



## Open Data Conference 2020

Open Data for a Data Driven Public Service Delivery

2<sup>nd</sup> December 2020





	Agenda Item	Timing	Speakers
1.	Opening and Welcome	10:00 - 10:05	Prof. Declan O'Sullivan Computer Science - Trinity College Dublin
2	Opening	10:05 - 10:15	Minister Ossian Smyth Minister of State for Public Procurement and eGovernment
3.	High Value Datasets - From Publication to Impact	10:15 - 10:30	Prof. Elena Simperl Computer Science - Kings College London
4.	OSI Publication and Covid 19 - how the publication of data informed and provided insights into the crisis	10:30 - 10:45	Hugh Mangan  Business & Marketing Manager of Ordnance Survey Ireland (OSI)
5.	Sharing on the Journey - Testimonials from Publishers and re-Users:  1. Data Publisher: the Tusla Journey  2. Data Re-Use Smart Cities: the Dublin Dashboard  3. Data Re-Use Health & Wellbeing: Hale & Hearty	10:45 - 11:25	<ul> <li>Moderator: Cianan Clancy (Shipyard Technology Ventures)</li> <li>Peggy Ryan and Sheila Moore (Tusla)</li> <li>Liam O'Sullivan (Dublin Dashboard)</li> <li>Deirdre Lee (Derilinx)</li> <li>Hugh Mangan (OSI)</li> </ul>
6.	<ul> <li>Publication of Open Datasets</li> <li>Open Data Directive</li> <li>Ireland Public Service Data Catalogue</li> <li>High Value Datasets</li> </ul>	11:25 - 12:05	<ul> <li>Moderator: Dr. Edward Curry (Insight Centre)</li> <li>Rhoda Kerins (Open Data Unit - DPER)</li> <li>Mark Warren (OGCIO - DPER)</li> <li>Josh D'Addario(ODI)</li> </ul>
7.	Open Data as part of a wider European Data and Al Ecosystem	12:05 - 12:20	Dr. Edward Curry Principal Investigator - Insight Centre
8.	Closing	12:20	Dave Hanley Principal Officer – Reform and Delivery Office (DPER)









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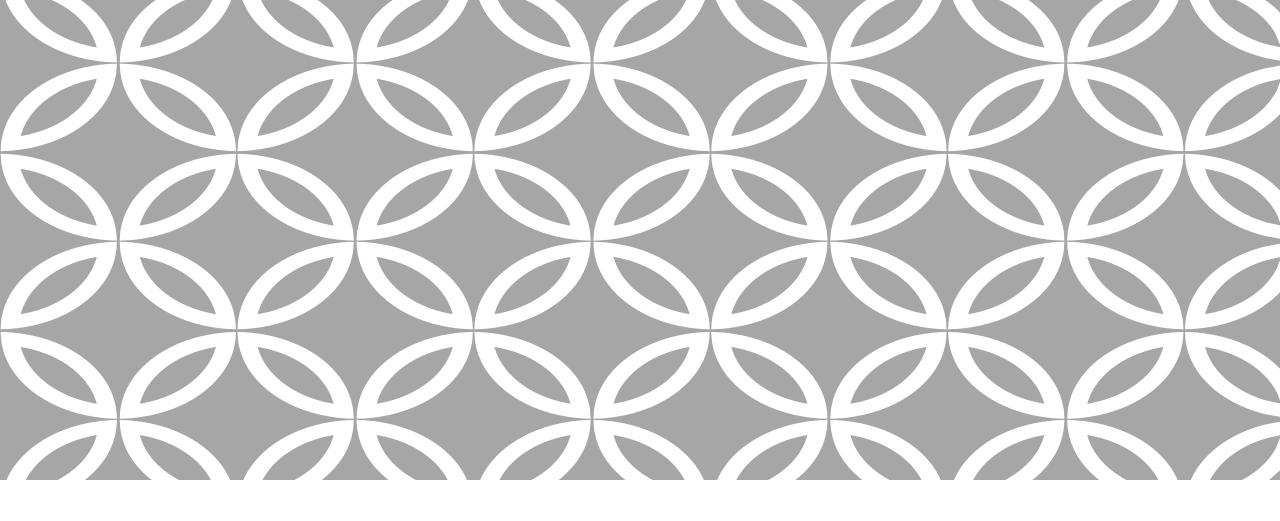




# Prof. Elena Simperl

Computer Science - Kings College London

High Value Datasets - From Publication to Impact



## HIGH-VALUE DATASETS

FROM PUBLICATION TO IMPACT

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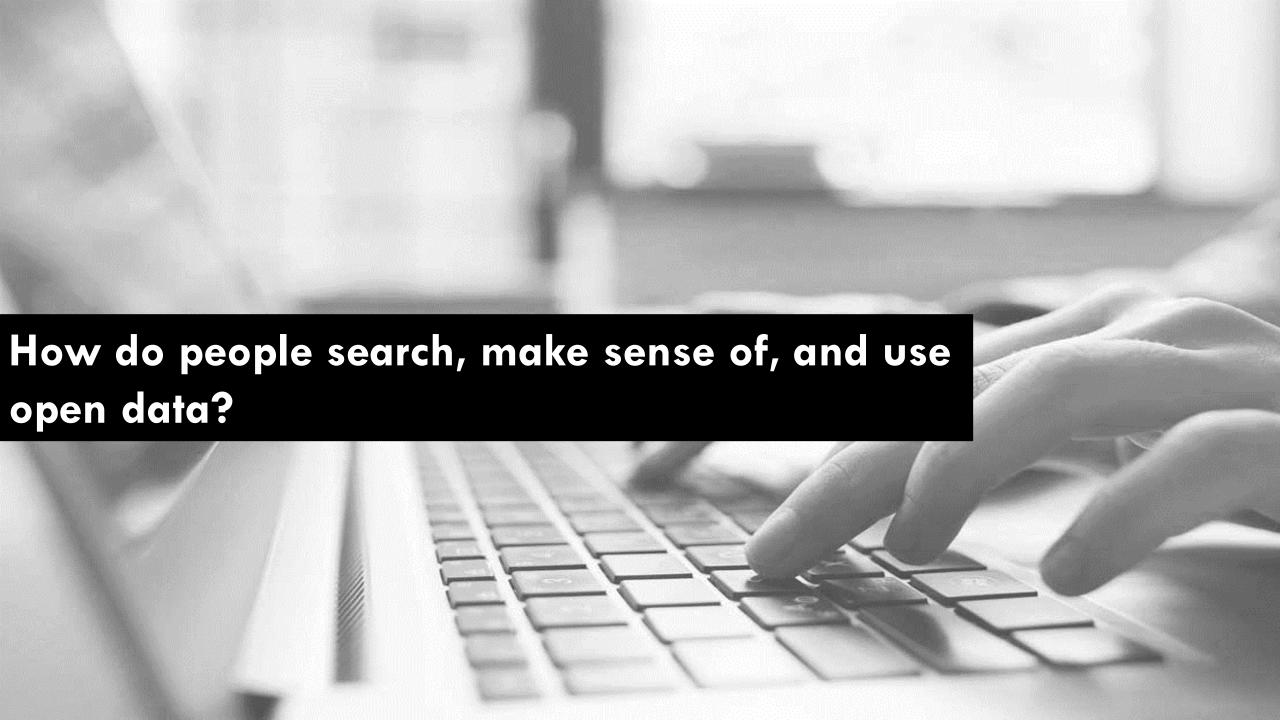










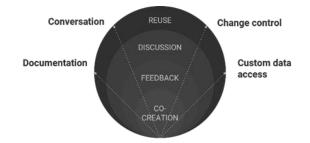


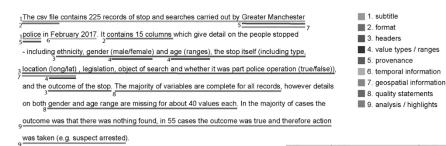
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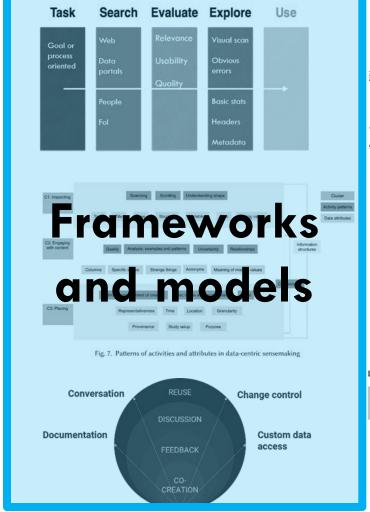


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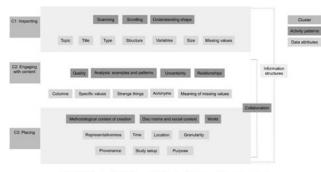
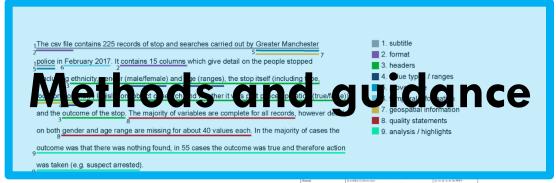
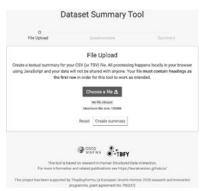


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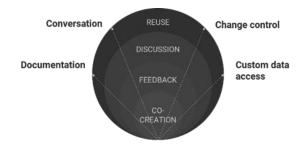
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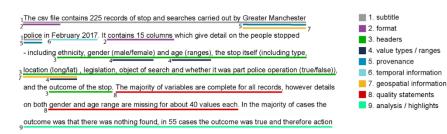
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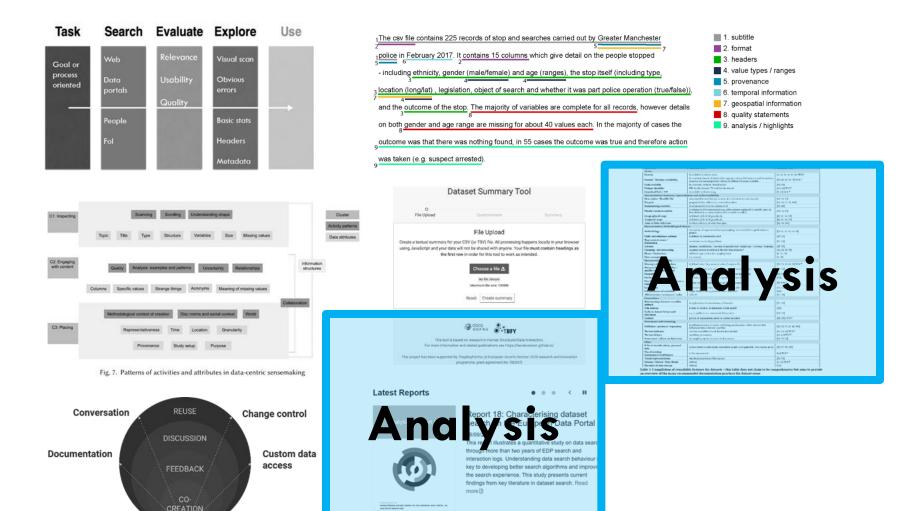


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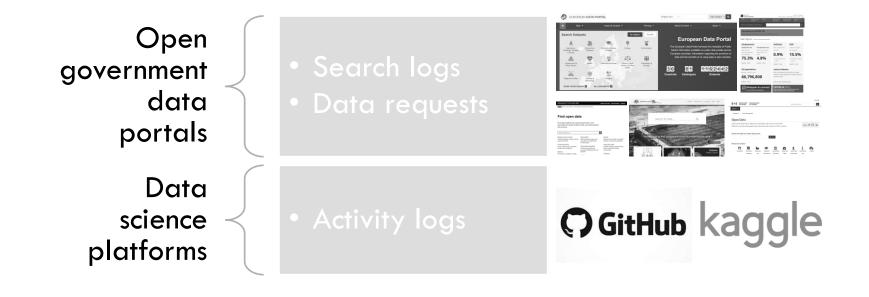
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### HIGH-VALUE DATASETS

## UNDERSTANDING USE THROUGH BEHAVIOUR ANALYSIS TO PROVIDE GUIDANCE TO PUBLISHERS



### **2018 STUDY**

### ANALYSIS OF LOGS AND REQUESTS

Four national open government data portals, 2.2 million queries from 2013 to 2016, 1500 data requests.

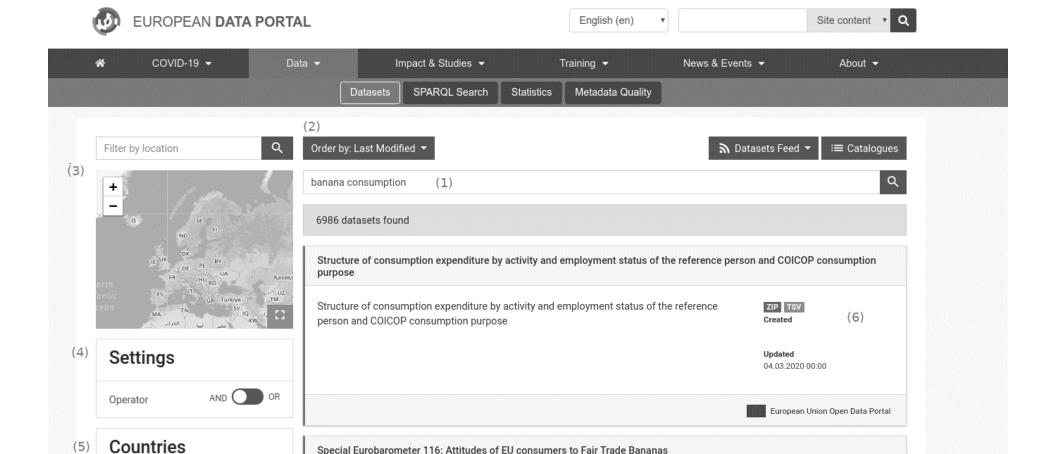
Data search is a work-related activity.

Shorter queries, include time and location, with varying levels of granularity.

Explorative search, using keywords and filters.

Native and external queries topically different.

Data requests describe the data through boundaries and restrictions on location, time, data type, granularity.



2020 STUDY ANALYSIS OF LOGS

844,343 user sessions (April 18 to June 20)

### TOOLS TO FIND DATA

EDP is used to find datasets, but it is not the only tool people use. 60% of sessions arrive to the EDP from the web.

Changes in portal design impact traffic (and user experience).

Covid-19 datasets were in high demand in 2020.

A large majority of users visit only one section of the portal at a time.

Content on the site needs to be better interlinked (both data and other pages). When links exist, people use them.

### SEARCH APPROACHES AND AFFORDANCES

Filters are important: 60% of native sessions use filters-only; 15-20% use keywords and filters.

Common search strategies: single-filter; keywords first, then one or more filters.

Popular filters are country and category. Less so: format, license.

Keyword queries are short, less use of time, format and data attributes, more use of location.

### SUCCESS IN DATASET SEARCH

20-40% of native queries and 8-25% of external queries are successful.

Keywords + filters seem to work better. Might also be a proxy for seasoned users.

### IMPLICATIONS FOR PUBLISHERS

SEO strategy

Filter affordances Granular location data

Dataset retrieval

Dataset preview pages Links between content and datasets

### WHAT'S NEXT

Studies on users and their information needs.

Granular activity data captured and shared by portals for new studies.

Portals publish lots of data. They now need to do more to become data communities.

GitHub kaggle









# Hugh Mangan

Business & Marketing Manager of Ordnance Survey Ireland

How the publication of data informed and provided insights into the crisis



How the Covid-19 crisis drove the publication of Open Data

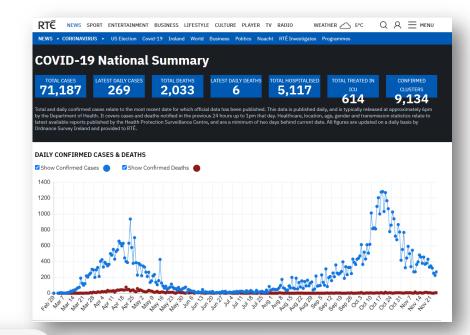
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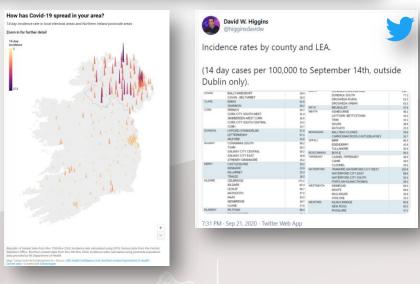


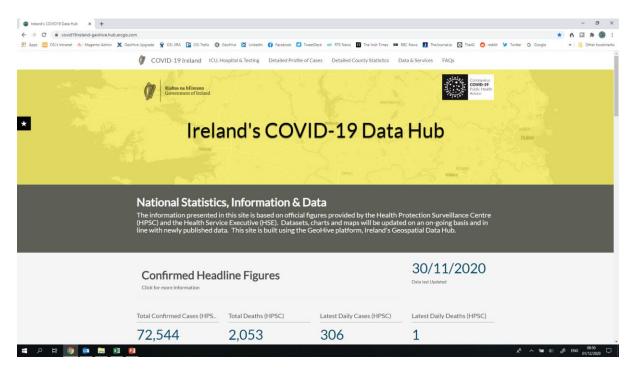
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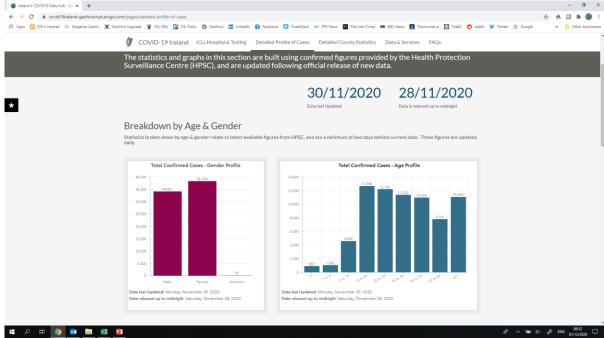
- It's a story about public sector led collaboration and problem solving, under demanding circumstances.
- It's a story about the behind the scenes data supply chain to produce **Open Data** that many of us consumed, in many ways, over the last few months.
- And the lessons learnt from that.

















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### **Context: Public Sector Data Strategy**









Efficient & Effective Production



Trusted Geospatial Services



Collaboration & Partnerships



Leadership & Communication



Transparent & Accountable



### **Context: SDGs and Open Data**



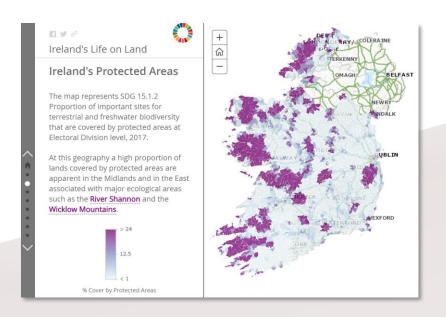
#### Geospatial Data and GeoHive Platform





#### Statistics and Data Governance







▲ Public Health Advice



**Dr. Tony Holohan – Chief Medical Officer (CMO)** 

## Refocus SDGs Group to GeoHive COVID-19 Response Co-ordination Group



Service Level Agreement



Memorandum of Understanding



Framework Agreement





Central Statistics Office





### **GeoHive COVID-19 Group - Purpose & Vision**

#### **Purpose**

 To coordinate the technical, data, policy, and financial activities related to providing key data and tools, via GeoHive the State's geospatial data hub, to inform Ireland's response to the COVID-19 outbreak

#### Vision

 To provide key data and tools to inform Ireland's operational intelligence and situational awareness efforts in response to the COVID-19 outbreak



### **Terms of Reference, March 2020**

#### **GeoHive Covid-19 Response Coordination Group**

Name	GeoHive Covid-19 Response Coordination Group
Membership	The membership of this group consists of the following organisations:  Ordnance Survey Ireland (OSi) The Central Statistics Office (CSO) The Department of Housing, Planning, and Local Government (DHPLG) the All-Island Research Observatory (AIRO) Esri Ireland.  The associated levels of responsibility and accountability are defined in a separate RASCI matrix.
Goals for the Group	The goals for this group are to:  1. Build a participation network that facilitates the "collect once, use many times" philosophy of the Public Services Data Strategy for geo-statistical data in the response to the Covid-19 outbreak.  2. Introduce geospatial and statistical data governance procedures that focus on reducing/removing data duplication.  3. Maximise the use of the State's geospatial hub (GeoHive) through appropriate data collection and data visualisation.
Group Working Methods	The GH-COVID19-RCG meets on a daily basis with all meetings held using remote video/phone conferencing to maintain social distancing.  The Group has established a:  GeoHive Covid-19 response platform with public, private and secure virtual data room capabilities  Geo-statistical data governance and management sub-group to provide expertise in support of the Government's Covid-19 response  GeoHive technical architecture sub-group to provide the expertise in support the Government's Covid-19 response.
Group Documentation	A Terms of Reference (TOR), Data Governance and Stakeholder Relationship mapping is in place to manage the governance and coordination of the stakeholders involved and communication channels.  A shared programme repository has been established.

To build a participation network that facilitates the "collect once, use many times" philosophy of the Public Service Data Strategy in the response to the COVID-19 outbreak

To introduce geospatial and statistical data governance procedures that focus on reducing/removing data duplication.

To maximise the use of the GeoHive through appropriate data collection and data visualisation



### Data, infrastructure and processes

### The Group has established:

- ✓ GeoHive COVID-19 response platform with public/private/secure virtual data hubs
- ✓ Geo-statistical data governance and management sub-group to provide expertise in support of the national COVID-19 response
- ✓ GeoHive technical architecture sub-group to provide the expertise in support of the national COVID-19 response
- ✓ Various data led initiatives which are summarised in the following slides



COVID-19 Ireland ICU, Hospital & Testing

**Detailed Profile of Cases** 

**Detailed County Statistics** 

Data & Services

**FAQs** 







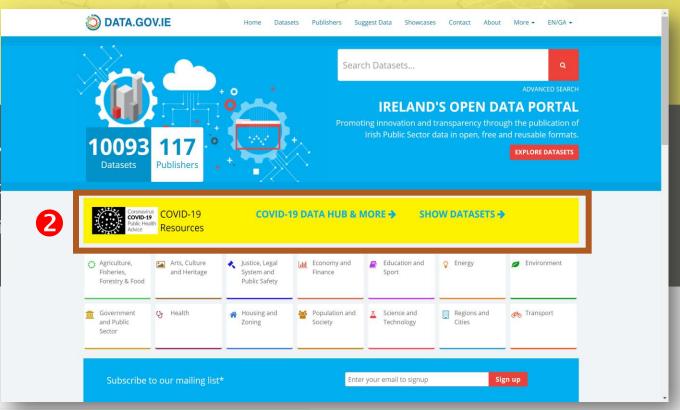
Ireland's COVID-19 Data Hub

### **National Statistics, Information**

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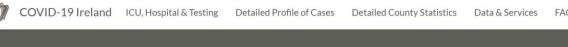
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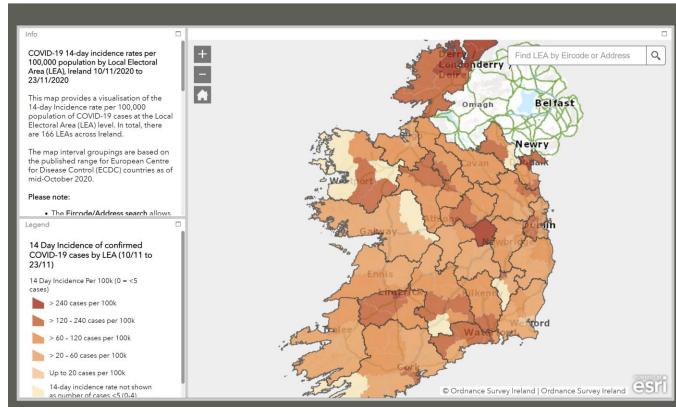
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# 100 million

views since mid June











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An Roinn Tithíochta, Rialtais Áitiúil agus Oidhreachta Department of Housing, Local Government and Heritage



**An Roinn Sláinte** Department of Health











**Total Confirmed Cases** 

22,996

10/05/2020

Total Deaths

1,458

10/05/2020

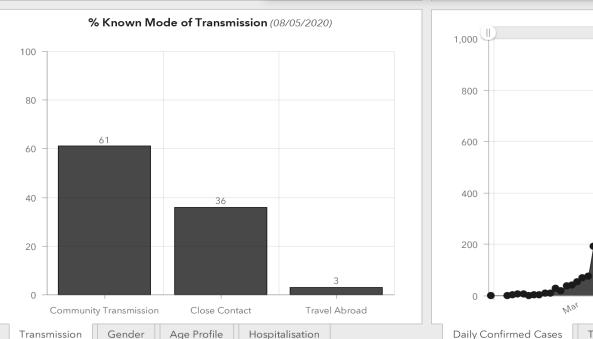
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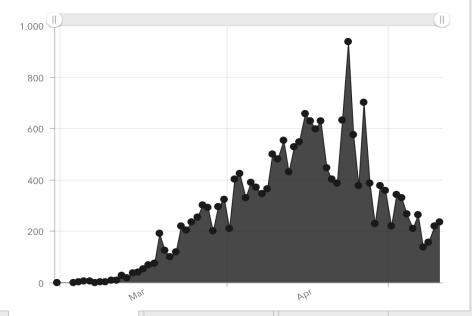
**Publically available Health Surveillance Monitor Dashboard** for the Department of Health.

Confirmed Cases: 08/05/2020

Updated daily.

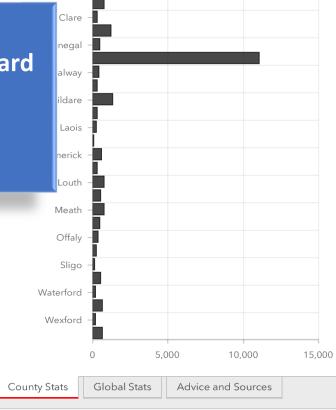
Points are representative of counties and not specific locations. Click on a point for county figures.





Total Confirmed Cases by County (08/05/2020) To see more results, hover over the top right of this chart and click the expand

Carlow





Rialtas na hÉireann Government of Ireland



GeoHive

**Total Confirmed Cases** 

International Rates

### Local Authority Dashboards & An Garda Síochana Data Hub



Public and secure dashboards; updated daily.

Publically available for use by all Local Authorities with a daily data supply.

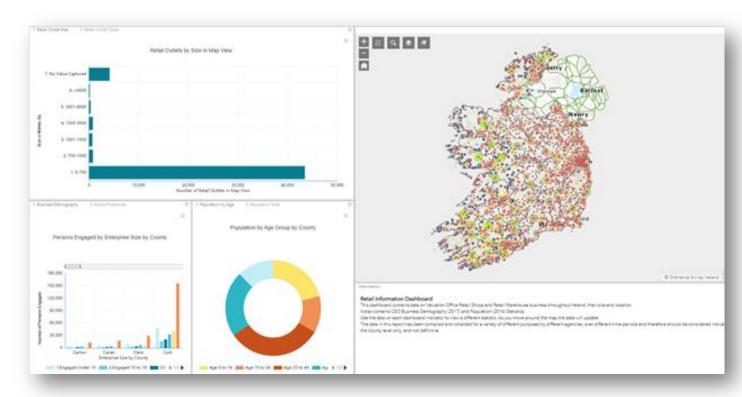


Pavement Width, Public Transport & Retails Locations



Secure access for all Senior Garda Personnel and Garda Control Room for traffic mobility and trend analysis.

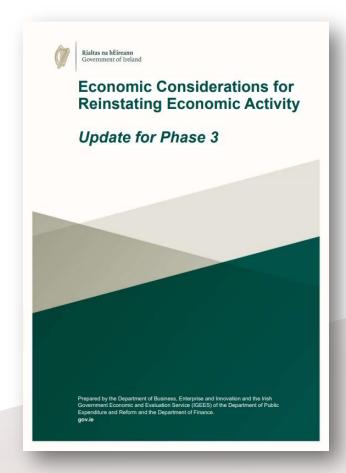
### Dept. of An Taoiseach business dashboards / reports



Map-based dashboard and report hat displays business and retail information, showing the classification, density and size of business premises by location.









# 5\* Linked Open COVID-19 data

GeoHive service	Apps	Usage
Daily Open Data update to		Updated daily.
data.gov.ie as 3-star and 5-star	CovidDailyStatisticsHPSCIreland Health	
linked open data.	Ordnance Survey Ireland  This Table contains Covid-19 Daily Statistics for Ireland as reported by the Health Surveillance Protection Centre	Between 3k and 13k hits per day for
https://data.gov.ie/dataset?q=covid &sort=score+desc%2C+metadata_cr eated+desc	Covid-19 Linked Data Frontend  NEW FEATURED  Ordnance Survey Ireland  The COVID-19 data follows Linked Data principles and resolve to a Web page or RDF file with content negotiation. For example, the following URI for a COVID-19 statistics profile record: http://data.geohive.ie/resource/covid/statprofile/2020-03-30 will redirect to  100  101  102  103  103  104  105  105  105  105  105  105  105	the 6 services.









# Panel Session

# Sharing on the Journey - Testimonials from Publishers and re-Users



Cianan Clancy Shipyard Technology Ventures



**Peggy Ryan** Tusla



Sheila Moore Tusla



Liam O'Sullivan

Dublin Dashboard



**Deirdre Lee** *Derilinx* 



**Hugh Mangan**Business & Marketing
Manager of Ordnance
Survey Ireland (OSI)

# Outcomes 4 Children. tusla.ie

Outcomes for Children Data & Information Hub



2020 Open Data Conference, 2<sup>nd</sup> December 2020
Open Data for a Data Driven Public Service Delivery
Peggy Ryan, Sheila Moore, Information Management, TUSLA WEST

# Introduction & Background

# In 2016 TUSLA and the DCEDIY agreed to the establishment of a new project Outcomes for Children National Data & Information Hub

- This initiative arose out of Children & Families Services (in the HSE) involvement in the border areas of the NW and NE, in partnership with colleagues in NI on a cross-border Project – CAWT (2009-2011).
- This project is one of the initiatives of TUSLA's National Prevention, Partnership and Family Support (PPFS) Programme, building on the legacy experience and knowledge from Children & Families Services being involved in the CAWT project in border Areas during the years 2009 to 2011.
- Funding for this project was agreed and ring fenced through the AP PPFS grant and DCEDIY/What Works for product prototype development and a pilot to include (initially) 11 CYPSCs in Phase 1.
- Ongoing independent evaluation was conducted throughout Phase I via NUIG, Child & Family Research Centre.
- The Outcomes for Children Data & Information Hub is now live at <u>outcomes4children.tusla.ie</u> and continues
  to be supported by TUSLA and DCEDIY for sustainability.

# Aims & Objectives Outcomes for Children National Data & Information Hub

- Incrementally build one centralised national Data Hub that will host a wide range of published data from various agencies involved in the provision of services to Children, Young People and Families.
- Agree a set of indicators referencing the published national set of indicators (DCYA), framed against the five national outcomes Better Outcomes, Brighter Futures (BOBF).
- Use validated and quality assured datasets from the agencies to populate the agreed indicator set.
- Train and support both TUSLA personnel and relevant CYPSC partners at national and local level in the use and application of the system to underpin and optimise children's services planning.
- Inform the enhancement of both quantitative and qualitative data collection to support TUSLA and the DCEDIY research agendas and meet corporate objectives regarding capacity as a learning organisation.
- Utilise relevant published datasets from the Open Data platform.
- Underpinning the development of the Hub, the principles of Outcomes Based Accountability (OBA/RBA)
   methodology (training delivered to CYPSC 2018)

# Project Structure

Outcomes for Children National Data & Information Hub

#### **Governance Group**

DCEDIY, TUSLA, DPER, Barnardos
Galway University Foundation (GUF)\* Phase 1

#### **Data & Information Working Group**

- DCEDIY
- TUSLA PPFS National Manager
- TUSLA Information Management (IM) Leads
- TUSLA Alternative Care, Child Protection, PPFS
- TUSLA Research
- National CYPSC Co-Ordinator
- Information Manager (NI)
- NUIG Research

#### **Project Team**

- TUSLA PPFS National Manager
- TUSLA Project Accountant
- TUSLA Information Management (IM) Leads
- TUSLA Data & Analytics Manager
- National CYPSC Co-Ordinator
- Galway University Foundation (GUF) \* Phase 1
- TUSLA Workforce Learning and Development

#### Information Consultation Group

- DCEDIY (WhatWorks)
- TUSLA PPFS National Manager, IM Leads
- National CYPSC Co-Ordinator
- TUSLA Workforce Learning and Development

National Information Consultation Forum (held 15<sup>th</sup> May, 2019)

Included 60 delegates from statutory and voluntary agencies

# Outcomes4Children Data & Information Hub Building CYPSC Profiles Using O4C Hub



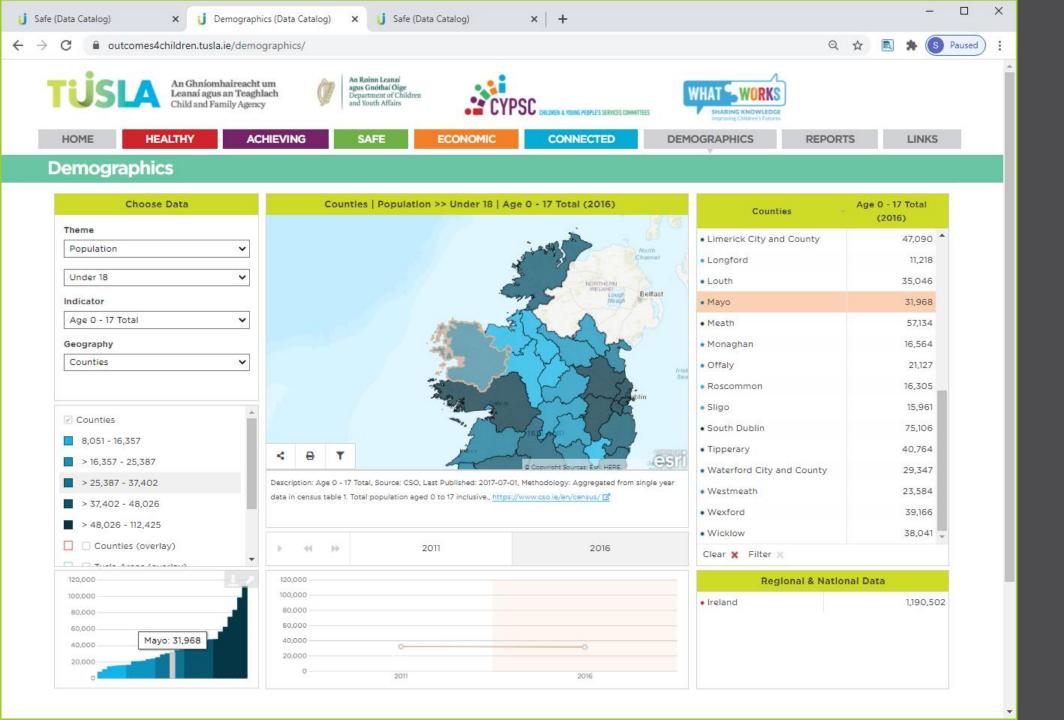
#### In 2016 TUSLA and the DCYA agreed to establish a new project 'Outcomes for Children National Data & Information Hub' – offering a sustainable

This hub provides one centralised platform hosting an agreed set of indicators sourced from relevant published reports. A quick reference guide to assist in the navigation of the hub and the inventory of current indicators is available here.

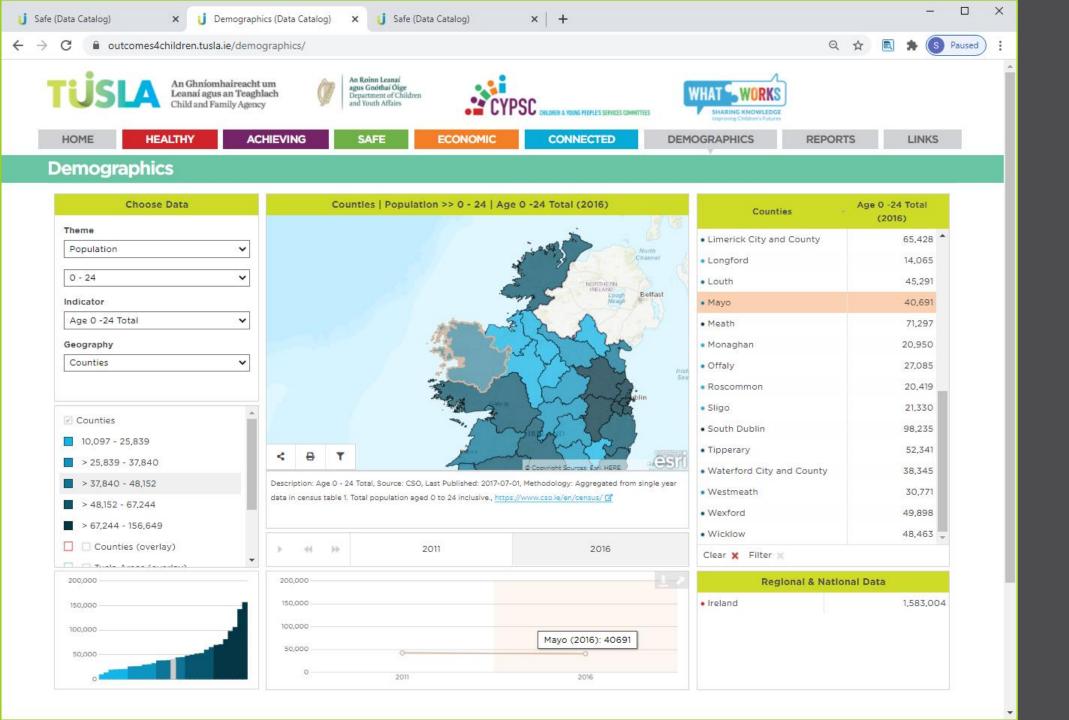
opportunity to provide a national standardised technical solution for mapping outcomes and indicators for children and young people.

The hub will be continually updated as and when the relevant published reports become available.

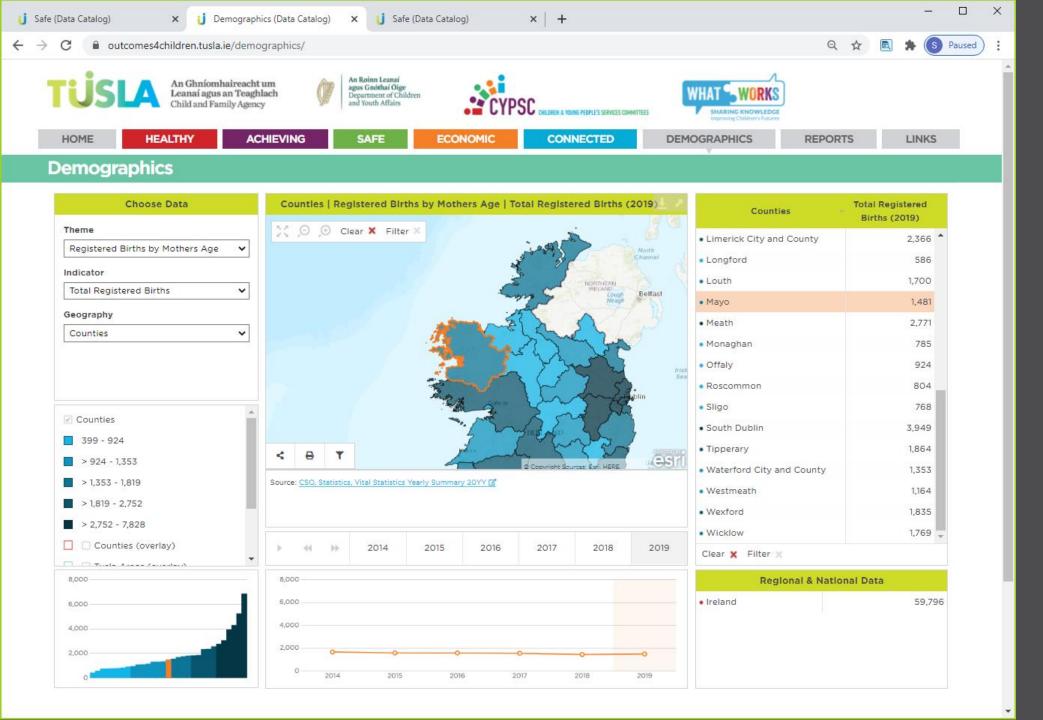




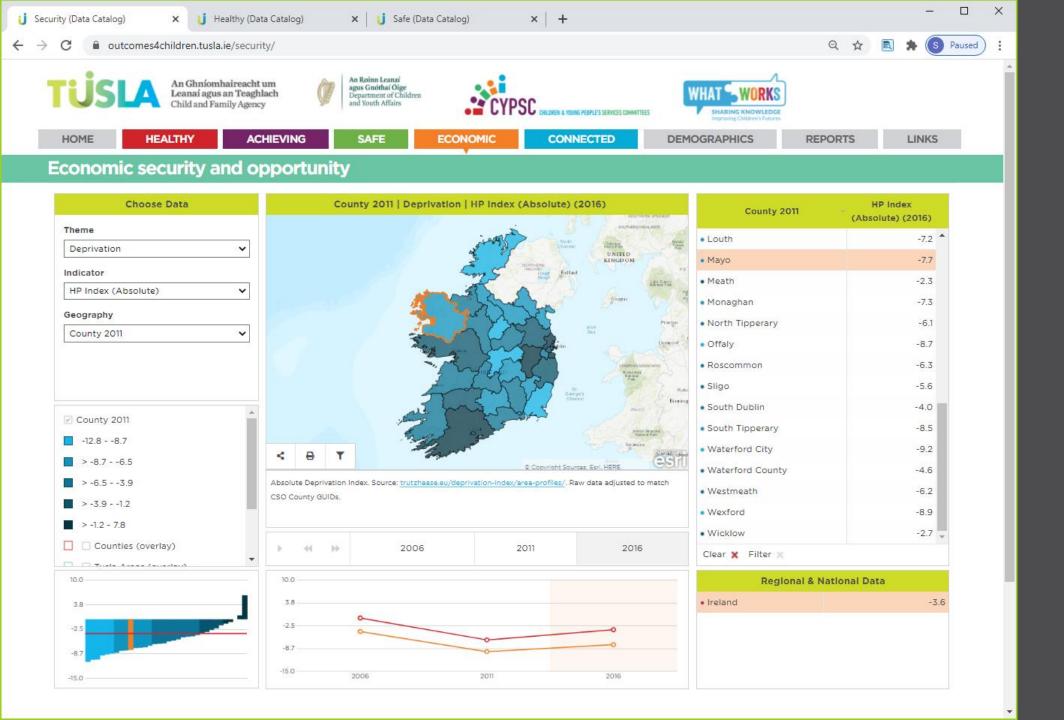
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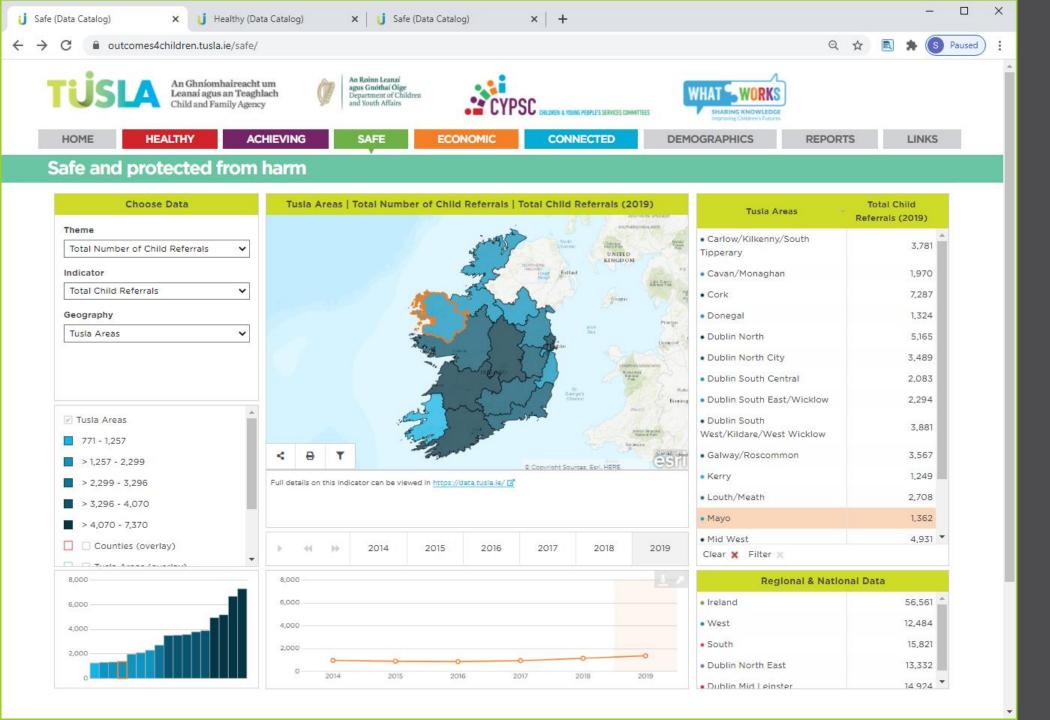
# Demographics | Population, 0-24 Years



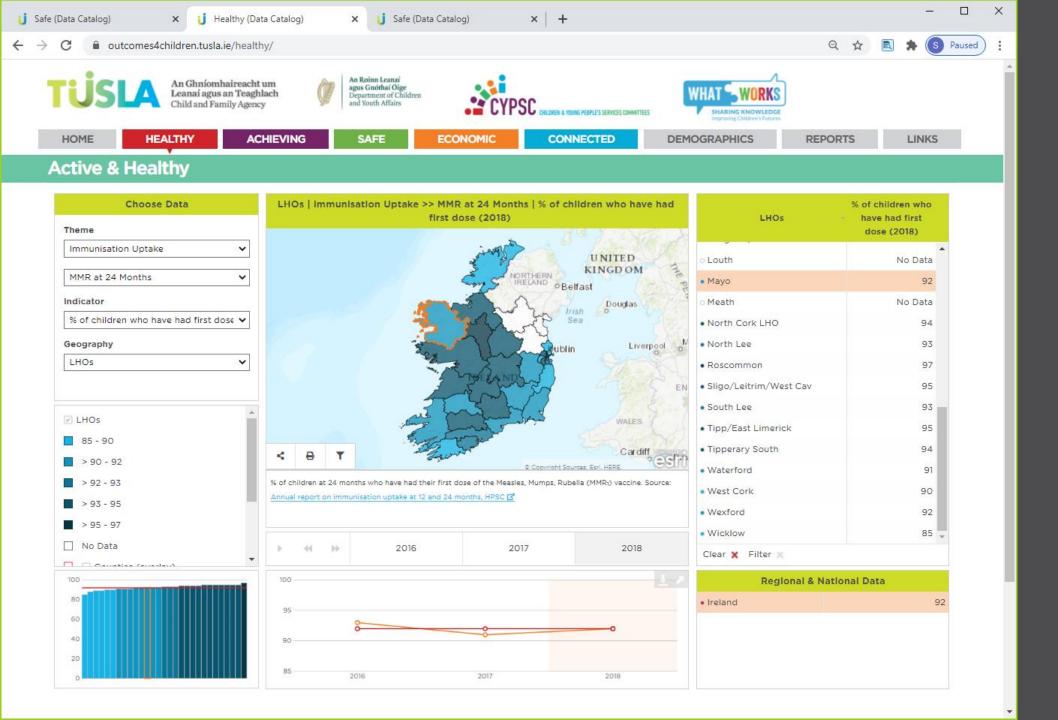
# Demographics | Registered Births



# Deprivation Opportunity



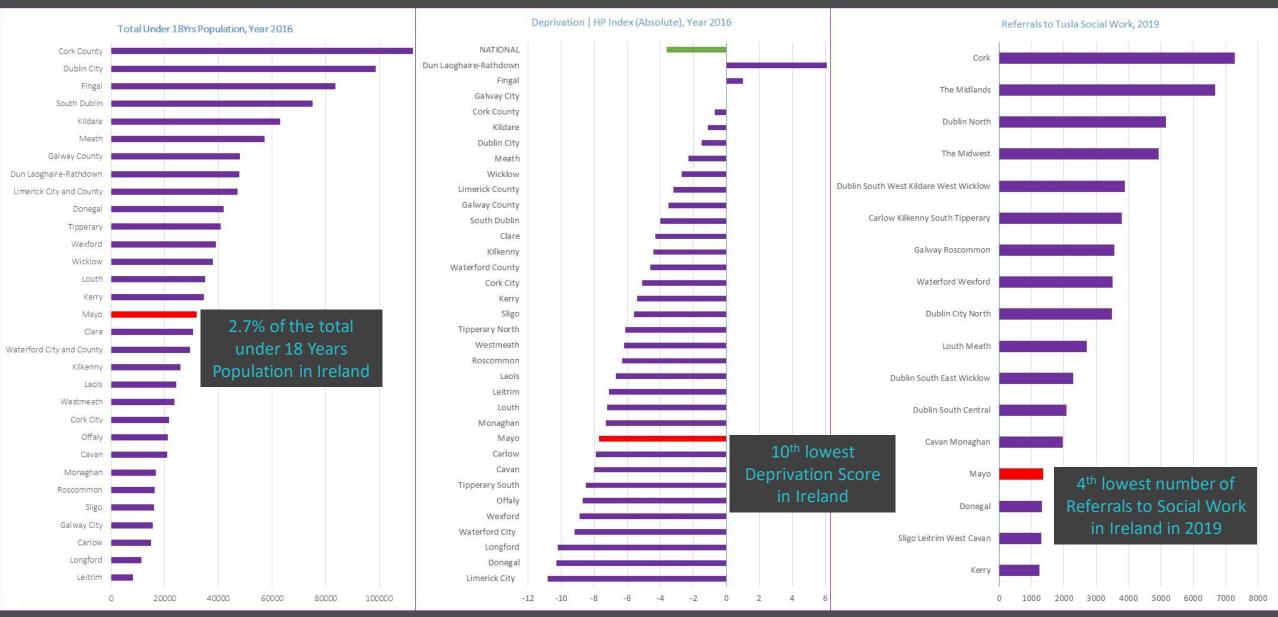
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# Active & Healthy | Immunisation Uptake

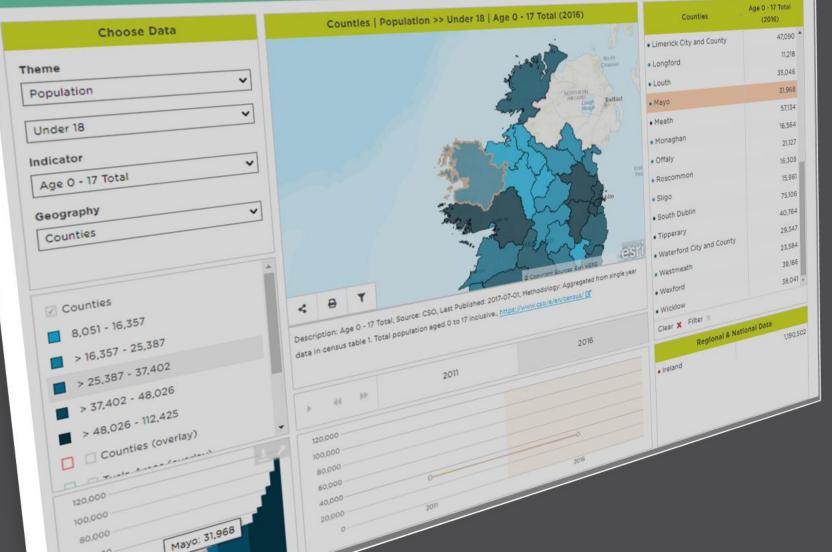


#### Building a Standard Profile Report for all CYPSCs | Mayo Sample Profile





#### **Demographics**



#### **Backend Data Load**

- (i) Manual Load from published documentation via .csv files
- (ii) Automated Load via Open Data Platform (available datasets)

# Outcomes 4 Children. tusla.ie

Outcomes4Children Data & Information Hub



# **Thank You**













Funded by SFI for 4 years

Fundamental and applied research

Open science, open source, open data

Usable by experts and novices

Increase data literacy and outreach

Work with stakeholders:

Four Dublin local authorities

Two Cork local authorities

**Central Statistics Office** 

**Ordnance Survey Ireland** 

# How can we build more extensive and effective city dashboards?

Data issues

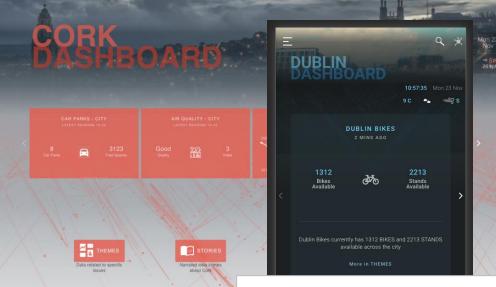
Visualization and interaction issues

Design, navigation and comprehension issues

Analytics and modelling issues







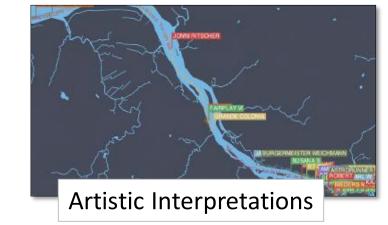
Multi-platform Dashboards







Interactive Physical Models





# What is a city dashboard?

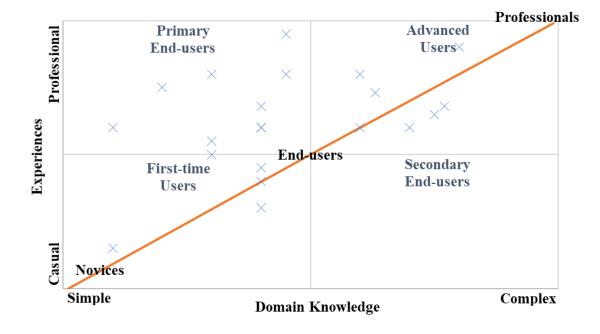


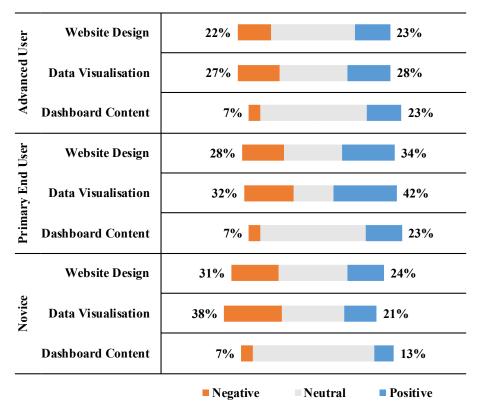




### User Research (Dr. Gareth Young)

What are the central dimensions that are relevant for the creation of a quality city dashboard?









#### Chris Martin "The Prof

45-54

Consultant

BSocSc (Social Sciences)

Long-sighted / Impatient

City Management

Dun Laoghaire

Office / Hotel

iMac / MacBook

macOS

Expert

Married / 2 Children

Digital Technology

Occupation: Education: Expertise: Family Status Location:

Challenges: Interests: Locations:

Operating System: Platform Types: User-Group Type:



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#### Jane Quinn "Science Nerd"

34 - 44

Technical.

Sociology

Greenhills

Office

Master's Degree

Mildly Dyslexic

Music & Arts

Windows 7

Professional

Simple

Dell Desktop PC

Primary End-User

Living with Partner & Baby

Occupation: Expertise: Family Status:

Location: Challenges: Interests:

Locations: Operating System: Platform Types:

User-Group Type: Dashboard Experience: Domain Knowledge:

100 60 Social Media Internet

#### Experience & skills:

Jane uses the dashboard regularly at the local county council (CC) where she works. She is familiar with data stories and thematic data content. She regularly explores new data use-cases, routinely following links to data sources to check their veracity, and makes use of visualisations in her monthly reports.

- Referrer: Internal training
- Introduction touchpoint: Data Coordinator

#### Interacting with Jane:

Jane visits the site with specific tasks and goals in mind. She learned about the site from a training session that she attended through work. Jane knows that if she has to undertake a new line of enquiry, she can use the "Tasks" page to learn new skills.

#### Typical Tasks for Jane:

Jane has the site saved in her "Work" bookmarks folder in Chrome. She often keeps a tab open for reference throughout the day.

Jane's job requires her to write monthly reports about housing completion rates in the local CC area. She also needs to compare her CC to other local authorities with similar population sizes.

#### Jane's Situation:

#### Her Goals / Motivations

- Appreciates effective data visualisations.
- Regularly writes reports.
- Enjoys exploring new data.
- Evaluates her skill-set through task completion.

#### Frustrations and Pain Points

- Not being able to verify data sources.
- Not being able to find and use data sources quickly - "Where was that... ?".
- Having to visit other websites and use unfamiliar tools without training.

#### Questions

- Is the CC on track for projected housing
- Is the CC going to achieve this month's target?
- What other areas will effect this: homelessness. temporary accommodation, budgets, etc.?
- What data is available from other authorities?
- Are there any new planning proposals or infrastructure issues?

#### Reasons for Jane to return:

- Consuming and communicating data.
- Building new knowledges.
- Reading and writing about her city.

#### Jane's Story: "Crisp and clean designs with up to date data."

Jane has professional experience with city dashboards, but has a simpler understanding of the city dashboard domain as a whole. Jane is familiar with most city-specific systems and has used some of the data tools. However, she does not access in-depth data on a regular basis. Jane has regular tasks to perform for a city-specific location. This gives her explicit expectations of a system and a comprehensive understanding of task-driven applications. These motivations give her an advantage over new users, but she still has difficulty learning new menu structures and navigating to data-sets on unfamiliar or overly

es these issues by systematically following menu patterns and page istent and professional terminology use and an effective web-design and These support her in creating patterns-of-use that are easy to remember lar and occasionally explorative tasks she has to perform. Jane uses the

Apps Software

**Novice | Primary End-user | Advanced** 

online training and help-pages, but only if they are quickly accessed, well-organised, and easy-to-use.



# Explanative (communication of insights)



Data stories

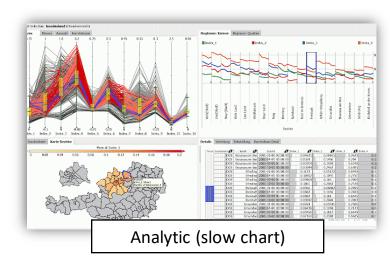
Novice | Casual





End-user | Professional

Explorative (discovery of patterns)



Advanced | Professional

**Increasing Contextual Information** 





**Dublin Dashboard: Themes** 



# Hale & Hearty

Improving the Health & Wellbeing of People Living in Ireland

Deirdre Lee, Derilinx





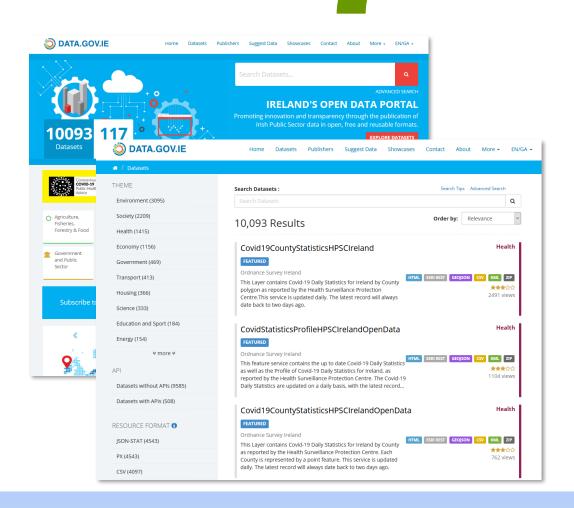














## Hale & Hearty



How can Public-Sector Bodies not only publish Open Data, but also ensure their initiatives achieve positive impact?

→ Environmental → Economic → Political



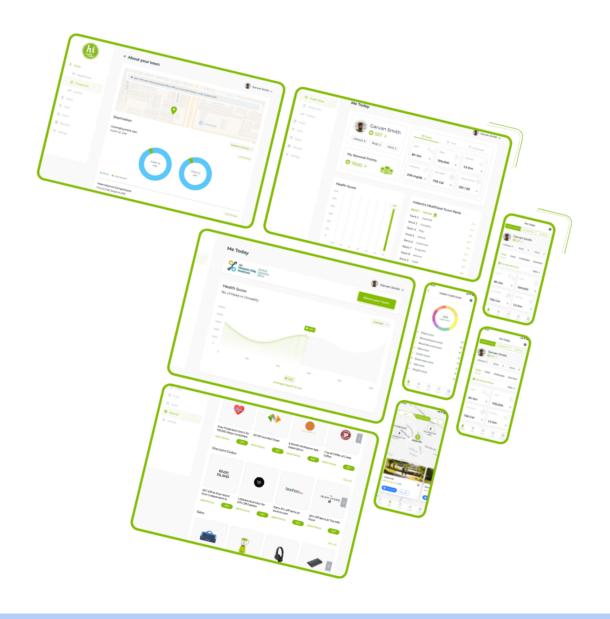
## Hale & Hearty

## Overall Objective

Provide a comprehensive

#### **Health & Wellbeing Knowledge Base**

at a granular level, which can be used for analysis, insights and action.



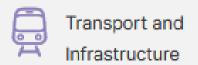
# **Health & Wellbeing** Data









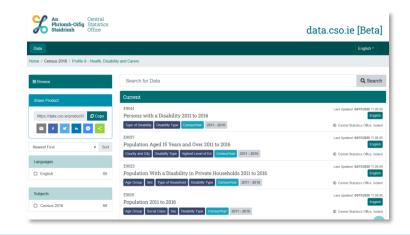


## Existing & New Data Sources ...











# ... Improved Data



Granular



Harmonised



**High-Value** 



**Up-to-date** 



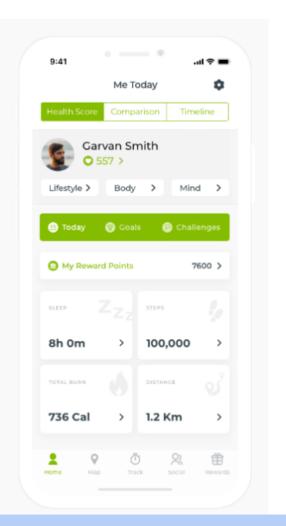
**Accessible** 



**Historical** 

# The *Hale & Hearty* App



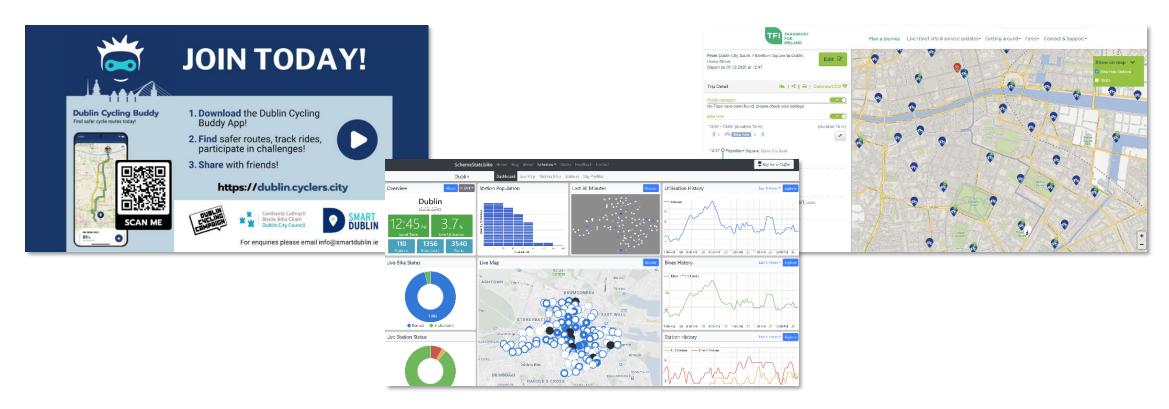


## Impact Example









https://smartdublin.ie/open-data-for-dublins-bikeshare-services-where-to-find-it-how-its-used-whats-coming-next/

### **User-Focused**

- Families
- Schools
- Data Scientists / Researchers
- Public Sector Employees
- Healthcare Workers



## Roadmap



User Scenario Definition

Public & Expert Engagement



Impact

Measure & Improve





Identification, Harmonisation & Publication



Knowledge Base & API

Design & Implementation



Hale & Hearty App

Design & Implementation





# **Panel Session**

### Publication of Open Datasets



**Dr. Edward Curry** Insight Centre



Rhoda Kerins Open Data Unit - DPER



Mark Warren
OGCIO - DPER



Josh D'Addario



# Open Data and PSI Directive

Rhoda Kerins
2nd December 2020



# Open by Default and Design



#### Must Release Data

- Release of non-personal data becomes an obligation
- Open Formats
- Open Standards

#### Free Re-use

- New rules on charging
- Free re-use becomes a principle
- Stronger transparency

# Public Utilities

 Re-use of data held by public undertakings such as utilities and transport sector

#### Research Data

 Re-use of publiclyfunded research data

#### Data Lock-in

- Prevention of data lock-in
- Exclusive arrangement no allowed

# Real-Time Data

- Real-time data
- APIs
- Bulk download

# Actions in Open Data Strategy















2.2

Carry out a data audit, make the results public

2.2
Publish an Open Data publication
Plan

2.3
Facilitate
any request
for datasets

2.8
Use
Eircodes
in
Addresses

3.1
Collabora
te with
re-users

7.4
Open
Data
Liaison
Officer

# First Implementing Act



List of high value datasets which must be released:

- Free of charge
- Open Formats
- Machine readable
- Via APIs and where relevant as a bulk download

**Geospatial** 

Earth
Observation and
Environment

Meteorological

**Statistics** 

Companies and Company Ownership

**Mobility** 

# Company and Company Ownership



Basic information		Companies' documents and	Companies ownership		Companies insolvency
Non personal	Personal	accounts	Non personal	Personal	status
<ul> <li>Name of the company (full version, in different languages when applicable);</li> <li>Company status (active, resolved, in liquidation, reconstruction, merger)</li> <li>Founding date;</li> <li>Cessation date (if applicable);</li> <li>Historical names;</li> <li>Addresses (i.e. legal, visiting postal);</li> <li>Legal form;</li> <li>Identifiers (registration number / company identifier / tax identification number / phone number / e-mail address);</li> <li>Member State where registered;</li> <li>NACE code (of the predominant and secondary activities and the code's source);</li> <li>Number of employees;</li> <li>Turnover;</li> <li>Capital;</li> <li>Detailed information on branches</li> <li>All changes (to individual companies and list of companies dissolved), and date of the last update.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>(Name(s) of company legal representative(s);</li> <li>Name of company's directors;)</li> <li>The appointment, termination of office and particulars of the persons who either as a body constituted pursuant to law or as members of any such body:</li> <li>✓ are authorised to represent the company in dealings with third parties and in legal proceedings; it shall be apparent from the disclosure whether the persons authorised to represent the company may do so alone or are required to act jointly;</li> <li>✓ take part in the administration, supervision or control of the company</li> <li>All changes (to individual companies and list of companies dissolved), and date of the last update.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Legal entities;</li> <li>Detailed data on branches;</li> <li>Accounting documents, incl. financial statements, non-financial statements, management reports, and other reports (e.g. financial reports, audit reports, corporate governance reports);</li> <li>Intra-group transactions</li> <li>Date of the last update;</li> <li>Other companies documents which are provided to the authority (i.e. companies' meeting minutes).</li> </ul>	update.	<ul> <li>Name of the owner;</li> <li>Month and Year of birth;</li> <li>Nationality;</li> <li>Owner identifier;</li> <li>Names of shareholder s;</li> <li>Country of residence of shareholder s / owners.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Type of insolvency proceeding;</li> <li>Time limit for lodging claims;</li> <li>Date of closing main insolvency proceedings;</li> <li>The court before which the decision opening insolvency proceedings is to be lodged;</li> <li>All changes (i.e. to individual companies and list of companies dissolved), and date of the last update</li> </ul>
© 2020			Study	on the High Value Datasets u	nder the PSI Directive 26

#### Company and company ownership Higher intensity intervention – Recommended measures

Dimensions		Basic information (non- personal and personal)	Companies documents and accounts	Companies ownership	Companies status
Openness-data specification	License (terms of use)				
	Format				
	Machine-readability				
	Availability of API, bulk download				
Documentation	Metadata (dataset content description)	No specific recommendation  Complete and web-available			
	Data linking				
	Documentation (incl. structure and semantics)				
	Shared vocabularies	ISA <sup>2</sup> Core Vocabularies			
	Taxonomies	Recommended			
Completeness	Traceability	Not necessary  Real time  (minimum daily for insolvency data)			
	Update frequency and timeliness				
	Granularity	Individual company l	evel (plus identifier)	Individual owner (plus identifier)	Individual company level (plus identifier)
	Key attributes	Company code fo	r disambiguation	Beneficial owner code for disambiguation	Company code for disambiguation

# GeoSpatial



Datasets	Short description	Use Cases
Administrative Units	Units of administration, dividing areas where Member States have and/or exercise jurisdictional rights, for local, regional and national governance, separated by administrative boundaries. Land Administrative Units and Maritime Units are the basic units. Land Administrative Units are covering mostly land surface, while Maritime Units are covering territorial waters.	Mapping or use as statistical units, manage emergency rescue, waste management plans, protect water ecosystems, find responsible party for policy implementation and administration, forest management, subsidies for farmers, forecast agricultural production, spatial planning, monitoring of regional and urban policy implementation using territorial typologies based on administrative units, maritime spatial planning, integrated coastal management
Place Names	Geographical names or place names (or toponyms) are the proper nouns applied to topographical features and settled (and used) places and spaces on the earth's surface. Toponyms represent an important reference system used by individuals and societies throughout the world.	Emergency response Economic, social and environmental analysis Cultural identity and heritage Mapping and navigation Providing a link / index function to other spatial and aspatial data
Addresses	Location of properties based on address identifiers, usually by road name, house number, postal code.  The basic unit of addressing is a building; a permanent construction, intended or used for the shelter of people, having at least one entrance from publicly-accessible space.	Geocoding of statistical surveys, manage emergency rescue, locate where people are, accessibility studies, manage incidents; locate economic activities in ecosystem accounting
Buildings	Geographical location of buildings. Constructions above and/or underground, intended or used for the shelter of humans, animals, things, the production of economic goods or the delivery of services that refer to any structure permanently constructed or erected on its site [from INSPIRE Data Specifications on Buildings].	Buildings are 3D topographic objects and, as such, may influence the propagation of physical phenomena. These data are required for serving citizens (e.g. school, hospital), assessments for air and noise pollution or risk assessments to various kinds of risks (earthquake, fire, flood etc.), monitoring of land consumption, population concentration and access to services.
Cadastral Parcels	Single areas of Earth surface (land and/or water), under homogeneous real property rights and unique ownership, real property rights and ownership being defined by national law.	Protect state lands, reduce land disputes, facilitate land reform, agriculture, land management, taxation, disaster management, real Estate Market, Taxation, LPIS (Agriculture), Land consolidation, Infrastructure Management, Spatial Planning, Protection of Soil and Water, Statistics

#### Geospatial Higher intensity intervention

	Description	Administrative units	Place Names	Addresses	Buildings	Cadastral parcels	
	License and terms of use	CC0					
Openness	Format	GeoPackage; GeoJSON; INSPIRE requirements.	GeoJSON	GeoPackage; CSV; GeoJSON; INSPIRE requirements.	GeoPackage; GeoJSON; INSPIRE requirements.	GeoPackage; GeoJSON; INSPIRE requirements.	
	Machine-readability	Mandatory					
	Availability of API, bulk download	Bulk download; INSPIRE distribution services; RestAPI (e.g. OGC API, ArcGIS RestAPI, Carto API).					
Ę	Metadata (dataset content description)	INSPIRE					
ocumentation	Documentation (incl. structure and semantics)	INSPIRE / GeoDCAT-AP					
E E	Data linking						
роспі	Shared vocabularies/taxonomies	INSPIRE					
	Traceability	National geodata Catalog and open data catalog.					
Completeness	Update frequency and timeliness		When necessary	When necessary	When necessary	Continuous update (close to real-time).	
	Granularity	From municipalities to countries; sea-frontiers.	National coverage	National coverage	National coverage; Level of scale 1:5000 (minimum requirement).	National coverage; Level of scale 1:5000 or beyond (1:2000).	
	Key attributes	National identification code; identification code of the upper administrative level; official name; country code; name in multiple languages (only for countries with more than one official language).	Name; name in multiple languages (only for countries with more than one official language); category; latitude and longitude (INSPIRE)	Latitude and longitude; house number; suffix of the number; name of the street; zip code; name of the municipality; national identification code of the municipality; last update; type of position.	Footprint of the building; height; entrances; floors; type of use.	Geometry of cadastral parcels; type of particle; particle code; references to the administrative area to which the particle belongs.	



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# Public Service Data Catalogue

Open Data Conference 2<sup>nd</sup> December 2020

## **Background**



#### Public Service Data Governance Unit

#### Data Sharing and Governance Act

 The Act provides a legal basis for data sharing and puts in place strong governance to oversee such sharing

#### Public Service Data Strategy

• Strategy sets out a vision for data in the Public Service and 31 actions/deliverables to improve data quality, reuse and transparency

Act and Strategy complement each other and have the same ultimate goal – to put in place a series of measures to improve how data is governed, managed and re-used in a secure, efficient and transparent manner

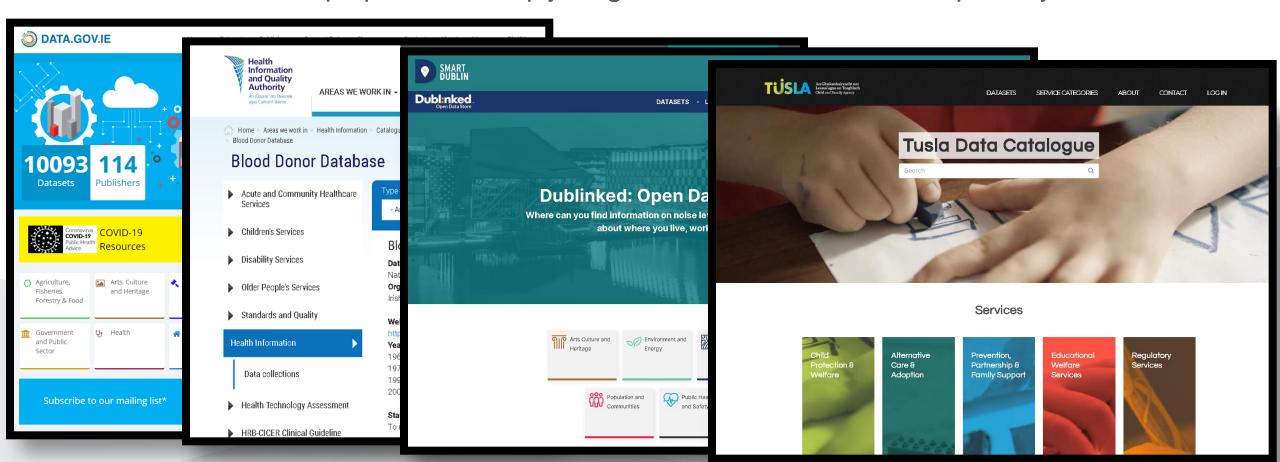
Step 1 – the Public Service Data Catalogue



## What is a Data Catalogue?



 A Data Catalogue is a detailed inventory of data assets in an organisation. It is designed to help quickly find the most appropriate data for analytical purposes, for business purposes, or simply for general awareness and transparency.



## The Public Service Data Catalogue



#### **Public Service Data Strategy**

Action: Develop a Government data catalogue, for internal and public use, cataloguing key data holdings within PSBs, supporting reuse and transparency

- Increase the awareness of data holdings
- Stimulate cross Government data reuse
- Single place to go to get the information
- Facilitate openness and transparency with both citizens and businesses
- Expenditure savings
- Help public bodies in their data protection obligations



## Scope of the Catalogue



Single Catalogue for the entire Public Service – All PSBs Store / Display <u>metadata</u> about key data holdings Includes personal data, sensitive personal data, business data, spatial data Supports customisable sub-catalogues, similar in manner to the Department websites on gov.ie.

Public facing view - available to citizens

Public Service facing view - available to PSBs

Administration view – allowing internal recording of datasets

Supports custom data fields

Dataset and data fields may be defined as "visible/invisible/public service visible".

Admin interface - PSBs will have the ability to manage their own catalogues.



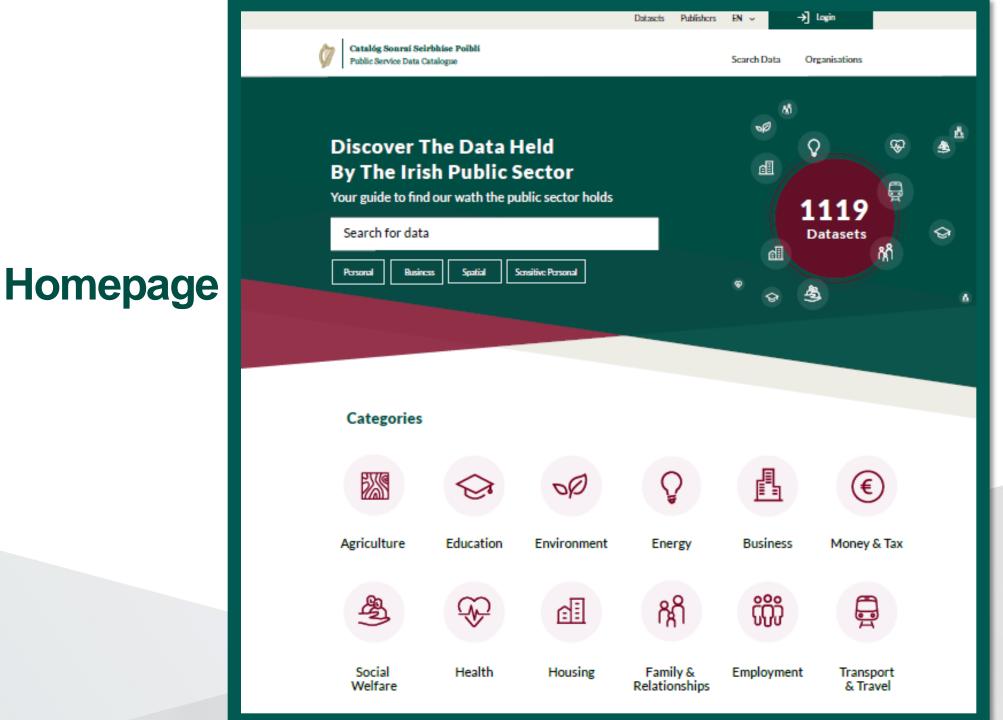
#### What Data is on it?



- PSB Name
- Dataset Name
- Description
- Coverage
- Sector
- Personal
- Business
- Spatial
- Sensitive

- Primary Identifier
- Update Frequency
- Currently being shared
- APIs available
- Open Data
- Open Data Link
- Contact Point (only visible to PSBs)
- Custom fields...

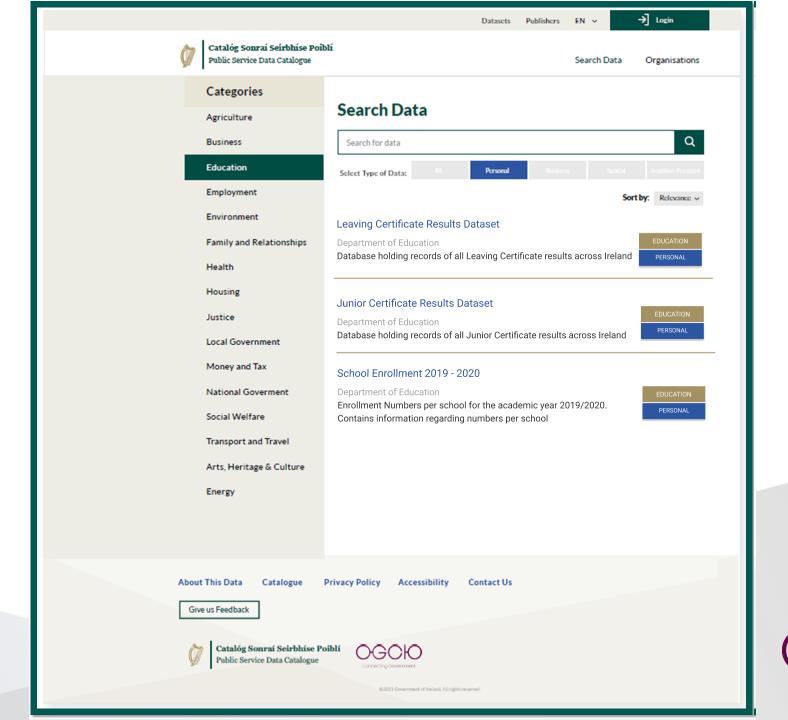








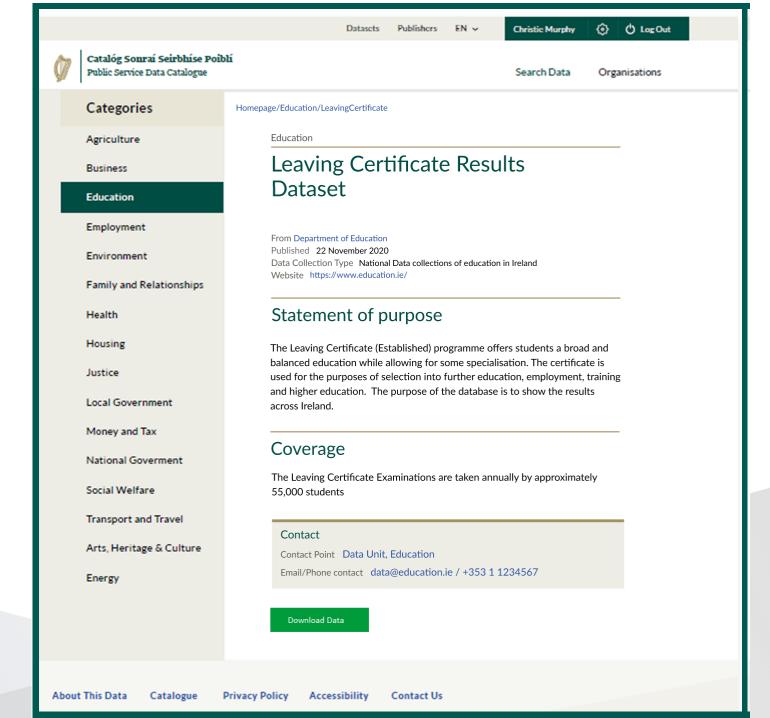






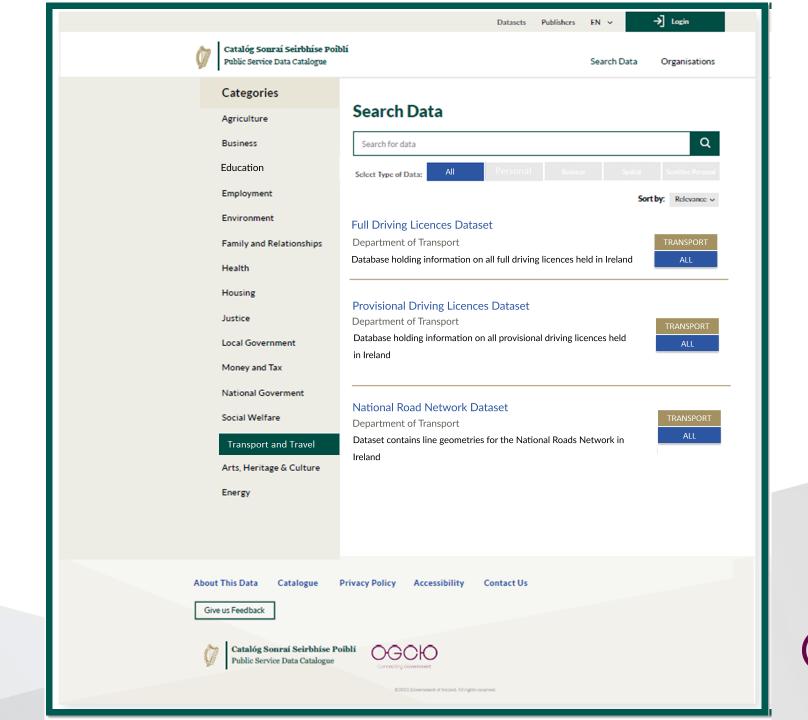


# Data Listing Page









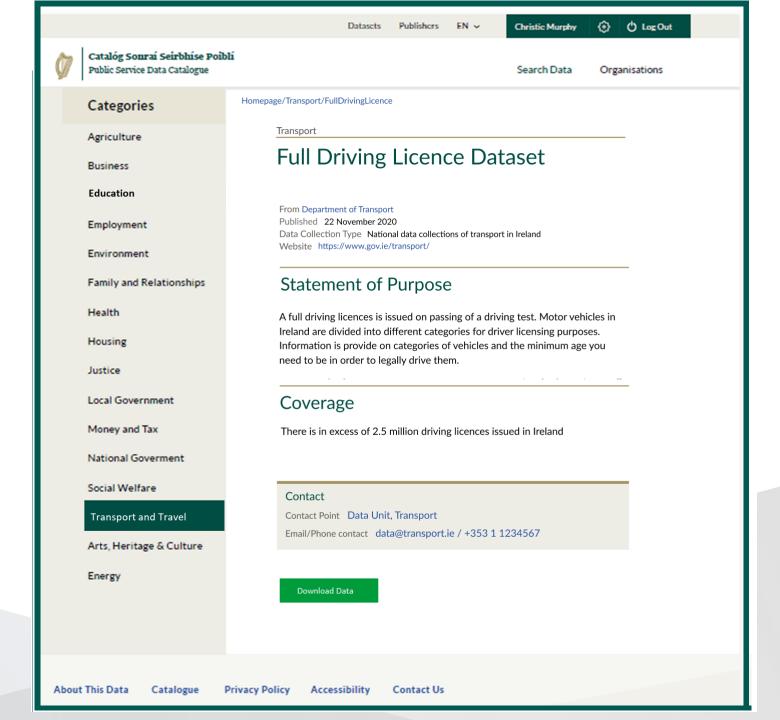
**Data** 

Listing Page





# Data Listing Page







## Populating the Catalogue



- An excel survey of relevant data in each PSB
  - capture high-level information on key datasets across the public service
  - making this information available both to citizens and PSBs.
  - Not an audit of <u>all</u> datasets you hold
  - No direct access to datasets
- Survey issued to all PSBs inc bodies under their aegis
- Next Steps
  - OGCIO to aggregate and sanity check the results
  - OGCIO to input the results and publish the Catalogue



#### **Datasets collected**



 High-level Information gathered on over 250 Key Datasets of Public Interest across the Public Service from over 50 PSBs

#### Health

- Dataset of Hospitals
- National Waiting List Register
- Work Related Accidents

#### Agriculture

- National Forest Inventory
- Nitrates Database
- Animal Identification & Movement

#### Education

- Primary Online Database
- Register of Teachers
- SUSI Grant Applications

#### Business

- Product Safety Database
- Patent Register
- Register of Companies & Business Names

#### Geospatial

- Bathing Water Locations
- National Land Register
- Commercial Property Valuations Database

#### **Justice**

- Sheriff Systems
- Wards of the Court
- Citizenship Applications

#### Community

- Early Years Platform
- Deprivation Index
- Town & Village Renewal Scheme

#### **Taxation**

- Local Property Tax
- Unique Business Identifier
- Tax Clearance

# Ireland Open Data Conference High Value Datasets



# Vision

Mission

We want a world where data works for everyone.

We work with companies and governments to build an open, trustworthy data ecosystem.

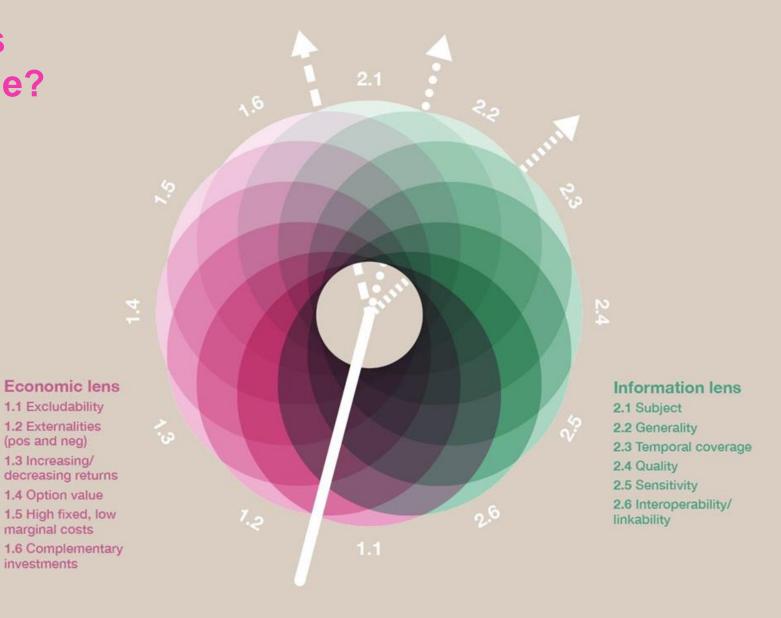
#### What makes data valuable?

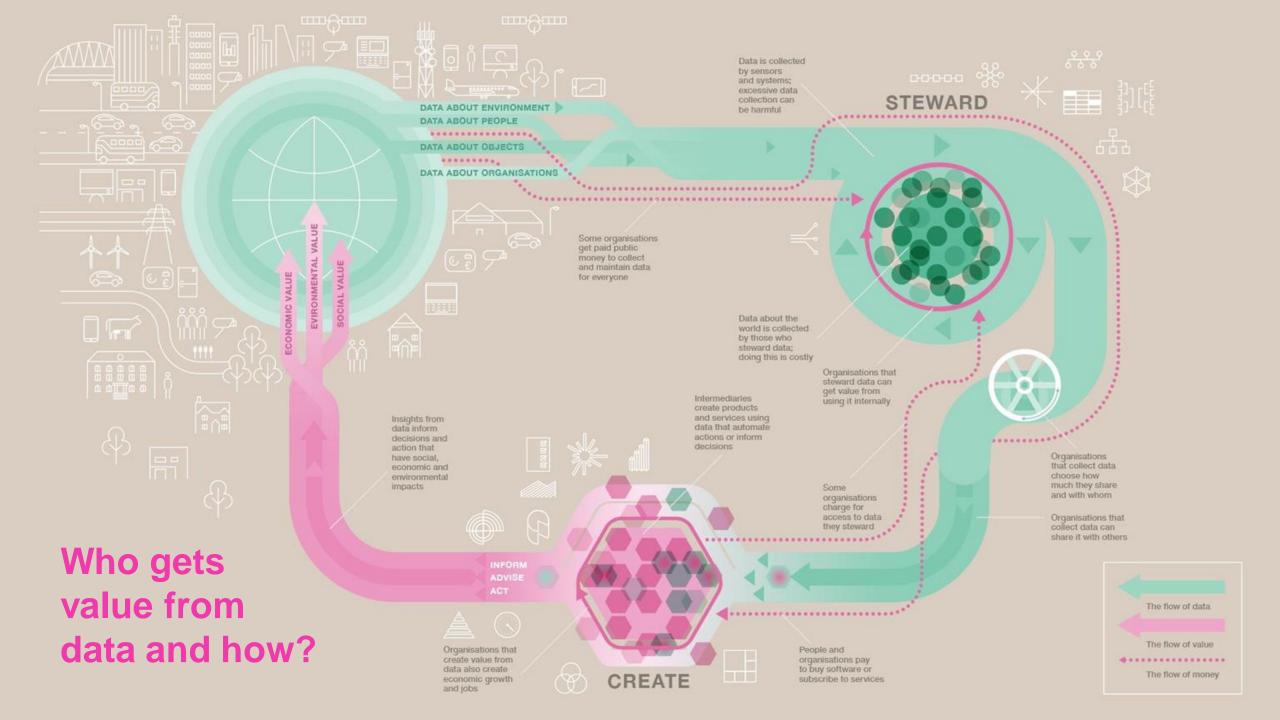
(pos and neg)

1.3 Increasing/

marginal costs

investments





#### **High Value Datasets - The Project**

# High Value Datasets

#### Create the value framework

Identifying characteristics and relevant indicators of the value of data

#### **Undertake an impact analysis**

Ten EU member states selected, ODI focussed on Ireland

Deliver policy options and recommendations

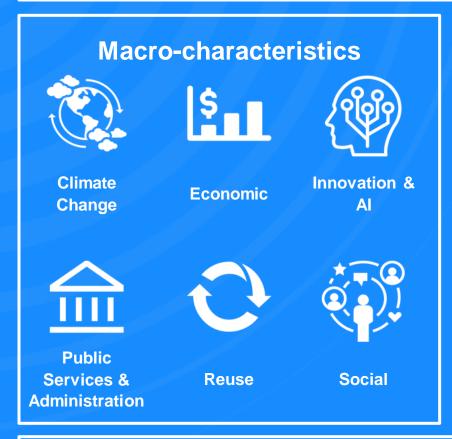
Low and high 'intensity' policy options and recommendations for the EC

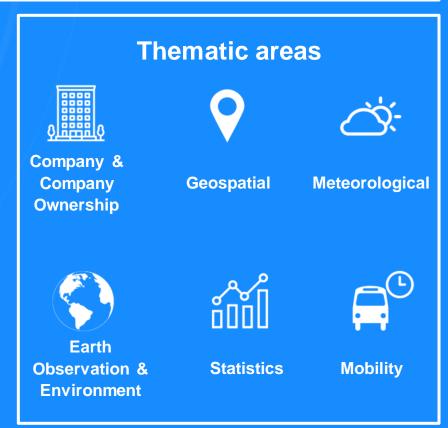


# High Value Datasets

#### **High Value Datasets - The Project**

#### **Economic lens**

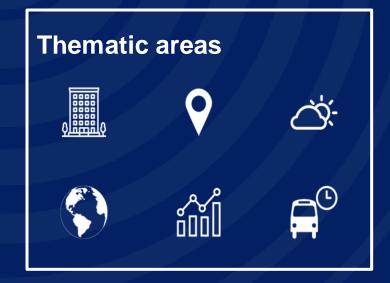




#### **Information lens**



#### **Impact analysis** → **Policy options**









#### **Policy options**

'Low intensity' policy options Includes:

- Open licences
- Mandatory machine-readability
- Key datasets
- Regular update frequency and timeliness
- Good granularity



# 'High intensity' policy options Includes:

- More open licenses (ex: from CC-BY to CC0)
- More datasets in scope
- Increased update frequency and timeliness
- Increased granularity
- Additional key attributes









#### **High Value Datasets - Key Takeaways**

#### These datasets are foundational for the data economy

They should prioritised in the public sector, and pushed for more openness outside of the Open Data Directive

#### The more open they are the better

This means more open licences, and anonymisation where personal data may restrict publishing openly

#### Lower priority datasets are still important

Data exhibits network effects that increase their own value and the value of other datasets when connected

#### Organisations might need support to get to the open goal

Some organisations are lacking the technical infrastructure currently, or would need to significantly change their operating model

#### Standardise across Europe

Member state organisations supporting each other will increase value for all, faster



# Thanks!

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### (Open) Data is Key to Al

"The world's most valuable resource is no longer oil, but data. The data economy demands a new approach to antitrust rules"

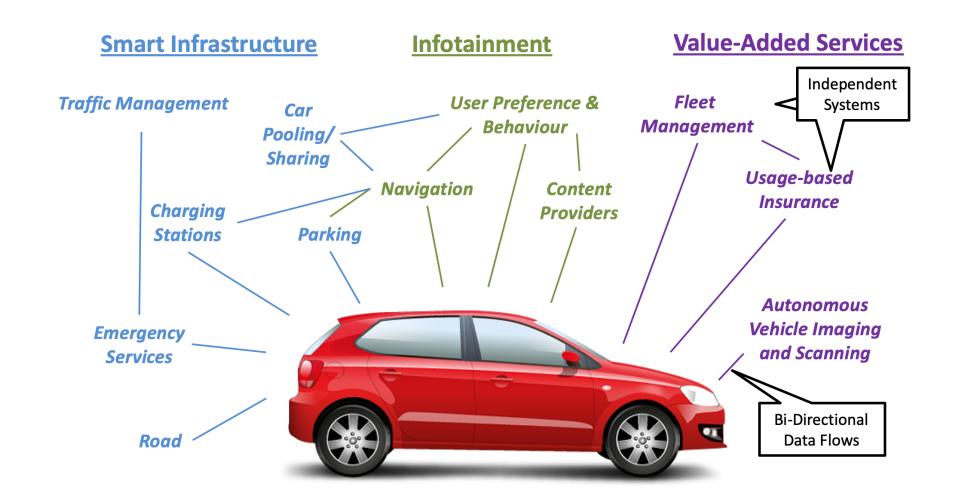
The Economist

...startups and established firms that are just beginning to use AI **need access to data** in order to train their AI systems. Difficulty in accessing the necessary data can create **a barrier to entry**, potentially **reducing competition and innovation**. - Forbes



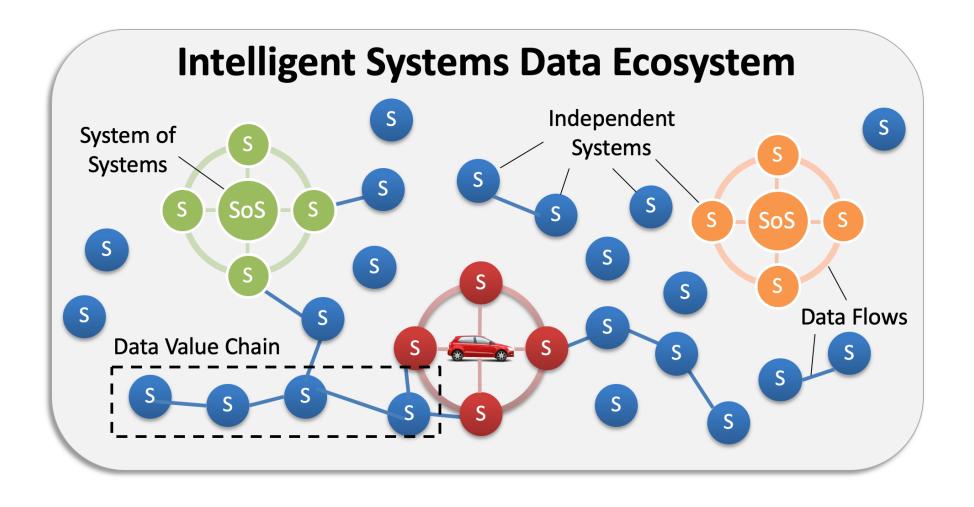


#### **Connected Intelligent Systems**



Data-driven Intelligence will be drive by industrial, personal and open data

#### Distributed and Decentralised Data Ecosystems



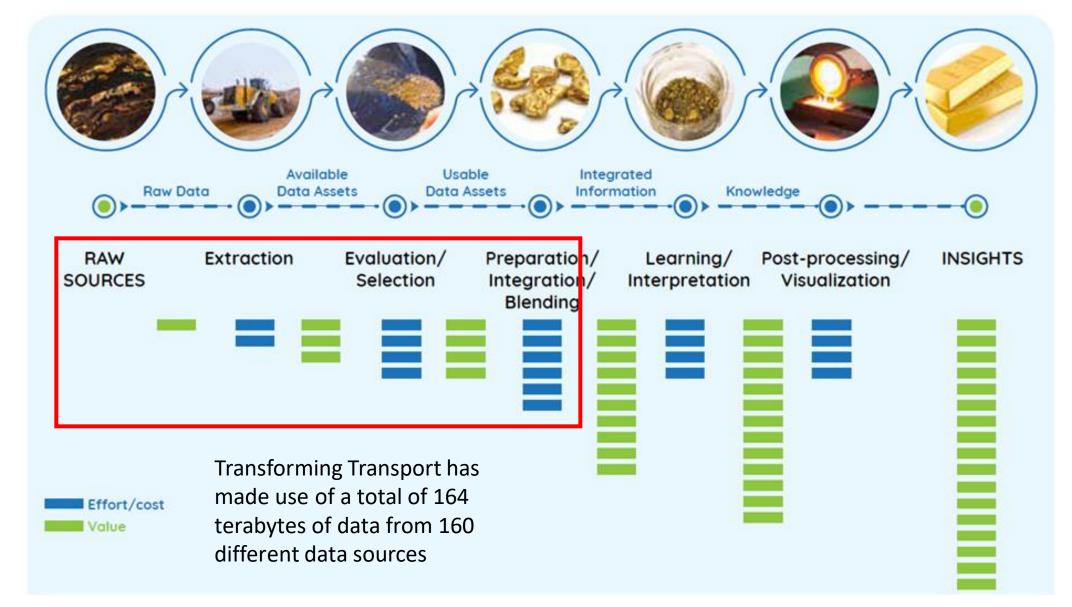
**Key Barrier:** Interoperability – Protocols and **Semantics** 





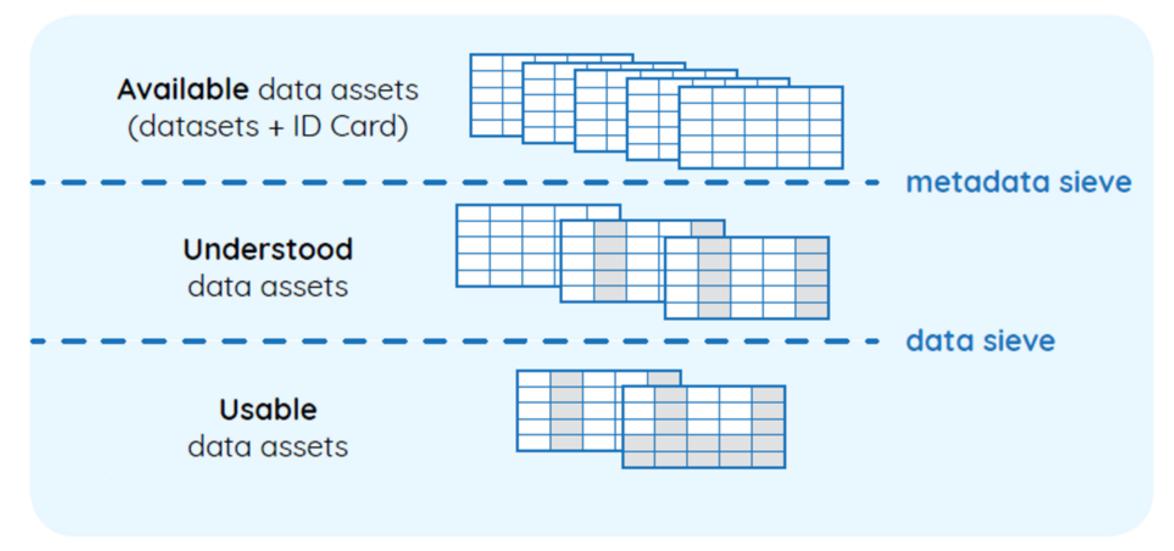
#### The "gold mining" metaphor applied to data processing





#### Maturity stages of data assets and related "sieves"







#### **Data Platforms will Fuel Al-Driven Decision-Making**



Data Generation and Analysis (including IoT)

Data Platforms (Access and Portability)

**AI and Decision Platforms** 

# A Data Sharing Layer is needed....

#### **Layer 4 – Intelligent Apps, Analytics, and Users**













Machine Learning

loT-Enablement

Predictive **Analytics** 

Situation **Awareness** 

Users

Decision Support

Twin

**Layer 3 - Data** 

Schema, Entities, Catalog, Sharing, Access/Control, etc.

#### **Layer 2 - Middleware**

Peer-to-Peer, Events, Pub/Sub, SOA, SDN, etc.

#### **Layer 1 - Communication and Sensing**

IPv6, Wi-Fi, RFID, CoAP, AVB, etc.

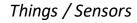


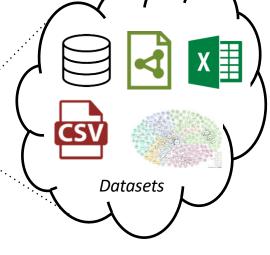












Contextual Data Sources (including legacy systems)

Adapted from: L. Atzori, A. Iera, and G. Morabito, "The Internet of Things: A survey," Comput. Networks, vol. 54, no. 15, pp. 2787-2805, Oct. 2010.

#### What is a Data Sharing Space

Emerging *Data Ecosystems* rely on three complementary technologies:

- Data Spaces: Data storage, lifecycle management platforms and protocols
  - networked industrial and/or personal data spaces
- Data Platforms: Next generation data acquisition and processing platforms
- Data Marketplaces: Data sharing and exchange platforms where data is commercialized using Open Data, Monetized Data and Trusted Data sharing mechanisms.



Wide Angle Perspective......

#### ......Different scales and orientations



- Data platform for Aviation
- Across full Value Chain
- Large-scale
- Multi-sector

## **Wat€rnomics**

- Dataspace for Water and Energy Management
- Localized
- Medium-scale



# **Real-time Linked Dataspaces**

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Real-time

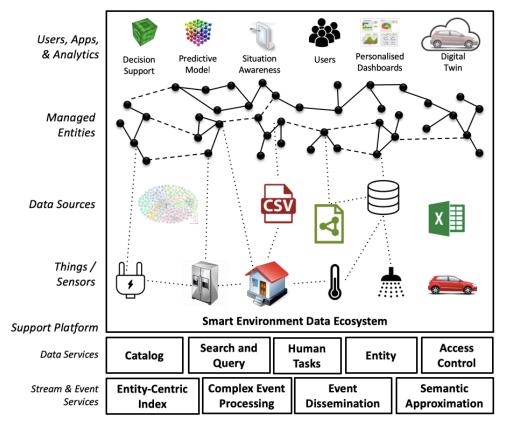
Dataspaces

Enabling Data Ecosystems for Intelligent Systems

Linked

**Enabling platform for data management for intelligent systems within smart environments** 

Combines the pay-as-you-go paradigm of dataspaces, linked data, and knowledge graphs with entity-centric real-time queries



**Real-Time Linked Dataspace** 

# Open Access Book (dataspaces.info) Contents

Part I: Fundamentals and Concepts

Part II: Data Support Services

Part III: Stream and Event Processing Services

Part IV: Intelligent Systems and Applications

Part V: Future Directions





Personalised Dashboards





**Interactive Public Displays** 



**Alerts and Notifications** 

From Open Data to ...... Public Digital Infrastructures

Forward-thinking societies will see the provision of digital infrastructure (including data platforms) as a shared societal service in the same way as water, sanitation, and healthcare.

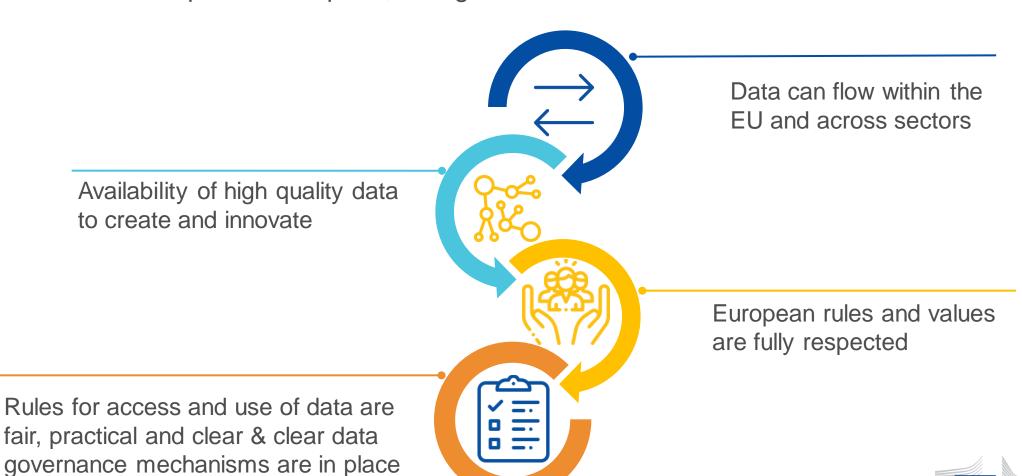




# A European strategy for data

# **European Strategy for Data**

A common European data space, a single market for data



# Common European data spaces

Rich pool of data (varying degree of accessibility)

Free flow of data across sectors and countries

Full respect of GDPR

Horizontal framework for data governance and data access



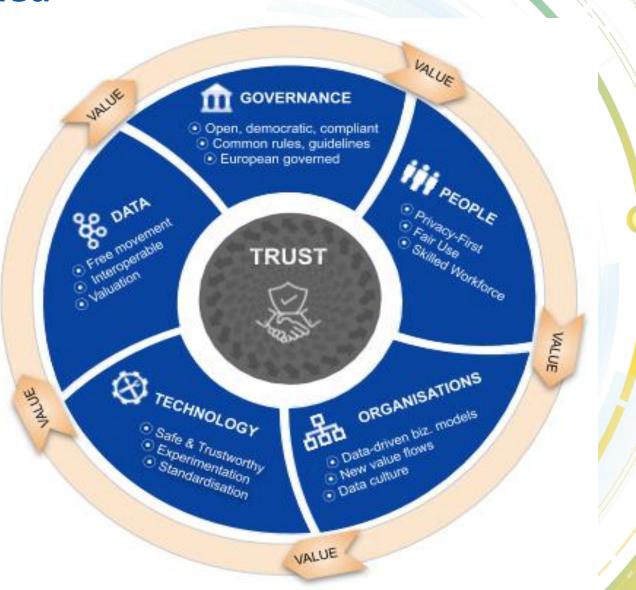
- —Technical tools for data pooling and sharing
- —Standards & interoperability (technical, semantic)
- Sectoral Data Governance (contracts, licenses, access rights, usage rights)
- IT capacity, including cloud storage, processing and services

**Towards a European-Governed** 

**Data Sharing Space** 







# European Partnership on Artificial Intelligence, Data and Robotics

The Vision of the Partnership is to boost European competitiveness, societal wellbeing and environmental aspects to lead the world in researching, developing and deploying value-driven trustworthy AI, Data and Robotics based on fundamental European rights, principles and values.

A joint initiative by:













#### EUROPEAN AI, DATA AND ROBOTICS FRAMEWORK AND ENABLERS

European AI, Data and Robotics Framework

European Fundamental Rights, Principles, and Values

Capturing Value for Business, Society, and People

Policy, Regulation, Certification, and Standards (PRCS)

# Boosting the Adoption of AI in Europe

Cross-Sectorial AI, Data and Robotics Technology Enablers

Sensing and Perception

Knowledge and Learning

Reasoning and Decision Making Action and Interaction

Systems, Methodologies, Hardware and Tools







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Closing Remarks