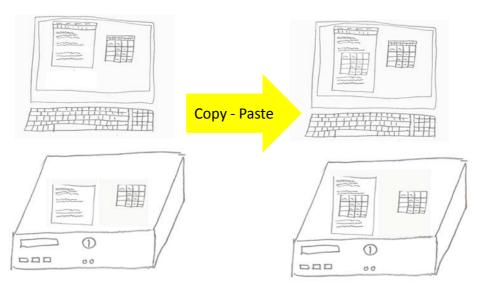
Importing spread sheet into document

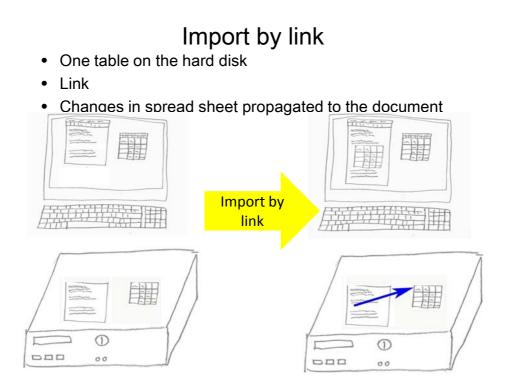
- Aim
 - Able to choose copy-paste or import by link
- Problem
 - You are to write a report on the health for last year
 - The numbers are not complete yet
 - You have to start writing nevertheless
 - Numbers in a table in a spread sheet
 - Table should be part of a document
 - What happens if data in the table needs to be changed?

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Copy-Paste

- Two copies of the table on the hard disk
- Changes in spread sheet NOT propagated to document





Procedures

Copy-paste

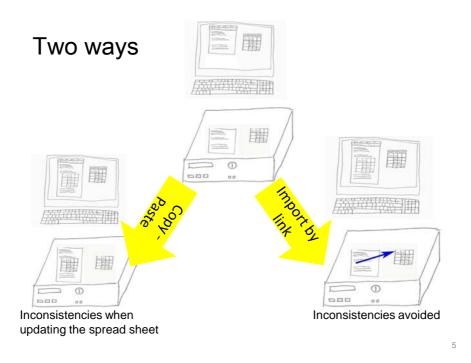
- 1. Open both files
- 2. Copy the table and paste it into the document
- 3. Check by changing the spreadsheet

Import by link

- 1. Open both files
- 2. Insert the table into the document such that the link to the spreadsheet is kept

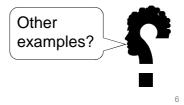
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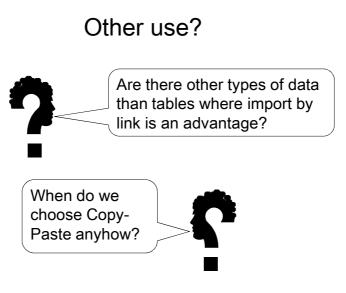
3. Check by changing the spreadsheet



Functional dependency

- Import by link
 Changes in spreadsheet → changes in document
- Table of contents
 Pages inserted → Table of contents updated
- Formulas in spreadsheet
 Arguments changed → Result updated
- Link from display to data storage
 - Data changed \rightarrow Changes propagated to display





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