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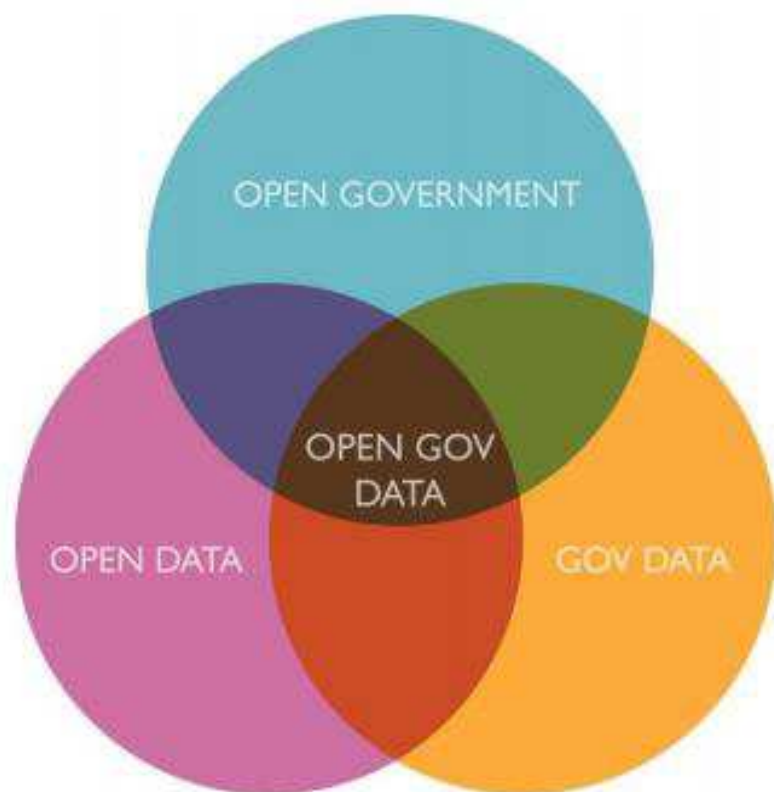


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What is open government data?



Data is ‘open’, no matter the source, only if it can be accessed, reused, and redistributed by anyone, for any purposes, including commercial reuse, free of charge and without any restrictions.

«Guidelines on Open Government Data for Citizen Engagement», DESA, 2013



Open government data in the context of SDGs

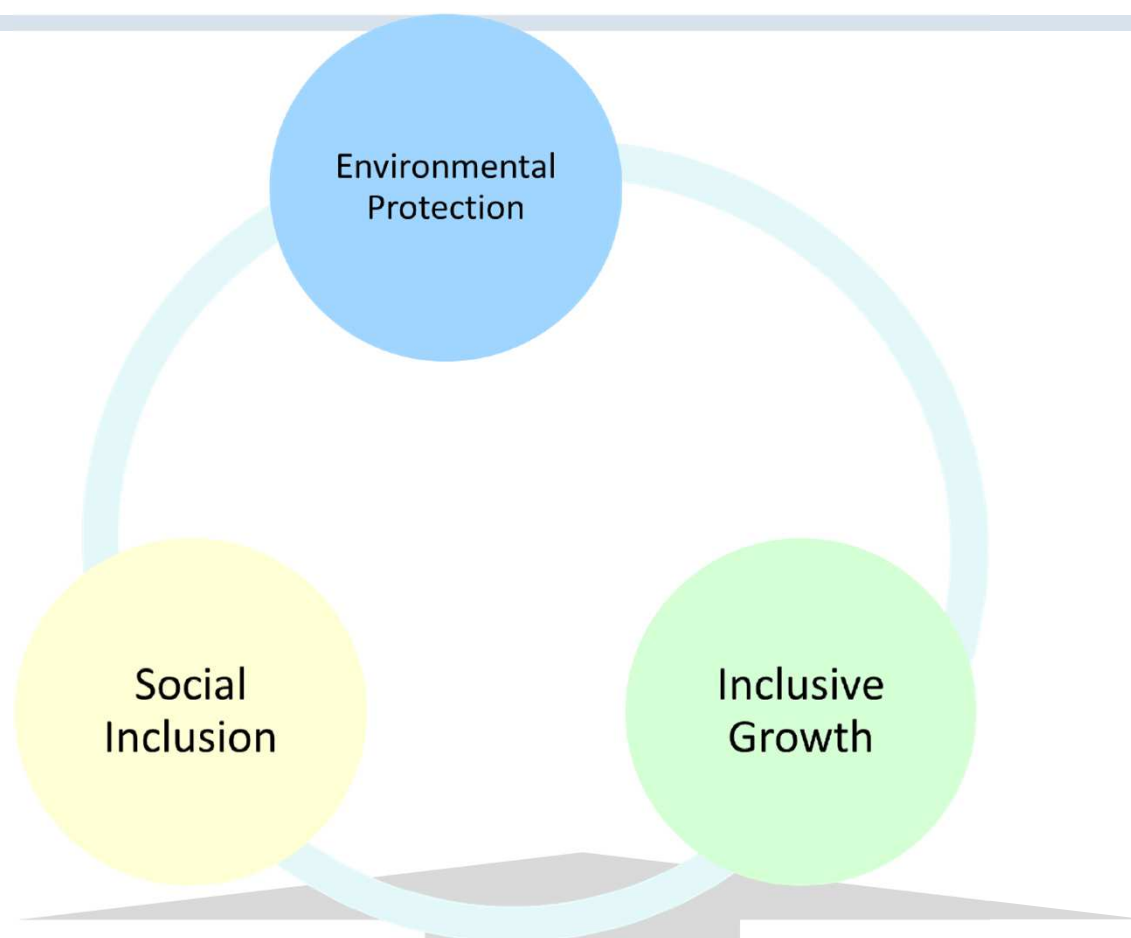
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Ensure public access to information and protect fundamental freedoms, in accordance with national legislation and international agreements.

* Freedom of information is essential to OGD (FOIA)



Open government data for development



Readily available data on governments' efforts to fight poverty, achieve universal primary education, fight HIV and foster maternal health, **raises citizens' awareness and helps them participate in and oversee government actions. OGD gives the private sector opportunities to productively contribute to the development process.** – 2014 UN E-Government Survey



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Benefits from promoting OGD:

- Promoting **transparency** and boosting trust in government
- Enhancing efficiency and effectiveness of government operations
- Increase civil participation
- Promote economic growth and new jobs
- Increase innovation and research