

Communications toolkit for ANDS' partners



This toolkit is a 'one stop shop' resource for partners communicating activity undertaken with support and/or funding provided by the Australian National Data Service (ANDS).

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About ANDS

The Australian National Data Service (ANDS) is a partnership led by [Monash University](#), working in collaboration with the [Australian National University \(ANU\)](#) and the [Commonwealth Scientific and Industrial Research Organisation \(CSIRO\)](#). It is funded by the Australian Government through the [National Collaborative Research Infrastructure Strategy \(NCRIS\)](#).

ANDS' core purpose is to make Australia's research data assets more valuable for researchers, research institutions and the nation.

Since being formally established in 2008, ANDS has supported numerous research data projects around Australia. It has also been playing an important role in the international research data community.

ANDS' flagship service is the Research Data Australia discovery portal where you can find, access and reuse data for research from Australian research organisations, government agencies and cultural institutions.

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Strategic partnership with RDS and Nectar

ANDS also works closely with NCRIS partners [Research Data Services \(RDS\)](#) and [National eResearch Collaboration Tools and Resources project \(Nectar\)](#).

The three organisations will be providing a number of coordinated services and joint events for the research community throughout 2017/18.



Acknowledging ANDS

You can use the following text to acknowledge support received from ANDS:

"This project is supported by the Australian National Data Service (ANDS). ANDS is supported by the Australian Government through the National Collaborative Research Infrastructure Strategy Program."

Web acknowledgement

When acknowledging the support of ANDS online, you should:

1. use the acknowledgement statement above
2. provide a link to the ANDS website (ands.org.au)
3. where applicable, also provide a link to Research Data Australia (researchdata.ands.org.au).

Statement to acknowledge use of ANDS content

ANDS encourages reuse of its resources for the purpose of promoting best practice in research data management, sharing and reuse, as well as building skills and capacity of Australia's research system.

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Acknowledgement in presentations

To acknowledge ANDS' support in presentations, please use this slide either at the start or the end of your presentation:

- [ANDS funding acknowledgement slide \(PPTX, 0.29 MB\)](#)

Acknowledgement in printed material

Acknowledgement statements should be included in printed materials associated with funded activity, such as:

- annual reports
- newsletters, brochures or posters
- multimedia
- conference programs, papers, presentations or posters
- media releases and speeches.

Using the ANDS logo

The ANDS logo can be used to acknowledge ANDS' contribution to a project. High quality logos, along with ANDS' Branding Identity Guidelines, can be downloaded from the [Using our logo](#) page.

The logo should be reproduced at a size that reasonably reflects ANDS' contribution. For example, if ANDS provided the majority of funds, its acknowledgement should receive prominence over other contributors.

Where to get more information

The communications team at ANDS is the first point of contact for branding, media releases and publications. Contact comms@ands.org.au with any queries or clarifications.

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