

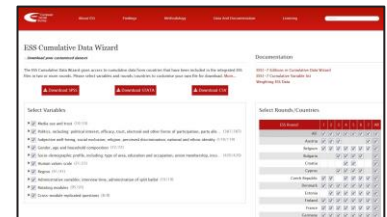
European Social Survey

**MANAGING  
INTERNATIONAL  
COMPARATIVE  
DATA, US/AT  
COLLABORATIONS**

**EOSC for SSH panel  
10 April 2019**  
EOSC-hub Week, Prague



- Academic cross-national survey measuring attitudes
- Face-to-face interviews every two years (since 2002/03)
- 8 rounds completed in 36 countries
- Over 380,000 interviews completed
- Data collection by a range of providers
- Currently undertaking Round 9 fieldwork
- All data free for non commercial use
- 135,000 registered users
- 3,904 academic publications used data (2004-17)



# ESS: Participating Countries (Round 9)

## MEMBERS

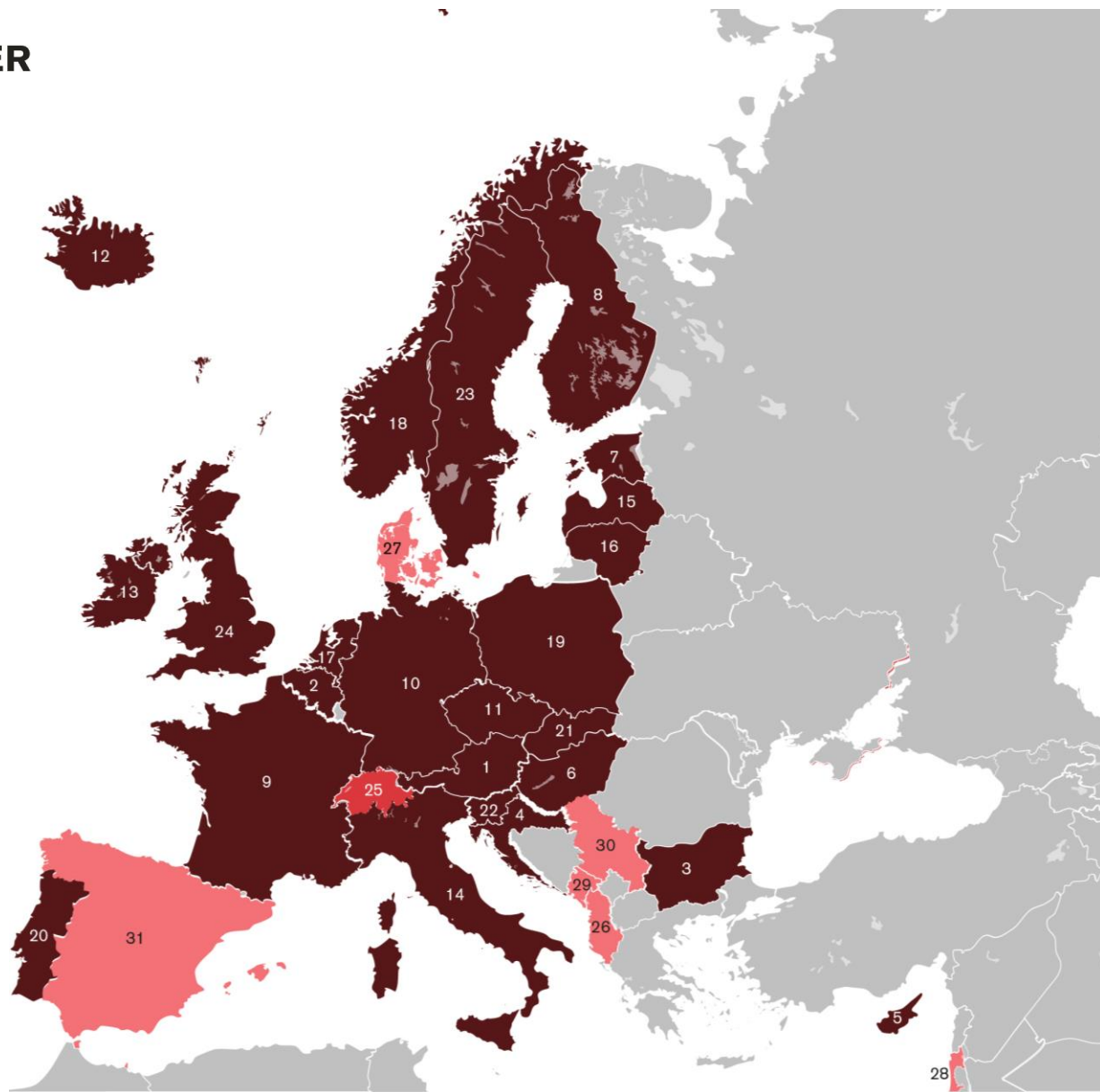
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# ESS in the SSHOC project – innovation in data access

## ESS pilot – what's in it for ESS users?

Showcasing how data and metadata from an international, repetitive survey can be adapted for the EOSC in line with the FAIR principles. Use of the machine-readable international meta data standard DDI for interoperability and tighter links between ESS data, metadata, methodological data.

- Set up and populate the repository
- Develop APIs
- Data publishing with DataCite/DOI and tailored landing pages with rich functionalities
- Authentication and API management solutions align with EOSC development

-> Outreach to new types of uses and users.



# ESS: Approach to collaboration with related studies

ESS ERIC works actively to promote global collaboration on collection of internationally comparative social survey data with a view of increased scientific impact of ESS data.

## WHICH STUDIES?

- The General Social Survey, US
- ANU: ESS Core in the "Living in Australia" survey
- South African Social Attitudes Surveys
- East Asia Social Survey
- Russia: ESS Round 9 as "Parallel study"

## HOW?

- ESS requests that related studies base on ESS methods and standards (variable names, labels etc.)

## EXPECTED IMPACT:

- SSHOC: Exposure of metadata to pan-European and global discovery solutions (DataCite/DOI, EUDat, CESSDA DC...)
- Standardisation, findability, (re)use of ESS and related studies' open data and increased impact and value of data.

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