

# Data mesh

## Definition

Data Mesh is an analytical [data architecture](#) and operating model where data is treated as a product and owned by teams that most intimately know and use the data.

## Note

Another definition: Data mesh is a decentralised approach to data management, where data is owned and managed by the teams that produce and use it.

## Purpose

Data mesh makes it easier for teams to collaborate and innovate with their data.

## Relation

Data mesh	is child of	<a href="#">data architecture</a>
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