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## True/False

Creative Commons licenses are the only options when licensing research data.

Answer: False

Other licenses can be used, though CC are the most frequent.

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## True/False

The creator of a data set can select a license without asking his/her institution.

Answer: True

Some institutions publish rules and guidelines, but usually the creator is responsible for setting up a license.

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## True/False

My PhD project doesn't have to comply to the principles of research data management (RDM).

Answer: False

The principles of RDM also include research integrity and good faith.

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## True/False

A dataset stored on my own computer and shared with colleagues, is already shared data.

Answer: Yes and No

Shared, yes, but with a very restrictive group of people. Funders are requesting a larger dissemination via dedicated repositories.

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## True/False

When I finish my PhD, I can leave the lab with all my data.

Answer: False

The data belongs to the employer.  
You can ask to keep a copy.

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## True/False

Sharing datasets on the publisher's website alongside my publication ensures long term preservation for my data.

Answer: False

Publisher's websites may shut down or restrict access to data without notice.

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## Surprise!

You refuse to share your data because you are afraid that someone will use it and scoop you.

➡ Skip your turn!

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## Surprise!

You have obtained an additional CHF 10'000 from the SNSF to recruit one staff to help you prepare your data for sharing.

➡ You can take a spare card from another player if you like!