




Portal

- <https://www.data.gv.at/> launched in 2013
- 40 public administrations provide Open Data



Ranking

- Open Data Barometer Rank: #14
- Open Data Index Rank: #24


Transposition PSI Directive

✓ Yes

Revised PSI Directive

Open Data Policy


- ✓ Open Data policy in place
- ✓ National 5 year strategy
- ✓ More than 3 events held annually
- ✗ Priority domains identified
- ✗ Pre-defined approach to ensure data sets are up-to-date
- ✗ 25-49% of data uploaded automatically



79%

Licensing Norms

- ✓ 100 % free of charge
- ✓ 100% open licensed
- ✓ Policy encourages to use CC-BY-AT 3.0 licence



100%

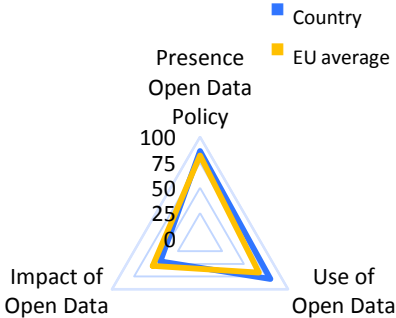
National coordination

- ✓ National guidelines on publication
- ✓ Many regional data initiatives
- ✓ All initiatives coordinated at national level
- ✓ All regional portals integrated on national portal



100%


Score Austria



Country (blue line), EU average (yellow line)

Usability of portal


- ✓ API accessible
- ✓ Possibility to give feedback
- ✓ Search data sets
- ✓ Download data sets
- ✓ ≥90% of the datasets are machine readable
- ✗ Contribute to portal



Use & Reusability of Open Data

- 17,000 (0.2% of the inhabitants in Austria) unique visitors on average per month
- 41% of the visitors are foreign
- 18% of traffic generated by humans
- Typical profile of visitors is unknown
- Most data sets are available in CSV format
- Data published by other administrations is re-used


2421 datasets available



82%

Top data set & domains

- Most downloaded data set: Wiener Linien – Echtzeitdaten (real-time data)



Most consulted data domains: Unknown



Impact

<p>Political:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Activities launched since 2015 to monitor impact Medium impact efficiency Medium impact transparency <p>58% </p>	<p>Social:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Medium impact environmental sustainability Unknown inclusion of marginalised groups <p>25% </p>	<p>Economic:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> No studies market value Unknown studies better service delivery One other study [1] Marginal (Zero) Cost Model <p>42% </p>
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Barriers

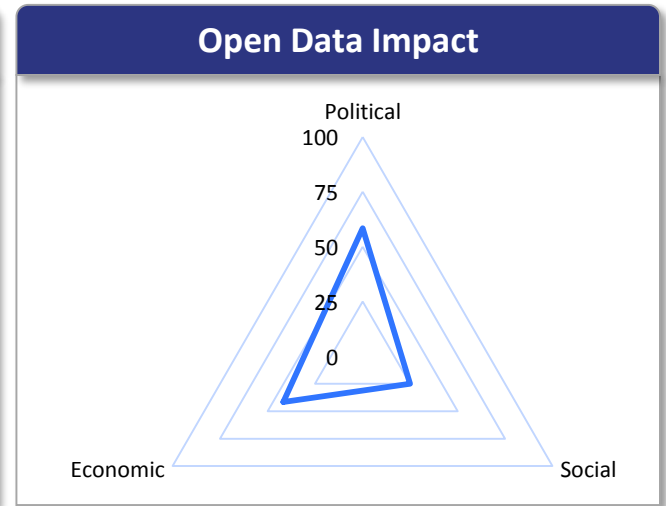
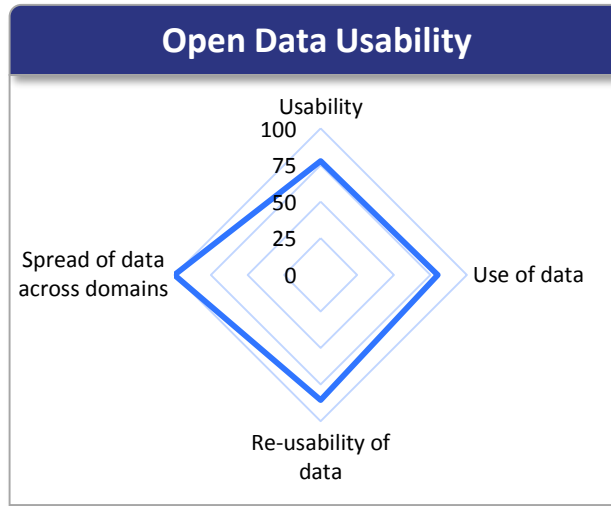
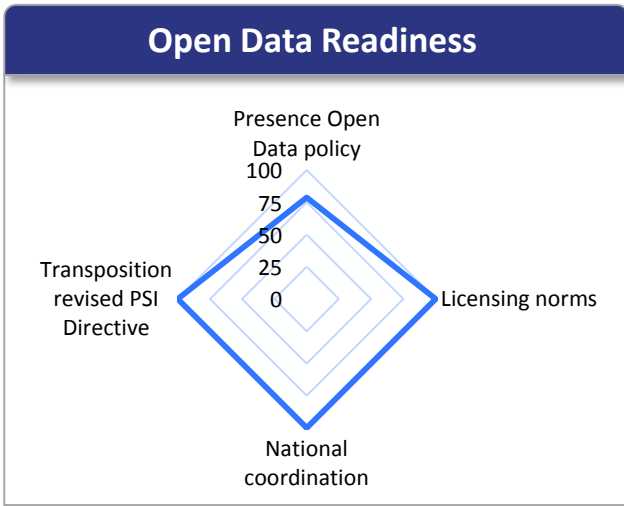
<p>Further publication</p> <p>For further publication both political and financial barriers exist.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <i>Political barrier:</i> draft and acceptance of a new law. The principle of “transparency by default” is currently under review in the draft of a freedom of information law but changes are expected changes after the parliamentary election in October 2017. <i>Financial barrier:</i> consist of a loss of income. Some public bodies are dependent on the money they make by selling data, because of their financing structure. New ways to finance these bodies have to be found to replace this loss of income. 	<p>Further use</p> <p>For further use little awareness and technical barriers are the main concerns.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <i>Little awareness:</i> even if the term Open Government Data is known widely, it is necessary to know which useful data is freely available on the web before people think about re-use. It is important to increase awareness about the existing publicly available data sets. <i>Technical barrier:</i> interoperability. Currently, the metadata interoperability for Open Government Data is high, but the interoperability of the data resources themselves is an important issue. In some areas these need to be solved before a widespread use is possible.
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Best practices

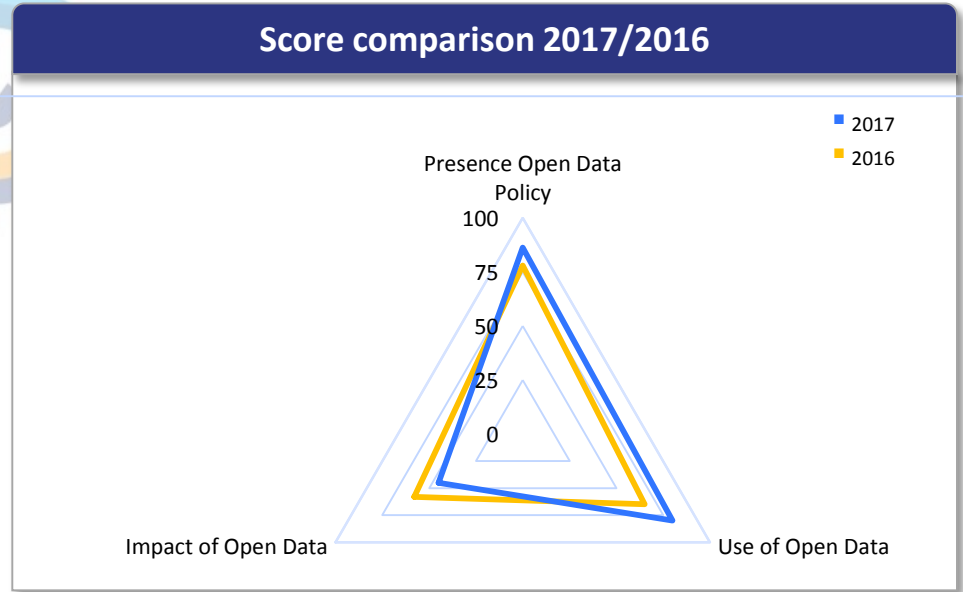
- Sentinel satellite data:** Earth observation data from sentinel satellites is made available from the central institute for meteorology and geodynamic. Social, economic and environmental benefits are retrieved from sentinel satellite data.
- Vienna lines:** real-time traffic data made available for developers to use. Social and economic benefits are the result of Vienna lines, as 19 apps based on this data are already developed.

Progress on barriers

- To overcome the barriers which are preventing further publication and further use, the draft for a freedom of information law was published for parliamentary discussion and changes are expected after the parliamentary election in October 2017. To overcome the technical barrier, a format for public procurement data was specified to regulate not only the metadata, but also the data format in which public procurement data has to be published across Austria.



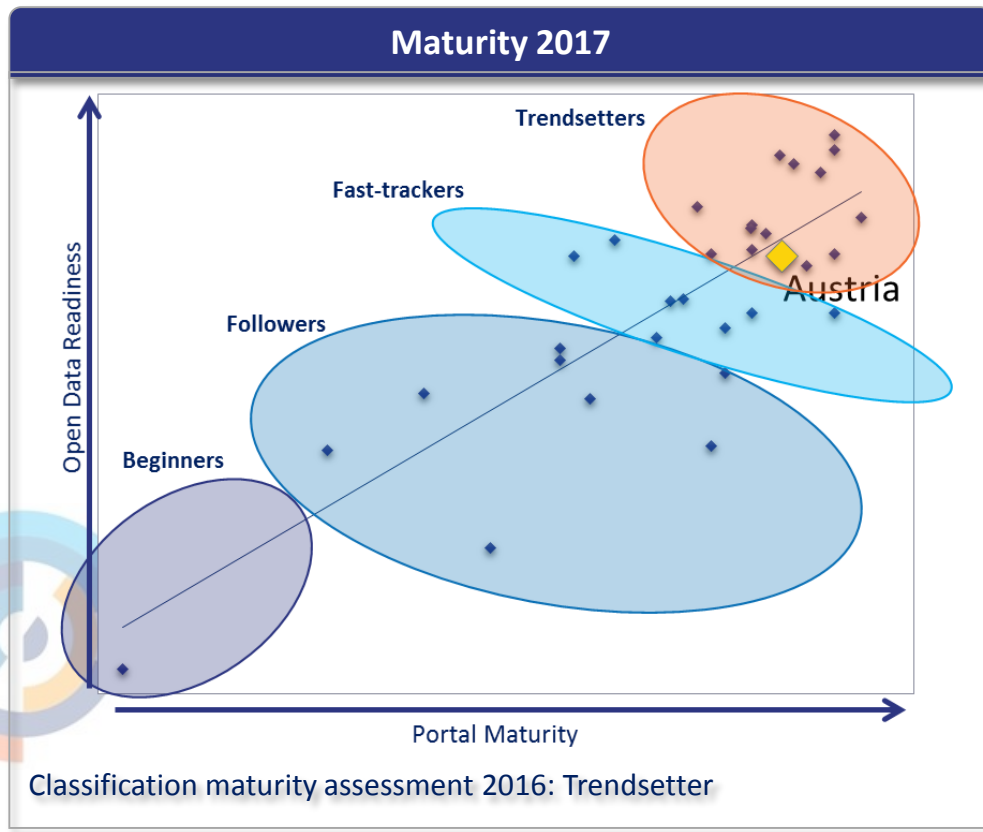
- ### Major changes 2017
- The Presence of an Open Data policy has slightly increased because Open Data is now used in decision-making, the Open Data policy was updated in the last year as well as the the approach on how to open data.
 - The Use of Open Data has also increased because more foreign visitors go to the portal each month and because data published by its own government is being reused.
 - The Impact of Open Data has decreased due to less economic studies having been published since 2015.





Print screen portal

The screenshot shows the data.gv.at portal interface. At the top, there is a search bar with the text "Suchbegriff (z.B. Finanzen, Wahlen)" and a "Suche starten" button. Below the search bar are navigation tabs: "Startseite", "Daten", "Dokumente", "Anwendungen", and "Infos". The main content area is titled "Themen durchsuchen" and features a grid of 14 category icons with labels: Arbeit, Bevölkerung, Bildung & Forschung, Finanzen & Rechnungswesen, Geographie & Planung, Gesellschaft & Soziales, Gesundheit, Kunst & Kultur, Land- & Forstwirtschaft, Sport & Freizeit, Umwelt, Verkehr & Technik, Verwaltung & Politik, and Wirtschaft & Tourismus. Below the categories, there are sections for "Neueste Anwendungen" and "News" with a list of recent updates and dates.



- ### Next steps
- October 2017: Study about an OGD screening of potential datasets on the federal level
 - Autumn 2017: User survey on data.gv.at to gain further feedback on user expectations
 - 2018: Responsive Design of data.gv.at

- ### Upcoming events
- 20-21 September 2017: [DigitalDays 2017](#)
 - 28 September 2017: [Open Government Plattform Vienna](#)
 - 16 October 2017: [Internet Governance Forum Austria](#)
 - 16 November 2017: [Verwaltungsinformatik 2017](#)