

Frequently Asked Questions

I have received support from the DCC before, may I apply again?

Yes, researchers who have received support in the past may apply again. Applications will be assessed based on the potential impact of the DCC support, regardless of previously received support.

My research is already receiving support from the eScience Center. Is it possible to request support from the DCC to collaborate with the eScience Center?

Yes, the DCC can collaborate with other support teams. Please indicate in your application how the DCC specifically can contribute to the solutions under development.

The software we are developing is to be used for education. Can the DCC support this project?

Within the current call, the DCC can only support projects with a clear research focus. Solutions that may be used for education as a secondary goal are welcome to apply.

What skills do I need to have to collaborate with the DCC?

The DCC will use version control and platforms such as GitHub/GitLab to collaborate on software development. If needed, we may ask you to get acquainted with the necessary skills and tools, either before or during the support period.

Do I need to provide funding to receive support?

No, hands-on support is offered in-kind, free of charge. The DCC wants to give all TU Delft researchers access to support to improve their data management and software development.

What will happen after I am granted support?

If your application is granted support, a member of the DCC will contact you to schedule a Kick-off meeting. During the Kick-off meeting, we will introduce you to the support process and agree on a communication plan. In the first weeks of the support, the involved DCC team member will discuss the project with you in detail and create a Support Plan. This plan will describe the support objectives, a detailed task allocation to achieve these objectives, a project timeline, and responsibilities of the research group and DCC members.

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