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*EFSPi Supports Open-Source*

On behalf of the European Federation of Statisticians in the Pharmaceutical Industry (EFSPi), we would like to express our support for efforts to advance open-source collaboration in statistical engineering and clinical reporting.

As statistical leaders within the pharmaceutical industry, we understand the critical importance of innovation and efficiency in statistical methodologies and processes that drive clinical development. The challenges we face in scaling and adopting innovative approaches often lie in navigating complex data environments, ensuring reproducibility, and fostering cross-company collaborations that facilitate faster, more efficient decision-making. In this context, the role of collaborative, open source initiatives such as [Openstatsware](#) and [Pharmaverse](#) is key.

Cross-company collaborations like Openstatsware and Pharmaverse offer unique opportunities to harmonize methodologies, standardize practices, and create accessible platforms for innovation in statistical analysis. These initiatives provide a foundation for collective progress across the industry, enabling pharmaceutical companies, regulators, and academic institutions to work together more effectively in advancing statistical practices and clinical reporting. They allow for the exploration of new ideas and methodologies that might otherwise be overlooked, fostering a culture of open dialogue and collaboration among all stakeholders.

EFSPi is committed to fostering an environment where innovation thrives, and we believe that the collaborative efforts in the open-source arena are enablers to achieving this vision.