Recording datasets in Pure

I have deposited my data in DataShare

Staff of the Research Data Service will create a Pure record for you

Under 'Relations', link your dataset to related publications, projects, activities and impacts

I have deposited my data in an external repository

Log in to Pure www.pure.ed.ac.uk

Create a new dataset record

As a recommended minimum, please complete the following fields:
1. Title
2. Description/Abstract
3. People
4. Managing organisational unit
5. Date made available

Does your dataset already have a DOI*?

* Digital Object Identifier, e.g. 10.1109/5.771073

Add your DOI under 'Add existing DOI'

Under 'Relations', link your dataset to related publications, projects, activities and impacts

Save the record. The metadata of your dataset will appear on Edinburgh Research Explorer after it has been reviewed and validated.

I want to deposit my data in DataVault

Before uploading your dataset to DataVault you will be asked to provide the ID of a metadata record in Pure.

If you're a personal user, the People and Managing organisational unit fields will be populated automatically with your details.

Add a link or details of physical data. If relevant, a Pure administrator will assign a DOI to your record when validating.

Open your saved record again and copy the Pure id displayed in the top left corner

Deposit your data in DataVault