

# Data Sharing: Progress by improving data 'control'?

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# DATA ARE 'IMPORTANT' and 'VALUABLE' and so MANY OTHERS WANT YOUR DATA therefore GIVE ALL YOUR DATA AWAY

Quo Vadis?

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## **GWAS Central**

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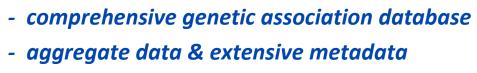


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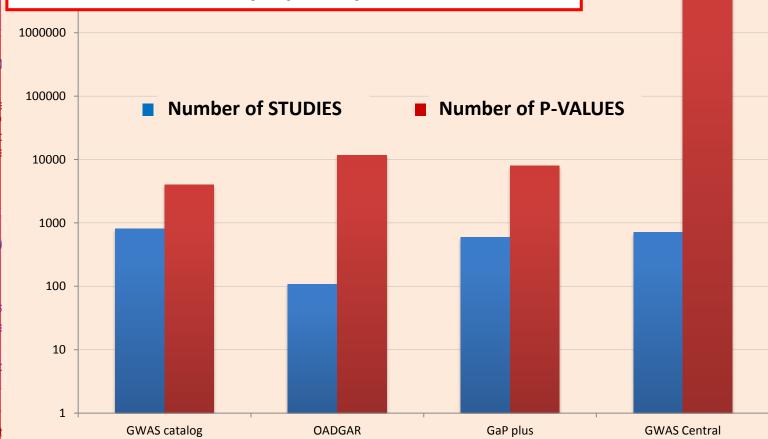


#### Frequently

- How is the database
- How do I find Studie
- How do I find Marker
- How do I use the Bro
- How do I submit my







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# **GWAS CENTRAL 'Publicity Project'**

#### **March 2011**

570 e-mails sent to authors of 700 studies [30 undeliverable ]

19 (3.5%) positive responses (new or corrected data)

9 (1.7%) neutral or negative responses

512 (94.8%) did not reply

#### January 2012

505 e-mails sent to authors of 512 studies [16 undeliverable]

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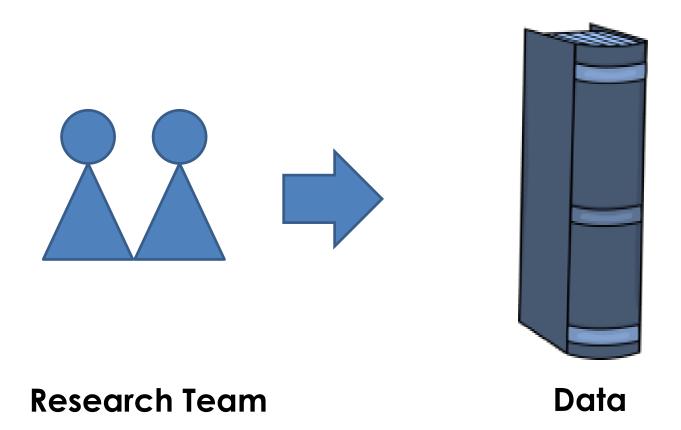
38 (7.8%) neutral or negative responses

434 (88.7%) did not reply

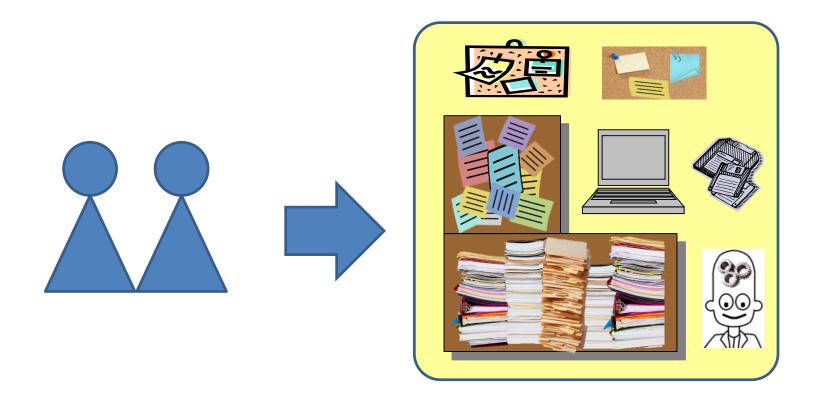
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# Are all data digitised, organised, structured... to make them 'sharable'?



# Or are data generally chaotic & unstructured?



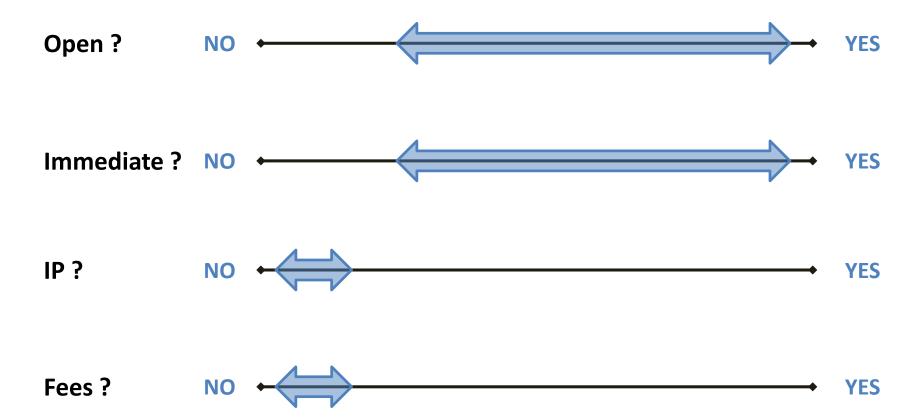
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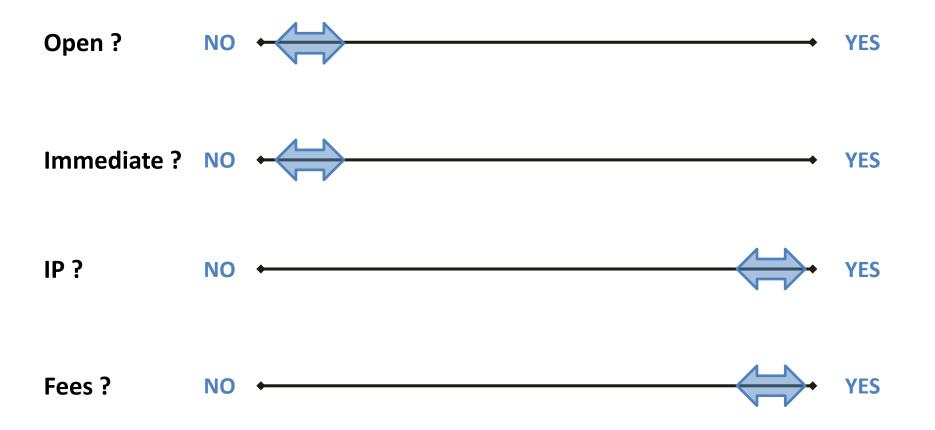
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#### **SHARING DATA**



#### SHARING NEW METHOD, BIOREAGENT, TECHNOLOGY, DRUG . . .



## Drazen/NEJM Editorial...

Raised general concerns about open data sharing, namely

- working separately, someone not involved in the original data collection may **misinterpret** the original data parameters or biases
- researcher "parasites" could use data of others to **unfairly compete** and/or disprove the original hypothesis

So they concluded that data analysis should happen "symbiotically"

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Later added...

[As per ICMJE proposal] NEJM will require authors to **make 'available' the data that** underlie the reported results of their work within 6 months of publication



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Everyone 'to be research patient', says David Cameron

# ..personal data



"Let me be clear, this does not threaten privacy, it doesn't mean anyone can look at your health records, but it does mean using anonymous data to make new medical breakthroughs.



"This is people's most personal information and many will be horrified by the idea it is being shared with Google - encrypted or not"

**Data protection** 

# NHS to scrap single database of patients' medical details

Care.data scheme to close after Fiona Caldicott review calls for tougher measures to keep information confidential



Data FAIRport
Find, Access, Interoperate & Re-use Data

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FAIR Principles

#### **Work Packages**

The Data FAIRport program will consist of the following workpackages:

- WP1 Detailed plan of approach & funding strategy. WP1 will focus on producing a detailed Plan of Approach for the process towards the September deliverables and beyond (assuming a positive decision to move forward). This WP will include read more
- WP2 Key Stakeholders & Advocacy. WP2 will focus on developing a strategy for engagement and alignment of the visions of Enablers and onboarding of stakeholders. It needs to produce a read more
- WP3 Tech exemplars. WP3 will focus on developing one or more exemplars to be presented during the RDA meeting in September 2014. Aspects needing attention include read more

Overview and review (sounding board, non executive)

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(criteria: no pet technologies, role in endorsement, publisher view)

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Morris Schwertz Erik van Mulligen Joel Kuiper Paolo Ciccarese Luiz Olavo Bonino Others (MW)

Reflection on Governance implications, secretariat, redaction, hosting etc.

Arie Baak, Albert Mons, Ruben Kok, Mascha Jansen, Femke Francissen,
Jacintha van Beemen

(criteria: hosting/investing, supporting work packages)

# A Critical Insight / Solution...???

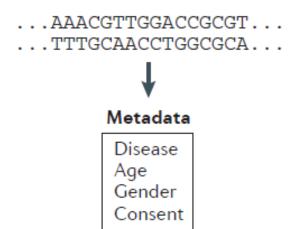
Possession (not sharing)

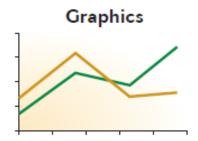


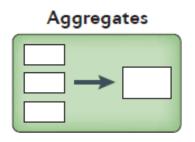
Control
(power & opportunity)

So, we need to disconnect possession and control, so that data can be released (in whole or in part) whilst not undermining the data owner's reasonable control of the data

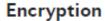
#### (1) Alternative Forms of data

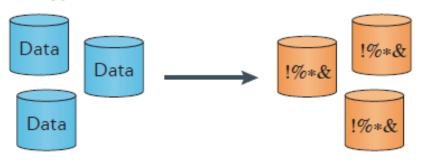


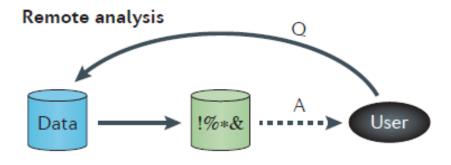




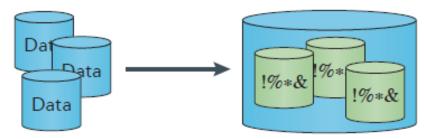
#### (2) Encryption based solutions











#### (3) Automatable Discovery and Access Matrix (ADA-M) v1.0





 'Atomic' – smallest sensible, standardised concepts which can be combined into a data use conditions profile, encompassing

Mode of Sharing

**Permissions** 

**Terms** 

Meta-conditions

- Various cross-mapping exercises completed, e.g., to datasets managed by EGA (Jordi Rambla De Argila), Consent Codes (S. Dyke), DUOS (Anthony Philippakis, Gregory Rushton), and a database of consent clauses (E. Forbes)
- Alpha testing by many teams after broad email notification Jan 2016, enabling stepwise feedback and refinement (now v1.0)
- Various collaboration opportunities identified and being developed

## (3) Potential applications





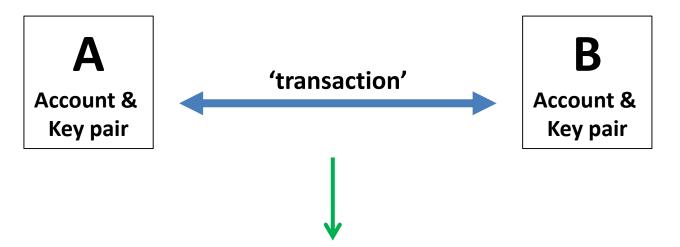
- As a descriptor
   ADA-M used to communicate the use conditions profile of a dataset
- Enhance discovery provide extra level of information to underpin 'discovery' queries
- 3. Automated data sharing: align access requests to ADA-M profiles, and share if conditions are met

# (3) ADA-M





	CONSORTIUM			
Permissions:				
use within countries/locations	"Unrestricted" or "Limited"			
within specified countries/locations	Free text list, with optional suffix "[Obligatory]" after each list entry			
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for specified categories of organisation	Free text list, with optional suffix "[Obligatory]" after each list entry			
use by non-profit organisations	"Unrestricted" or "Unrestricted[Obligatory]" or "Limited" or "Limited[Obligatory]" or "Forb			
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There are no requirements regarding publication of results, or included references or acknowledgements	"True" or "Untrue"			
Publication or disclosure of derived results is subject to restrictions, as specified	Free text list			
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There are no other use restrictions/limitations in force which are not herein specified	"True" or "Untrue"			
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'A' agrees a debt returnable to 'B' (IOU)

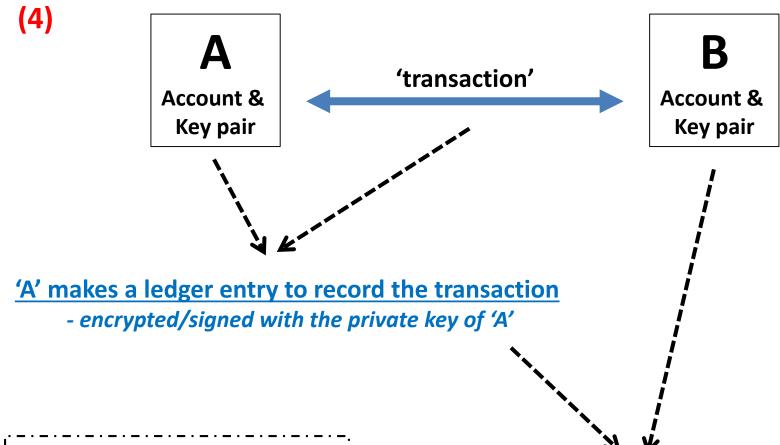
'A' pays money to 'B' (cheque)

'A' receives/accesses an item from 'B' (receipt)

'A' receives/accesses data (token) from 'B', intended for use XYZ

## (4) BLOCK-CHAIN

- A fully transparent, public ledger, of transactions
- Eliminates the 'middle man', and makes terms of all interactions visible



Peers (miners) race to confirm many entries as a group

- by checking source
- by checking payment history of currency integral to the block chain

**Upon validation the miner** 

- adds a new block to the chain
- claim the set of validation fees

'B' can check the statement, to establish that:

- 'A' produced the statement (via A's public key)
  - payment by A is valid (via 'Block Chain')
  - 'A' is in good standing (via a 'user registry')
- terms are agreeable (via 'computer readable metadata')

# (5) DISCOVERY

# = a <u>distinct</u> discipline

Share the 'existence' rather than the 'substance' of the data or knowledge or sample or subject or resource or standard...



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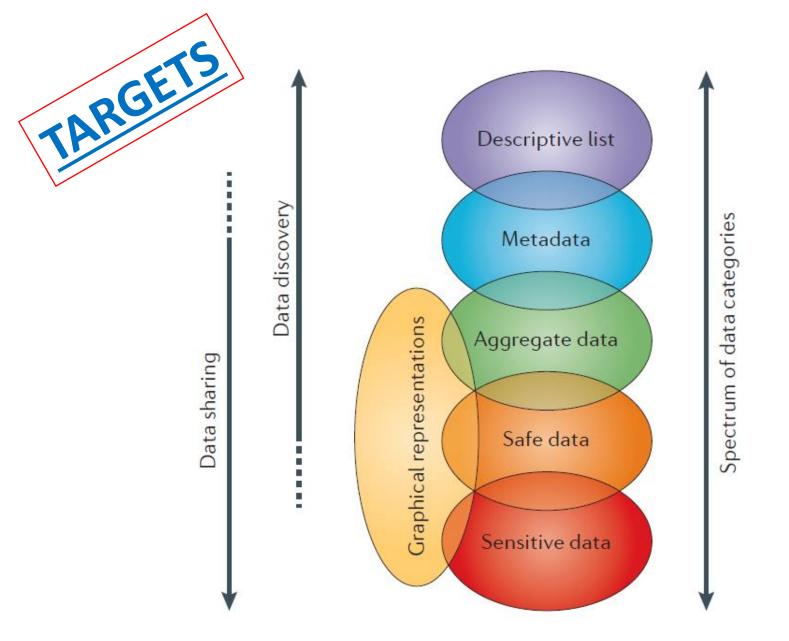
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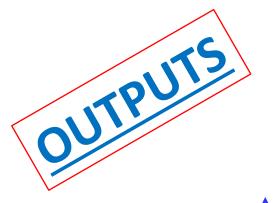
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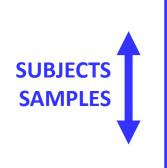
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Nature Reviews Genetics (2015) | doi:10.1038/nrg3932 Published online 10 November 2015







**DATASETS** 

Links (e.g., to PI, to data)

Ways to request data

Yes/No answers

Record counts (optionally adjusted, thresholded)

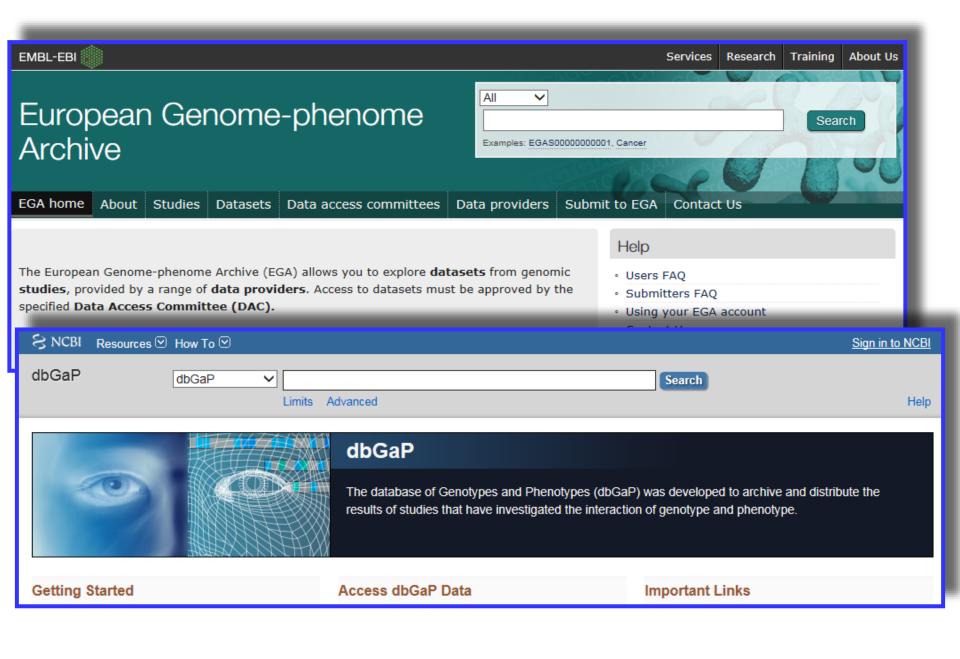
**Record IDs** 

**Summary level statistics** 

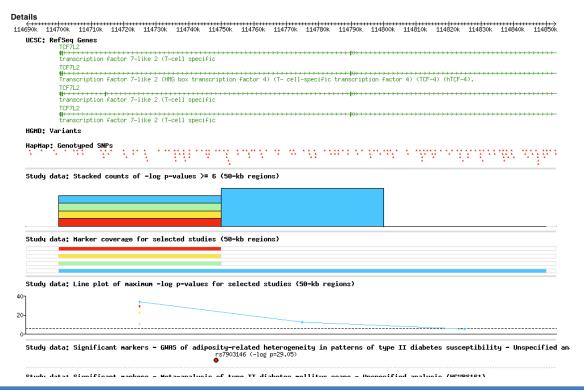
**Graphical displays (e.g., dotplots, barcharts)** 

**Limited data** 

**Extensive data** 



## **GWAS Central** (www.gwascentral.org)



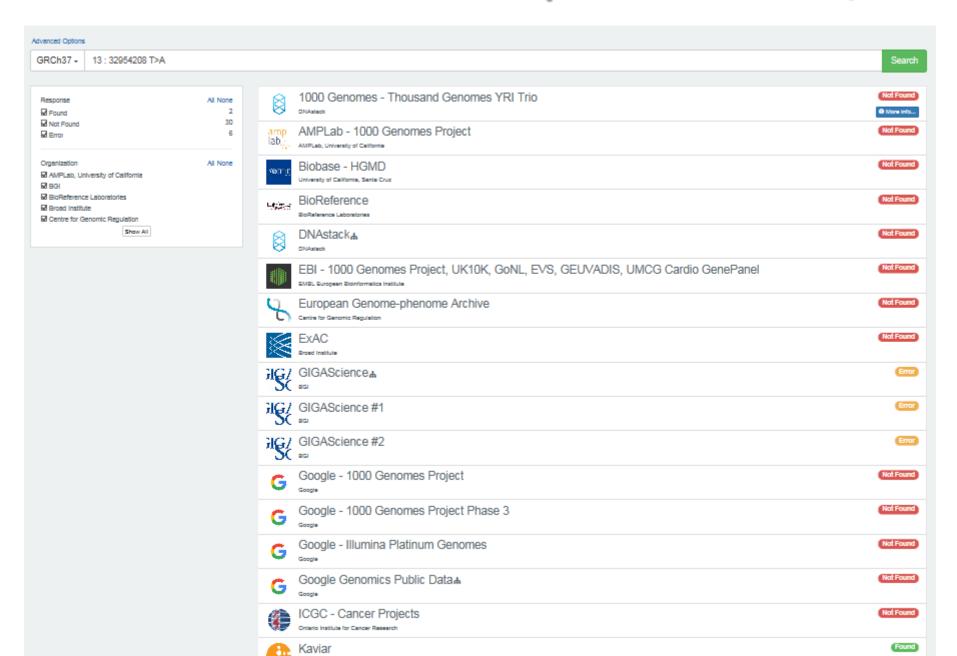
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log10 IgE (kU/L) (HGVST306)	log10 IgE (kU/L)	•	421
Systolic Blood Pressure (mm Hg) (HGVST307)	Systolic BP (mm Hg)	•	457
Adult Body Mass Index (kg/m2) (HGVST308)	Adult BMI (kg/m2)	•	402
Adult height (cm) (HGVST309)	Adult height (cm)	•	505
FEV1 (litres) (HGVST310)	FEV1 (litres)	•	417
4 kHz hearing threshold (dB) (HGVST311)	4 kHz hearing threshold (dB)	•	457
Cholesterol (mmol/L) (HGVST312)	Cholesterol (mmol/L)	•	497
Glycosylated haemoglobin (HbA1c) (%) (HGVST313)	log10 HbA1c (%)	•	624

# Beacon Project (GA4GH) Lead - Marc Fiume

- a beacon answers the question, have you observed this allele?
- the 0.2 Beacon query is shown on the right

```
protocol BEACON {
/**
A request for information about a specific site
record QueryResource {
 /** Allele string
  string allele;
 /** The chromosome of the request */
  string chromosome;
  /** 0-based allele locus */
  long position;
  /** The version of the reference */
  string reference;
  /** The name of the targeted population */
 union{ null, string } dataset = null;
```

# Beacon-of-Beacons (GA4GH, DNASTACK)



#### Plus...

- **❖** Biobank catalogs (e.g., BBMRI, UKCRC-TDC)
- ❖ Health data discovery (e.g., EMIF, Jerboa, PopMedNet, i2b2, OHDSI)
- \* Research data (e.g., MME, NGS-Logistics, Orphanet, VarWatch)
- ❖ Patient data (e.g., PEER, RD-Connect, PatientsLikeMe)



#### **Informatics**



#### Cafe Variome: General-Purpose Software for Making Genotype–Phenotype Data Discoverable in Restricted or Open Access Contexts

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#### Issue

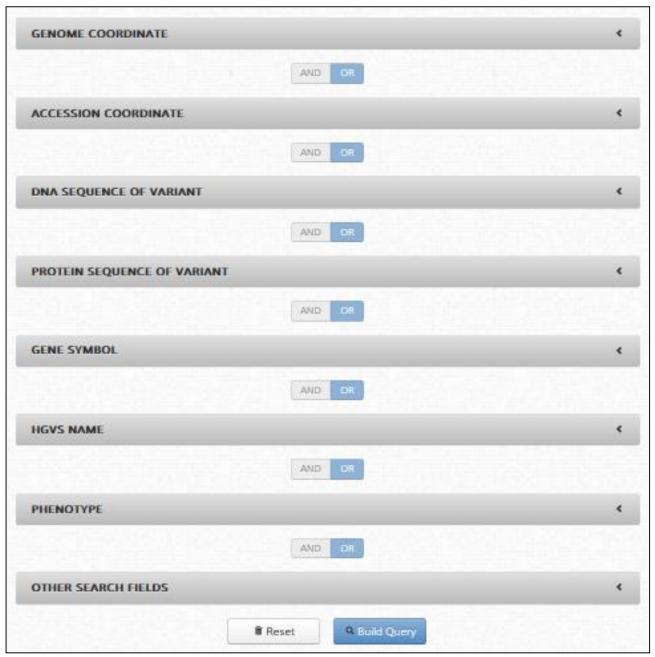


#### **Human Mutation**

Special Issue: The Matchmaker Exchange

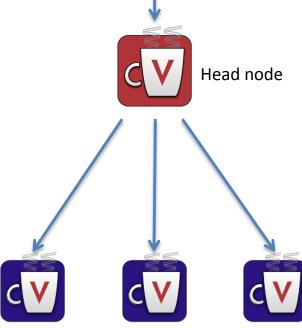
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# **Query Builder Interface**



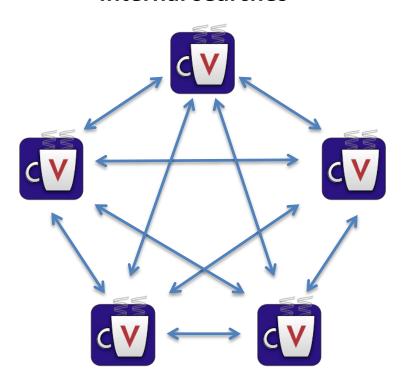
# **Node Search Options**

# External searches

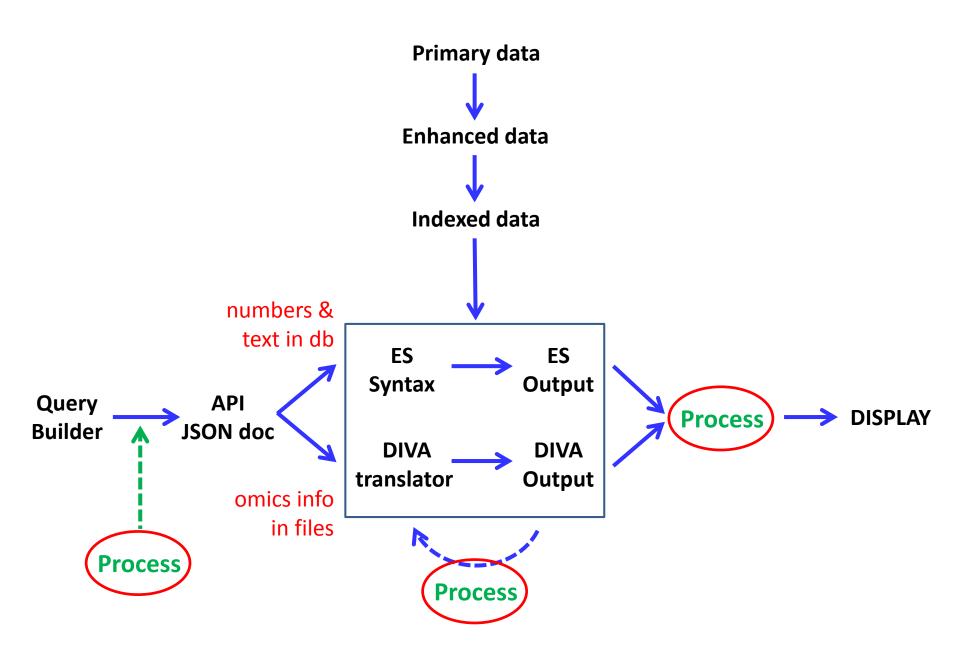


 Searches are performed through one nominated head node

#### Internal searches



 Searches can be performed from any node in the network



#### Geno-Pheno Query-by-Method API

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Morris Swertz
(Isaac <u>Kohane</u>)
(Marc Fiume)
(Johan van der Lei)
```

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"source" : "<onto

"cursiveSex" : {"term" : "FEMALE

"age" : {"value" : "", "units" : ""]

"ontologyInheritanceMode":

"cursiveInheritanceMode" : {"term

"querySegmentID" : "",

"querySegmentID" : "".

"operator" : "",

"inheritanceMode" : [

"operator" : "",
"inheritanceMode" : {

"diseaseFeature" : [

},

},

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"operator" : ""
   "geneRegion" : {
       "ontologyGeneRegion" : {"id" : "<ontology term code>",
                                 "term" : "<ontology term string>",
       "source" : "<ontology source name>"},
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},
"geneConsequence" : [
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   "querySegmentID" : ""
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   "pathogenicityClass" : {"class" : "", "source" : ""}
"queryStatement" : "(1 AND 2) OR 3"
```



# **Phenotype Semantics**

- Allow phenotypes to be described using public ontologies
  - Many terms from many ontologies can be associated with one entity
- Allow phenotypes to be described using a local vocabulary or list

 Enable hierarchical viewing and querying of the phenotype ontology data



## Multiple **Admin Options**

#### Record and source management





Installation wizard









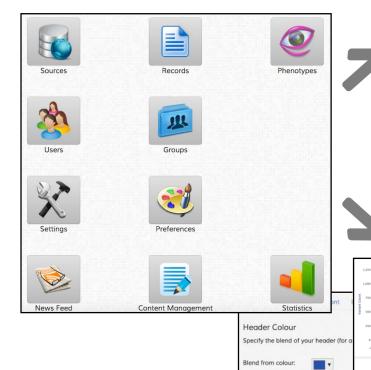
User, group and record access control management



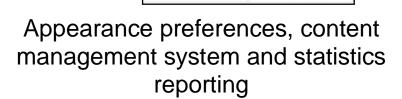




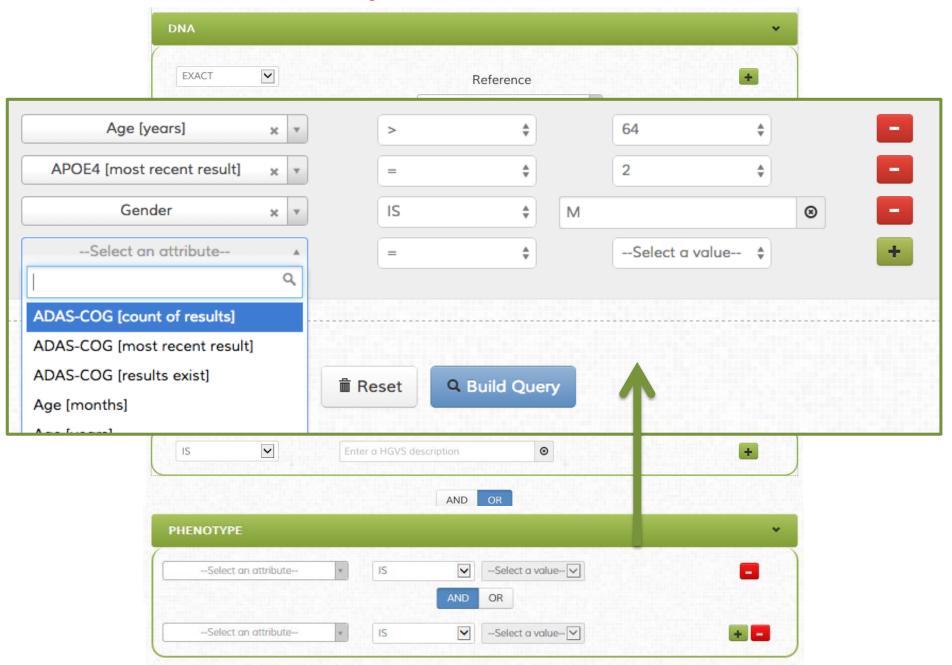
Core system settings, defining displayed and searchable fields, bulk import template configuration



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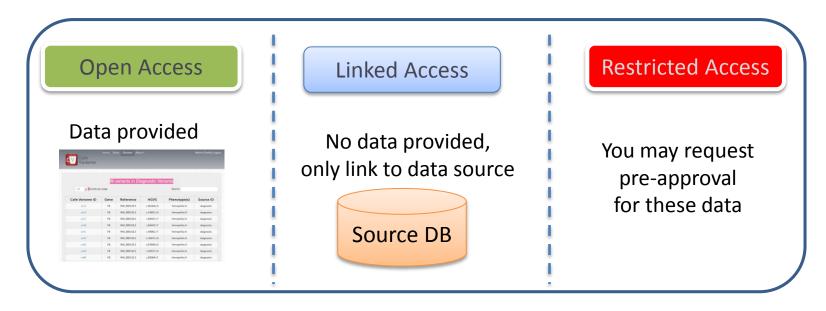


#### **Query Builder in action**



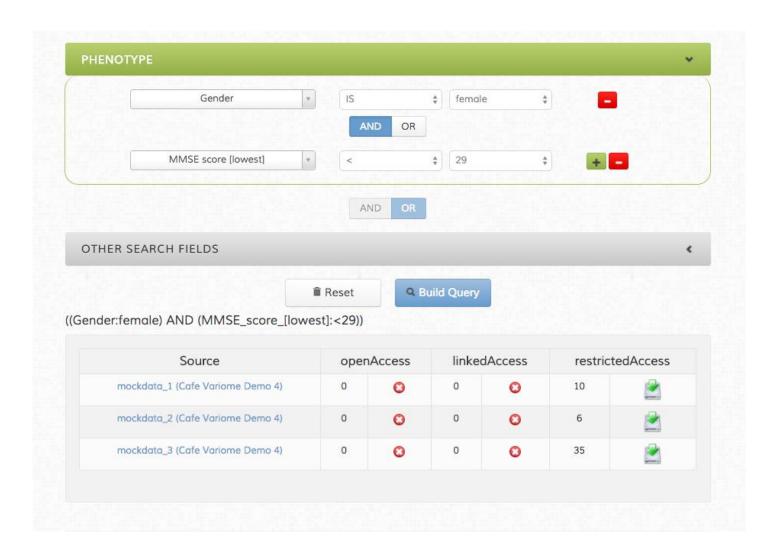
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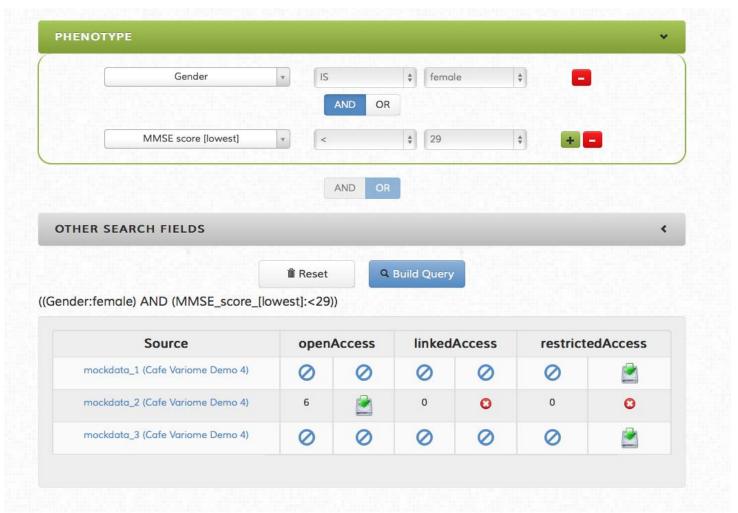
## **CafeVariome Discovery**

Coordinator has access to all counts, but no access to data itself

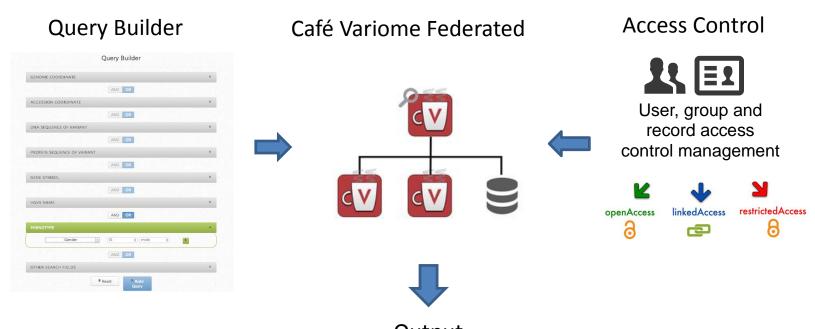


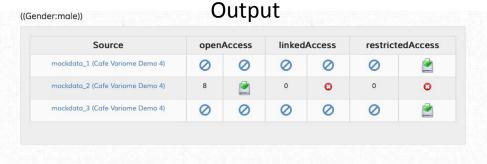
## **CafeVariome Discovery**

User 2 has full access to own data, but no access to counts or data from other datasets

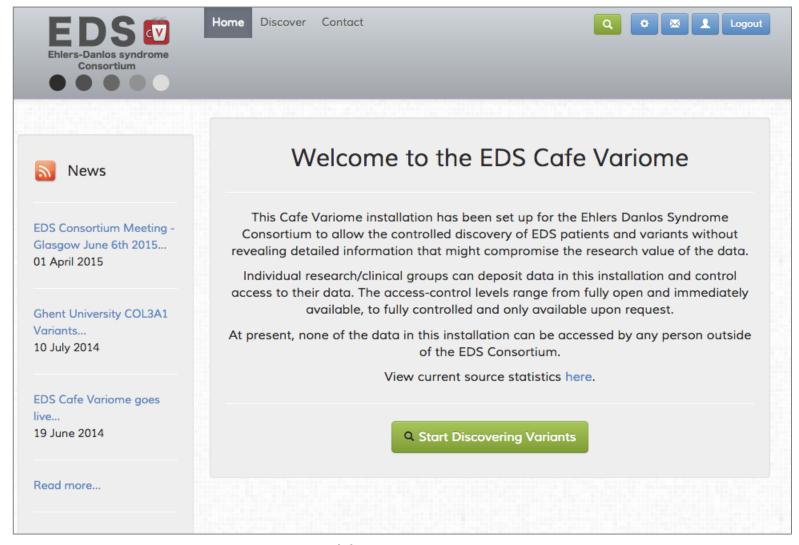


### Café Variome: Overview





#### **EDS Consortium Cafe Variome**



http://eds.cafevariome.org

#### COL3A1: Six Data-match Discoveries

- Two examples:
- c.812G>A p.(Arg271Gln)
  - Site #1: two EDS entries: both "Probably Pathogenic"
  - Site #2: (no phenotype specified) VUS
- c.3938A>G p.(Lys1313Arg)
  - Site #1: two EDS entries: one "Pathogenic" & the other "Probably Pathogenic"
  - Site #2: (no phenotype specified) VUS
  - Site #3: "Pathogenic"

## List of Café Variome adopters (July2016)

•	Café EDS	<b>EDS Mendelian mutations</b>	private network
•	Café HCV	HCV bio-samples	[public]
•	PREPAD	population & dementia cohorts	private network
•	Café REQUITE	Radiotherapy toxicity data	[public]
•	Café Cardiokit	CVD mutation frequencies	public
•	LCBRU Biobank	CVD Biobank + Omics data	[public]
•	Café eTOX	Drug company toxicity data	[public]
•	Café IPSI	GP Clinic data	private

#### **SUMMARY**

- DATA POSSESSION # DATA CONTROL
- EXPLOIT THIS INSIGHTS, e.g.,
  - Stress synergistic/collaborative use of data
  - Share alternative forms of data
  - Make greater use of encrypted data
  - Metadata standards, e.g., for data use conditions (ADA-M)
  - Public ledger of data sharing deals & terms (Blockchain, fees)
  - Create a universal 'Data Discovery Lattice'

    [stress interoperability standards, e.g., query API, metadata, consents]

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- The community of Café Variome adopters
- Colin Veal
  Tim Beck
  Charalambos Chrysostomou
  Adam Webb
  Vagelis Ladas
  Dhiwagaran Thangavelu
  Peter Freman
  Raymond Dalgleish

Owen Lancaster Robert Hastings Robert Free

















