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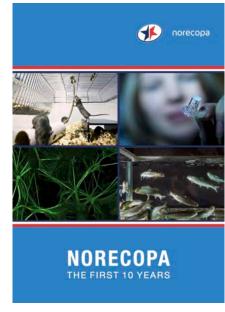
Norges konsensus-plattform for erstatning, reduksjon

og forbedring av dyreforsøk

Tilstreber å være en kilde til globale 3R-ressurser



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Stiftet i 2007

<u>European Consensus-Platform for Alternatives</u>

ecopa.eu



ecopa støtter nasjonal plattformer som har representanter for alle de 4 store interessepartene i sitt styre:

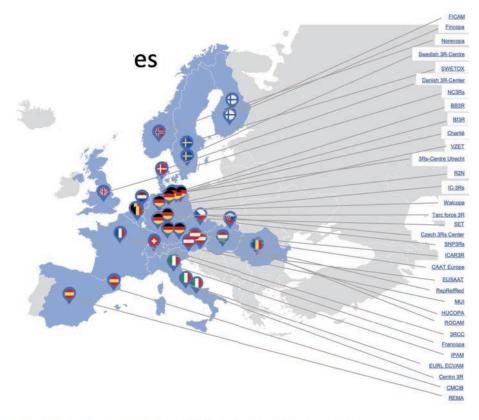
Opprettet i 2003: Danmark Finland Frankrike Italia Norge Spania Sverige Tyskland Government Research Industry Animal welfare



European network of 3R Centres (EU3Rnet)

Interaktivt kart:

norecopa.no/3REuropeOverview



Please note that some of these Centres, such as EURL ECVAM, serve more than the country in which they have been placed.

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Norecopa er ikke

- en dyrevernorganisasjon
- et forvaltningsorgan
- en forskerforening

Norecopa er en selvstendig medlemsorganisasjon med egne meninger som tilstreber konsensus mellom partene



Årsrapporten fra 2019: Grovfordeling av Norecopas inntekter

Omtrentlig fordeling av Norecopas inntekter i 2019 på de ulike kostnadspostene

LMD, NFD Underforbruk NSMSD Rahns Kontingent Moms- Dyrevernfra 2018 legat kompensasjon fondet

Én stilling (sekretær i 100%, bestemmes årlig)

Driftsmidler (kr. 500 000 i 2020), bestemmes årlig

Medlemskap: 40 institusjoner/avdelinger à kr. 2.000

20 personer à kr. 200

Momskompensasjon

Tilfeldig støtte fra andre kilder

Lønn og overhead stipulert av Veterinærinstituttet – sekretær, 100% stilling Administrasjon
Vedlikehold og utvidelse
av Norecopas nettsider, og
innlemmelse av EUs 3R-database

PREPARE-film

3R-Pris

Refinement Wiki

Faglige møter

LMD: Landbruks- og matdepartementet NFD: Nærings- og fiskeridepartementet

NSMSD: Nordisk Samfunn Mot Smertevoldende Dyreforsøk

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Rat s.c. injection Norecopa 1,380 views



ANATOMÍA DE LA RAT

Rat i.p. injection (method 2) Norecopa 1,280 views

Anatomia de la rata Norecopa 977 views





Subcutaneous injection in the rat - Technique 1 Norecopa 2,249 views



Testing anaesthetic depth in the chicken Norecopa 598 views



Blood collection from the saphenous vein in the mouse



Blood san

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Blood sampling from the pig



Intravenous injection in a rabbit



Lifting a rabbit



Subcutaneous injection in the rabbit Norecopa 1,479 views



Subcutaneous injection in the chicken Norecopa 1,806 views

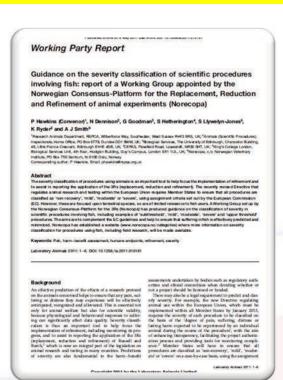


Immobilisation of the rabbit Norecopa 2,072 views



3R-Guide (390 guidelines for animal research and testing): norecopa.no/3r-guide





Guidance on the severity classification of procedures involving fish

Report from a Working Group convened by Norecopa

P Hawkins, N Dennison, G Goodman, S Hetherington, S Llywelyn-Jones, K Ryder and AJ Smith

Laboratory Animals, 45: 219-224, 2011 norecopa.no/categories

Expert working group on severity classification of scientific procedures performed on animals

FINAL REPORT

Brussels, July 2009

Food deprivation in rodents
Toe clipping in mice
Pain relief in rodents
Fin clipping in fish

Conducted in support of the servicion of Directive \$6.600 EEC on the protection of satisfals used for scientific purposes

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ec.europa.eu/environment/chemicals/lab_animals/pdf/ report_ewg.pdf

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CCAC Guidelines on transgenic animals

3R Guide database/10676

Topics covered include investigator and animal care committee responsibilities, proposals to create

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An overview of existing guidelines for handling, bleeding, administration and identification techniques in fish

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3R Guide database/10810

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Gard Prepared by a committee of The Wildlife Society.

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Guidance on the severity classification of scientific procedures involving fish

3R Guide database/10666

Report from an international working group convened by Norecopa, intended to be a supplement

to the EU Blood sampling microsite

3R Guide database/10659

This microsite provides information on blood sampling from animals to help laboratory staff choose the most appropriate technique for removal of blood in an humane and efficient manner.

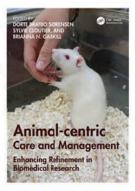
Supplier: National Centre for the Replacement, Refinement and Reduction of Animals in Research (NC3Rs)

Animal-Centric Care and Management: Enhancing Refinement in Biomedical Research

By DB Sørensen, S Cloutier & B Gaskill (Eds.)

Record number: 143253

The concept of the 3Rs (Refinement, Reduction and Replacement) has been used as a framework for improving the welfare of laboratory animals for the last half century. By establishing an animal-centric view on housing and management, Animal-centric Care and Management: Enhancing Refinement in Biomedical Research (takes Russell and Burch's definition of Refinement as "elimination of inhumanities" and goes further. Rather than fitting animals into experimental conditions, it encourages readers to adjust conditions to better meet the behavioral, emotional, physical, and physiological needs and preferences of the animals. The team of expert authors, from the fields of laboratory animal science, ethology, biology as well as animal training, provide ideas for creating housing conditions and handling procedures that induce, to the best of current abilities and knowledge, a long-term positive state of mind in the animals under our care.



This book is written for animal caretakers, animal health technicians, researchers, animal facility managers, laboratory animal veterinarians, and anyone who engages in work with living experimental animals or is interested in the continuous improvement of laboratory animal welfare. This interdisciplinary guide will act as a catalyst, resulting in multiple viewpoints and fields collaborating to optimize laboratory animal welfare.

Chapters include: Human-Animal Interactions; A Culture of Care; Animal Emotions; Abnormal behavior; Animal learning: the science behind animal training; Animal Training: The practical approach; and individual chapters on the zebrafish, mice, rat, rabbit, dog, non-human primate, and pig.

Paperback: £36.99; Hardback: £150.00; eBook: £33.29

ISBN 9780367180836. 204 pages, 51 black/white illustrations

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Webinar and Meetings calendar

November 2020

- > Aquatic Animal Welfare Conference 2020 7, 2-6 November 2020 (virtual event)
- > Improving the reproducibility of cell line research @, webinar, 3 November 2020
- > FSVO/UFAW/HSA Online Symposium: Humanely Ending the Life of Animals 7, 3-4 November 2020
- > Symposium and Workshop: Replacing Fetal Bovine Serum (FBS) in Research and Testing [2*],
 Munich, 3-4 November 2020
- > EARA Media Training Workshop (for Spain) , online workshop, 4 November 2020
- > ABSA 63rd Annual Biosafety and Biosecurity Conference , 4 6 November 2020 (virtual event)
- > EARA Media Training Workshop (for Switzerland) [27], online workshop, 5 November 2020
- > Minipigs in translational immunosafety assessment , webinar, 5 November 2020
- > Responsible Research 101 Course: 9-19 November 2020 🗷
- > Anaesthesia, analgesia and surgery in mice and rats 🚜, online/Stockholm, 9-13 November 2020
- > Do's and don'ts in rodent surgery aseptic technique , webinar, 10 November 2020
- > EPAA Annual Conference 7, 10 November 2020 (virtual event)
- > Fondamenti di Gestione di un Moderno Stabulario per Roditori , webinar in Italian, 10-11 November 2020

Pdf-filer av 80+ presentasjoner ved Norecopas møter



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Meetings Calendar An informal guide to arranging a scientific meeting



Most of the presentations on this page are from events arranged by Norecopa. A few of them are from external events where Norecopa's staff have lectured.

They are grouped into

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- > General presentations
- > Care and use of animals in field research
- > Care and use of farm animals in research
- > Care and use of fish in research

Title	Speaker	Affiliation	Year
General presentations			
Design of animal studies: Increasing	Adrian Smith	Norecopa	2020
reproducibility and animal welfare			
PREPARE before you ARRIVE: Good	Adrian Smith	Norecopa	2019
reporting relies on good planning			
Animal-free testing and humans-on-a-chip:	Leopold Koenig	TissUse GMBH,	2017
How far have we come? ♂		Berlin, Germany	
Nordic 3R-Centres: What can we offer?	Tom Bengtsen	Denmark's 3R-	2017
		Center	
Prize-winning 3R activity in Norway 🗷	Gøril Eide	University of	2017
		Tromsø, Norway	
Have the 3Rs made any difference?	Elliot Lilley	RSPCA, UK	2017
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Deltar gjerne i forsknings- og utviklingsprosjekter, bl.a. med søknader til Forskningsrådet og legater

f.eks.

ENRICH Fish 3R-KART EU-datasett Fiskevaksiner NORINA Wiki Konferansestøtte

se f.eks. norecopa.no/species/fish/projects









Norecopas 3R-pris

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Original Article

PREPARE: guidelines for planning animal research and testing

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SSAGE

There is widespread concern about the quality, reproducibility and translatability of studies involving research animals. Although there are a number of reporting guidelines available, there is very little overarching guidance on how to plan animal experiments, despite the fact that this is the logical place to start ensuring quality. In this paper we present the PREPARE guidelines: Planning Research and Experimental Procedures on Animals: Recommendations for Excellence. PREPARE covers the three broad areas which determine the quality of the preparation for animal studies: formulation, dialogue between scientists and the animal facility, and quality control of the various components in the study. Some topics overlap and the PREPARE checklist should be adapted to suit specific needs, for example in field research. Advice on use of the checklist is available on the Norecopa website, with links to guidelines for animal research and testing, at https://

Keywords

quidelines, planning, design, animal experiments, animal research

Date received: 5 April 2017; accepted: 27 June 2017

Introduction

scrutiny, for good scientific and ethical reasons. Studies of papers reporting animal experiments have revealed risks for all involved. There is therefore, in our opinion, alarming deficiencies in the information provided, 1,2 even after the production and journal endorsement of lines for researchers on how to plan animal experiments reporting guidelines.³ There is also widespread concern which are safe and scientifically sound, address animal about the lack of reproducibility and translatability of laboratory animal research.⁴⁻⁷ This can, for example, contribute towards the failure of drugs when they enter human trials.8 These issues come in addition to other concerns, not unique to animal research, about publication bias, which tends to favour the reporting of positive results and can lead to the acceptance of claims as fact.9 This has understandably sparked a demand for reduced waste when planning experiments involving animals. 10-12 Reporting guidelines alone cannot solve the problem of wasteful experimentation, but thorough planning will increase the likelihood of success and is an important step in the implementation of the 3Rs of Russell & Burch (replacement, reduction, refinement). 13 The importance of attention to detail at all stages is, Email: adrian.smith@norecopa.no

in our experience, often underestimated by scientists Even small practical details can cause omissions or arte-The quality of animal-based studies is under increasing facts that can ruin experiments which in all other respects have been well-designed, and generate health an urgent need for detailed but overarching guide-

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PREPARE:

Planning Research and Experimental Procedures on Animals: Recommendations for Excellence

PREPARE dekker 15 temaer:

Formulation of the study

- 1. Literature searches
- 2. Legal issues
- 3. Ethical issues, harm-benefit assessment and humane endpoints
- 4. Experimental design and statistical analysis

Dialogue between scientists and the animal facility

- 5. Objectives and timescale, funding and division of labour
- 6. Facility evaluation
- 7. Education and training
- 8. Health risks, waste disposal and decontamination

Methods

- 9. Test substances and procedures
- 10. Experimental animals
- 11. Quarantine and health monitoring
- 12. Housing and husbandry
- 13. Experimental procedures
- 14. Humane killing, release, reuse or rehoming
- 15. Necropsy

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The PREPARE Guidelines Checklist

Planning Research and Experimental Procedures on Animals: Recommendations for Excellence

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PREPARE¹ consists of planning guidelines which are complementary to reporting guidelines such as ARRIVE². PREPARE covers the three broad areas which determine the quality of the preparation for animal studies:

- Formulation of the study
 Dialogue between scientists and the animal facility
- 3. Quality control of the components in the study

The topics will not always be addressed in the order in which they are presented here, and some topics overlap. The PREPARE checklist can be adapted to meet special needs, such as field studies. PREPARE includes guidance on the management of animal facilities, since in-house experiments are dependent upon their quality. The full version of the guidelines is available on the Norecopa website, with links to global resources, at https://norecopa.no/PREPARE.

The PREPARE guidelines are a dynamic set which will evolve as more species- and situation-specific guidelines are produced, and as best practice within Laboratory Animal Science progresses.

Topic	Recommendation		
(A) Formulation of the study			
1. Literature searches	Form a clear hypothesis, with primary and secondary outcomes. Consider the use of systematic reviews. Decide upon databases and information specialists to be consulted, and construct search terms. Assess the relevance of the species to be used, its biology and suitability to answer the experimental questions with the least suffering, and its welfare needs. Assess the reproducibility and translatability of the project.		
2. Legal issues	Consider how the research is affected by relevant legislation for animal research and other areas, e.g. animal transport, occupational health and safety. Locate relevant guidance documents (e.g. EU guidance on project evaluation).		
3. Ethical issues, harm-benefit assessment and humane endpoints	Construct a lay summary. In dialogue with ethics committees, consider whether statements about this type of research have already been produced. Address the 3Rs (replacement, reduction, refinement) and the 3Ss (good science, good sense, good sensibilities). Consider pre-registration and the publication of negative results. Perform a harm-benefit assessment and justify any likely arrimal harm. Discuss the learning objectives, if the animal use is for educational or training purposes. Allocate a severity classification to the project. Define objective, easily measurable and unequivocal humane endpoints. Discuss the justification, if any, for death as an end-point.		
Experimental design and statistical analysis	Consider pilot studies, statistical power and significance levels. Define the experimental unit and decide upon animal numbers. Choose methods of randomisation, prevent observer bias, and decide upon inclusion and exclusion criteria.		

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Торіс	Recommen dation	
	(B) Dialogue between scientists and the animal facility	
5. Objectives and timescale, funding and division of labour	Arrange meetings with all relevant staff when early plans for the project exist. Construct an approximate timescale for the project, indicating the need for assistance with preparation animal care, procedures and waste disposal/decontamination. Discuss and disclose all expected and potential costs. Construct a detailed plan for division of labour and expenses at all stages of the study.	
6. Facility evaluation	Conduct a physical inspection of the facilities, to evaluate building and equipment standards and needs. Discuss staffing levels at times of extra risk.	
7. Education and training	Assess the current competence of staff members and the need for further education or training prior to the study.	
8. Health risks, waste disposal and decontamination	Perform a risk assessment, in collaboration with the animal facility, for all persons and animals affected directly or indirectly by the study. Assess, and if necessary produce, specific guidance for all stages of the project. Discuss means for containment, decontamination, and disposal of all items in the study.	
(C) Quality control of the components in the study		
9. Test substances and procedures	Provide as much information as possible about test substances. Consider the feasibility and validity of test procedures and the skills needed to perform them.	
10. Experimental animals	Decide upon the characteristics of the animals that are essential for the study and for reporting. Avoid generation of surplus animals.	
11. Quarantine and health monitoring	☐ Discuss the animals' likely health status, any needs for transport, quarantine and isolation, health monitoring and consequences for the personnel.	
12. Housing and husbandry	Attend to the animals' specific instincts and needs, in collaboration with expert staff. Discuss acclimatization, optimal housing conditions and procedures, environmental factors and any experimental limitations on these (e.g. food deprivation, solitary housing).	
13. Experimental procedures	Develop refined procedures for capture, immobilisation, marking, and release or rehoming. Develop refined procedures for substance administration, sampling, sedation and anaesthesia, surgery and other techniques.	
14. Humane killing, release, reuse or rehoming	Consult relevant legislation and guidelines well in advance of the study. Define primary and emergency methods for humane killing. Assess the competence of those who may have to perform these tasks.	
15. Necropsy	Construct a systematic plan for all stages of necropsy, including location, and identification of all animals and samples.	

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Further information https://norecopa.no/PREPARE | post@norecopa.no | Onorecopa



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Harm-Benefit Assessment

An evaluation of the likely sources and level of suffering of a planned procedure, followed by an assessment of the potential benefits of the research weighed against these harms, lies at the heart of legislation in the EU and elsewhere. Advice on how to conduct a harmbenefit analysis is available here. A framework for severity assessment and severity classification amount must be established and justified. The likely adverse effects of each procedure should be described, along with their likely incidence and methods of recognising them, with indications of how these effects can be mitigated by implementing refinement. This necessitates the involvement of personnel with the relevant expertise to recognise, assess and reduce animal suffering, especially severe suffering. Guidance on this is available on the RSPCA website a. Specific justification of all unalleviated animal



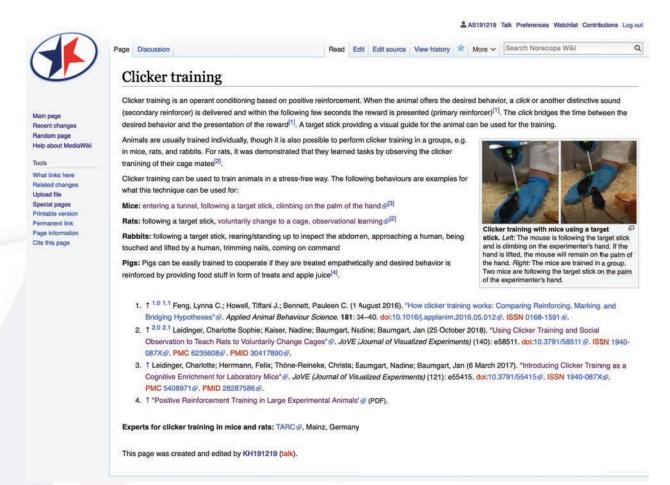
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Swiss survey highlights potential flaws in animal studies

Poor experimental design and statistical analysis could contribute to widespread problems in reproducing preclinical animal experiments.

Why Most Published Research Findings Are False

John P. A. Ioannidis

Published: August 30, 2005 • https://doi.org/10.1371/journal.pmed.0020124



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NATURE | NEWS FEATURE

1,500 scientists lift the lid on reproducibility

Survey sheds light on the 'crisis' rocking research.

Monya Baker

25 May 2016 | Corrected: 28 July 2016

More than 70% of researchers have tried and failed to reproduce another scientist's experiments, and more than half have failed to reproduce their own experiments. Those are some of the telling figures that emerged from *Nature*'s survey of 1,576 researchers who took a brief online questionnaire on reproducibility in research.

Avoidable waste in the production and reporting of research evidence

Iain Chalmers, DSc 🔌 🖂 🏻 Prof Paul Glasziou, RACGP

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Foredrag om planlegging av dyreforsøk, f.eks. norecopa.no/CBMR



Summary

1. PLAN, in collaboration with animal care staff from day one and consult the guidelines: be PREPARED



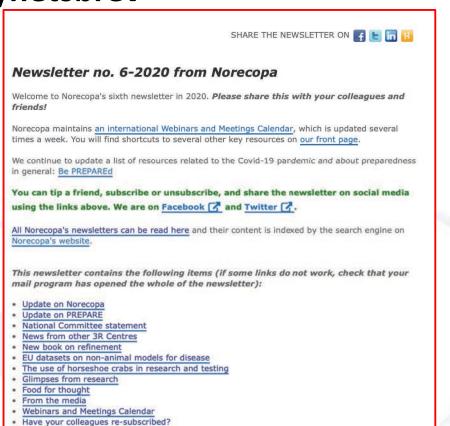
2. WRITE a good manuscript, showing that you have been aware of the potential causes of irreproducibility, and with enough detail that scientists can evaluate the model



3. FLAG any advances you have made within the 3Rs, preferably in the title or abstract (or write a separate method paper)



Lukket diskusjonsforum for nøkkelpersonell ved DVE Nyhetsbrev

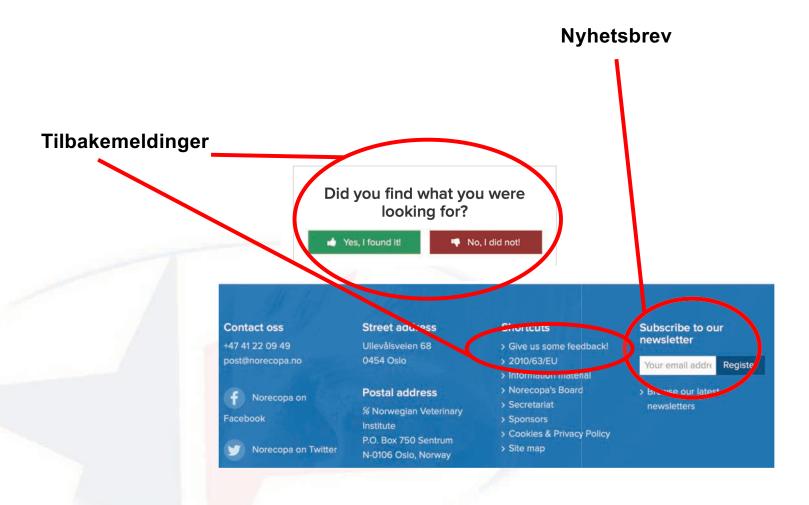
















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- Diskusjonsforumet
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