



Intellectual Property Strategy (version 1)

- PANINI will bring together an unique collection of data associated with ‘Healthy Ageing’
- The PANINI shared dataset is constructed from data obtained by the partners in the PANINI consortium.
- The new PANINI shared dataset will be made open access, rather than commercialised, as per the Data Management Plan.
- By providing the data (anonymously /coded) the participating institution agrees that the data will be made public under the PANINI regulations & connotation, as conforms to EU standards & commitments.
- However, the original data sets will formally be owned by each participating institution, so it will be up to these institutions to decide how to protect derived IP for other purposes than PANINI.
- Provided data will be published via scientific papers, thus communicating to the scientific community as per normal practice.
- All institutions that provided data used for any given (PANINI) manuscript are invited to propose a (co)author(s). With (potential) (co-)authorship being subject to the regulations of the proposed journal (with regards to authorship). Final decisions lie with the PANINI co-ordinator.
 - First authorship will be assigned to the ESR who drafted the manuscript.
 - Using the thus available data, the PANINI consortium stated the ambition to propose and validate an ‘ageing’ toolkit, combining (generally existing) instruments for the assessment of physical activity and nutrition variables in ageing populations to allow standardisation and comparability across individual PANINI projects and the creation of shared big data within the consortium.
 - The PANINI toolkit we will be assembling, using, and validating (during PANINI on a small scale) has three IP options:
 1. Publish, make completely open access. No commercialisation.
 2. Stamp with the PANINI brand, publish on the website, refer to in our scientific papers, and have open usage within (2-3 years) and beyond the life of the PANINI grant, particularly if we then apply for a follow-on grant to more fully validate it. Signpost health services and policy makers towards the toolkit as something that should be used in healthy ageing research and health care settings.
 3. Commercialise, making the toolkit usage ££ – will take longer, and many lawyers and agreements given some tools within it are already developed not new, but in 5-6 years might bring in some ££ but only if academics, health services etc. see the usefulness of it and are willing to pay a fee.
 - As PI of PANINI, in consultation with our Director of IP (Victor Kallen, TNO) I would recommend route 2 as the most appropriate, but this will be up for discussion at our next supervisory board meeting.
 - We have time to make these decisions as new data collection and establishment of the toolkit will take some time.

