

## Table 9 text responses

**What data storage and backup system do you currently have in place? Please check all that apply:**

**- Comments:**

- [-----] on disk drives unix machines linked to the [...] supercomputer
- [-----] Several external hard-drives
- [-----] various
- [-----] Send to email
- [-----] External hard drive (10 GB)
- [-----] Source code held on multiple computers. Simulation output currently not backed-up.
- [-----] It's mostly stored on the network with back and old data on the office computer.
- [-----] We have ~ 2 terabytes of disk storage within the group.
- [-----] NOT APPLICABLE
- [-----] 1. Tape backup of [university] servers every night 2. Wiki on [university] Blackboard
- [-----] External hard-drive automatic backup
- [-----] being an academic in Information Systems I know on the security and do it much too less - most of the time my e-mail folder (DRAFT) is a security backup
- [-----] External HDD
- [-----] External Hard drive
- [-----] external hard drives
- [-----] Personal backup drives
- [-----] EXTERNAL HARD DRIVE
- [-----] external hard drive
- [-----] School backs up shared-drive data daily.
- [-----] Use CXFS and the HPCU tape Library
- [-----] [centre] is connected by a san to HPCU and uses the their tape storage for backup and retrieval
- [-----] we need off site storage facilities
- [-----] Large external hard drives in fire proof safes
- [-----] Engineering back up system
- [-----] Project server
- [-----] More central file storage space would be appreciated.
- [-----] Our school server is full, so most data only on dvd. Only the small stuff is on the network and backed up to tape.
- [-----] Personal drives, and research group storage drives
- [-----] backup to backup computer drive
- [-----] external HD
- [-----] separate hardware servers and software for data and offsite storage for databackup of servers
- [-----] Storage mostly run by [institute] IT dept.
- [-----] Offsite is at home, Also external hard drives on site
- [-----] External portable harddrive
- [-----] Hardcopy completed questionnaires
- [-----] External hard drives
- [-----] For convenience, CD, DVD mostly used. HDD on Laptop as primary source and initial data analysis
- [-----] Main backup provided by me at my cost. Research centre provides CD burner and CDs. i provide external HD, DVD burner and DVDs
- [-----] External HD
- [-----] Currently use the 2GB network space provided by [university] IT to do daily backups of compressed data.
- [-----] external harddrive
- [-----] I don't understand your question. My work is saved to files on my computer and I believe these also appear on the hard drive.
- [-----] I archive all data files on an external Hard Drive and keep copies on several drives in different places. Keeping track of master copies (volume control) is very difficult.

## Table 9 text responses

[-----] [university] Server  
[-----] External hard drive  
[-----] paper  
[-----] Unison  
[-----] External hard drive  
[-----] record forms and questionnaires will be stored in a locked filing cabinet on university premises  
[-----] Our IT support, including data management, is handled by the School of [school]'s people. I believe RAID storage is the main system in place.  
[-----] Some simply in boxes in research rooms.  
[-----] Survey data now deposited at the Australian Social Science Data Archive (ASSDA)  
[-----] External Hard Disk Drives  
[-----] We have two onsite computers for data collection and storage, with CDs used for backup of individual projects.  
[-----] Primary storage is through [...] faculty SAN. [This is] is also a node in the national network of social science data archives. We have a data archivist who prepares our survey data sets for archiving. This includes preparation of appropriate metadata.  
[-----] Backup onto external hard drive  
[-----] We are currently setting up the Australian Qualitative Data Archive (AQuA), as part of ASSDA, under a LIEF grant to archive this sort of research output.  
[-----] backed up to server  
[-----] External hard drive  
[-----] backed up by [university] IT.  
[-----] h drive.  
[-----] Also backup of administrative data on local servers with specially purchased auto-backup system run by faculty.  
[-----] external hard drives  
[-----] External Hard disc (1TB capacity)  
[-----] School backs up network drives  
[-----] Automatic Department back-up of PC and manual storage of files on Department servers  
[-----] stored on [research institute] server  
[-----] Server  
[-----] portable hard drive  
[-----] i think the faculty may back up network files, I don't know how  
[-----] Paper storage on-site  
[-----] External hard drive  
[-----] server  
[-----] I also back up my work on my computer at home  
[-----] RAID arrays on both local PC's  
[-----] Back up to the hard disk of other computers in other geographic locations  
[-----] Portable HD  
[-----] Portable hard drive  
[-----] I have several data sets with different status  
[-----] data is backed up through the school  
[-----] Data is on various computers.  
[-----] ext hard disks  
[-----] Three copies on hard drives in different locations.  
[-----] A Network drive will be installed soon - maybe 6 months. All computers are stand alone.  
[-----] University back up systems are inadequate  
[-----] I have some data stored in Northern Territory Archives  
[-----] external hard disk  
[-----] proforma documents  
[-----] Subversion Repository with one-site and off-site nightly backup of repository and dump file.  
[-----] portable hard drive  
[-----] Drives on the server are backed up daily by the IT department of the hospital. I don't know

## Table 9 text responses

what they use.

[-----] Dept IT services backs up user directories nightly. What storage format they use I don't know. I also keep copies of project archives on multiple computers (work desktop, laptop and home desktop).

[-----] Hard Disk Drives

[-----] Nightly back-up to network server

[-----] 2 different computers with same material stored on each plus automatic back up of office computer by the faculty

[-----] External hard drives (non USB)

[-----] External HD

[-----] Email account

[-----] External HD

[-----] Department conducts daily backups

[-----] Duplicate of desktop computer files on laptop computer

[-----] paper-based materials in locked cabinets

[-----] I rely on the department's backup system

[-----] external HD

[-----] External Hard Drive

[-----] A lot still exists on older removable media

[-----] The university provides a backup system

[-----] Not sure what the Departmental facility is.

[-----] External hard drive

[-----] Department has routine over-network backup, archived to tape (I believe). I keep crucial material duplicated on several computers at two locations [office and home]; and write some material to CD or DVD, USB drive and external hard drive.

[-----] Storage room in Department

[-----] Paper documents such as completed survey forms are stored as they are.

[-----] Computer hard drive Hard drive backed up on server each night

[-----] Extra hard drives

[-----] External Terrabyte Harddrives

[-----] also, firewire drive & DAT (audio)

[-----] Data is backed up onto hard disks on more than one computer

[-----] portable HDD

[-----] dept has retrospect

[-----] Own hard drive

[-----] Workstation hard drives, Large Disk Pools (>30TB) as grid-enabled storage. Local workstation drives are backed by departmental admin offsite. Grid data is redundantly copied to regional centres.

[-----] Rarely remember to do it.

[-----] external hard disk

[-----] external hard drive

[-----] Any co-investigators also keep the data on a USB/flash drive and their hard drive. So, multiple back-ups are available.

[-----] Departmental backups

[-----] Varies enormously by project

[-----] Daily HD backups (external HD, lagged between 3 HDs)

[-----] Mass backup is rarely done. Individual bits of current work are usually copied to multiple places just to avoid being burned on a day-to-day basis.

[-----] external hard drive

[-----] external hard drive

[-----] There is a server back up, External hard drive

[-----] We have a server that maintains data and is backed up to tape. Also it is somewhat project dependent and individual researchers associated with projects maintain separate backups.

[-----] Offsite = university lap top kept at home

[-----] Different strategies apply to data and associated records at different phases and activities

## Table 9 text responses

of each research project.

[-----] only some is kept outside of the hard-disk on the computer; computer is also a MAC and hence back-up is a problem.

[-----] Systems currently being revised and implemented

[-----] Portable hard drive

[-----] external hard drives

[-----] External Hard Drive

[-----] Portable hard-disks

[-----] external hard drive

[-----] floppy disc

[-----] Two external hard drives What do you mean by offsite storage. I try to keep copies in different place

[-----] external usb drive

[-----] paper

[-----] External hard drives

[-----] MaxTor One Touch Storage Disk kept off campus

[-----] This is always hard for me to manage as the memory for my data is very large

[-----] external hard disks

[-----] External HDDs

[-----] external HD attachments to gmail account

[-----] not systematic - somewhat ad hoc

[-----] External hard drives

[-----] Faculty back up of [...] server.

[-----] iPod hard disk

[-----] External hard drive

[-----] Separate hard disk.

[-----] Portable Hard Disk

[-----] External Hard Drive

[-----] External hard-drive

[-----] I just use the uni's back-up system

[-----] System back ups

[-----] Keep hard copies under lock and key as well

[-----] 100GB External Hard drive

[-----] external hard drive, storage server

[-----] Duplicate Hard copies Portable Hard drives

[-----] External hard drive in my office

[-----] sever backup

[-----] server back-up

[-----] extra hard drive

[-----] External hard drive

[-----] External hard drive

[-----] Bit ad hoc

[-----] Data can also be stored on an internal network in our laboratory

[-----] Check accuracy with our Departments' IT man [...].

[-----] Back up weekly to a personal external hard drive (80GB).

[-----] The institute provides routine computer backups - I don't know details of the system, but assume it is hard drive storage.

[-----] Compress data and store on a departmental hard-disk via the network

[-----] It is frustrating trying to convince the local IT Department that research data is important and requires careful management.

[-----] External hard drive

[-----] external hard drives

[-----] I think the network drive on samba is backed up to tape, but I'm not sure.

[-----] personal network storage

[-----] Not sure how you define sending copies of work to gmail and other cyber store facilities.

## Table 9 text responses

[-----] Hard copy  
[-----] External hard drive  
[-----] Use the university back up drives [...], also use archives of hard copies of field data  
[-----] external drive  
[-----] On [university] server  
[-----] Back up files to[...]: drive  
[-----] [this university] appears to be about 10 years behind common commercial practices.  
[-----] faculty sharedrive  
[-----] Most non-video data is stored on the [...] drive, however the capacity of that is not enough to allow for storage of the video data that is generated. Video data is currently stored on DVDs and local hard disks.  
[-----] Backup on remote disk. Initiated by running script.  
[-----] multiple computers  
[-----] I work at a lower level in a research project, I assume that the project has data management, storage and back up at a higher level, but I'm not really sure  
[-----] external portable hard drive  
[-----] mirror on external hard drive and some smaller backups on .mac account  
[-----] External HD  
[-----] I really rely on syncback and know I don't back up my HD in a more accessible way nearly as often as I should.  
[-----] 80 GB MINI Drive.  
[-----] [...] drive. Filing cabinet.  
[-----] Data is stored on server ([...] drive)  
[-----] Portable Hard drive  
[-----] Instrument data backed up periodically; network storage area automatically backed up by Faculty IT personnel.