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# Intensive Course

## Data Sharing & Reuse

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# I – Challenges



## Learning Outcomes:

- Tackle the RDM challenges that arise in data sharing and reuse

# Data Sharing & Reuse

- **Data Sharing** is the stage at which the only concern is making data available to others in a manner amenable to **Reuse**
  - We can (and often do) share data earlier in the life cycle with collaborators
    - The data is not final, but the challenges are identical



# Data Sharing & Reuse

- **Data Reuse** is not really a stage
  - Making our data reusable should be a concern across the whole life cycle
  - Reusing existing data is a concern during the planning and collection stages
  - The challenges of these scenarios are two sides of the same coin



# Data Sharing & Reuse

## ○ Challenges:

- Rights, obligations and restrictions
- Accessibility
- Selecting a repository
- Licensing
- Security
- Documentation



# Rights, Obligations & Restrictions

- **Rights:** are you the data owner or do you have consent from the data owner to share the data?
- **Obligations:** does your funder or institution require you to share the data?
- **Restrictions:** are there ethical, legal, contractual or IP reasons not to share the data



# Accessibility

Type of Access	Who can access the data?	Metadata
Open Access	Anyone	Public
Registered Access	Authenticated users	Public
Controlled Access	Users approved by a Data Access Committee	Public
Access upon Request	Users approved by the data owner	???



# Selecting a Repository

- Is there a discipline-specific repository available for your data?
- If not, is there an institutional or general purpose repository you could use?
- Does the repository support your desired type of access?
- Does it support the metadata standard for your domain?
  - Does it allow you to customize the metadata?





# Licensing

- If you deposit your data in a public repository (open or registered access), you should add a license to it if able
  - Some repositories don't allow you to choose (data deposited there becomes public domain by default)
- For data under controlled access, a license usually does not make sense, as users will access the data under a contract



# Licensing

Licence	Can I copy & redistribute the work?	Is it required to attribute the author?	Can I use the work commercially?	Am I allowed to adapt the work?	Can I change the licence when redistributing?
CC0	✓	X	✓	✓	✓
CC BY	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
CC BY-SA	✓	✓	✓	✓	X
CC BY-ND	✓	✓	✓	X	✓
CC BY-NC	✓	✓	X	✓	✓
CC BY-NC-SA	✓	✓	X	✓	X
CC BY-NC-ND	✓	✓	X	X	✓



# Security

- Are the security practices of a data repository adequate to your needs?
  - Does it implement an established authentication and authorization protocol?
  - Does it encrypt the data?
  - Does it have a reasonable backup policy? (this can be hard to check)



# Documentation

- Documentation is again one of the most critical concerns when sharing data, as reusability hinges almost entirely on the quality of your documentation
- Fortunately, if we followed good documentation practices throughout the data life cycle, we don't need to do much at this stage
  - We can export and publish our experiments from the ELN
  - We can publish our data processing and analysis workflow





## II – Hands-On



### Learning Outcomes:

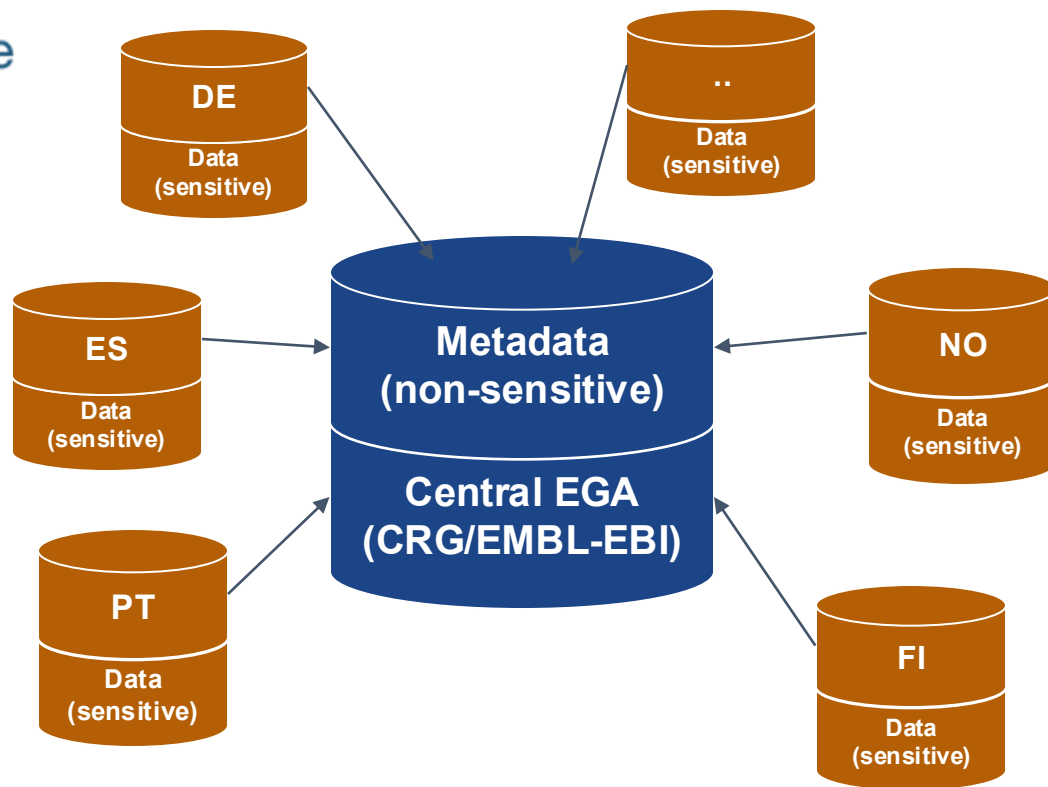
- Share sensitive data on a data repository



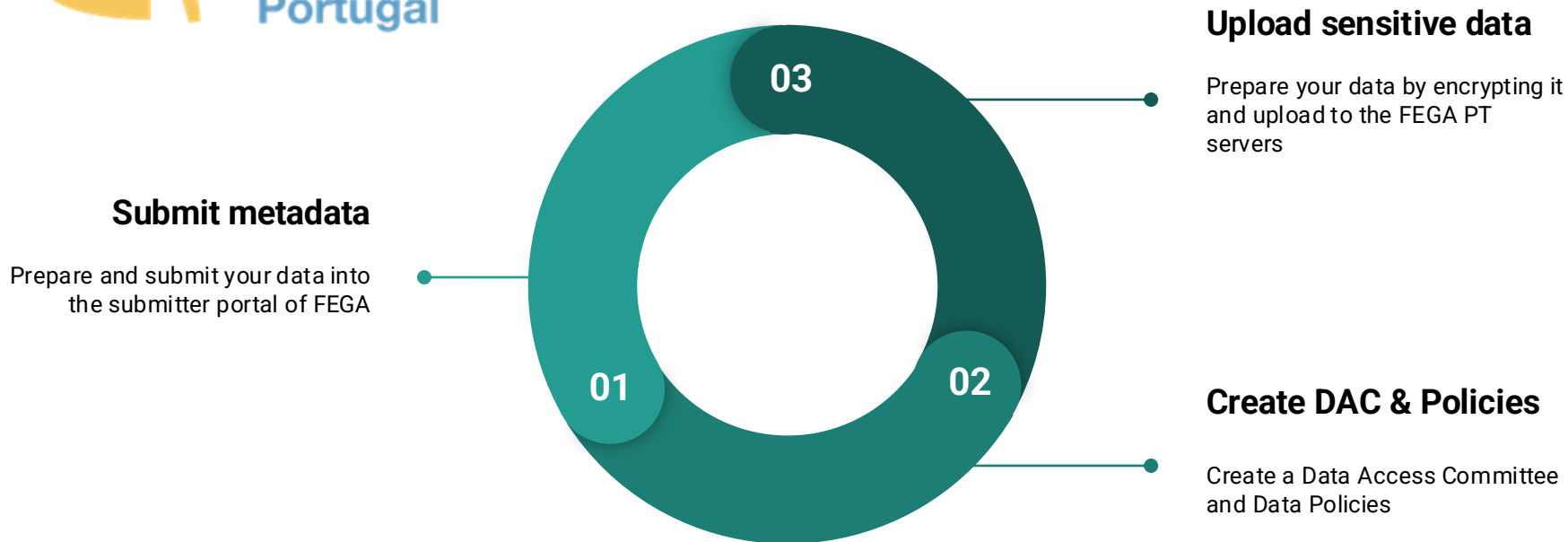
<https://fegaportugal.biodata.pt/>

- Archive for **secure** storing and sharing **sensitive** data from Portuguese **research** projects.
- National node of the Federated European Genome-phenome Archive (FEGA).
- Meets the requirements of the General Data Protection Regulation (**GDPR**).
- Data submitted to the archive is subject to **controlled access**
  - Access to the data only will be granted after a formal application procedure.





# Group Exercise





## Legend

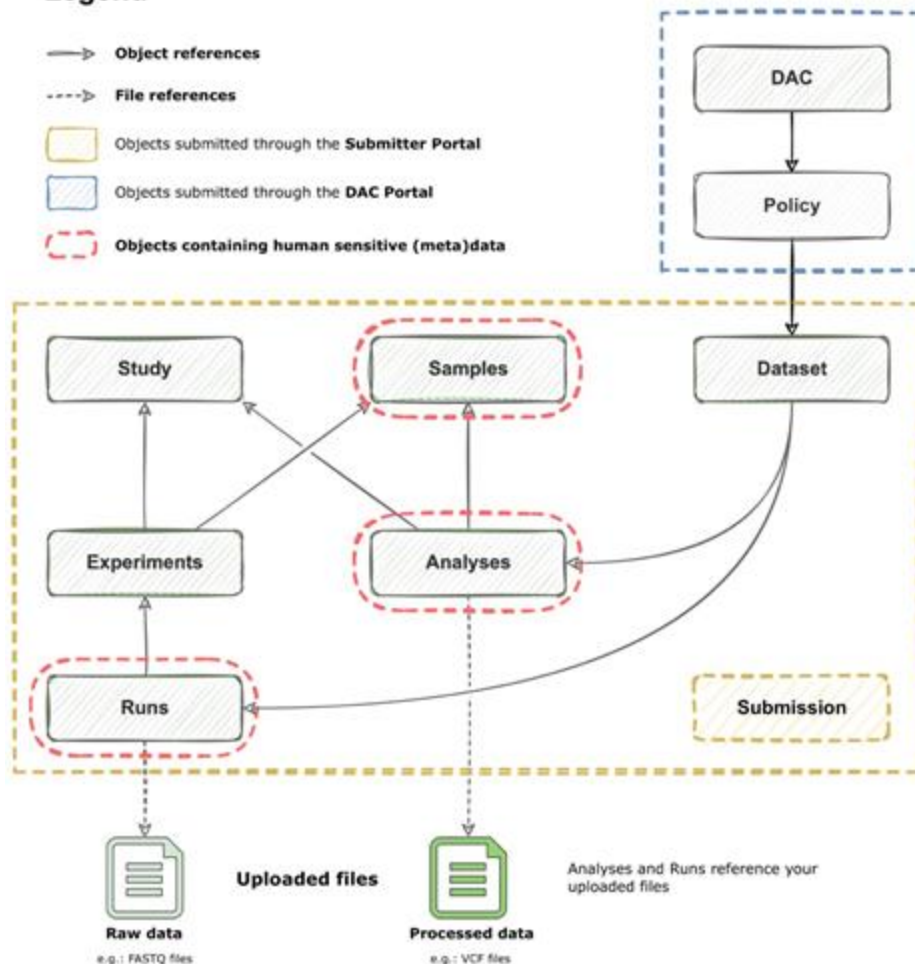
→ Object references

---> File references

Objects submitted through the **Submitter Portal**

Objects submitted through the **DAC Portal**

Objects containing human sensitive (meta)data



# Group Exercise

## Part I

1. Access [test.ega-archive.org/register/](https://test.ega-archive.org/register/) and register
2. Login into the [Submission Portal](#) OR use the [Template](#)
3. <https://submission-test.portugal.ega-archive.org>
4. Create a mock submission on FEGA PT to deposit the genomic data of [this study](#) (Check Data Availability Section)
5. If it helps, check the EGA [metadata schema](#)



# Group Exercise

## Part II

1. Access the [Data Access Committee Portal](#)
2. Create a Data Access Committee (DAC)
3. Create a Data Policy and associate it with your DAC
4. Associate them with your EGA submission

# Group Exercise

## Part III

1. Access the [FEGA Portugal website](#)
2. Explore the site and learn how to prepare your data to upload to the Local EGA Servers
3. **Do not upload the files** (this is only an exercise)



# Thank You!

# Questions?