THE ROLE OF NATIONALLY CO-ORDINATED OPEN SCIENCE STRATEGIES

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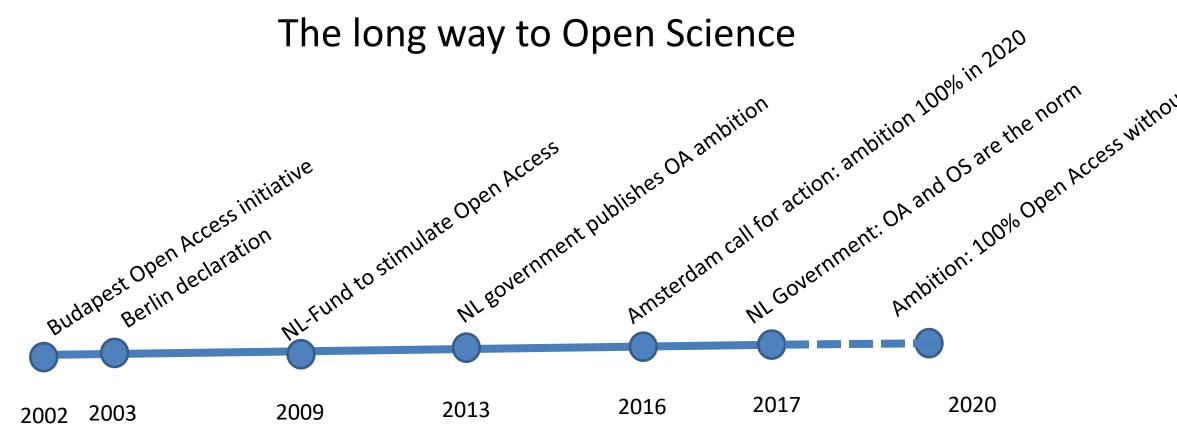
Top-down versus bottom-up approach?

- Why bottom-up?
 - Researchers believe that they are the experts
 - Researchers are worried about the impact of open science (career perspectives, bureaucracy)

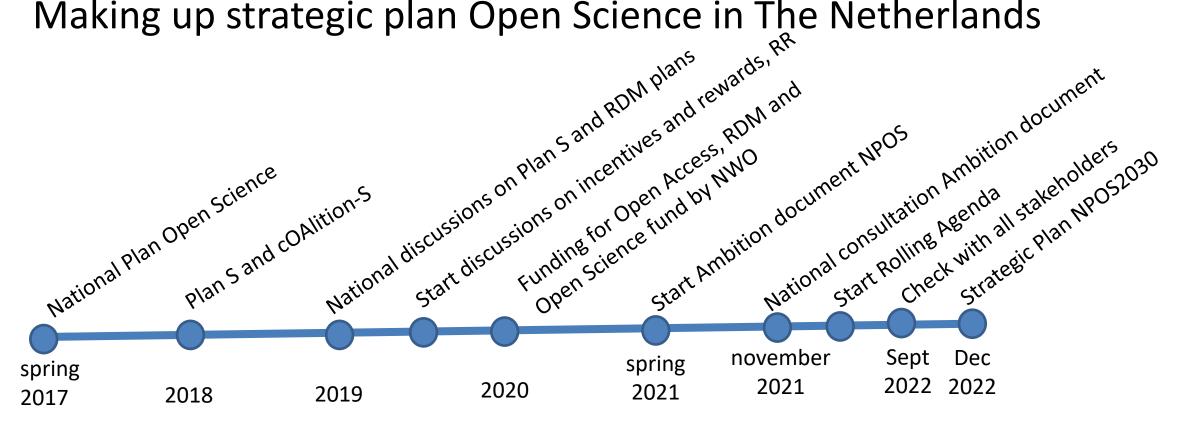
Why top-down?

- Enabling the transition to Open Science requires an integrated and systemic approach at institutional, national, and international level, working on a range of coherent topics and with all stakeholders.
- Different disciplines/stakeholders have different requirements regarding infrastructure, complexity
- Convergence of many grass-root initiatives
- Researchers operate in an international research community: international alignment is critical
- The transition to Open Science requires additional funding.

The long way to Open Science



Making up strategic plan Open Science in The Netherlands



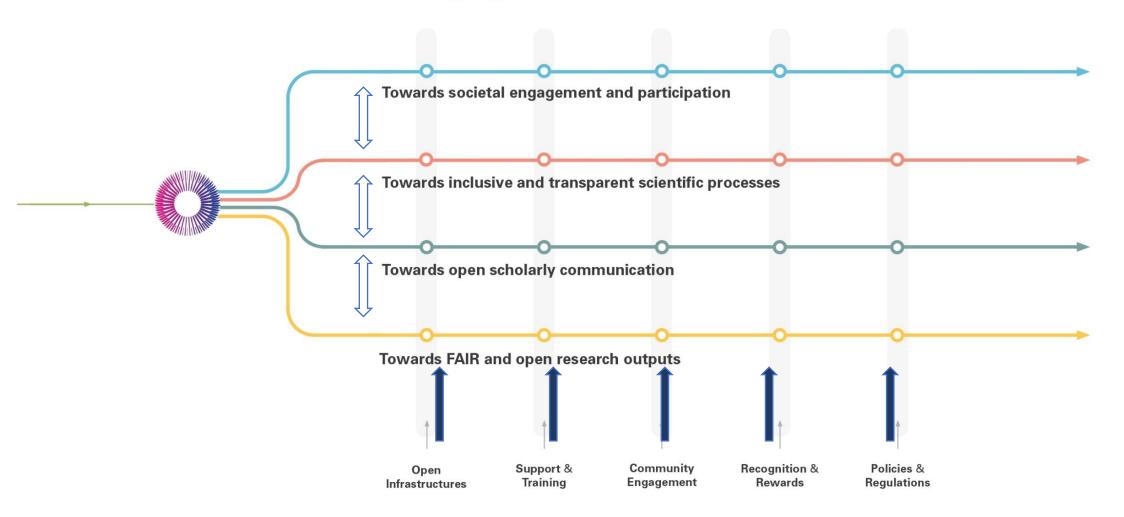
In summer 2022 Dutch government decided to invest 20 million €/year for transition to Open Science



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Conclusions and recommendations

- It is important to listen to the scientific community **al all levels** (individual scientists, faculties, universities, societal stakeholders) at the **start** (collect ideas) and **end** (check on implementation)
- Appreciate differences between scientific communities and disciplines
- National coordination is necessary to merge all ideas and suggestions
- National coordination is necessary to start new initiatives
- Change causes uncertainty! Typically senior researchers focus on potential threats and pitfalls; junior researchers focus on new opportunities
- Explain how Open Science will promote science and how scientists will benefit
- Provide additional (temporary) funding for the transition