

# Data governance

## Definition

Data governance is [governance](#) with regard to [data](#).

## Notes

Other definitions are:

- Data governance is the cross-functional discipline of managing, improving, monitoring, maintaining, and protecting data (Askham).
- Data governance is the exercise of authority and control (planning, monitoring, and enforcement) over the management of data assets (DAMA-DMBOK, 2017).

## Relation

Data governance is subtype of [governance](#).

## References

Askham, Nicola. [Data governance](#)  
DAMA-DMBOK (2017). Data management body of knowledge.

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