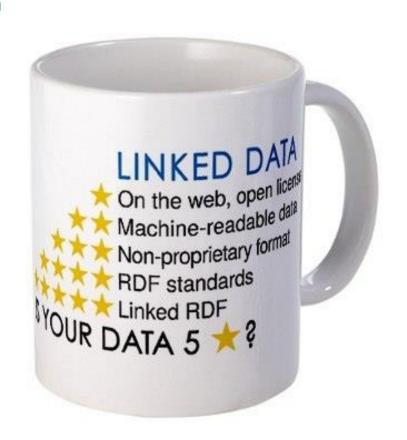


Implementation of an 'Open Data by default' data policy by UK Government – Benefits and Challenges

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UK Experience

- 2010: UK Government implements an 'Open Data by default'
- >30,000 UK Open Data accessible via www.data.gov.uk
- 2017: UK is currently ranked first in the Open Data Barometer





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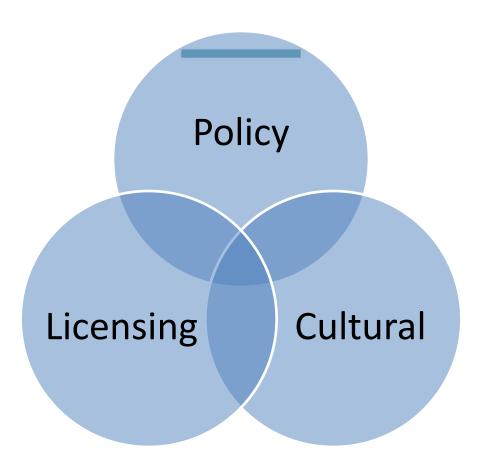
The Open Data Barometer

A global measure of how governments are publishing and using open data for accountability, innovation and social impact.

Country	Rank ?	Score ? OUT OF 100	Change ?	Score Trend ? OVER PAST EDITIONS	Readiness ?	Implementation ?	Emerging Impact ?
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France See details	3	85	-1 ▼		100	71	88
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Korea See details	5	81	3 🔺		95	59	100
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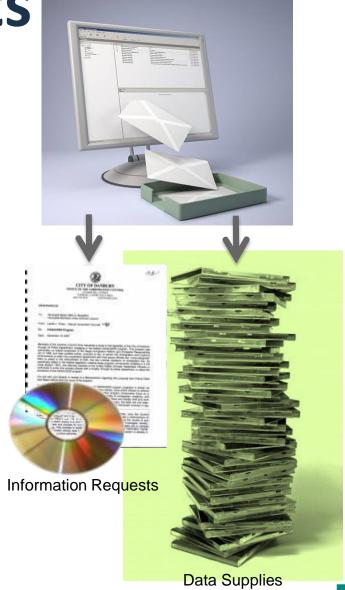


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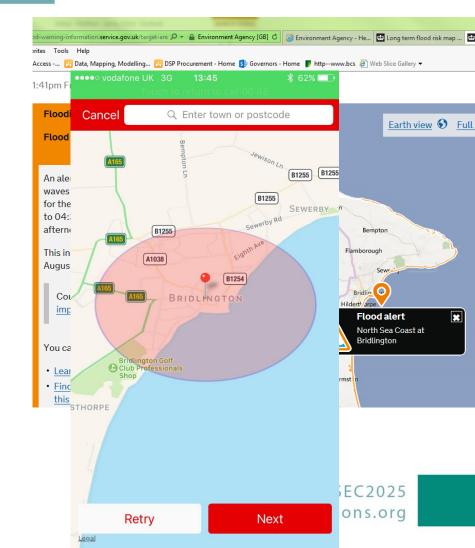
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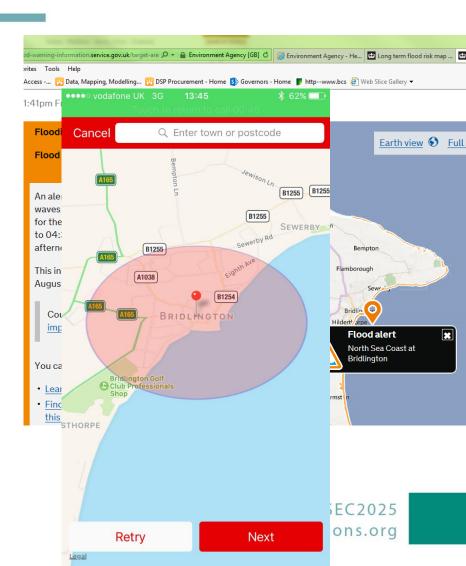
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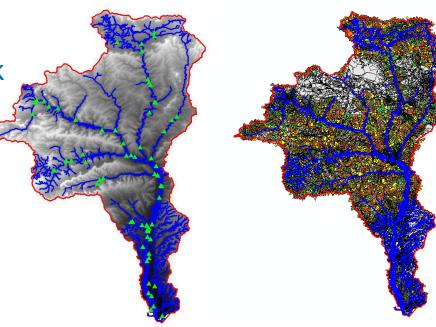


Water Monitoring

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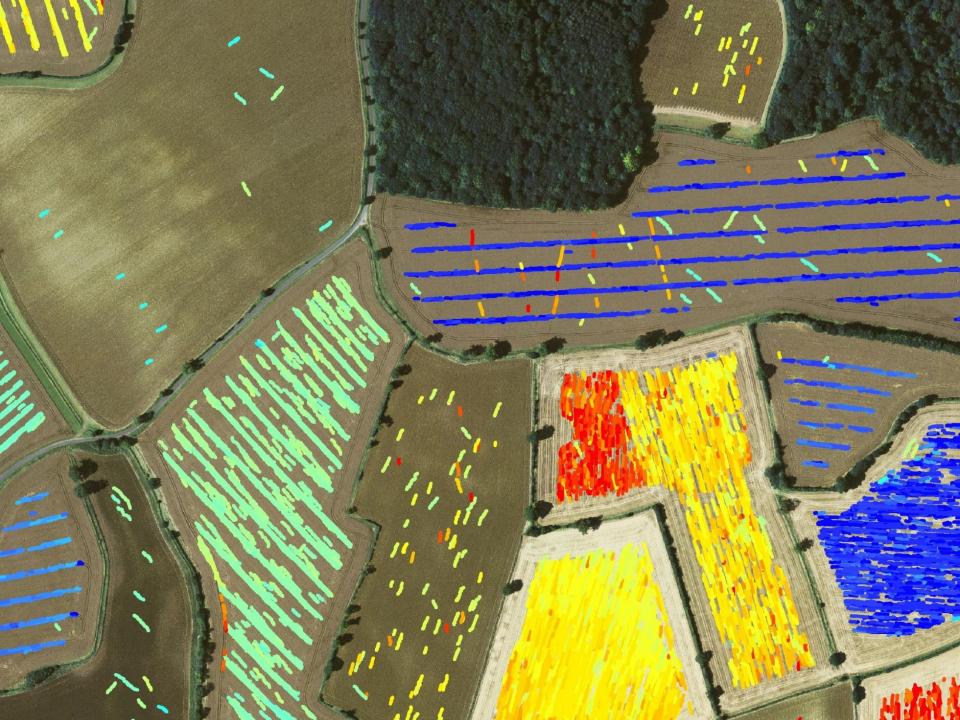
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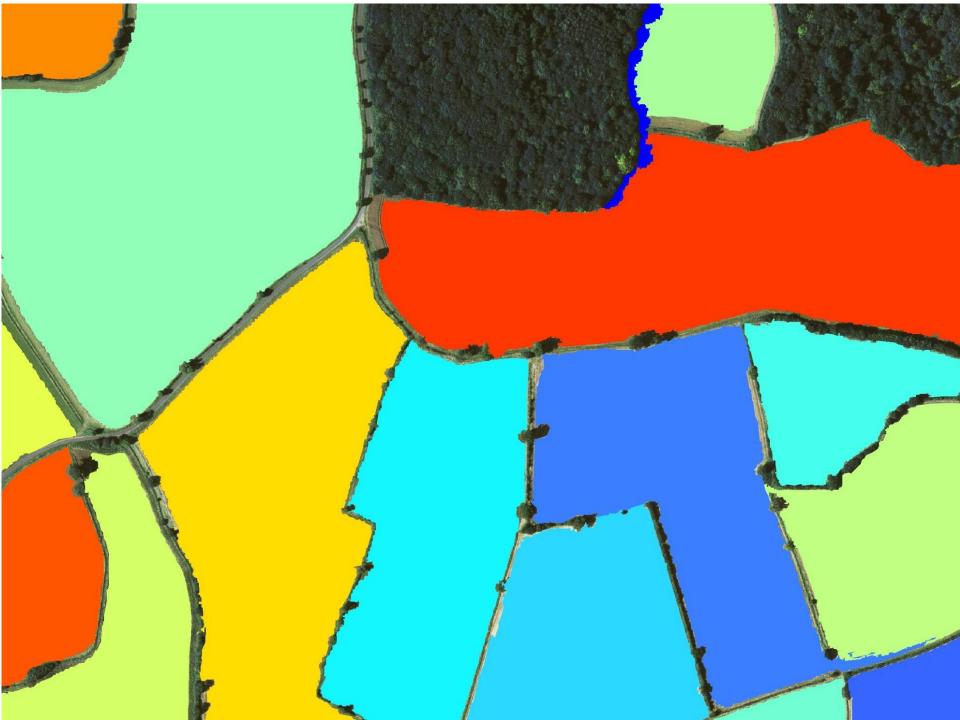












Waste Crime

Waste crime is a big environmental and social problem.

We want to identify waste crime accurately and fast enough for us to act, but we have not got the people. How do we use technology to minimise impact – and ideally avoid it before it happens?





Thank You

Communicate and Collaborate with GEO:











