the principle as open as possible, as closed as necessary; thus, the link between opening science and technology transfer and commercialization is established. This approach enables MU to foster research reproducibility and deliver a better system in finding successful pathways of impact for MU research. In this respect, GACŘ project proposals will have all the institutional support needed to enable Open Science practices and proper RDM Planning. The projects within GAČR will generate two types of data in general – Data supporting a journal article and Individual data sets. Thus, it is important to perform proper RDM planning, where applicable, and design a sustainable RDM plan. Our researchers will be able to use from 06/2022 the university-provided application <u>Data Stewardship Wizard</u> (https://ds-wizard.org/), which is under implementation now and tested at MU as a university tool to assess and manage data at research projects to create the RDM plan. One of this application's advantages is its ability to calculate the level of FAIRness of the RDM Plan.

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