



# An extensible architecture for an ecosystem of visualization web-components for Open Data

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# Why should data be open?



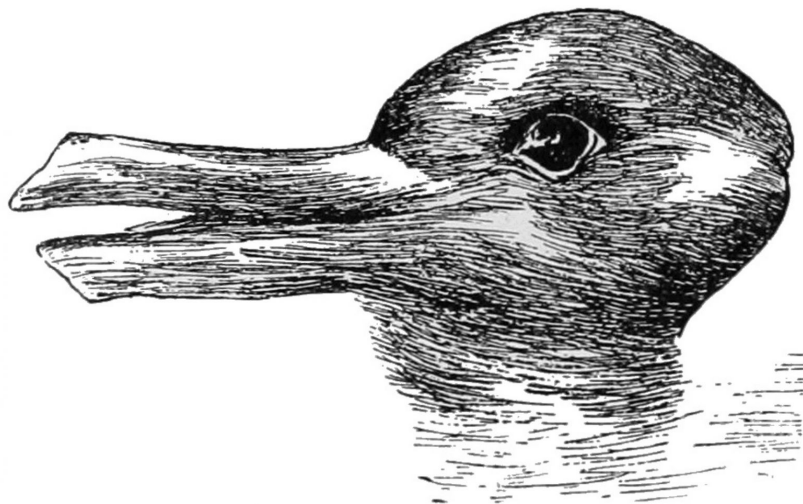
- **Transparency:**
  - citizens need to know what their government is doing;
  - not just ***accessing*** to data, but is also about ***sharing*** and ***reusing*** data.
- *Transparency: it's about making a full “read/write” society.*

# Our vision about Open Data

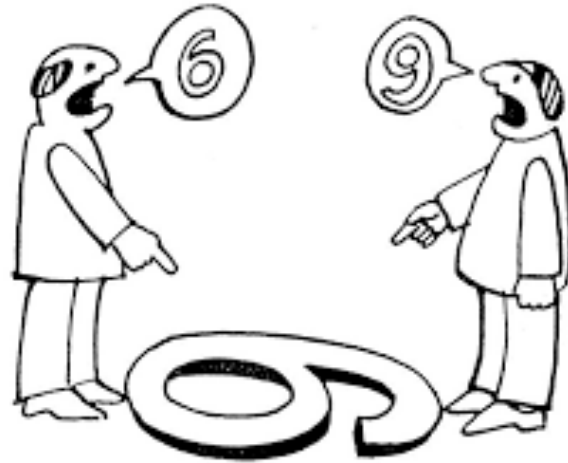


- **This is a data**

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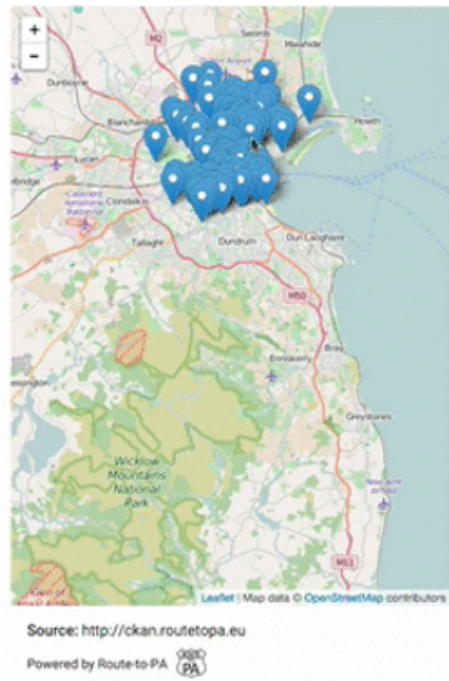
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# Our vision about Open Data



- ICT should contribute to solve this problem, by providing tools for
  - accessing;
  - reusing;
  - sharing.
- The data must be in machine readable format (example an access system must provide API).



Déchèteries mobiles sur Grand Paris Seine Ouest



Ce jeu de données contient des informations sur les déchèteries mobiles sur le territoire de la Communauté d'agglomération Grand Paris Seine Ouest (GASO).

**Dataset Identifier** déchèteries mobiles

**Theme** Environnement  
**Keyword** déchets, déchèterie, propreté  
**Licence** Licence Ouverte (laod)  
**Language** French  
**Modified** November 3 2015 4:00 PM  
**Publisher** Grand Paris Seine Ouest

**Last processing** November 10 2015 12:00 AM (modified)  
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**DCAT**

**Creator** Grand Paris Seine Ouest  
**Accrual periodicity** Perpetuelle

**Data schema**

**Reuses**

No reuse

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### Dublin City Council Prompt Payments

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**Dataset** Groups Activity Stream Related

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Prompt Payments schedule for Dublin City Council. Lists total quarterly invoices paid. This information refers to purchases in excess of 20,000. For further information please refer to dublin city council website <http://www.dublincity.ie/YourCouncil/AboutTheCouncil/CouncilSpendingRevenuePages/CouncilSpendingRevenuePages.aspx>

**Data and Resources**

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Business	Economist	Finance	Local Governments	Financial reporting
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**Additional Info**

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Target Audience	Economist
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Completeness	100%

- Raising Open and User-friendly Transparency-Enabling Technologies for Public Administration (ROUTE-TO-PA)
  - **12 Participants**
    - research, industry, pilots
    - plus additional pilots
  - **6 Countries involved**
  - **3 M€ funding**
  - **3 research products**
  - **4 research areas**





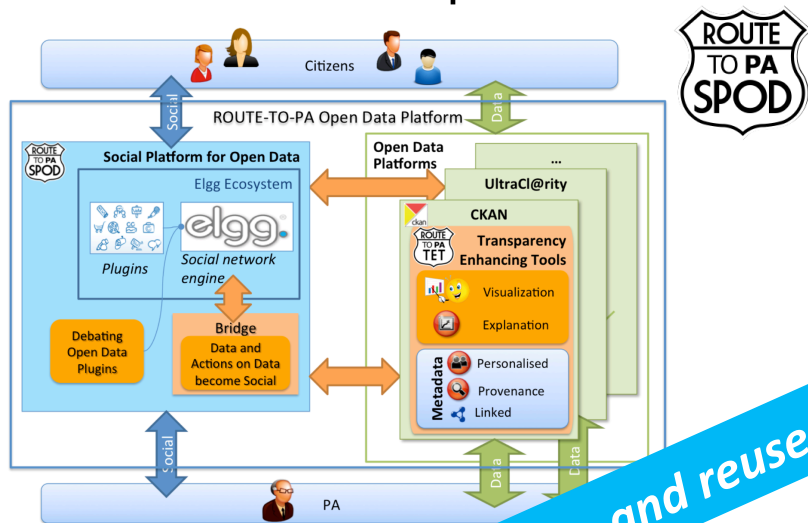
## Improving the engagement of citizens

- Social interactions
  - Online communities
  - A “route” to PA for citizens
  - .. and viceversa
- Holistic understanding
  - A customized view...
    - by personalisation
    - for different segments
  - .. provides data of value to each citizen

# ROUTE-TO-PA results ...

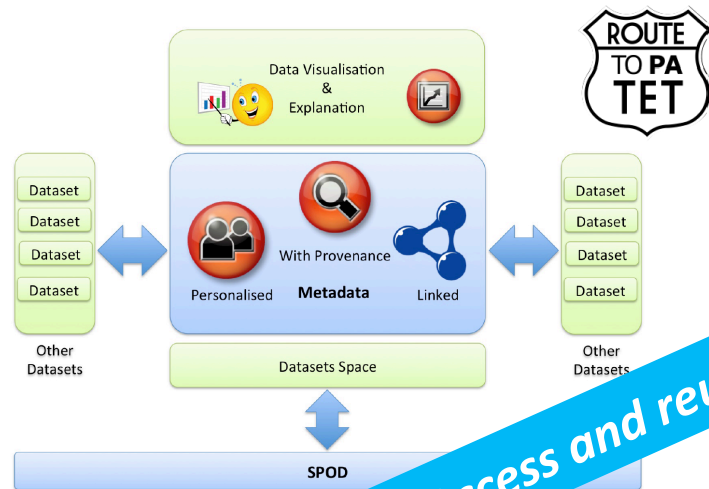


- Social Platform for Open Data



Share and reuse

- Transparency Enhancing Toolset



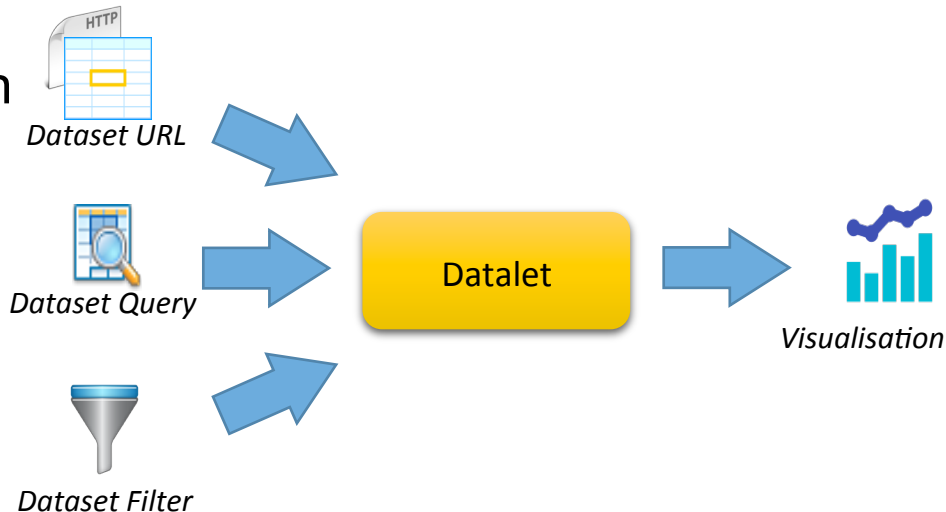
Personalized Access and reuse

- Good practices and recommendations

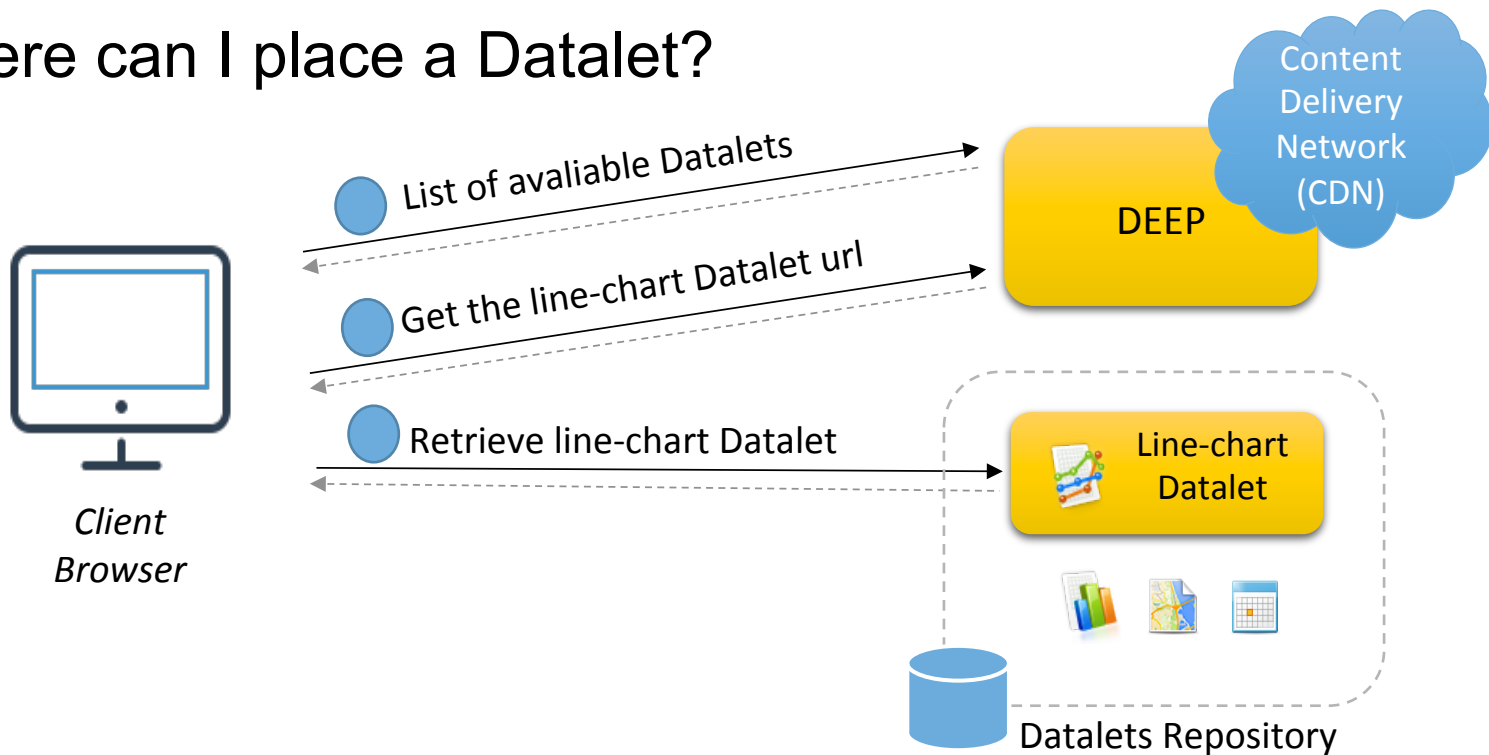


# Architecture

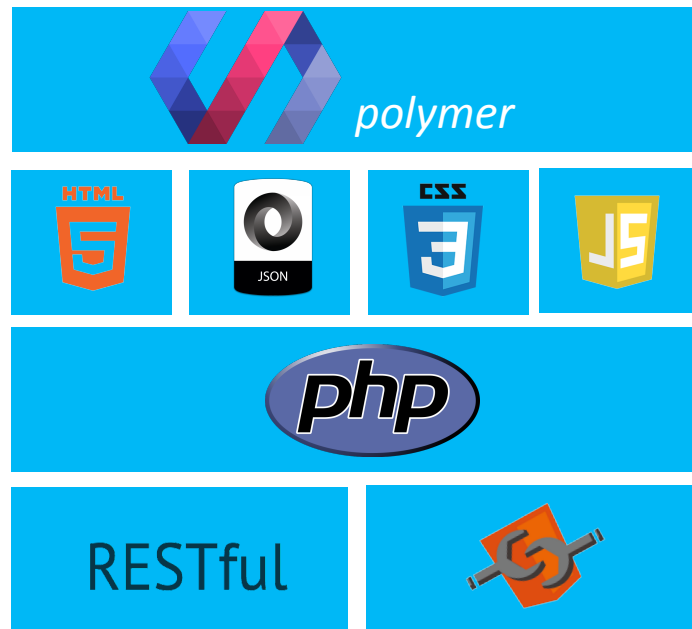
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- What is a Datalet?
  - Self-consistent web content.
  - OO inspired.
  - Live Data-Driven approach for interacting visualisation.



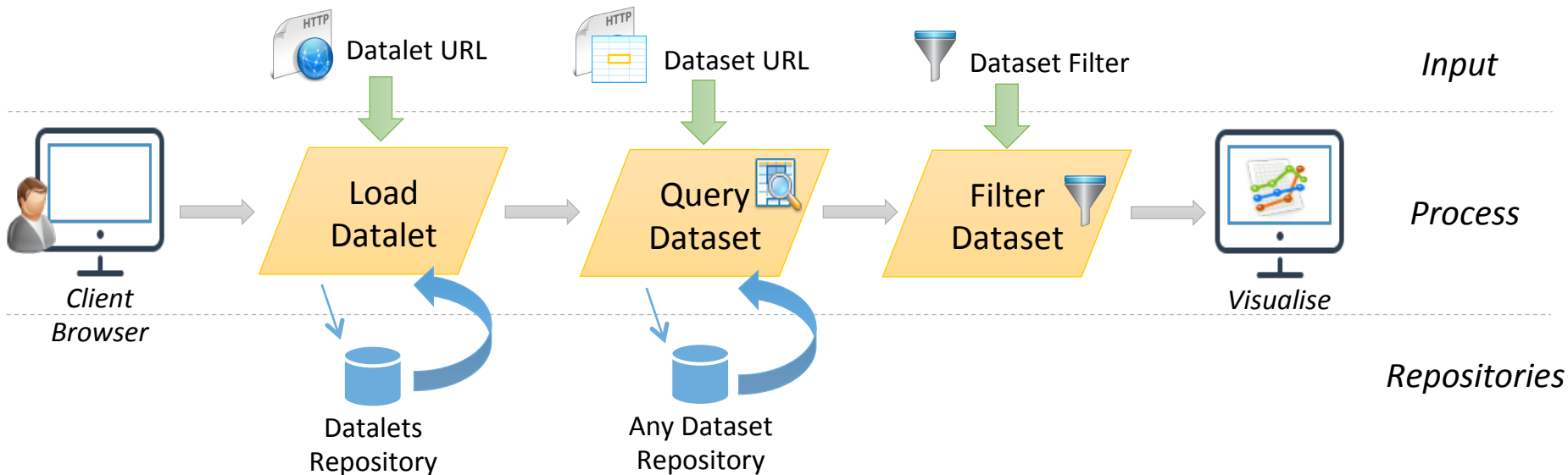
- Where can I place a Datalet?



- Building bricks?
  - Web-Component
  - JavaScript and Code Injection
  - RESTful service
  - Polymer
  - HTML 5
  - CSS
  - JSON
  - PHP



- Work-Cycle



DataEts-Ecosystem Provider

[← Datalets list - examples](#)

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## About the Route-To-PA Project

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Datalet Creator

## Welcome to SPOD

The Social Platform for Open Data (SPOD) enables social interactions among open data users and between open data users and government data.

## Explore Associated Dataset Providers

You can now explore our associated dataset providers. Click on a rectangle below to refine your research and find a dataset of your interest. Rectangle sizes is proportional to the number of dataset available. You can dig down until a preview of the dataset will appear. If you want to navigate back to the top level, just click the top bar.

Associated dataset providers are:

- TET v.0.1.0 @ Gahway (Ireland)
- Example CKAN with data from out pilots (Reno, Groningen, Den Haag)
- data.gov.uk (UK)
- data.lay.com (from OpenDataSoft, France)
- Dataportal van de Nederlandse overheid (Netherlands)
- Open data Regione Lazio (Italy)
- Ireland's Open Data Portal (Ireland)

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SPOD

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Maximising interoperability - core vocabularies, location-aware data and more


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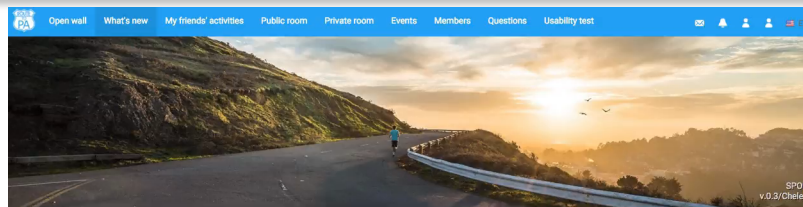
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Platform Administrator

Oct 13

Searching for OCKAN APIs availabilities for SPOD

General • A General discussion

Has anyone an answer to Pina's question?

Elena Palmisano

Oct 1

Co-creation Mode

General • A General discussion

Ok... right... we will do it!

Vittorio Scarsano

Sep 29

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- **Security**
  - Datalets certification mechanism (trust in data provenance).
- **Efficiency**
  - Client side efficiency (caching mechanism).
  - Server side efficiency (CDN).
- **Smart** visualisation
  - Suggesting Datalets/Dataset according to statistics and metrics.

# Questions?

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Thank you for your attention.