

FWO DMP Template - Flemish Standard Data Management Plan

Version KU Leuven

Project supervisors (from application round 2018 onwards) and fellows (from application round 2020 onwards) will, upon being awarded their project or fellowship, be invited to develop their answers to the data management related questions into a DMP. The FWO expects a **completed DMP no later than 6 months after the official start date** of the project or fellowship. The DMP should not be submitted to FWO but to the research co-ordination office of the host institute; FWO may request the DMP in a random check.

At the end of the project, the **final version of the DMP** has to be added to the final report of the project; this should be submitted to FWO by the supervisor-spokesperson through FWO's e-portal. This DMP may of course have been updated since its first version. The DMP is an element in the final evaluation of the project by the relevant expert panel. Both the DMP submitted within the first 6 months after the start date and the final DMP may use this template.

The DMP template used by the Research Foundation Flanders (FWO) corresponds with the Flemish Standard Data Management Plan. This Flemish Standard DMP was developed by the Flemish Research Data Network (FRDN) Task Force DMP which comprises representatives of all Flemish funders and research institutions. This is a standardized DMP template based on the previous FWO template that contains the core requirements for data management planning. To increase understanding and facilitate completion of the DMP, a standardized **glossary** of definitions and abbreviations is available via the following [link](#).

1. General Project Information	
Name Grant Holder & ORCID	Bjorn Meijers, 0000-0002-2846-2026
Contributor name(s) (+ ORCID) & roles	
Project number ¹ & title	1800825N
Funder(s) GrantID ²	FWO 1800825N
Affiliation(s)	X KU Leuven <input type="checkbox"/> Universiteit Antwerpen <input type="checkbox"/> Universiteit Gent <input type="checkbox"/> Universiteit Hasselt <input type="checkbox"/> Vrije Universiteit Brussel <input type="checkbox"/> Other: ROR identifier KU Leuven: 05f950310
Please provide a short project description	FKM renewal – Exploring the epithelial barrier in CKD WP 1 – Development and characterization of CKD gut organoid biobank WP2 – The gut epithelial inflammasome in CKD WP 3 – SGLT signaling and the gut-kidney axis WP 4 – HIF signaling and the gut-kidney axis

¹ “Project number” refers to the institutional project number. This question is optional. Applicants can only provide one project number.

² Funder(s) GrantID refers to the number of the DMP at the funder(s), here one can specify multiple GrantIDs if multiple funding sources were used.

2. Research Data Summary

List and describe all datasets or research materials that you plan to generate/collect or reuse during your research project. For each dataset or data type (observational, experimental etc.), provide a short name & description (sufficient for yourself to know what data it is about), indicate whether the data are newly generated/collected or reused, digital or physical, also indicate the type of the data (the kind of content), its technical format (file extension), and an estimate of the upper limit of the volume of the data ³.

Dataset Name	Description	New or Reused	Digital or Physical	ONLY FOR DIGITAL DATA	ONLY FOR DIGITAL DATA	ONLY FOR DIGITAL DATA	ONLY FOR PHYSICAL DATA
				Digital Data Type	Digital Data Format	Digital Data Volume (MB, GB, TB)	Physical Volume
RNAseq	RNA sequencing data of colon cells/organoids after stimulation with selected compounds	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Generate new data <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Reuse existing data	<input type="checkbox"/> Digital <input type="checkbox"/> Physical	<input type="checkbox"/> Audiovisual <input type="checkbox"/> Images <input type="checkbox"/> Sound <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Numerical <input type="checkbox"/> Textual <input type="checkbox"/> Model <input type="checkbox"/> Software <input type="checkbox"/> Other:	.count .xls .tif	<input type="checkbox"/> < 1 GB <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> < 100 GB <input type="checkbox"/> < 1 TB <input type="checkbox"/> < 5 TB <input type="checkbox"/> > 5 TB <input type="checkbox"/> NA	
Collection of biopsies and/or feces	Collection, processing and storage of biopsies and or feces	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Generate new data <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Reuse existing data	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Digital <input type="checkbox"/> Physical	<input type="checkbox"/> Audiovisual <input type="checkbox"/> Images <input type="checkbox"/> Sound <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Numerical <input type="checkbox"/> Textual <input type="checkbox"/> Model <input type="checkbox"/> Software <input type="checkbox"/> Other:	.xls	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> < 1 GB <input type="checkbox"/> < 100 GB <input type="checkbox"/> < 1 TB <input type="checkbox"/> < 5 TB <input type="checkbox"/> > 5 TB <input type="checkbox"/> NA	
RT-qPCR data	RT-qPCR data of organoids after	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Generate new data	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Digital <input type="checkbox"/> Physical	<input type="checkbox"/> Audiovisual <input type="checkbox"/> Images	.xls .eds	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> < 1 GB <input type="checkbox"/> < 100 GB	

³ Add rows for each dataset you want to describe.

	stimulation with selected compounds	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Reuse existing data		<input type="checkbox"/> Sound <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Numerical <input type="checkbox"/> Textual <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Model <input type="checkbox"/> Software <input type="checkbox"/> Other:		<input type="checkbox"/> < 1 TB <input type="checkbox"/> < 5 TB <input type="checkbox"/> > 5 TB <input type="checkbox"/> NA	
Western blot data	Pictures of western blot and analysis	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Generate new data <input type="checkbox"/> Reuse existing data	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Digital <input type="checkbox"/> Physical	<input type="checkbox"/> Audiovisual <input type="checkbox"/> Images <input type="checkbox"/> Sound <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Numerical <input type="checkbox"/> Textual <input type="checkbox"/> Model <input type="checkbox"/> Software <input type="checkbox"/> Other:	.tiff	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> < 1 GB <input type="checkbox"/> < 100 GB <input type="checkbox"/> < 1 TB <input type="checkbox"/> < 5 TB <input type="checkbox"/> > 5 TB <input type="checkbox"/> NA	
16S rRNA sequencing	16S rRNA sequencing of microbiota samples	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Generate new data <input type="checkbox"/> Reuse existing data	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Digital <input type="checkbox"/> Physical	<input type="checkbox"/> Audiovisual <input type="checkbox"/> Images <input type="checkbox"/> Sound <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Numerical <input type="checkbox"/> Textual <input type="checkbox"/> Model <input type="checkbox"/> Software <input type="checkbox"/> Other:	R file TSV file	<input type="checkbox"/> < 1 GB <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> < 100 GB <input type="checkbox"/> < 1 TB <input type="checkbox"/> < 5 TB <input type="checkbox"/> > 5 TB <input type="checkbox"/> NA	
Clinical metadata	Collection of clinically relevant metadata encoded in a pseudonymised manner	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Generate new data <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Reuse existing data	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Digital <input type="checkbox"/> Physical	<input type="checkbox"/> Audiovisual <input type="checkbox"/> Images <input type="checkbox"/> Sound <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Numerical <input type="checkbox"/> Textual <input type="checkbox"/> Model <input type="checkbox"/> Software	.XLS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> < 1 GB <input type="checkbox"/> < 100 GB <input type="checkbox"/> < 1 TB <input type="checkbox"/> < 5 TB <input type="checkbox"/> > 5 TB <input type="checkbox"/> NA	

				<input type="checkbox"/> Other:			
Metabolomics data	LC/MS-MS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Generate new data <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Reuse existing data	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Digital <input type="checkbox"/> Physical	<input type="checkbox"/> Audiovisual <input type="checkbox"/> Images <input type="checkbox"/> Sound <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Numerical <input type="checkbox"/> Textual <input type="checkbox"/> Model <input type="checkbox"/> Software <input type="checkbox"/> Other:	.raw .xls	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> < 1 GB <input type="checkbox"/> < 100 GB <input type="checkbox"/> < 1 TB <input type="checkbox"/> < 5 TB <input type="checkbox"/> > 5 TB <input type="checkbox"/> NA	

GUIDANCE:

The data description forms the basis of your entire DMP, so make sure it is detailed and complete. It includes digital and physical data and encompasses the whole spectrum ranging from raw data to processed and analysed data including analysis scripts and code. Physical data are all materials that need proper management because they are valuable, difficult to replace and/or ethical issues are associated. Materials that are not considered data in an RDM context include your own manuscripts, theses and presentations; documentation is an integral part of your datasets and should be described under documentation/metadata.

[RDM Guidance on data](#)

If you reuse existing data, please specify the source, preferably by using a persistent identifier (e.g. DOI, Handle, URL etc.) per dataset or data type.	We use data that have been generated as part of previous projects. Data are kept by the laboratory of nephrology (data on file)
Are there any ethical issues concerning the creation and/or use of the data (e.g. experiments on humans or animals, dual use)? If so, refer to specific datasets or data types when appropriate and provide the relevant ethical approval number.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes, human subject data; provide SMEC or EC approval number: S67039; S66061 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes, animal data; provide ECD reference number: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes, dual use; provide approval number: <input type="checkbox"/> No Additional information:

Will you process personal data ⁴ ? If so, please refer to specific datasets or data types when appropriate and provide the KU Leuven or UZ Leuven privacy register number (G or S number).	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes (provide PRET G-number or EC S-number below) <input type="checkbox"/> No Additional information: S67039; S66061
Does your work have potential for commercial valorization (e.g. tech transfer, for example spin-offs, commercial exploitation, ...)? If so, please comment per dataset or data type where appropriate.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No If yes, please comment:
Do existing 3rd party agreements restrict exploitation or dissemination of the data you (re)use (e.g. Material/Data transfer agreements, research collaboration agreements)? If so, please explain to what data they relate and what restrictions are in place.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No If yes, please explain:
Are there any other legal issues, such as intellectual property rights and ownership, to be managed related to the data you (re)use? If so, please explain to what data they relate and which restrictions will be asserted.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No If yes, please explain:

3. Documentation and Metadata

⁴ See Glossary Flemish Standard Data Management Plan

<p>Clearly describe what approach will be followed to capture the accompanying information necessary to keep data understandable and usable, for yourself and others, now and in the future (e.g. in terms of documentation levels and types required, procedures used, Electronic Lab Notebooks, README.txt files, Codebook.tsv etc. where this information is recorded).</p> <p><i>RDM guidance on documentation and metadata.</i></p>	<p>A readme file will be provided with each of the datasets (clinical and experimental data on clinical samples). Raw expression data files, and image files will be collected per sample. A metadata file will be provided with the clear description of what the raw data files represent and how they were generated. This metadata file will be kept in the same folder as the expression data. Research methods will be fully documented as word files.</p>
<p>Will a metadata standard be used to make it easier to find and reuse the data?</p> <p>If so, please specify which metadata standard will be used. If not, please specify which metadata will be created to make the data easier to find and reuse.</p> <p><i>REPOSITORIES COULD ASK TO DELIVER METADATA IN A CERTAIN FORMAT, WITH SPECIFIED ONTOLOGIES AND VOCABULARIES, I.E. STANDARD LISTS WITH UNIQUE IDENTIFIERS.</i></p>	<p><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No</p> <p>If yes, please specify (where appropriate per dataset or data type) which metadata standard will be used:</p> <p>If no, please specify (where appropriate per dataset or data type) which metadata will be created:</p>

4. Data Storage & Back-up during the Research Project

<p>Where will the data be stored?</p> <p><i>Consult the interactive KU Leuven storage guide to find the most suitable storage solution for your data.</i></p>	<p> <input type="checkbox"/> Shared network drive (J-drive) <input type="checkbox"/> Personal network drive (I-drive) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OneDrive (KU Leuven) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Sharepoint online <input type="checkbox"/> Sharepoint on-premis <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Large Volume Storage <input type="checkbox"/> Digital Vault <input type="checkbox"/> Other: </p>
<p>How will the data be backed up?</p> <p><i>WHAT STORAGE AND BACKUP PROCEDURES WILL BE IN PLACE TO PREVENT DATA LOSS?</i></p>	<p> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Standard back-up provided by KU Leuven ICTS for my storage solution <input type="checkbox"/> Personal back-ups I make (specify) <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify) </p>
<p>Is there currently sufficient storage & backup capacity during the project? If yes, specify concisely. If no or insufficient storage or backup capacities are available, then explain how this will be taken care of.</p>	<p> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If no, please specify: </p>
<p>How will you ensure that the data are securely stored and not accessed or modified by unauthorized persons?</p> <p><i>CLEARLY DESCRIBE THE MEASURES (IN TERMS OF PHYSICAL SECURITY, NETWORK SECURITY, AND SECURITY OF COMPUTER SYSTEMS AND FILES) THAT WILL BE TAKEN TO ENSURE THAT STORED AND TRANSFERRED DATA ARE SAFE.</i></p> <p>Guidance on security for research data</p>	<p>A master copy of the data will be kept on our research unit central storage facility. Access is limited to dedicated personal and is password protected. Copies of part of the data will be made for detailed analysis, but will not be allowed to be stored on personal devices in case human data are involved.</p>

What are the expected costs for data storage and backup during the research project? How will these costs be covered?	We anticipate a back-up cost per Tb (KU Leuven ICTS) of approx. 325€/year (5 Tb anticipated). In principle, we don't anticipate needing the KU Leuven ICTS digital vault, as all data with high Privacy risks (i.e. the codes to decode the pseudonymization) will be stored behind the firewall of UZ Leuven.
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5. Data Preservation after the end of the Research Project	
Which data will be retained for at least five years (or longer, in agreement with other retention policies that are applicable) after the end of the project? In case some data cannot be preserved, clearly state the reasons for this (e.g. legal or contractual restrictions, storage/budget issues, institutional policies...).	<input type="checkbox"/> All data will be preserved for 10 years according to KU Leuven RDM policy <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> All data will be preserved for 25 years according to CTC recommendations for clinical trials with medicinal products for human use and for clinical experiments on humans <input type="checkbox"/> Certain data cannot be kept for 10 years (explain)
Guidance on data preservation Where will these data be archived (stored and curated for the long-term)? <i>Dedicated data repositories are often the best place to preserve your data. Data not suitable for preservation in a repository can be stored using a KU Leuven storage solution, consult the interactive KU Leuven storage guide.</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> KU Leuven RDR <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Large Volume Storage (longterm for large volumes) <input type="checkbox"/> Shared network drive (J-drive) <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify):

What are the expected costs for data preservation during the expected retention period? How will these costs be covered?	We anticipate a back-up cost per Tb (KU Leuven ICTS) of approx. 325€/year (5 Tb anticipated). In principle, we don't anticipate needing the KU Leuven ICTS digital vault, as all data with high Privacy risks (i.e. the codes to decode the pseudonymization) will be stored behind the firewall of UZ Leuven.
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6. Data Sharing and Reuse

<p>Will the data (or part of the data) be made available for reuse after/during the project? Please explain per dataset or data type which data will be made available.</p> <p><i>NOTE THAT 'AVAILABLE' DOES NOT NECESSARILY MEAN THAT THE DATA SET BECOMES OPENLY AVAILABLE, CONDITIONS FOR ACCESS AND USE MAY APPLY. AVAILABILITY IN THIS QUESTION THUS ENTAILS BOTH OPEN & RESTRICTED ACCESS. FOR MORE INFORMATION: HTTPS://WIKI.SURFNET.NL/DISPLAY/STANDARDS/INFO-EU-REPO/#INFO-EU-REPO-ACCESSRIGHTS</i></p>	<p> <input type="checkbox"/> Yes, as open data <input type="checkbox"/> Yes, as embargoed data (temporary restriction) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes, as restricted data (upon approval, or institutional access only) <input type="checkbox"/> No (closed access) <input type="checkbox"/> Other, please specify: </p>
If access is restricted, please specify who will be able to access the data and under what conditions.	Requests for data access will be discussed by the PI and the third party case-by-case. Data sharing will only be acceptable after approval of secondary use of the data by the CME and approval of a bilateral data transfer agreement.

<p>Are there any factors that restrict or prevent the sharing of (some of) the data (e.g. as defined in an agreement with a 3rd party, legal restrictions)? Please explain per dataset or data type where appropriate.</p>	<p> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes, privacy aspects <input type="checkbox"/> Yes, intellectual property rights <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes, ethical aspects <input type="checkbox"/> Yes, aspects of dual use <input type="checkbox"/> Yes, other <input type="checkbox"/> No </p> <p>If yes, please specify:</p>
<p>Where will the data be made available? If already known, please provide a repository per dataset or data type.</p>	<p> <input type="checkbox"/> KU Leuven RDR <input type="checkbox"/> Other data repository (specify) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other (specify) N/A </p>
<p>When will the data be made available?</p>	<p> <input type="checkbox"/> Upon publication of research results <input type="checkbox"/> Specific date (specify) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other (specify) N/A </p>
<p>Which data usage licenses are you going to provide? If none, please explain why.</p> <p><i>A DATA USAGE LICENSE INDICATES WHETHER THE DATA CAN BE REUSED OR NOT AND UNDER WHAT CONDITIONS. IF NO LICENSE IS GRANTED, THE DATA ARE IN A GREY ZONE AND CANNOT BE LEGALLY REUSED. DO NOTE THAT YOU MAY ONLY RELEASE DATA UNDER A LICENCE CHOSEN BY YOURSELF IF IT DOES NOT ALREADY FALL UNDER ANOTHER LICENCE THAT MIGHT PROHIBIT THAT.</i></p> <p>Check the RDR guidance on licences for data and software sources code or consult the License selector tool to help you choose.</p>	<p> <input type="checkbox"/> CC-BY 4.0 (data) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Data Transfer Agreement (restricted data) <input type="checkbox"/> MIT licence (code) <input type="checkbox"/> GNU GPL-3.0 (code) <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify) </p>

<p>Do you intend to add a PID/DOI/accession number to your dataset(s)? If already available, please provide it here.</p> <p><i>INDICATE WHETHER YOU INTEND TO ADD A PERSISTENT AND UNIQUE IDENTIFIER IN ORDER TO IDENTIFY AND RETRIEVE THE DATA.</i></p>	<p><input type="checkbox"/> Yes, a PID will be added upon deposit in a data repository</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> My dataset already has a PID</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No</p>
<p>What are the expected costs for data sharing? How will these costs be covered?</p>	

7. Responsibilities	
Who will manage data documentation and metadata during the research project?	H. De Loor, laboratory of nephrology and renal transplantation, KU Leuven
Who will manage data storage and backup during the research project?	H. De Loor, laboratory of nephrology and renal transplantation, KU Leuven
Who will manage data preservation and sharing?	H. De Loor, laboratory of nephrology and renal transplantation, KU Leuven
Who will update and implement this DMP?	B. Meijers