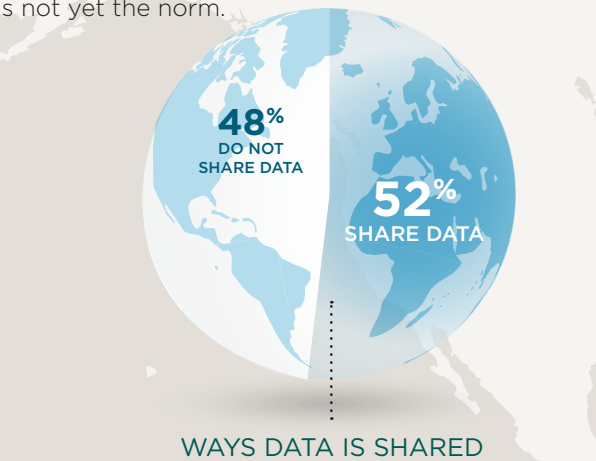


RESEARCHER DATA SHARING INSIGHTS

- Wiley’s Researcher Data Insights Survey was launched earlier this year to understand how and why researchers make their research data publicly available. The study’s results, highlighted below, are intended to advance the global conversation about data sharing and help Wiley better meet the needs of our researchers, authors, and partners in the rapidly evolving landscape of scientific research and communications.
- The survey was deployed in March 2014 and received more than 2,250 responses from researchers around the world.

GLOBAL DATA SHARING TRENDS

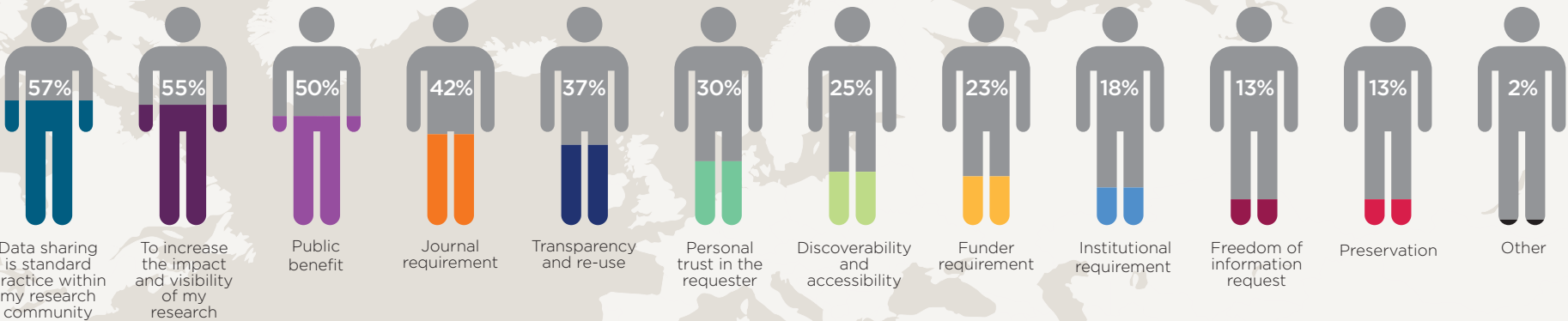
Data sharing practices vary widely across research fields and geographic areas. Just over half of researchers report making their data publicly available, though archiving results in repositories is not yet the norm.



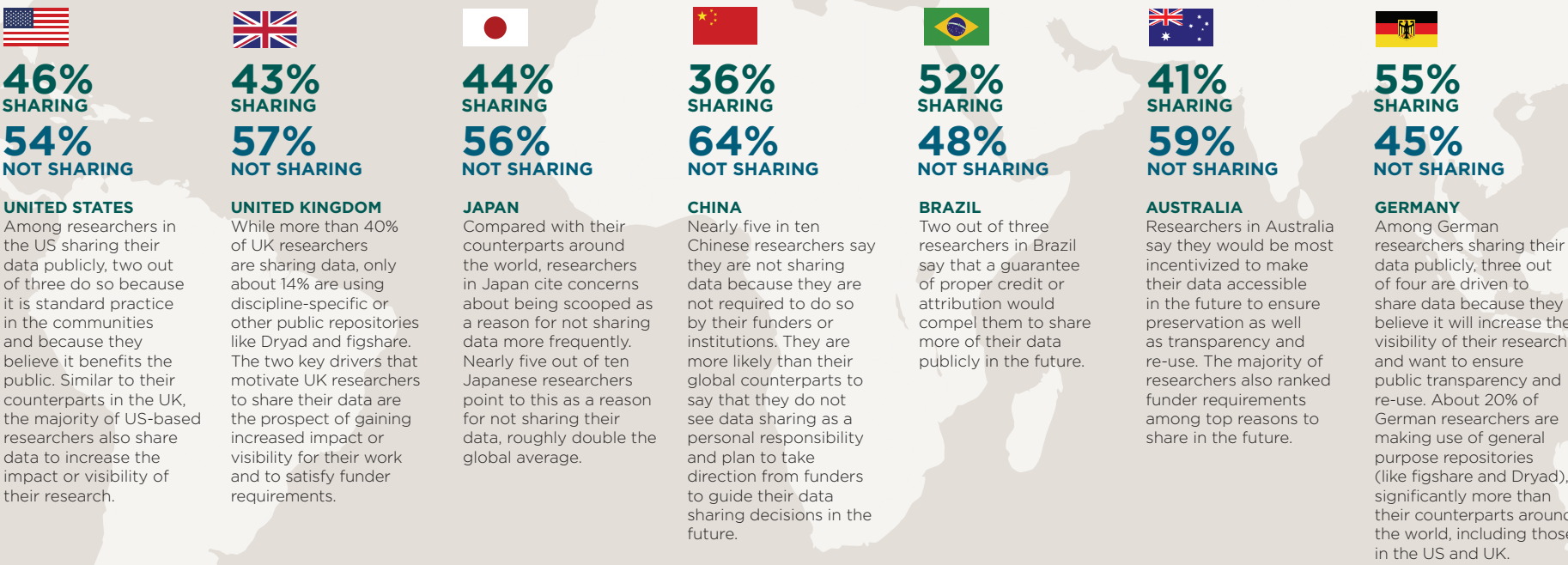
- 67% As supplementary material in a journal
- 37% Personal, institutional or project webpage
- 26% Institutional data repository (i.e. university or institute-sponsored)
- 19% Discipline-specific data repository
- 6% General-purpose data repository (e.g. Dryad, figshare)
- 5% Other

Globally, researchers also report sharing their data in limited and non-permanent ways: 57% are sharing data at a conference while 42% of researchers share their data upon informal request (e.g. email, direct contact, etc.).

RESEARCHER MOTIVATIONS FOR SHARING DATA



DATA SHARING TRENDS BY COUNTRY



REASONS WHY RESEARCHERS ARE HESITANT TO SHARE THEIR DATA

- 42% Intellectual property or confidentiality issues
- 36% My funder/institution does not require data sharing
- 26% I am concerned that my research will be scooped
- 26% I am concerned about misinterpretation or misuse
- 23% Ethical concerns
- 22% I am concerned about being given proper citation credit or attribution
- 21% I did not know where to share my data
- 20% Insufficient time and/or resources
- 16% I did not know how to share my data
- 12% I don’t think it is my responsibility
- 12% I did not consider the data to be relevant
- 11% Lack of funding
- 7% Other

DATA SHARING BY DISCIPLINE

Data sharing, specifically by way of data repositories, is most prevalent amongst life scientists, particularly those in the earth and environmental and agriculture and food sciences.

