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**Policy**

- **Overall score**: 82%
  - Policy framework: 81%
  - Coordination at national level: 80%
  - Licencing norms: 88%

**Impact**

- **Overall score**: 50%
  - Strategic awareness: 62%
  - Political: 55%
  - Social: 43%
  - Environmental: 48%
  - Economic: 31%

**Portal**

- **Overall score**: 63%
  - Portal features: 64%
  - Portal usage: 76%
  - Data provision: 64%
  - Portal sustainability: 49%

**Quality**

- **Overall score**: 62%
  - Automation: 61%
  - Data and metadata currency: 54%
  - DCAT-AP compliance: 71%

**EU28 Scores**

- Overall score: 88%
- Policy framework: 78%
- Coordination at national level: 90%
- Licencing norms: 93%
- Strategic awareness: 52%
- Political: 58%
- Social: 65%
- Environmental: 55%
- Economic: 63%
- Portal features: 70%
- Portal usage: 100%
- Data provision: 72%
- Portal sustainability: 71%
- Automation: 84%
- Data and metadata currency: 74%
- DCAT-AP compliance: 90%

*Weighted averages*
### OPEN DATA MATURITY PROGRESS 2015-2017

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<td>46% 58% 61%</td>
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<td>2016</td>
<td>79% 78% 84%</td>
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<td>92% 86% 78%</td>
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### OPEN DATA MATURITY 2018

**CLUSTER: FAST-TRACKER**

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The coalition agreement promotes open data, however, there is also an open eye for the (privacy) risks of opening and combining data.

- Getting a full overview in the national data portal of all available data and data owners.
- Standardisation of dataset metadata description.
- Identifying unique datasets and reducing doubling.

- Improving findability of open data. Searching metadata is not enough to find available data in the data portal.

Publication: Publication of fully re-usable legislation collection as Open Data

All Dutch legislation is published as raw open data in XML format. All versions of legislation are available since 1995. API’s are made available for easy re-use of the 90 GB collection of government data. All legislation is linked to case law, policies and other legislation and official publications using Linked Data and advanced classification and reference recognition software (AI-based) and made available for public access and re-use on the central legislation website. All legislation is also made available in a free app called “Wettenpocket”. People can access their favourite legislation collections including the links to Open Data case law and policies, whether they are a citizen, independent lawyer, law student or big lawyer firm. The legislation data is re-used by accountancy firms, publishing firms, fiscal consultants and the government itself. Re-use saves a lot of money in reducing the need for paper law-pockets to start with.

Reuse: Agricultural and farmland characteristics for farmers

The organisation publishes the data on the website www.boerenbunder.nl. This is an outstanding example of how data can be used for commercial purposes. It is also used by the general public to get an insight in their agricultural environment.