

The logo features a central black circle containing the text "ICANN ODI" in white, bold, sans-serif font. This circle is surrounded by a ring of white, vertical bars of varying lengths, creating a sunburst or radiating effect. The entire graphic is set against a solid black background.

ICANN ODI

Open Knowledge International



- We are a growing international network, with groups in more than 40 countries. <https://okfn.org/network/>
- **Everyone is welcome. Anyone** can join the network, both **individuals** and **organisations**. No special skills or background are needed – just an interest in open knowledge.

What data is open at ICANN?



CKAN: <https://odi-ckan-earlypilot.icann.org/>

- took too long to respond, didn't resolve

OpenDataSoft: <https://icann.opendatasoft.com/>

- Need to register

Enigma: <https://icann.enigma.com/>

- Need to register

Socrata: <https://icann.data.socrata.com/>

- Open immediate access! Yeay!

Data in Socratas

Only two datasets, updated on the 28th of June 2017:

- [Monthly Registry Transactions Report](#)
- [Monthly Registry Activity Report](#)
- [External dataset of 1263 gTLDs](#)
 - dateOfContractSignature
 - Name of the gTLD
 - Name of registry operator

Measuring the success of opening data

- Open Data Barometer
<http://barometer.opendataresearch.org/>
- Open Data Index <https://index.okfn.org/>
- Key Performance Indicators (KPIs)
 - How much did we do? (activity metrics)
 - How well did we do it? (quality metrics)
 - Is anyone better off as a result? (impact metrics)



Demand-focused approach

The demands of the data users

- Encourages, seeks out and responds to feedback
- Judges itself on the quality of outputs and the quality of impacts on the project
- Most common way by surveying the users of available datasets



What is the value of opening data?

Value creation happens in:

- Transparency
- Participation
- Self-empowerment
- Improved or new products and services
- Innovation
- Improved efficiency
- Impact measurement of policies
- New knowledge from combined data sources and patterns in large data volumes



Positive outcomes

- Open Data as an educator
- Enabling innovation with open data
- Enhancing business with open data
- Open data as an agent of change
- Open data as a community supporter



Suggestions

- The need to know what data ICANN has
- Making something understandable out of the data, showing its usefulness to the wider community, like charts
- Tracking effects of policy changes at ICANN
- Using metrics used by governments, namely:
 - [International Open Data Charter](#)
 - [Open Data Index](#)
 - [Open Data Barometer](#)



Conclusions

- The need to know what data is there
 - July 1st (maybe) data asset inventory published
- Surveying the ICANN community for what data they want to open first





Thank you!