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## A global guide to 3R resources

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Many websites contain lists of databases, information centres, guidelines and regulatory policies which may or may not be relevant to researchers attempting to implement the 3Rs. The majority of these lists leave it up to the reader to assess the relative importance of each item.

Norecopa and USDA/AWIC have recently constructed a new database, **3R Guide**, containing quality-controlled information on global databases, information centres, guidelines, journals and email discussion lists.

We have also just launched a new, intelligent search engine ([search.norecopa.no](http://search.norecopa.no)) which combines a range of search tools to allow the user to identify quickly the most relevant resources in three databases. This search engine will become part of a brand-new website for Norecopa by the end of 2015.

**3R Guide** should make it easier for researchers, project leaders and animal welfare bodies to comply with the requirements of Directive 2010/63/EU to use 3R-alternatives and to document their search for these resources.

**3R Guide**  
[www.3RGuide.info](http://www.3RGuide.info)

*Databases, Guidelines, Regulations, Information Centres, Journals, E-mail lists*



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