OECD Survey on Open Government Data 3.0

Section 1: General assessment of Open Government Data policies

Background information

This survey is designed to monitor the implementation of the International Open Data Charter (IODC) adopted in October 2015. The IODC is the most comprehensive international instrument currently available that provides a set of principles on open government data . The IODC represented an additional step towards the adoption of internationally agreed principles on open government data after the adoption in July 2013 of the G8 Open Data Charter.

The framework for assessing the implementation of internationally agreed principles was developed in 2015 by the OECD Secretariat. The framework is based on the OECD Working Paper on Open Government Data: Towards Empirical Analysis of Open Government Data Initiatives including an extensive review of literature and on the result of multivariate analyses conducted by the OECD secretariat based on the first data collection on OGD 1.0 (2013) and 2.0 (2014-15). It also benefited from inputs from the OECD expert group on open government data. The OECD OURdata Index framework and indicators were published for the first time in the flagship publication Government at a Glance 2015 as a pilot exercise. The revised version of the OECD OURdata Index is projected to be published in the forthcoming Government at a Glance 2017 (to be released in July 2017).

Structure

The survey section is divided in two parts:

Part I: Content of open government data policies

Part II: The Central/federal open government data portal

Approach

This survey evaluates both the existence of formal requirements to promote open government data (de jure) but also to the extent possible their implementation in practice (de facto). To ensure the highest standards in terms of data quality and accuracy, respondents are asked to provide **supporting documentations** for most answers provided. The OECD secretariat will conduct a systematic review of the documentation provided by delegates as part of this data collection to ensure that all responses provided are accurate and comparable across countries.

Please e-mail any supporting information/evidence that cannot be provided in the text boxes displayed throughout the survey to Barbara Ubaldi (barbara.ubaldi@oecd.org)

Coverage and definitions

In this survey open government data is generally understood as “digital data that is made available with the technical and legal characteristics necessary for it to be freely used, reused and redistributed by anyone, anytime and anywhere. (Source: IODC).” Government data include, but are not limited to, data held by national, regional, local and city governments, international government bodies and other types of institutions in the wider public sector (Source: IODC).

The survey applies to the **Central/federal level of government**. This covers all Central/federal Ministries and agencies. Unless specified otherwise in the survey question, the survey does not cover subnational government entities (regional and local level of government) and state owned entreprises and public corporations.

In this survey, **formal requirements** are defined as “written guidance provided in an official government document (laws,

directives, regulations, guidelines, action plans, executive order, other).".

In this survey, Central/federal **open government data portal (one stop shop)** corresponds to a single entry point to access government's data. Access to the data can be provided either directly on the portal or indirectly (redirected to the place where the data is located eg: to a ministry/agency website).

Some definitions are inserted directly in the questions. You can access them by **hovering your mouse over the underlined terms**.

Please refer systematically to the comprehensive Glossary of key terms for answering the questions.

Deadline

Responses to this survey should be provided by delegates no later than **Friday, 25th of November 2016.**

Contacts

For any queries please contact Guillaume Lafortune (guillaume.lafortune@oecd.org). Please also put on copy Barbara Ubaldi (barbara.ubaldi@oecd.org) and Jacob Arturo Rivera Perez (jacobarturo.riveraperez@oecd.org).

Background information

***First name:**

***Name:**

***Organization:**

***Status/position:**

***E-mail address:**

Phone number:

Please provide information on any other respondent that contributed to provide responses to this survey:

Part 1: Content of Open Government Data policies

This section focuses on the content of the requirements and mechanisms in place to promote open government data at the Central/federal level. It is divided in three sections:

1. Data availability

1.1 Scope and breadth of open by default policy and data availability
1.2 Legitimate justifications to restrict access to government data
1.3 Stakeholder consultations on data release

2. Data accessibility

2.1 Pricing and licensing conditions
2.2 Formats and metadata
2.3 Data quality and updates

3. Government support to the re-use of open government data

3.1 Businesses
3.2 Civil society
3.3 Public servants

1. Data availability

***Q.1. At the Central/federal level is there a medium-term strategy/action plan on open government data?**

Please select one

- ○ Yes
- ○ No

***Please specify:**

Name of the strategy	
Date of adoption	
Period covered (e.g. 2016-2020, other)	
Web link to additional information	

1.1 Scope and breadth of open by default policy and data availability

***Q.2. At the Central/federal level, are there formal requirements whereby government data should be "open by default" (unless a legitimate justification is provided)?**

Please select one

- ○ Yes, overarching requirements that apply to all ministries/agencies
- ○ Yes, requirements have been adopted by some ministries/agencies (please provide at least 2 examples below)
- ○ No

***Please provide supporting information/evidence:**

Please copy-paste web links directly in the text box, provide information directly in the text box or e-mail any relevant documentation to barbara.ubaldi@oecd.org.

***Q.3. Is there a list of legitimate justifications that restrict the requirement for Central/federal ministries/agencies to publicly release government data "by default"?**

Please select one

- ○ Yes, a common list for all ministries/agencies (please provide supporting evidence below)
- ○ Yes, a list that varies across ministries/agencies (please provide 2 examples)
- ○ No

***Please provide supporting information/evidence:**

Please copy-paste web links directly in the text box, provide information directly in the text box or e-mail any relevant documentation to barbara.ubaldi@oecd.org.

***Q.3.a. Is this list of legitimate justifications made available in one single official document?**

Please select one

- ○ Yes (please provide supporting evidence below)
- ○ No, these legitimate justifications are provided through a mix of official documents

***Q.3.b. Is this list of legitimate justifications systematically made available online to the public?**

Please select one

- ○ Yes (please provide web link(s) below)
- ○ No

***Please provide supporting information/evidence:**

***Q.4. At the Central/federal level, are there formal requirements to ensure that information published as a result of transparency/anticorruption laws is released as open data?**

Please select one

- ○ Yes, there are overaching requirements that apply to all ministries/agencies (please provide supporting evidence below)
- ○ Yes, requirements have been adopted by some ministries/agencies (please provide at least 2 examples below)
- ○ No

***Please provide supporting information/evidence:**

Please copy-paste web links directly in the text box, provide information directly in the text box or e-mail any relevant documentation to barbara.ubaldi@oecd.org.

***Q.5. At the Central/federal level, are there formal requirements to publish data in a disaggregated way when applicable?**

Please select one

- ○ Yes, there are overaching requirements that apply to all ministries/agencies (please provide supporting evidence below)
- ○ Yes, requirements have been adopted by some ministries/agencies (please provide at least 2 examples below)
- ○ No

***Please provide supporting information/evidence:**

Please copy-paste web links directly in the text box, provide information directly in the text box or e-mail any relevant documentation to barbara.ubaldi@oecd.org.

***Q.6. At the Central/federal level, is there a comprehensive list of all government data made publicly available?**

Please select one

- Yes
- No

***Please provide supporting evidence:**

***Q.7. Since January 2015, have you published online an overarching report on the state of data availability for the whole Central/federal level of government?**

Please select one

- Yes
- No

***Please provide web link and page/section reference:**

***Q.8. Do you produce overarching statistics for the whole Central/federal government on the number/percentage of data made publicly available online ? (for example on the central/federal open government data portal)**

Please select one

- Yes (please provide web link)
- No

***Please provide supporting information/evidence:**

***Please provide supporting information/evidence:**

1.2 Legitimate justifications to restrict access to government data

***Q.9. At the central/federal level, are there formal requirements for the holding ministries/agencies to systematically identify legitimate justifications when government data are not made available publicly?**

Please select one

- ○ Yes, there are overaching requirements that apply to all ministries/agencies (please provide supporting evidence below)
- ○ Yes, requirements have been adopted by some ministries/agencies (please provide at least 2 examples below)
- ○ No

***Please provide supporting information/evidence:**

***Q.10. Is there a Central/federal body with responsibilities for reviewing that all government data not subject to legitimate justifications are made accessible to the public (e.g. Ombudsman, Freedom of information Committee, other)?**

Please select one

- ○ Yes, a body with responsabilities for the whole Central/federal government exists (please provide name of the body and explicit mandate below)
- ○ Yes, such bodies exist in some ministries/agencies (please provide at least 2 examples below)
- ○ No

***Please describe in more details the oversight mechanisms to support the opening up of government data:**

***Q.11. When requested by users, are there formal requirements for the holding central/federal ministries/agencies to provide legitimate justifications for not releasing open government data?**

- ○ Yes, overarching requirements that apply to all Central/federal ministries/agencies
- ○ Yes, requirements have been adopted by some Central/federal ministries/agencies
- ○ No

***Please provide supporting information/evidence:**

***Q.12. At the Central/federal level, are there formal requirements for ministries/agencies to maintain a list of data holdings (e.g. data catalog)?**

Please select one

- Yes, there are overaching requirements that apply to all ministries/agencies (please provide supporting evidence below)
- Yes, requirements have been adopted by some ministries/agencies (please provide at least 2 examples below)
- No

***Please provide supporting information/evidence:**

***Q.13. Is there a Central/federal body with responsibilities for ensuring that these lists of data are maintained by Central/federal line ministries and agencies in practice?**

Please select one

- Yes, there is a body that covers all ministries/agencies
- Yes, such bodies exist in some ministries/agencies
- No

***Please provide supporting information/evidence:**

***Q.14. At the Central/federal level are there formal requirements regarding lifecycle dataset management?**

Please select one

- Yes, there are overaching requirements that apply to all ministries/agencies (please provide supporting evidence below)
- Yes, requirements have been adopted by some ministries/agencies (please provide at least 2 examples below)
- No

***Q.15. Are there requirements for Central/federal ministries/agencies to systematically maintain access to historical copies of datasets as long as they remain valuable for users?**

Please select one

- Yes, there are overaching requirements that apply to all ministries/agencies (please provide supporting evidence below)
- Yes, requirements have been adopted by some ministries/agencies (please provide at least 2 examples below)

- ○ No

***Q.16. When a dataset is no longer made available are there formal requirements to provide reasons to users?**

- ○ Yes, there are overaching requirements that apply to all ministries/agencies (please provide supporting evidence)
- ○ Yes, requirements have been adopted by some ministries/agencies (please provide at least 2 examples below)
- ○ No

***Q.16.a. How can users obtain the reasons for no longer providing a dataset publicly?**

Please select one

- ○ Systematically provided online
- ○ Only upon request
- ○ Other, please specify:

Please provide supporting evidence/information for your previous responses:

***Q.17. Since January 2012, has/have any assessment(s) (e.g. through the form of a report) been undertaken for the whole Central/federal government to ensure that government data made publicly available respect national norms/standards in terms of:**

Security: Not releasing publicly data that could put in danger individuals or groups of individuals or the national security.

Privacy: Not releasing publicly data that violate national and international norms/standards regarding the protection of private information.

Confidentiality: Not releasing publicly data officially identified as being confidential information.

Intellectual property: Not releasing data that violate national and international intellectual property norms/standards.

	Yes	No	Please provide web link or additional information regarding this assessment:
Security	○	○	
Privacy	○	○	
Confidentiality	○	○	
Intellectual property	○	○	

Q.17.a. Has this assessment(s) been made available online?

Please select one

- ○ Yes
- ○ No

***Q.17.b. Did this assessment(s) also cover compliance with international laws/norms/standards when applicable?**

Please select one

- ○ Yes
- ○ No

***Q.18. Is there a Central/federal government body with responsibilities for ensuring compliance of Central/federal Ministries/agencies that release data publicly with the national norms/standards in terms of:**

	Yes, a body that covers all ministries/agencies exists	Yes, such bodies exist in some ministries/agencies	No	If yes, please specify name of the body and mandate:
Security	○	○	○	
Privacy	○	○	○	
Confidentiality	○	○	○	
Intellectual property	○	○	○	

***Q.19. Since January 2012, has/have any assessment(s) (e.g. through the form of a report) been undertaken for the whole Central/federal government to evaluate whether all relevant legislation/regulations on open government data are currently in place with regards to:**

	Yes	No	If yes, please provide supporting evidence:

Security	○	○	
Privacy	○	○	
Confidentiality	○	○	
Intellectual property	○	○	

***Q.19.a. Has this assessment(s) been made available online?**

Please select one

- ○ Yes (please provide web link(s) below)
- ○ No

***Please provide web link(s)/additional information:**

***Q.20. At the Central/federal level, are there formal requirements to anonymize data before any public release?**

Please select one

- ○ Yes, there are overaching requirements that apply to all ministries/agencies (please provide supporting evidence below)
- ○ Yes, requirements have been adopted by some ministries/agencies (please provide at least 2 examples below)
- ○ No

***Please provide supporting information/evidence:**

***Q.21. Is there a government body with responsibilities for ensuring compliance of Central/federal ministries/agencies with the requirements to publish only anonymized data?**

Please select one

- ○ Yes, a body that covers all ministries/agencies exists (please provide name of the body and explicit mandate)
- ○ Yes, such bodies exist in some ministries/agencies (please provide at least 2 examples)
- ○ No

***Q.22. Since January 2012, has/have any assessment(s) (e.g. through the form of a report) been undertaken for the whole Central/federal government to ensure that all government data are made anonymous before publication?**

Please select one

- ○ Yes (please provide supporting evidence)
- ○ No

***Q.22.a. Has this assessment been made available online?**

Please select one

- ○ Yes (please provide web link)
- ○ No

Please provide supporting information/evidence:

1.3 Stakeholder consultations on data release

***Q.23. Are there formal requirements for Central/federal Ministries/agencies to regularly conduct consultations with users to inform open data plans?**

- ○ Yes, overaching requirements that apply to all ministries/agencies exists (please provide supporting evidence below)
- ○ Yes, requirements have been adopted by some ministries/agencies (please provide at least 2 examples below)
- ○ No

***Please provide supporting information/evidence:**

***Q.24. Are the following elements in place to supportive effective consultations with users on open government data plans?**

	Yes, formal requirements/written guidance that apply to all ministries/agencies	Yes, formal requirements/written guidance exist in some ministries/agencies	No	If yes, please provide supporting evidence:
Written guidance on how to conduct consultations with data users	○	○	○	
Formal requirements to provide certain documents (e.g. comprehensive list of data holdings) when conducting user consultations	○	○	○	
Formal requirements to systematically inform the public in advance that a public consultation on open government data is planned to take place	○	○	○	
Formal requirements regarding minimum periods for responding to a	○	○	○	

responding to a government consultations on open government data				
Formal requirements to systematically publish online the results of consultations with users				

Q.25. What forms of user consultations are commonly used at the Central/federal level of government to develop open data plans?

Please select all that apply

Please refer to the Glossary of key terms for the definitions of the answer options.

- [ ] Physical public meetings
- [ ] Virtual public meetings
- [ ] Formal consultation with selected groups (e.g. tech companies, social partners)
- [ ] Advisory group or preparatory committee
- [ ] Informal consultation with selected groups
- [ ] Ad hoc feedback transmissions (e.g. through user feedback sections,, social medias tools)
- [ ] Other, please specify:

***Q.26. Are there formal requirements for Central/federal ministries/agencies to consult users in the following cases:**

	Yes, there are overaching requirements that apply to all ministries/agencies	Yes, requirements have been adopted by some ministries/agencies	No	**If yes, please provide supporting evidence:**
When significant changes to the structure of data are implemented (i.e. changes to how the data are presented)				
When significant changes to the supply of data are implemented (i.e. changes to what data are made available)				
To determine what data users need to effectively hold government organizations accountable				

***Q.27. In practice, since January 2015, how many times were the following groups of users consulted to inform open data plans of the whole Central/federal government?**

(this questions excludes ad hoc comments' transmissions from users for instance through feedback sections in government portals)

	Never (0)	Rarely (1-2 times)	Sometimes (3-4 times)	Often (5 times +)	**If sometimes or often, please provide supporting evidence:**
Private sector organizations (e.g. businesses)	○	○	○	○	
Citizens	○	○	○	○	
Journalists	○	○	○	○	
Civil society organizations (NGO's, non-profit organizations, other)	○	○	○	○	
Civil servants	○	○	○	○	
Academia	○	○	○	○	

***Q.28. In practice, are the results from users' consultations conducted by ministries/agencies on open data plans (prioritization, publication, or data release dates) released online?**

Please select one

- ○ Yes (please provide supporting evidence below)
- ○ No

***If yes, please provide supporting evidence:**

***Q.29. Does the Central/federal government keep track of the number/percentage of data users that respond to formal consultations?**

Please select one

- ○ Yes (please provide supporting evidence below)
- ○ No

***If yes, please provide supporting evidence:**

***Q.30. Is there a government body with responsibilities for ensuring that results from user consultations are effectively considered by Central/federal Ministries/agencies in their open data plans?**

Please select one

- ○ Yes (please provide supporting evidence below)
- ○ No

***If yes, please provide supporting information/evidence:**

2. Data accessibility

2.1 Pricing and licensing conditions

***Q.31. At the Central/federal government are there formal requirements for line ministries/agencies to provide government data:**

This specific question asks about requirements that apply to the *majority* of government datasets. Follow-up questions ask more in details about the existence of exceptions to these requirements.

Please refer to the definition of open license provided in the Glossary of key terms.

Open license: *Official document that sets the permission regarding the access, download, copy, distribution and use of open government data. Examples of open license include, but are not limited to, PDDL, ODC-by or CC0.*

	Yes, there are overaching requirements that apply to all ministries/agencies	Yes, requirements have been adopted by some ministries/agencies	No	**If yes, please provide supporting evidence:**
Free of charge	○	○	○	
With an open license	○	○	○	

Please provide any additional information:

***Q.32. Do the existing requirements to provide government data free of charge allow users to carry out the following actions with the data:**

Please refer to the definitions provided in the glossary of key terms.

Download (data): *To download is to receive data from a remote system, typically a server such as a web server, an FTP server, an email server, or other similar systems. This contrasts with uploading, where data is sent to a remote server.*

Copy (of data): *The act of making digital or hard copies (printed) of data.*

Use and reuse (of data): *In this survey the terms use and re-use are adopted interchangeably. Use of data corresponds to a process through which raw data is transformed into a different output. This includes charts, tables, data visualization tools, phone applications but also the reference of data in newspaper articles, academic papers and other types of publications. Use of data includes both personal use of data and commercial use of data.*

Distribute (data): *The act of sharing digital or hard copies of data with a third party.*

	All data (100%)	Most data (50-99%)	Some data (1-49%)	No data (0%)	**Please provide some evidence:**
Download	○	○	○	○	
Copy	○	○	○	○	

Use	○	○	○	○	
Distribute	○	○	○	○	

***Q.33. Do the existing requirements to provide government data with an open license allow users to carry out the following actions with the data:**

Please refer to the definitions provided in the glossary of key terms.

	All data (100%)	Most data (50-99%)	Some data (1-49%)	No data (0%)	**Please provide some evidence:**
Download	○	○	○	○	
Copy	○	○	○	○	
Use	○	○	○	○	
Distribute	○	○	○	○	

***Q.34. Are there specific licensing conditions that apply to commercial usage of government data?**

Please select one

- ○ Yes
- ○ No

***Q.35. Are there formal requirements for users to systematically cite the source of the data when re-using government data?**

Please select one

- ○ Yes, there are overaching requirements that apply to all ministries/agencies
- ○ Yes, requirements have been adopted by some ministries/agencies
- ○ No

Please provide a list of the main other conditions/restrictions to the use of government data:

2.2 Formats and metadata

***Q.36. At the Central/federal government are there formal requirements for line ministries/agencies to provide data:**

Machine-Readable (format, file): Information or data that is in a structured format that can be processed by a computer without (or with minimal) human intervention and without loss of semantic meaning. Digital formats are not automatically machine-readable too, e.g. text documents in PDF or WORD formats are not machine readable.

Metadata: Metadata attribute structuring information to content. They describe the contents of data, e.g. periods covered by the data, as well as information about right holders and conditions for use. Harmonisation of meta-data is important to facilitate access, use and re-use of data.

	Yes, there are overaching requirements that apply to all ministries/agencies	Yes, requirements have been adopted by some ministries/agencies	No	**If yes, please provide supporting evidence:**
In machine readable format	○	○	○	
With their associated metadata	○	○	○	

***Q.36.a. Is there written guidance on what should these metadata include?**

Please select one

- ○ Yes
- ○ No

***Q.36.b. Are there formal requirements that metadata be provided in clear plain language ?**

Please select one

- ○ Yes
- ○ No

***Q.37. Are there formal requirements for the whole Central/federal government regarding data interoperability across central/federal ministries/agencies?**

Please select one

- ○ Yes
- ○ No

***Please provide supporting information/evidence:**

2.3 Data quality and updates

***Q.38. At the Central/federal level are there formal requirements to:**

	Yes, there are overaching requirements that apply to all ministries/agencies	Yes, requirements have been adopted by some ministries/agencies	No	**If yes, please provide supporting evidence:**
Provide data in a timely manner, without undue delay	○	○	○	
Systematically provide online the expected date of updates of government datasets	○	○	○	
Provide reasons to users for not releasing data on time when it is requested	○	○	○	

***Q.39. At the Central/federal government are there existing mechanisms to monitor the existence of broken web links [that provide access to government datasets]?**

Please select one

- ○ Yes, there are overaching mechanisms that apply to all ministries/agencies
- ○ Yes, mechanisms have been adopted by some ministries/agencies
- ○ No

***If yes, please further describe the mechanism(s):**

***Q.40. Is there a government body with responsabilities for ensuring that web links providing access to government datasets are functioning?**

Please select one

- ○ Yes
- ○ No

***Q.41. Since January 2014, have any assessments (e.g. through the form of a report) been undertaken for the whole Central/federal government to ensure that all web links providing access to government data and their related visualization tools are functioning?**

- ○ Yes (please provide supporting evidence below)

- ○ No

Please provide additional information/supporting evidence:

3. Government support to the reuse of Open Government Data

3.1 Businesses

***Q.42. At the Central/federal government are line ministries/agencies formally encouraged to raise awareness among businessesregarding open government data opportunities?**

Please select one

- Yes, there are overaching requirements that apply to all ministries/agencies
- Yes, requirements have been adopted by some ministries/agencies
- No

***Please provide supporting evidence:**

***Q.43. Are all the restrictions that apply to the reuse of government data for commercial purposes clearly listed in one single document?**

Please select one

- Yes
- No

***Please provide supporting evidence:**

***Q.44. In practice, since January 2015 how often have representatives from Central/federal ministries/agencies been involved in the following events/activities aimed at promoting the reuse of open government data among businesses?**

	Never	Rarely (1-2 times)	Sometimes (3-4 times)	Often (5 times +)	Please provide supporting evidence:
Organise a conference on the opportunities/benefits provided by open government datasets to businesses					
Attend conferences organized by a third party to present the					

opportunities/benefits of open government datasets to businesses					
Conduct focus groups/information sessions with business representatives to understand their data needs					
Conduct focus groups/information sessions with business representatives to present the benefits/opportunities of open government datasets					
Organize hackhatons events					
Provide funding to a third party to organize hackhatons events					
Organize co-creation events (e.g. app development contest, data vizualisation challenge)					
Provide funding for the organization of co-creation events (e.g. app development contest, data vizualisation challenge)					

Please provide additional information/evidence:

***Q.44a. Do some of these initiatives targeted at businesses focus on finding solutions to public policy challenges (e.g. to improve service delivery)?**

Please select one

Please select one

- Yes
- No

***Please provide at least one example:**

***Q.45. Is there a Central/federal programmewhich aims at supporting open data literacy among businesses?**

Please select one

- Yes, there is an overaching programme that applies to all ministries/agencies
- Yes, programmes have been adopted by some ministries/agencies
- No

***Please provide supporting evidence/information:**

***Q.46. Since January 2015, have any comprehensive assessments (e.g. through the form of a report) been undertaken to better understand the main barriers to the re-use of open government data among businesses?**

Please select one

- Yes
- No

***Please provide supporting information/evidence:**

***Q.47. Since January 2015, has the Central/federal government developed partnership(s) with business incubators to support the reuse of open data by companies and start-ups?**

Please select one

- Yes
- No

***Please provide supporting information/evidence:**

Q.48. Since January 2015, has the Central/federal government :

	Yes	No	If yes, please provide supporting information/evidence:
Conducted research on the economic impact of open government data	○	○	
Financed research on the economic impact of open government data	○	○	

Please provide any additional information on how the Central/federal government provides support to businesses to the reuse of open government data:

3.2 Civil society

***Q.49. At the Central/federal government are line ministries/agencies formally encouraged to raise awareness among civil society organizations regarding open government data opportunities?**

Please select one

- ○ Yes, there are overaching requirements that apply to all ministries/agencies
- ○ Yes, requirements have been adopted by some ministries/agencies
- ○ No

Q.49a. Do these requirements cover the following civil society organizations/groups?

Please select all that apply

- ☐ Citizens
- ☐ Non-governmental organizations (NGOs)
- ☐ Associations
- ☐ Journalists
- ☐ Academics
- ☐ Think tanks
- ☐ Other, please specify:

***Q.50. In practice, since January 2015 how often have Central/federal ministries/agencies participated in the following events aimed at promoting the reuse of open government data among the civil society?**

	Never	Rarely (1-2 times)	Sometimes (3-4 times)	Often (5 times +)	**If yes, please provide supporting evidence:**
Organise a conference on the opportunities/benefits provided by open government datasets to the civil society	○	○	○	○	
Attend conferences organized by a third party to present the opportunities/benefits of open government datasets to civil society organizations	○	○	○	○	
Conduct focus groups/information sessions with civil society representatives to understand their data needs	○	○	○	○	
Conduct focus groups/information sessions with civill society	○	○	○	○	

representatives to present the benefits/opportunities of open government datasets					

***Q.51. Is there a Central/federal programme which aims at supporting open data literacy among civil society organizations?**

Please select one

- Yes, an overaching programme that applies to all ministries/agencies exists
- Yes, programmes have been adopted by some ministries/agencies
- No

***Please provide supporting information/evidence:**

***Q.52. Since January 2015, have any comprehensive assessments (e.g. through the form of a report) been undertaken to better understand the main barriers to the reuse of open government data among civil society organisations?**

Please select one

- Yes
- No

***Please provide supporting information/evidence:**

***Q.53. Since January 2015, has the Central/federal government developed partnership(s) with civil society organizations to support greater reuse of open government data?**

Please select one

- Yes
- No

***Please provide supporting information/evidence:**

***Q.54. Since January 2015, has the Central/federal government :**

	Yes	No	If yes, please provide supporting information/evidence:
Carried out research project to evaluate the social impact of open data	○	○	
Financed research project on the social impact of open data	○	○	

***Q.55. Since January 2015, has the Central/federal government supported projects from civil society organizations that aimed to identify solutions to public policy challenges through the use of open government data?**

Please select one

- ○ Yes
- ○ No

***Please provide supporting information/evidence:**

***Q.55.a. Did some of these projects focus on identifying policy solutions to challenges faced by marginalized communities (e.g. specific ethnic groups, social groups)?**

Please select one

- ○ Yes
- ○ No

***Please provide supporting information/evidence:**

3.3 Public servants

***Q.56. At the Central/federal government are line ministries/agencies formally encouraged to raise awareness among public servants regarding the opportunities to reuse open government data inside the public sector?**

Please select one

- ○ Yes, there are overaching requirements that apply to all ministries/agencies
- ○ Yes, requirements have been adopted by some ministries/agencies
- ○ No

***Please provide supporting information/evidence:**

***Q.57. In practice, since January 2015 how often have Central/federal ministries/agencies participated in the following events aimed at promoting the reuse of open government data among public servants?**

	Never	Rarely (1-2 times)	Sometimes (3-4 times)	Often (5 times and more)	Please provide the supporting information/evidence:
Conduct focus groups/information sessions with public servants to understand their data needs	○	○	○	○	
Conduct focus groups/information sessions with public servants to present the benefits/opportunities of open government datasets	○	○	○	○	
Send via e-mail an information brief to public servants on new developments regarding open government data policies	○	○	○	○	

***Q.57.a. Do these events also involve public servants with managerial/leadership positions?**

Please select one

- ○ Yes
- ○ No

***Please provide supporting information/evidence:**

***Q.58. Is there a Central/federal programme which aims at supporting open data literacy among public servants?**

Please select one

- Yes, an overaching programme that applies to all ministries/agencies exists
- Yes, programmes have been adopted by some ministries/agencies
- No

***Please provide supporting information/evidence:**

***Q.59. On average, how often do Central/federal ministries/agencies organize training sessions on the reuse of open government data targeted at public servants?**

Please select one

- Never
- Rarely (1-2 times a year)
- Sometimes (3-11 times a year)
- Often (12 times + a year)

***Please provide supporting information/evidence:**

***Q.59.a. Do you collect information on the effectiveness of these training sessions (e.g. satisfaction survey, statistics, indicators)?**

Please select one

- Yes
- No

***Please provide supporting information/evidence:**

***Q.60. At the Central/federal level of government, are there guidelines available for public servants on how best to leverage open government data in policy development processes?**

Please select one

- Yes, overaching guidelines that apply to all ministries/agencies exists
- Yes, guidelines have been adopted by some ministries/agencies
- No

***Please provide supporting information/evidence:**

***Q.61. Are there formal incentives provided to civil servants to encourage reuse of open government data in the policy development process?**

Please select one

- Yes
- No

***Please provide supporting information/evidence:**

***Q.62. To what extent is the implementation of open government data requirements (e.g. regarding timeliness of data sharing, use of open formats) considered as part of performance indicators of organisations?**

Please select one

Please respond based on the share of Central/federal ministries/agencies for which it applies.

- In no Central/federal ministries/agencies
- Rarely (in 1-49% of Central/federal ministries/agencies)
- Sometimes (in 50-99% of Central/federal ministries/agencies)

- ○ Always (in 100% of Central/federal ministries/agencies)

***Please provide supporting information/evidence:**

***Q.63. Do Central/federal ministries/agencies regularly partner with subnational levels of government (local, regional) on open government data initiatives?**

Please select one

- ○ Yes
- ○ No

***Please provide supporting information/evidence:**

***Q.64. Since January 2012, have you conducted a large scale consultation with Ministries/agencies to collect feedback from them on how best to support data reuse at the Central/federal level of government?**

Please select one

- ○ Yes
- ○ No

***Please provide supporting information/evidence:**

***Q.65. Do you measure the impact of open government data on public sector performance?**

Please select one

- ○ Yes
- ○ No

***Please provide supporting information/evidence:**

Part 2: The Central/federal open government data portal

***Q.66. Is there a Central/federal one stop shop portal for open government data?**

Please select one

- ○ Yes (please provide web link below)
- ○ No

Please provide supporting evidence/information:

***Q.66.a. On the Central/federal one stop shop portal are data *mainly* provided directly, indirectly or both?**

Please select one

- ○ Directly
- ○ Indirectly
- ○ Both

***Q.66.b. If yes, do visitors need to go through a registration process to carry out the following actions on the one stop shop portal:**

Please select all that apply

If no other, please select "no".

	Yes	No
Access data	○	○
Download data	○	○
Copy data	○	○
Re-use data	○	○
Provide feedback on data	○	○
Other, please specify:	○	○

***Q.67. On the Central/federal one stop shop portal how many datasets are currently available (as of 1st of October 2016 or latest available)?**

Tabular data: Data presented in rows and columns, as opposed to imagery documents.

	Please provide exact number (e.g. 100, 1000, 10 000, etc.)	Please provide date to which it applies (day, months and year)
Tabular data		
Maps		
Total		

Q.68. On the federal/central government "one-stop-shop" portal are the following data publicly available (either directly or indirectly)? (please provide systematically one web link)

This list corresponds to the list of high value datasets identified in the G8 agreement which is the only list internationally endorsed by governments currently available.

Please refer to the Glossary of key terms for more specific definitions of the datasets.

	Yes	No	If yes, please provide at least one weblink
Companies			
Company/business register	○	○	
Crime and justice			
Crime statistics	○	○	
Safety	○	○	
Earth observation			
Meteorological/weather	○	○	
Agriculture	○	○	
Forestry	○	○	
Fishing	○	○	
Hunting	○	○	
Education			
List of schools	○	○	
Performance of schools	○	○	
Digital skills	○	○	
Energy and Environment			
Pollution levels	○	○	
Energy consumption	○	○	
Government finance and contracts			
Transaction spend	○	○	
Contracts let	○	○	
Call for tender	○	○	
Future tenders	○	○	
Local budget	○	○	
National budget planned	○	○	

National budget spent			
Geospatial Topography			
Zipcodes/Postcodes			
National maps			
Local maps			
Global Development			
Aid			
Food security			
Extractives			
Land			
Government Accountability and Democracy			
Government contact points			
Election results			
Legislation and statutes			
Salaries (pay scales)			
Hospitality/gifts			
Health			
Prescription data			
Performance data			
Science and Research			
Genome data			
Research and educational activity			
Experiment results			
Statistics			
National Statistics			
Census			
Infrastructure			
Wealth			
Skills			
Social mobility and welfare			
Housing			
Health insurance and unemployment benefits			
Ageing society			
Transport and Infrastructure			
Public transport timetables			
Broadband penetration			
Other (not part of the G8 Open Data Charter list)			
Motor vehicle registration statistics			
Beneficial ownership			

Lobbying meetings	○	○	
Declarations of interest	○	○	
Risk management	○	○	
Disaster relief data	○	○	

***Q.69. On the Central/federal "one-stop-shop" open government data portal is there a complaint mechanism whereby visitors can report invasions to their:**

	Yes	No	If yes, please specify:
Security	○	○	
Privacy	○	○	
Confidentiality	○	○	
Intellectual property	○	○	

***Q.69.a. Is this complaint mechanism explicitly described/explained on the portal?**

Please select one

- ○ Yes (please provide web link below)
- ○ No

Please provide supporting information/evidence:

***Q.70. On the Central/federal "one-stop-shop" portal, is there a user feedback section?**

Please select one

- Yes
- No

***Q.70.a. Do you collect information on the number of user requests sent through the user feedback section of the Central/federal "one stop shop" portal?**

Please select one

- Yes
- No

***Q.70.b. Do you publish this information online?**

Please select one

- Yes
- No

***Q.70.c. Are comments provided in the user feedback section visible for all visitors?**

Please select one

- Yes
- No

***Q.70.d. Do you collect information on the average length to respond to requests sent through the user feedback section of the Central/federal "one stop shop" portal?**

Please select one

- Yes
- No

***Q.70.e. Do you publish this information online?**

Please select one

- Yes
- No

Q.71. On the Central/federal one stop shop portal can users complete the following procedures:

Please select all that apply

- Add a dataset
- Add a data vizualisation
- Add an organization
- Other, please specify:

Q.71.a. If yes, can users be notified about any :

Please select all that apply

- Reuse of their data
- Issues about their data
- Discussions about their data

- [ ] Other, please specify:

Please provide any additional comments/evidence:

***Q.72. On the Central/federal "one-stop-shop" portal, can users carry out the following actions with the data free of charge:**

	All data (100%)	Most data (50-99%)	Some data (1-49%)	No data (0%)
Download	○	○	○	○
Copy	○	○	○	○
Use	○	○	○	○
Distribute	○	○	○	○

***Q.73. Are licensing conditions systematically provided with every datasets on the Central/federal one stop shop portal?**

Please select one

- ○ Yes
- ○ No

***Q.74. Is a contact person/organization systematically provided with the datasets on the Central/federal one stop shop portal?**

Please select one

- ○ Yes
- ○ No

***Q.75. On the Central/federal one stop shop portal, what proportion of the data are provided:**

Please refer to the definitions included in the glossary of terms:

Machine-Readable (format, file): *Information or data that is in a structured format that can be processed by a computer without (or with minimal) human intervention and without loss of semantic meaning. Digital formats are not automatically machine-readable too, e.g. text documents in PDF or WORD formats are not machine readable.*

Metadata:*Metadata attribute structuring information to content. They describe the contents of data, e.g. periods covered by the data, as well as information about right holders and conditions for use. Harmonisation of meta-data is important to facilitate access, use and re-use of data.*

Structured data:*Structured data refers to information with a high degree of organization, such that inclusion in a relational database is seamless and readily searchable by simple, straightforward search engine algorithms or other search operations.*

Uniform Resource Identifiers (URIs):*A sequence of characters that identifies a logical or physical resource (e.g. RDF). Various scheme specifications dictate how that identification occurs. A URI typically describes: The mechanism used to access the resource; The specific computer in which the resource is housed; and The specific name of the resource -- a file name -- on the computer.*

	All (100%)	Most (50-99%)	Some (1-49%)	None (0%)	**Please provide supporting evidence:**
As structured data	○	○	○	○	
In multiple formats (i.e. more than 1 format)	○	○	○	○	
In machine readable formats	○	○	○	○	
Use Uniform Resource Identifiers (e.g. RDF) to denote elements	○	○	○	○	
Have data visualization tools	○	○	○	○	
Are provided with their associated metadata	○	○	○	○	

***Q.75.a. On the Central/federal portal, are data visualizations provided, either directly or indirectly, for government budget data (e.g. expenditures, revenues etc.)?**

Please select one

- ○ Yes
- ○ No

***Please provide web link on the Central/federal portal:**

Q.75.b. On the Central/federal "one-stop-shop" portal, what do the metadata usually cover?

Please select all that apply

- [ ] Purpose of the collection
- [ ] Characteristics of the sample (when applicable)
- [ ] Method of data collection
- [ ] Period covered (e.g. in years, months etc.)
- [ ] Terminology (key terms)
- [ ] Contextual elements (i.e. related analyses, reports)
- [ ] Expected date of registering updated data
- [ ] Data limitations

Q.76. Which of the following functions are available on the Central/federal one stop shop portal?

Please select all that apply

- [ ] Search function
- [ ] System to rank the popularity of datasets
- [ ] Forums for discussions
- [ ] Voting buttons for users to provide an opinion on the value of the datasets
- [ ] Multilingual funtion (content consultation possible in languages other than national one)
- [ ] Accessibility options for vision impaired
- [ ] Possibility to receive notification when specific datasets are added
- [ ] Portal accessible through app for mobile phones/tablets
- [ ] Button to submit an irregularity/disfunction with the data

***Q.77. On the Central/federal "one-stop-shop" portal for what proportion of the data do you provide expected date of registering updated data?**

Please select one

- ○ All (100%)
- ○ Most (50-99%)
- ○ Some (1-49%)
- ○ None

***Q.78. On the Central/federal government data portal do you promote initiatives that re-use government data?**

Please select one

- Yes
- No

***Q.79. For which of the following groups do you promote initiatives that re-use government data?**

	Yes	No	If yes, please provide at least one example:
Businesses			
Civil society			
Public servants			

***Q.80. Which type of reuse of public data are presented on the OGD one stop shop portal?**

Please select all that apply

If no other, please select "no"

	Yes	No	If yes, please provide at least one example for each:
Data visualisation			
Applications			
Press articles			
APIs			
Blog articles			
Academic papers			
Other, please specify:			

View Response

Thank you for taking the survey.

Message Format:
Html
From Email Address:
barbara.ubaldi@oecd.org
To Email Address:
reginald.dadzie@oecd.org
Bcc:
guillaume.lafortune@oecd.org; JacobArturo.RIVERAPEREZ@oecd.org
Subject:
Response to the 2016 OECD Survey on OGD 3.0
Body:
Dear @@704990 @@704991,

Thank you for having submitted your responses to the 2016 OECD Survey on OGD 3.0, Section 1: Government efforts to support implementation of OGD.

A copy of your responses is included in the e-mail below.

We remain fully available should you have any further questions.

Best regards,

Barbara Ubaldi
Project manager
OECD/GOV
barbara.ubaldi@oecd.org