

Question for written answer E-005458/2016
to the Commission
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Subject: European open science cloud - Management and technical perspective as regards the open science cloud

The latest communication on the European cloud initiative does not explain how exactly the European open science cloud will be managed, especially from a technical perspective. How is the Commission currently looking at the procurement of EU cloud services for scientific purposes, and who is going to implement the cloud from a technical perspective? Please answer the questions giving additional information on the unit in charge of the management and monitoring of the cloud within the Commission.