How to build the metadata files





Tutorial

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Explanation based on an example



FRIM - Fruit Integrative Modelling

See http://www.erasysbio.net/index.php?index=266 & http://frim.brookes.ac.uk/Home

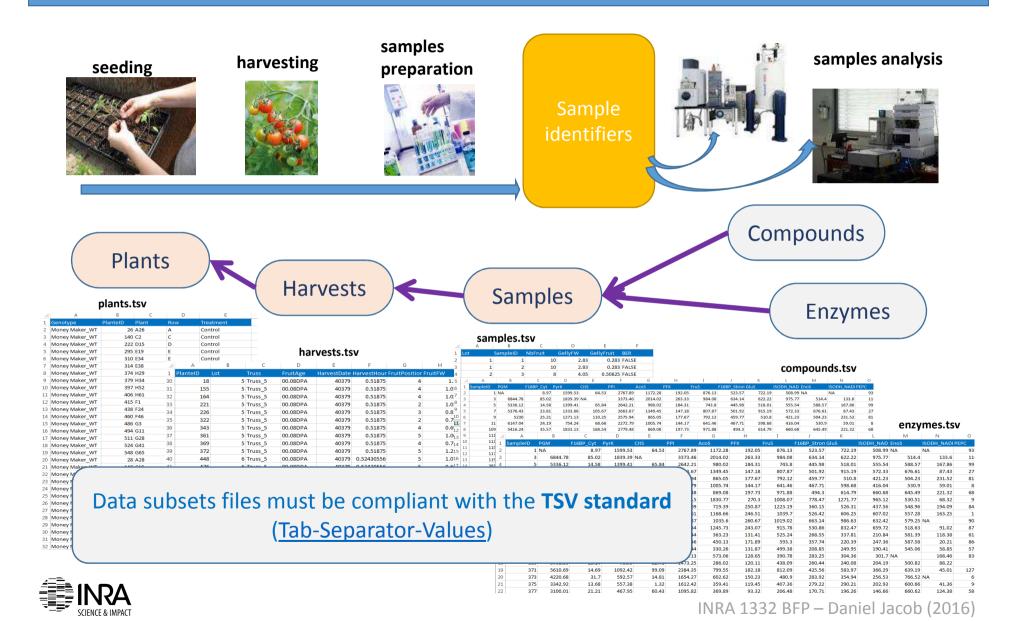
Design of Experiment (DoE)

- 1 Genotype MoneyMaker, Species Lyco. Sola.
- ~600 plants, >1500 samples
- Tissues : Fruit (F)
- Treatment : Control (TC), Shadow (TS), Water Shortage (TWS)
- bouquet, weight, height, diameter,
- Dev. Stages, 9 levels: from march up to august
- Compounds: 12 quantified metabolites
- Enzymes: 38 quantified enzymes
- 5 object types of study, namely: plants, harvests, samples, compounds and enzymes
- 2 factors: Treatment, Development stages
- 53 quantitative variables: compounds (12) + enzymes (38) + weight, height, diameter(3)





FRIM - Fruit Integrative Modelling





FRIM - Preparation and cleaning of the data sub-sets of files

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1	Genotype	PlanteID	Plant	Row	Treatment		plant	S.TSV										
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- Whatever the kind of experiment, this assumes a design of experiment (DoE) involving individuals, samples or whatever things, as the main objects of study (e.g. plants, tissues, bacteria, ...)
- This also assumes the observation of dependent variables resulting of effects of some controlled experimental factors.
- Moreover, the objects of study have usually an identifier for each of them, and the variables can be quantitative or qualitative.
- We can have either one object type of study or several kinds, but in this latter case, it must exist a relationship between object types that we assume of "obtainedFrom" type.

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Data subset files

compounds.tsv

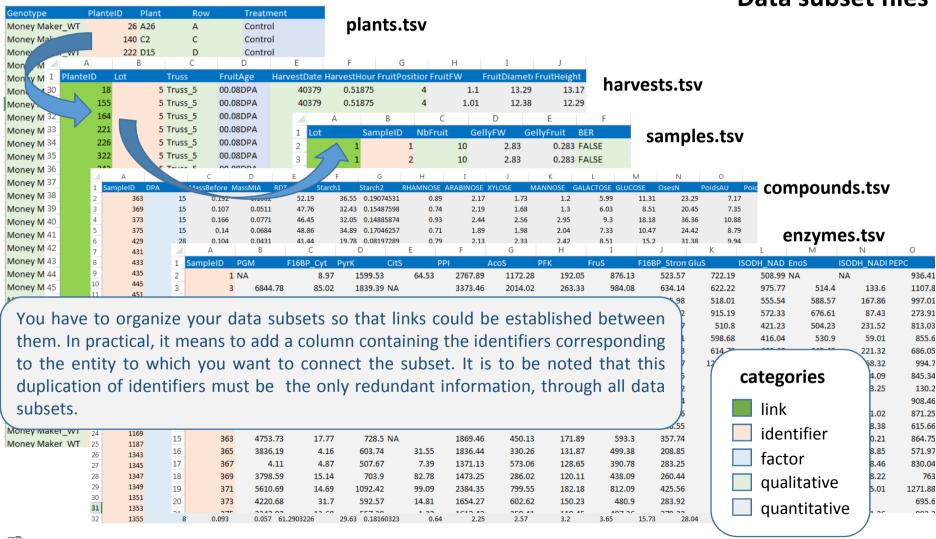
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2	87.43	676.61		572.33
8	231.52	504.23		421.23
	59.01	530.9		416.04
6	221.32	645.49		660.68
	68.32	530.51		965.12
8	194.09	548.96		437.56
	163.25	557.28		607.02
9	NA	579.25		632.42
8	91.02	518.63		659.72
6	118.38	581.39		210.84
8	20.21	587.58		247.36
5	58.85	545.06		190.41
8	168.46		NA	301.7
	88.22	500.82		204.19
12	45.01	639.19		366.29
	NA	766.52		256.53
	41.36	600.66		202.93
5	124.38	660.62		146.66





FRIM - Classification of each column within its right category

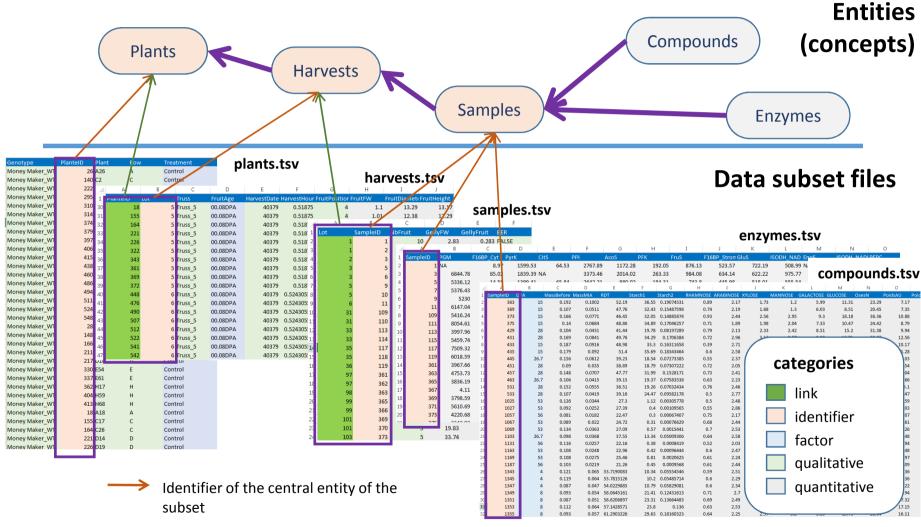
Data subset files







FRIM - Connections between the dataset files based on identifiers





 Link between 2 subsets being carried out from identifiers (implies a 'obtainedFrom' relation)



Supplementary files

In order to allow data to be explored and mined, we have to adjoin some minimal but relevant metadata:

For that, 2 metadata files are required

- s_subsets.tsv: a file allowing to associate with each subset of data a key concept corresponding to the main entity of the subset and the relations of the type "obtainedFrom" between these concepts
- a_attributes.tsv: a metadata file allowing each attribute (concept/variable) to be annotated with some minimal but relevant metadata

Note:

Data subsets files and their associated metadata files must be compliant with the **TSV standard** (Tab-Separator-Values)

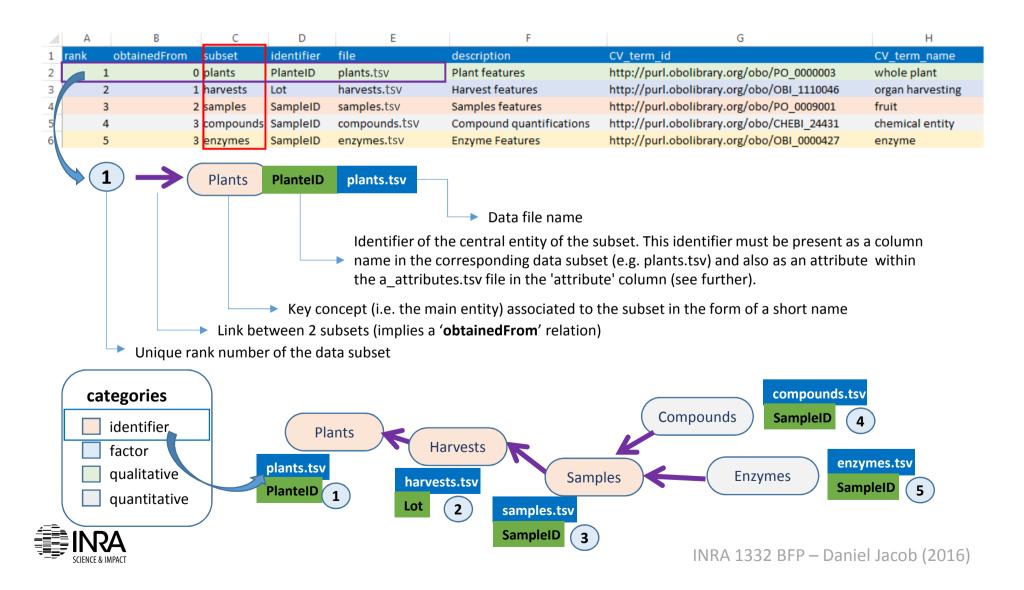


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s_subsets.tsv

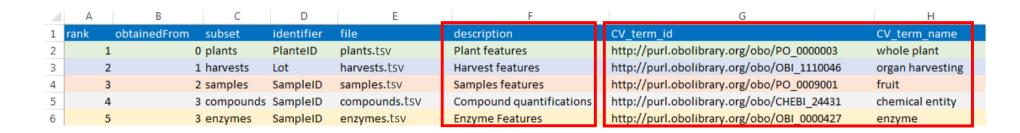
This metadata file allows to associate a key concept to each data subset file





s subsets.tsv

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a description for each subset

Optional: an annotation based on ontology





FRIM - Creation of the metadata files: Be careful in the spelling

s_subsets.tsv	This metadata file allows to associate a key concept to each data subset file
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4	Α	В	С	D	E	F	G	Н
1	rank	obtainedFrom	subset	identifier	file	description	CV_term_id	CV_term_name
2	1		0 plants	PlanteID	plants.csv	Plant features	http://purl.obolibrary.org/obo/PO_0000003	whole plant
3	2		1 harvests	Lot	harvests.csv	Harvest features	http://purl.obolibrary.org/obo/OBI_1110046	organ harvesting
4	3		2 samples	SampleID	samples.csv	Samples features	http://purl.obolibrary.org/obo/PO_0009001	fruit
5	4		3 compounds	SampleID	compounds.csv	Compound quantifications	http://purl.obolibrary.org/obo/CHEBI_24431	chemical entity
6	5		3 enzymes	SampleID	enzymes.csv	Enzyme Features	http://purl.obolibrary.org/obo/OBI_0000427	enzyme

- 1. For short names of the data subsets (C column), the name of the identifier attributes (D column) and the names of the files (E column),
 - only the alphanumerical characters and the underscore are allowed (i.e. 'a-z', 'A-Z', '0-9' and ' ').
 - Moreover, these names should not start with a digit!
- 2. For description (F column),
 - the allowed characters are: 0-9 a-z A-Z,:+*()[]{}-%!|/.?

The identifier attributes (D column)

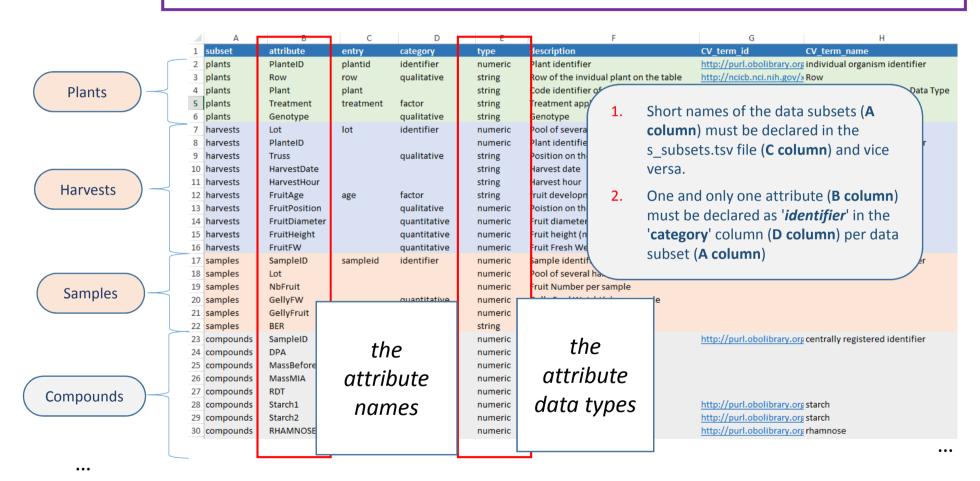
- should be the only attribute declared as 'identifier' in the 'category' column in the a_attributes.tsv file (D column)
- 2. should be available as a column item in the corresponding data subset file





a_attributes.tsv

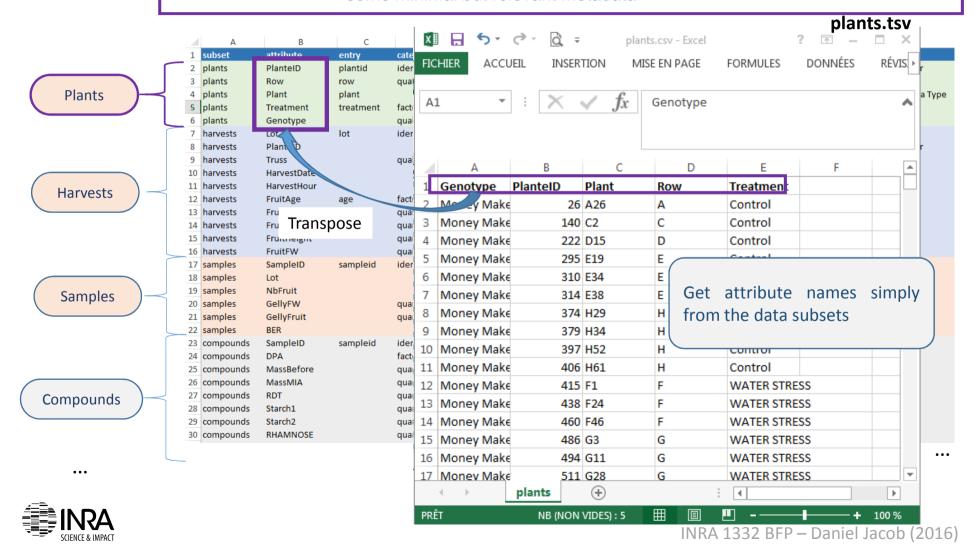
This metadata file allows each attribute (variable) to be annotated with some minimal but relevant metadata





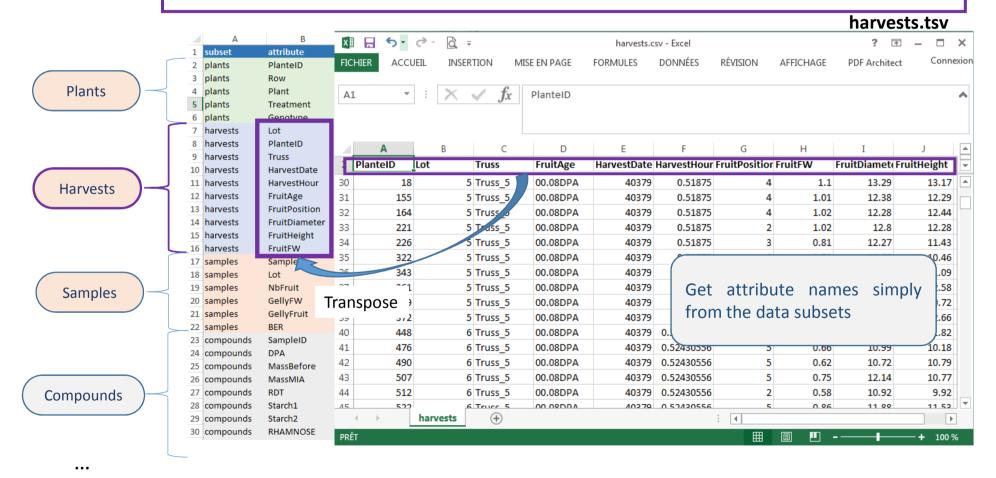


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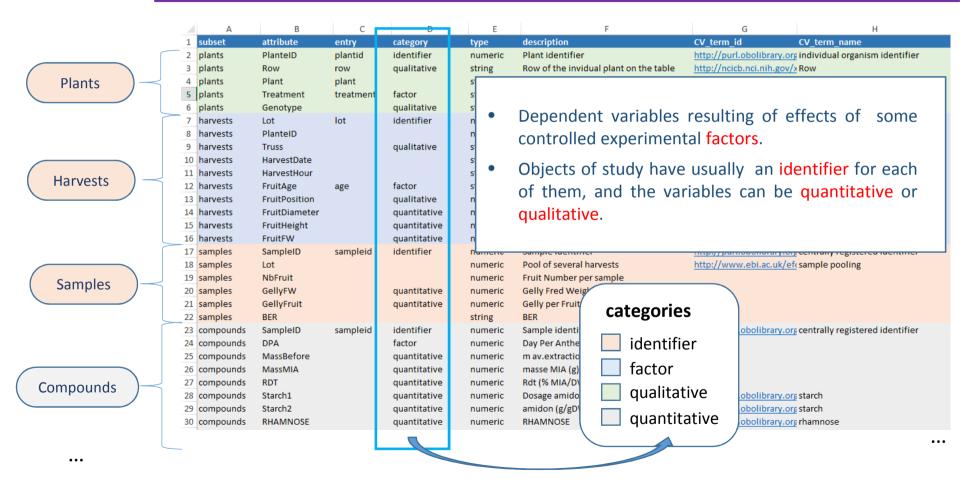






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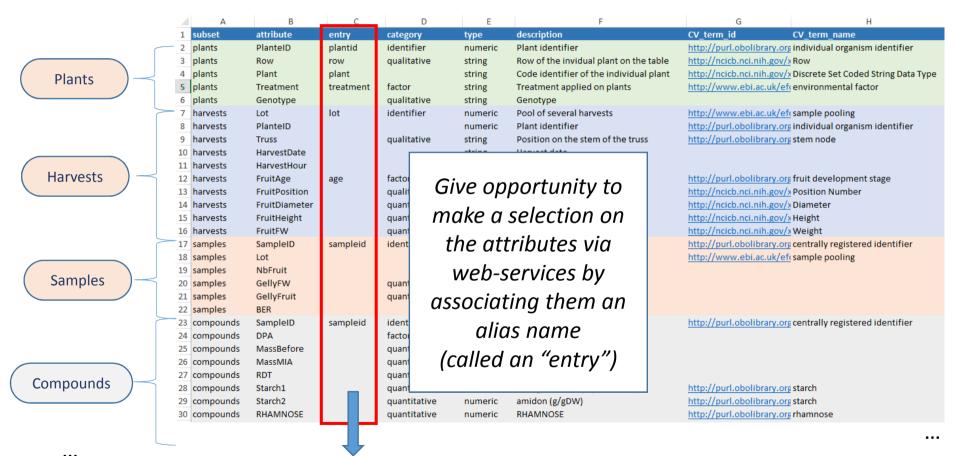






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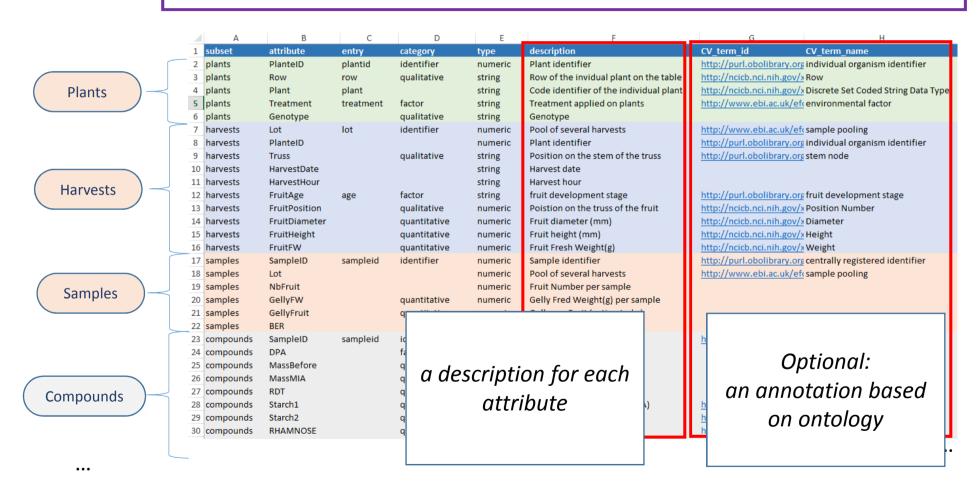
http://myhost.org/getdata/xml/frim1/(samples)/treatment/Control





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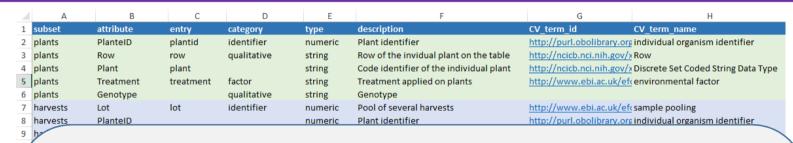




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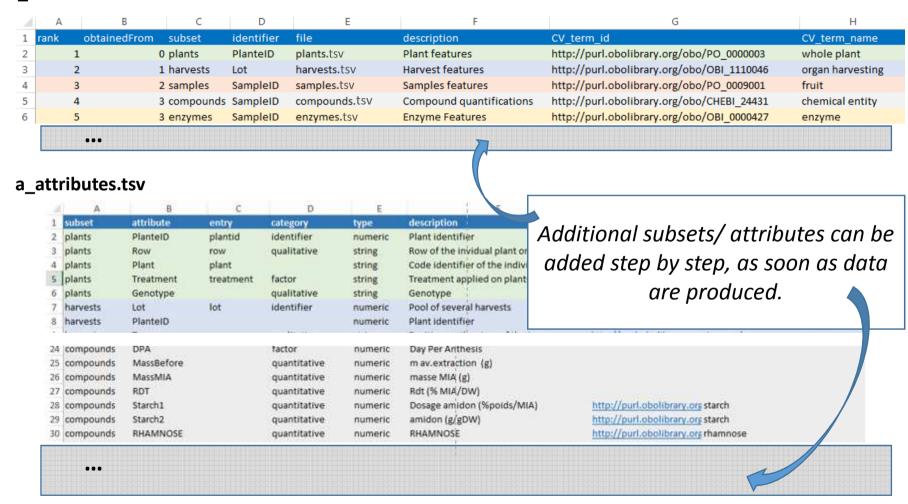
- 1. For short names of the data subsets (A column), the name of the attributes (B column) and the entry names (C column):
 - only the alphanumerical characters and the underscore are allowed (i.e. 'a-z', 'A-Z', '0-9' and '_').
 - Moreover, these names should not start with a digit!
- 2. For categorical names (**D column**):
 - the set of terms are fixed, namely: '*identifier*', '*factor*', '*quantitative*', '*qualitative*'. Leave as blank otherwise.
- 3. For data types (**E column**):
 - the allowed names are restricted to 'numeric' or 'string'.
- 4. For description (**F column**):
 - the allowed characters are : 0-9 a-z A-Z , : + * () [] {} %! | / . ?





FRIM - Updating the metadata files

s subsets.tsv







FRIM - Uploading your datasets in the data repository

Merely dropping data files on the data repository (e.g. NAS) should allow users to access them by web services myhost.org Data capture mount Minimal effort (PUT) samples.tsv http://myhost.org/ plants.tsv **Data repository** harvests.tsv **GE1** ■ Z: (\\Storage) compounds.tsv a_attributes.tsv DataRepos s_subsets.tsv frim1 Your data subset files **PUT** Data analysis/mining Your dataset entry (named Data subsets files and their 'frim1' as example) within Maximum efficiency (GET) associated metadata files must be the data repository compliant with the TSV standard

No database schema, no programming code and no additional configuration on the server side.



(Tab-Separator-Values)

FRIM - Checking online if your the data subset files are consistent

Before dropping your data set in the data repository, check all points below:

Ref. Note	Note Hereinston
1	A directory named as the dataset name should be actually created in the data repository; Be careful in the spelling, see note 6;
2	The s_subsets tsv and a_attributes tsv files should be present in the data repository
3	All data subset files declared in the s_subsets.tsv (col 5) should be available in the data repository
5	To be sure to have the right format, do a 'copy' of data from the spreadsheet then 'paste' them into a new file, then 'save as TSV format (separator: a tab character)'
4	1) all subsets in the a_attributes.tsv file (col 1) should be declared in the s_subsets.tsv file (col 3) 2) all subsets in the s_subsets.tsv file (col 3) should be declared in the a_attributes.tsv file (col 1) 3) all attribute names in the a_attributes.tsv file (col 2) should be available as a column in the corresponding data subset file declared in the s_subsets.tsv file (col 5)
6	Be careful in the spelling: 1) for data subset file names (col 5 in s_subsets.tsv), identifier name (col 2 in s_subsets.tsv), attribute names (col 2 in a_attributes.tsv), subset shortnames (col 3 in s_subsets.tsv and col 1 in a_attributes.tsv) and entry names (col 3 in a_attributes.tsv), only the alphanumerical characters and the underscore are allowed (i.e 'a-z', 'A-Z', '0-9' and '_'). Moreover, these names should not start with a digit! 2) for categorical names (col 4 in a_attributes.tsv), the number of terms and their spelling are fixed, namely: 'identifier', 'factor', 'quantitative', 'qualitative'. 3) for type (col 5 in a_attributes.tsv), the allowed names are restrited to 'numeric' or 'string'. 4) for descritpion, the allowed characters are: 0-9 a-z A-Z, : + * () [] {} - %! / .?
7	Identifiers declared in the s_subsets.tsv file (col 2) 1) should be declared as 'identifier' in the 'category' column in the a_attributes.tsv file (col 4) 2) should be available as an column item in the corresponding data subset file 3) should be the only one attribute declared as identifier for the corresponding data subset file in the a_attributes.tsv file (col 4)
8	Each subset having a 'father_rank' greater than 0 in the s_subsets.tsv file (col 2) 1) should have a column label in the corresponding data file that must be identical to the identifier label of the linked subset (i.e. corresponding to the 'father_rank' in col 1) 2) should have the linked subset identifier with no category (i.e. void) in the a-attributes.tsv file (col 4), except if the subset and the linked subset have the same identifier





FRIM - Checking online if your the data subset files are consistent

Fortunately, most of checking can be automatically done for you

Checklist

http://myhost.org/check/frim1

Туре	Description	Information	Status
General	the dataset directory	Available	ok
General	the subset definition file	Available	ok
General	the attribute definition file	Available	ok
General	data subset files	all availables (11)	ok
s_subsets	definition file format	CSV-compliant	ok
a_attributes	definition file format	CSV-compliant	ok
a_attributes	Check if spelling of names are proper in a_attributes.tsv	all attributes seem ok	ok
plants.txt	Check if column names are the same that those declared in a_attributes.tsv	all attributes seem ok	ok
samples.txt	Check if column names are the same that those declared in a_attributes.tsv	all attributes seem ok	ok
aliquots.txt	Check if column names are the same that those declared in a_attributes.tsv	all attributes seem ok	ok
compounds.txt	Check if column names are the same that those declared in a_attributes.tsv	all attributes seem ok	ok
enzymes.txt	Check if column names are the same that those declared in a_attributes.tsv	all attributes seem ok	ok
pools.txt	Check if column names are the same that those declared in a_attributes.tsv	all attributes seem ok	ok
FRIM1Quantities.txt	Check if column names are the same that those declared in a_attributes.tsv	all attributes seem ok	ok
qnmr_metabo.txt	Check if column names are the same that those declared in a_attributes.tsv	all attributes seem ok	ok
plato_HexosesP.txt	Check if column names are the same that those declared in a_attributes.tsv	all attributes seem ok	ok
lipids_ag.txt	Check if column names are the same that those declared in a_attributes.tsv	all attributes seem ok	ok
aminoacids.txt	Check if column names are the same that those declared in a_attributes.tsv	all attributes seem ok	ok
identifiers	Check if identifiers are consistent	all identifiers seem consistent	ok
subsets	Check SQL on each subset	all SQL success	ok
merged_subsets	Check SQL on each merged subset	all SQL success	ok





FRIM - Testing online if your the data subset files are OK

http://myhost.org/xml/frim1

Subset	Description	Identifier	WSEntry	SetID	LinkID	CV_Term_ID	CV_Term_Name
plants	Plant features	PlantID	plant	1	0	http://purl.obolibrary.org/obo/PO_0000003	whole plant
samples	Sample features	SampleID	sample	2	1	http://purl.obolibrary.org/obo/OBI_1110046	organ harvesting
aliquots	Aliquots features	AliquotID	aliquot	3	2	http://purl.obolibrary.org/obo/PO_0009001	fruit
cellwall_metabo	Cell wall Compound quantifications	AliquotID	aliquot	4	3	http://purl.obolibrary.org/obo/CHEBI_24431	chemical entity
cellwall_metaboFV	V Cell Wall Compound quantifications (FW)	AliquotID	aliquot	5	3	http://purl.obolibrary.org/obo/CHEBI_24431	chemical entity
activome	Activome Features	AliquotID	aliquot	6	3	http://purl.obolibrary.org/obo/CHEBI_24431	chemical entity
pools	Pools of remaining pools	PoolID	pool	7	2	http://purl.obolibrary.org/obo/OBI_1110046	organ harvesting
qMS_metabo	MS Components quantification	PoolID	pool	8	7	http://purl.obolibrary.org/obo/CHEBI_24431	chemical entity
qNMR_metabo	Pools of remaining pools	PoolID	pool	9	7	http://purl.obolibrary.org/obo/OBI_1110046	organ harvesting
plato_hexosesP	Hexoses Phosphate	AliquotID	aliquot	10	3	http://purl.obolibrary.org/obo/CHEBI_24431	chemical entity
lipids_AG	Lipids AG	AliquotID	aliquot	11	3	http://purl.obolibrary.org/obo/CHEBI_24431	chemical entity
AminoAcid	Amino Acids	AliquotID	aliquot	12	3	http://purl.obolibrary.org/obo/CHEBI_24431	chemical entity



To summarize

- 1. Preparation and cleaning of the data sub-sets of files
- 2. Classification of each column within its right category
- 3. Connections between the dataset files based on identifiers
- 4. Creation of the metadata files: **s_subsets.tsv** and **a_attributes.tsv**
- 5. Deposit of the dataset files in the data repository
- 6. Checking online if your the data subset files are consistent
- 7. Testing online the web-services on your dataset

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