

# Government management and use of data



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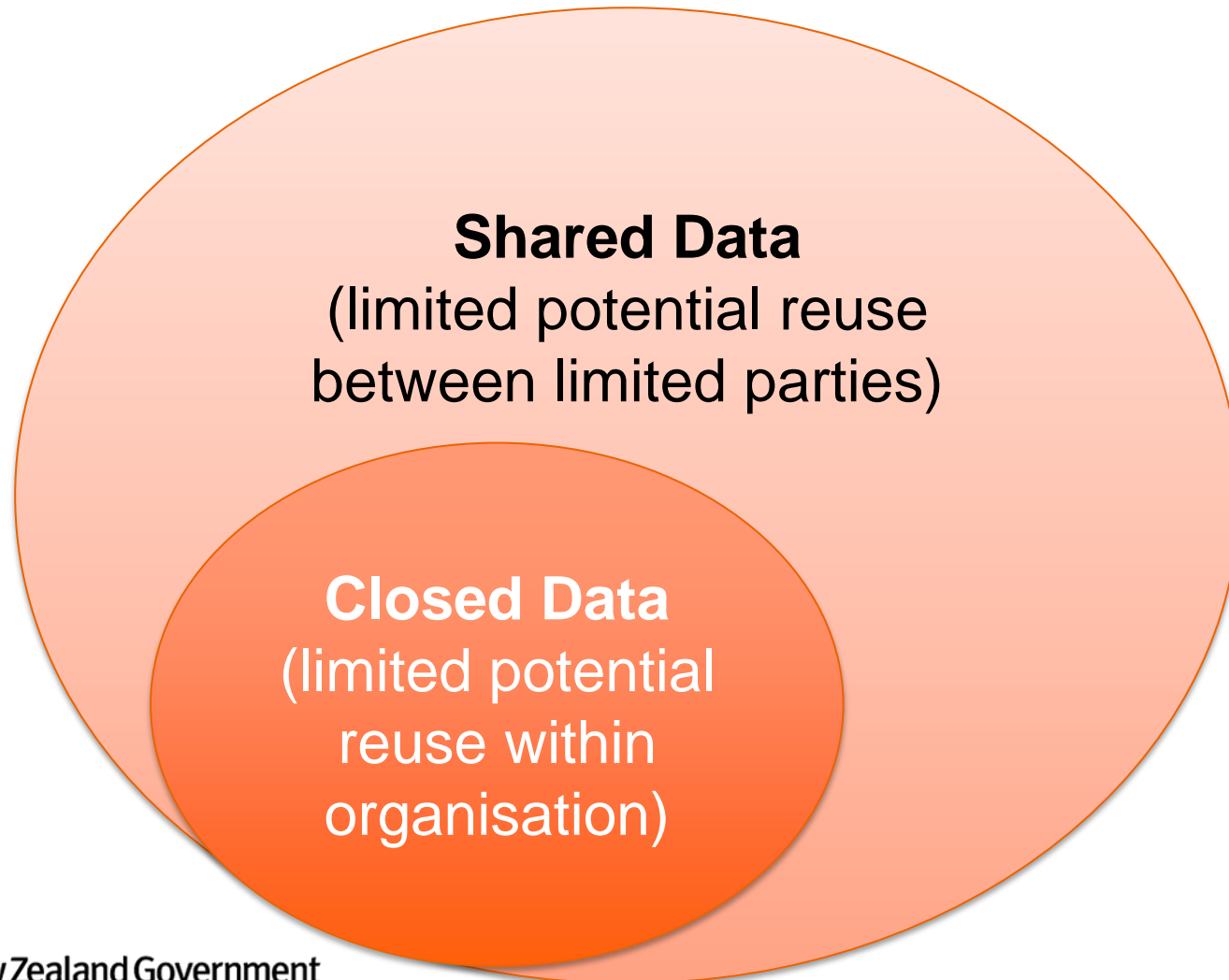


A close-up photograph of a green seed packet with a white tear, spilling numerous small, orange, oval-shaped seeds onto dark, rich soil. The seeds are scattered across the foreground and midground. The packet is positioned diagonally from the top right towards the center.

Open  
Data

**“Data that anyone  
can access, use and  
share”**

# Every time data is reused, more value is realised



**Open Data**  
(unlimited potential  
reuse)

Government agencies are custodians of a public data asset, and therefore have a responsibility to maximise the value generated from it.

**Copyright** - is about ownership

**Licensing** – is the owner giving permission to reuse

**Creative Commons** – internationally standard licence

**NZGOAL** – guidance in applying CC licences



# Discover and use data

Search for: ☒ Website content ☐ Datasets

6.5k

datasets

158

organisations

38

groups



## [Open Data Day 2019 – a New Zealand-wide event](#)

This year, groups from around the country took part in International Open Data Day, working on everything from writing tutorials and feedback, to building front ends, to sharing knowledge and discussing books.



## [Help improve NZ's 12 key datasets for resilience and climate change](#)

As emergency response agencies sift through the embers of the recent Pigeon Valley Fire, the lessons are again clear: reliable information, consistent communication and open data are critical.



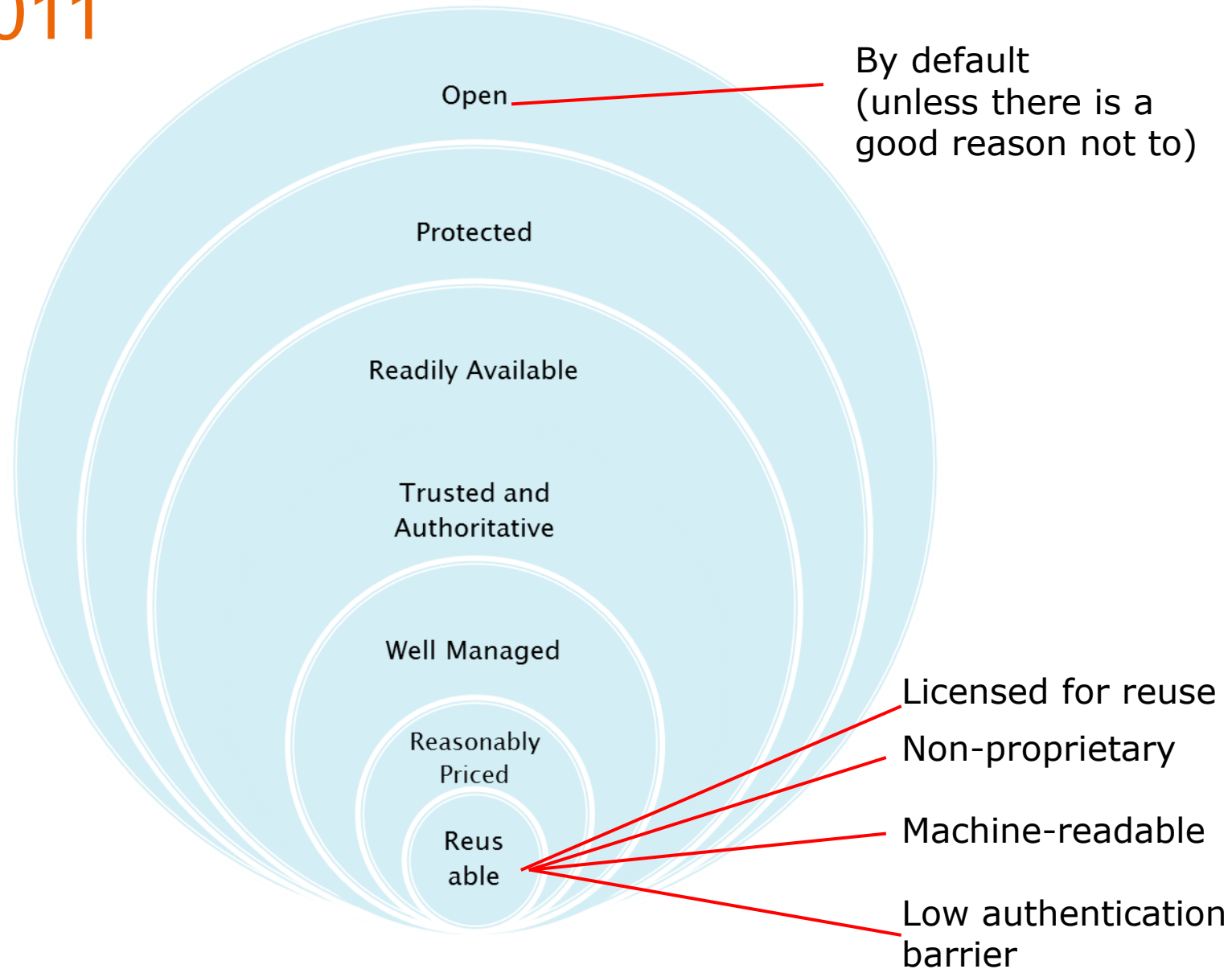
## [Our content strategy – why we're here, and what we want to do](#)

In January 2019, we published the content strategy and style guide for data.govt.nz. We'd love to get your feedback.

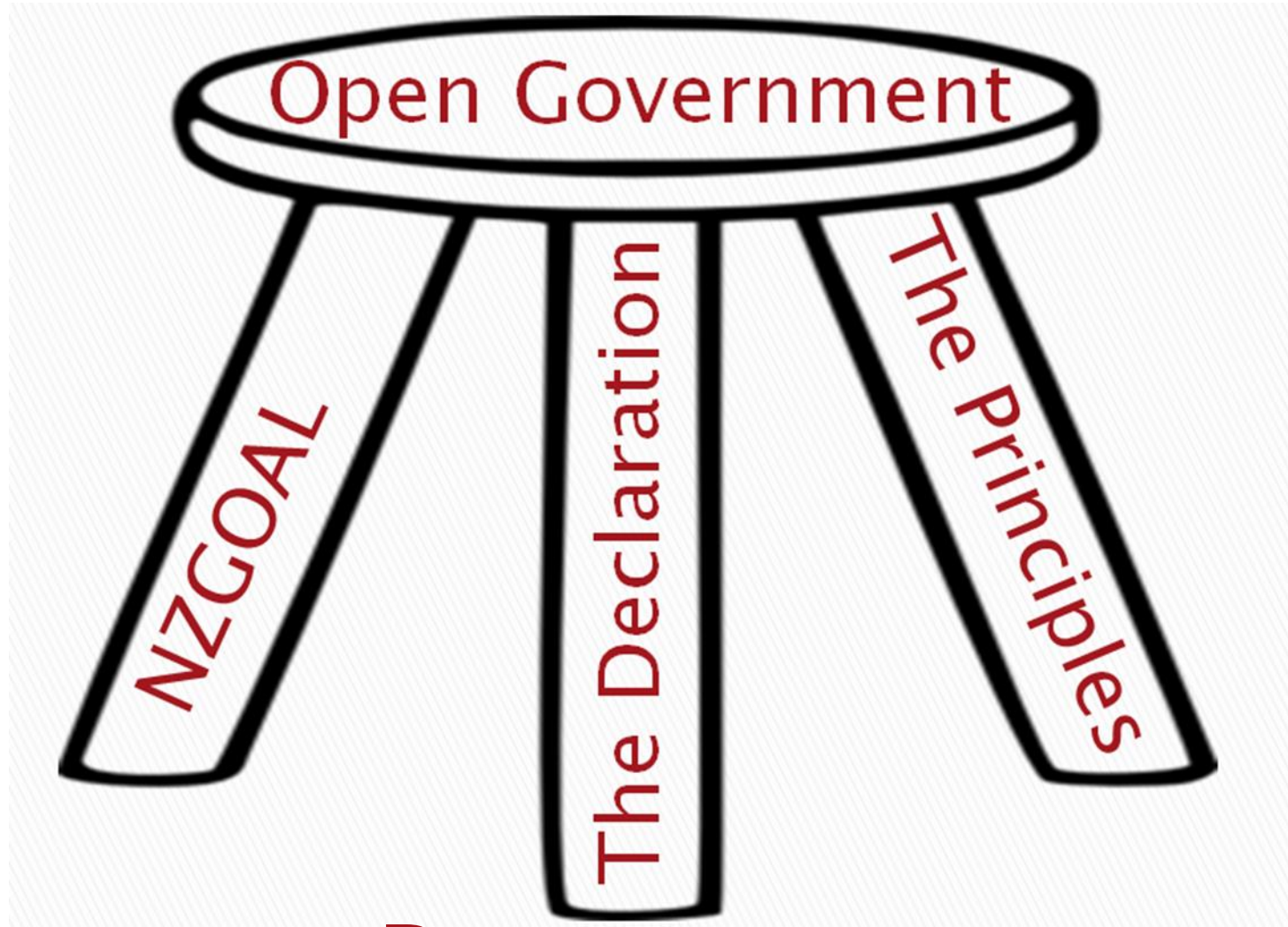
[Guidance](#)

By aimee whitcroft on 1 Mar 2019

# NZ Data and Information Management Principles, 2011



# Foundations for Open Government Data and Information



[Data.govt.nz](https://data.govt.nz)

# NZ Declaration on Open and Transparent Government, 2011

Government agencies to proactively release all publicly funded data that is:

- non-personal and unclassified
- high potential value for re-use
- **managed according to the Principles**
- **licensed for re-use (NZGOAL)**
- **published on [Data.govt.nz](https://data.govt.nz)**





open data charter



## The Charter Principles:

1. Open by Default
2. Timely and Comprehensive
3. Accessible and Usable
4. Comparable and interoperable
5. For Improved Governance and Citizen Engagement
6. For Inclusive Development and Innovation

# Open Data Action Plan

<https://trello.com/b/xWQGkQ94/nz-open-data-implementation-plan>

The screenshot shows a Trello board titled "NZ open data implementation plan" with a background image of a forest. The board is organized into columns representing different stages or themes of the implementation plan. Each column contains cards with specific tasks, dates, and labels.

- Reinvigorate data champions network**
  - Organise data champions workshop #2 (Dec 5, 2018)
- Understand capability gaps in govt agencies**
  - Research releasing open data and adopting an open by design culture (Dec 31, 2018)
  - Identify possible interventions
- Build awareness of open data's value**
  - Develop engagement plan (Dec 14, 2018)
  - Promote data.govt.nz through events (Dec 21, 2018)
  - Increase local govt engagement (Dec 31, 2018)
  - Finalise and implement engagement plan (Jan 18)
  - Organise Open Data, Open Potential #2 (Apr 30)
- Build sustainability**
  - Explore persistent ID service with National Library (Dec 31, 2018)
  - Implement persistent ID service (Mar 31)
  - Build key messaging (Mar 31)
  - Design open government training (Mar 31)
- Equip agencies to proactively release data**
  - Design and prototype data de-identification tool (Mar 31)
  - Improve guidance for applying NZGOAL (Mar 1)
- Done**
  - Organise final Wellington open data meetup of year (Dec 10, 2018)
  - Organise final Auckland open data meetup for 2018 (Nov 19, 2018)
  - Identify possible govt agencies for tranche two (Sep 28, 2018)
  - Establish central location for open data resources (Aug 31, 2018)
  - Publish guidance on implementing the Open Data Charter (Jun 30, 2018)
  - Deliver data visualisation course (Dunedin) (Jun 19, 2018)
  - Deliver data visualisation course (Wellington) (Jun 8, 2018)



# Government Chief Data Steward

The GCDS is:

- Setting the strategic direction for government's data management
- Leading New Zealand's state sector's response to new and emerging data issues
- Co-developing a Data Stewardship Framework to enable agencies to manage data as a strategic asset and benchmark their data maturity
- Leading the government's commitment to accelerating the release of open data.

<https://www.data.govt.nz/about/government-chief-data-steward-gcgs/>

# GCDS: What's a happening?...

- developing a **Data Stewardship Framework**
- setting up a cost recovery **Data & Analytics Consultancy**
- developing an **Operational Data Governance Framework**
- developing a **Data Capability Framework**

# GCDs: What's a happening?...

- accelerating **Data Inventories** across government
- publishing **guidance** on data.govt.nz
- establishing an **Advisory Group on Trusted Data Use**
- **Data Confidentiality as a Service** (DCaaS)



So what open data has been released?...

# On Data.govt.nz you find...

The Census

**Statistics** on business; economic indicators; education & training; environment; government finance; health; income & work; People & communities

Land – titles; parcels; roads; elevation & other topographic layers

Vegetation cover

Soil types

# On Data.govt.nz you find...

Traffic counts

Pedestrian counts

River flow

Water quality, air quality

Capture of seabird, marine mammal & turtle bycatch in trawl fisheries

Family services directory



# On Data.govt.nz you find...

**Location of facilities and infrastructure** – like sewer pipes; water pipes; storm water; broadband; wi-fi; libraries; public toilets; bus stops; train stations; bus routes and schedules; parks and reserves; campsites; recreation centres; community halls

Resource consents

district plan zones

locations of hazardous substances

# On Data.govt.nz you find...

Discharge to land & air

Human effluent discharge

Mudfish habitat

Water use

**Legislation**

walking tracks

Cycle tracks

# On Data.govt.nz you find...

Tsunami zones

Fault lines

Earthquake occurrences

Floodways

Water catchments

Road assets such as bridges, signage, car parks, speed zones

Historic places

# On Data.govt.nz you find...

Digital archive and museum collections

Location of schools & school zones

Location of animal species

Aerial imagery

Sunshine hours, rainfall & wind statistics

UV index

Melanoma rates

Ocean acidification



# On [Data.govt.nz](https://data.govt.nz) you find...

Lightning strikes

Ozone concentrations

Sea surface temperatures

Greenhouse gas emissions

Glacier ice volumes

Fishery observations

Predicted capture of fish species

# On Data.govt.nz you find...

Company details

Register of Charities and their financial returns

Government policy consultations

Mineral and coal permits

Government grants to social services, arts and cultural organisations

Lotteries revenue and allocation

# On Data.govt.nz you find...

Marine mammal sanctuaries

Seafood export values

Tourist volumes and spend

Soil moisture

Dog registrations

Liquor ban areas

Property Sales data

# On Data.govt.nz you find...

Cemetery plots

Defence Force service and medals

Building outlines

Alcohol licences

Building consents

Property revaluations

Plant pest surveillance



# On Data.govt.nz you find...

Crime statistics

Tax statistics

State sector remuneration

Public service capability

Gender stocktake of sector boards and committees

Electricity market information

prison statistics

# On Data.govt.nz you find...

Public perceptions towards cyber crime

Electoral enrolment and voting statistics

Budget and fiscal updates from Treasury

Social housing register

Vehicles registration

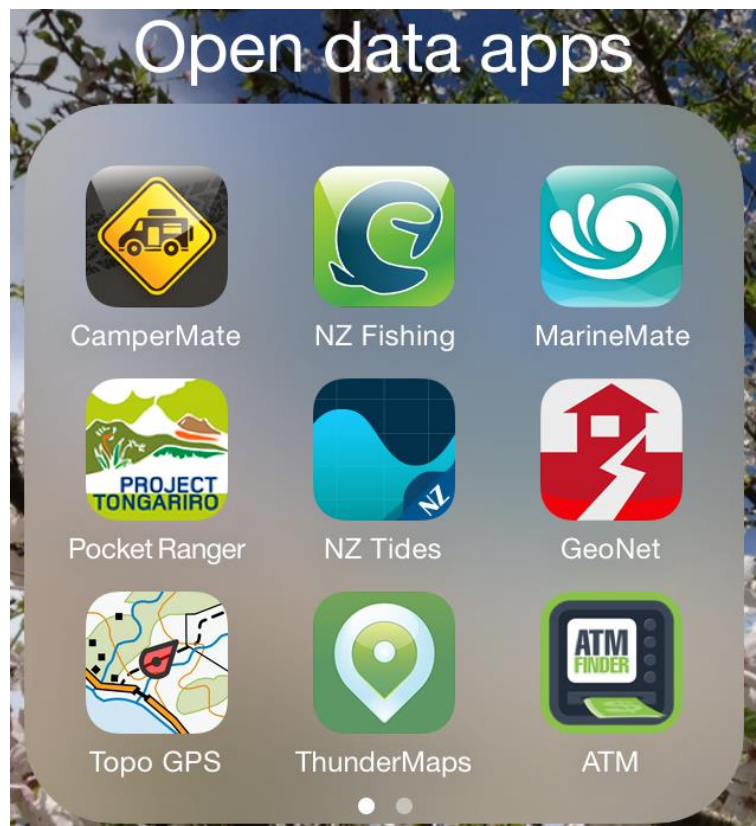
Women's suffrage petition

Most popular male and female names

Market rents...

So how is open data being  
used?...

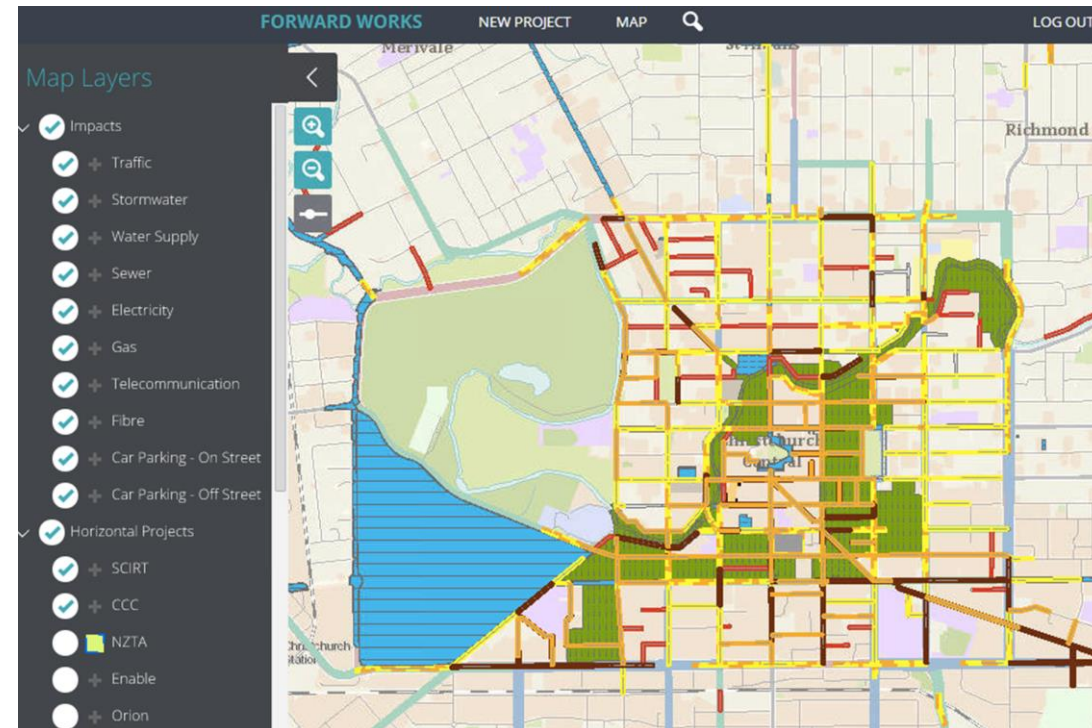
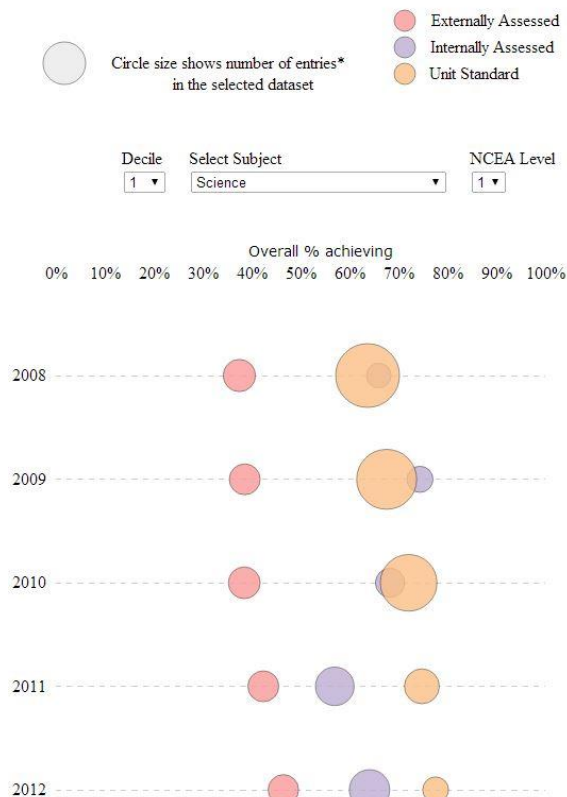
# New products and services



## Interactive - How NCEA has evolved

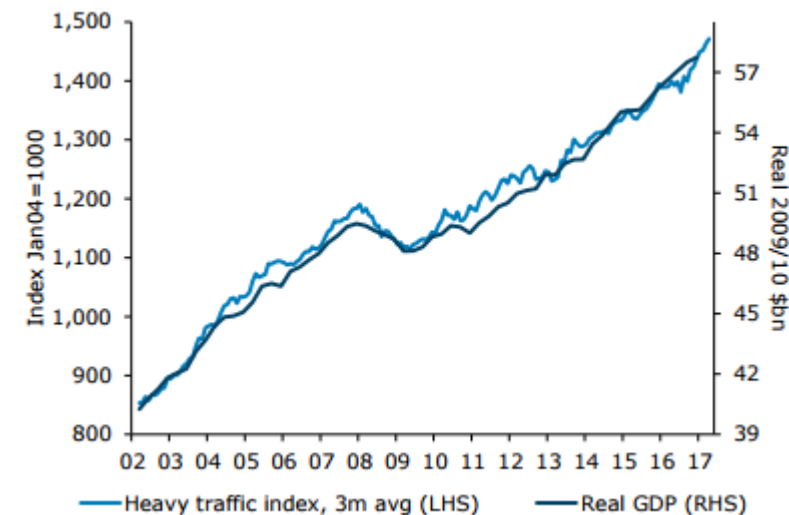
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Achievement rate since 2008 in 20 subjects for all deciles and NCEA levels.



## ANZ TRUCKOMETER

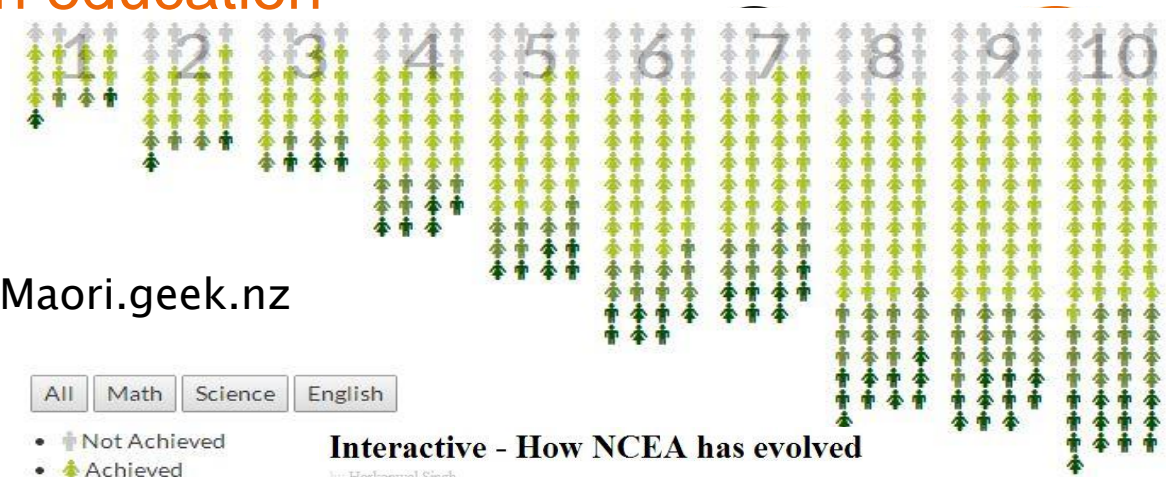
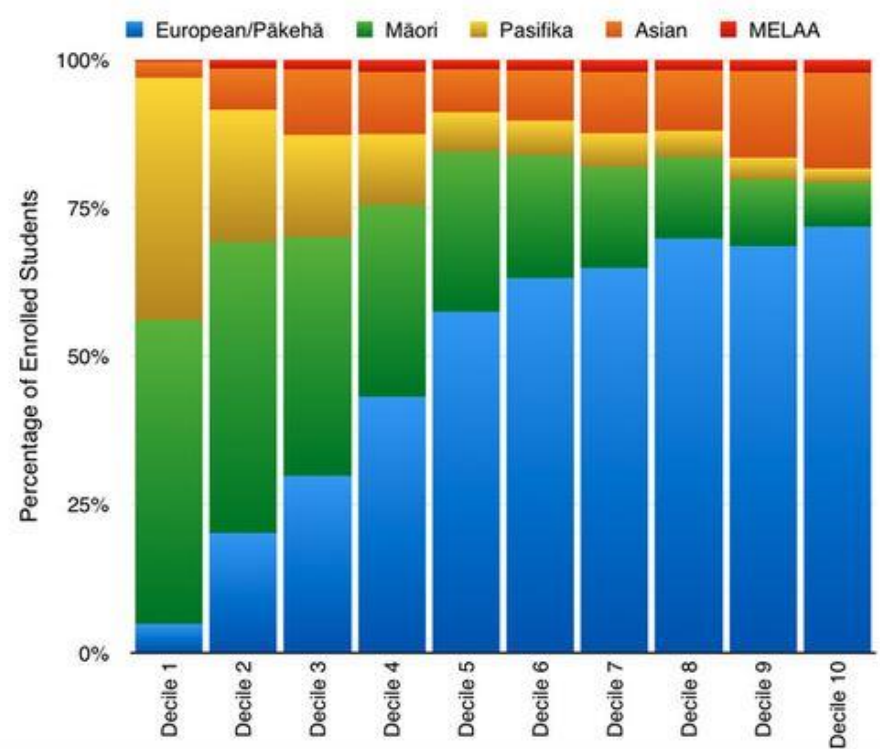
GDP AND THE ANZ HEAVY TRAFFIC INDEX 3-MONTH AVERAGE





# Visualisation and public debate in the media on education policy

@polemic



Maori.geek.nz

All Math Science English

- Not Achieved
- Achieved
- Merit
- Excellence

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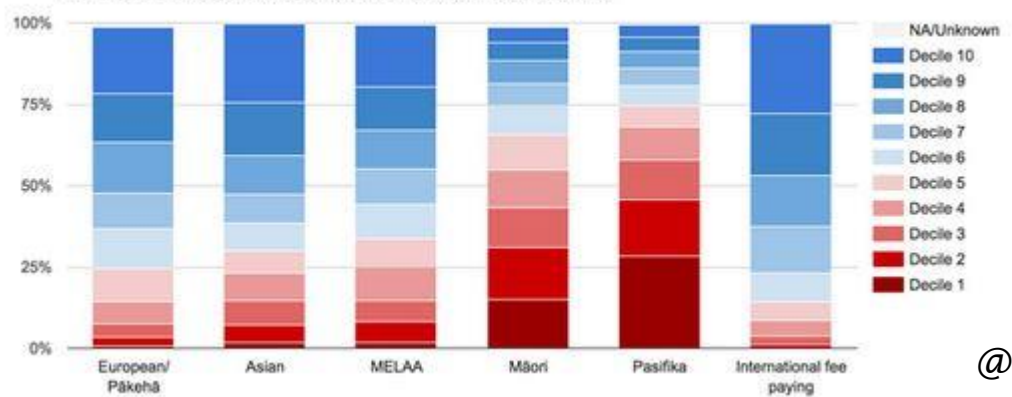
Circle size shows number of entries\* in the selected dataset

Externally Assessed Internally Assessed Unit Standard

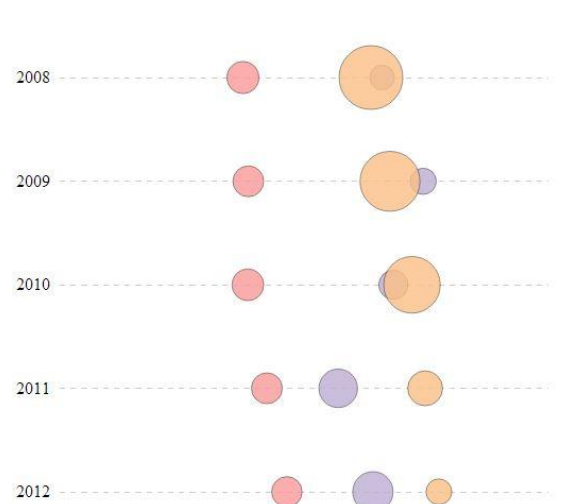
Decile: 1 Select Subject: Science NCEA Level: 1



2014 NZ proportion of students in each school decile by ethnicity



@fogonwater



NZ Herald



# Health & Safety (SaferMe)



Using data to make your people  
safer at work.

Get a Free Trial





# Supporting communities (CCS Disability)



HOME > MOBILITY PARKING > ACCESS AWARE

## The FREE Access Aware app is now live in Christchurch and Wellington!

The Access Aware app was developed in partnership with [ThunderMaps](#) and is a world first initiative set to revolutionise the reporting and enforcement of mobility parking abuse.



Help build a more accessible Aotearoa

Start by reporting mobility parking misuse  
**Download Access Aware today**



# Pixar: *The Good Dinosaur*



Open data from the US Geological Survey (topographical and landcover data) used to more efficiently render large landscapes



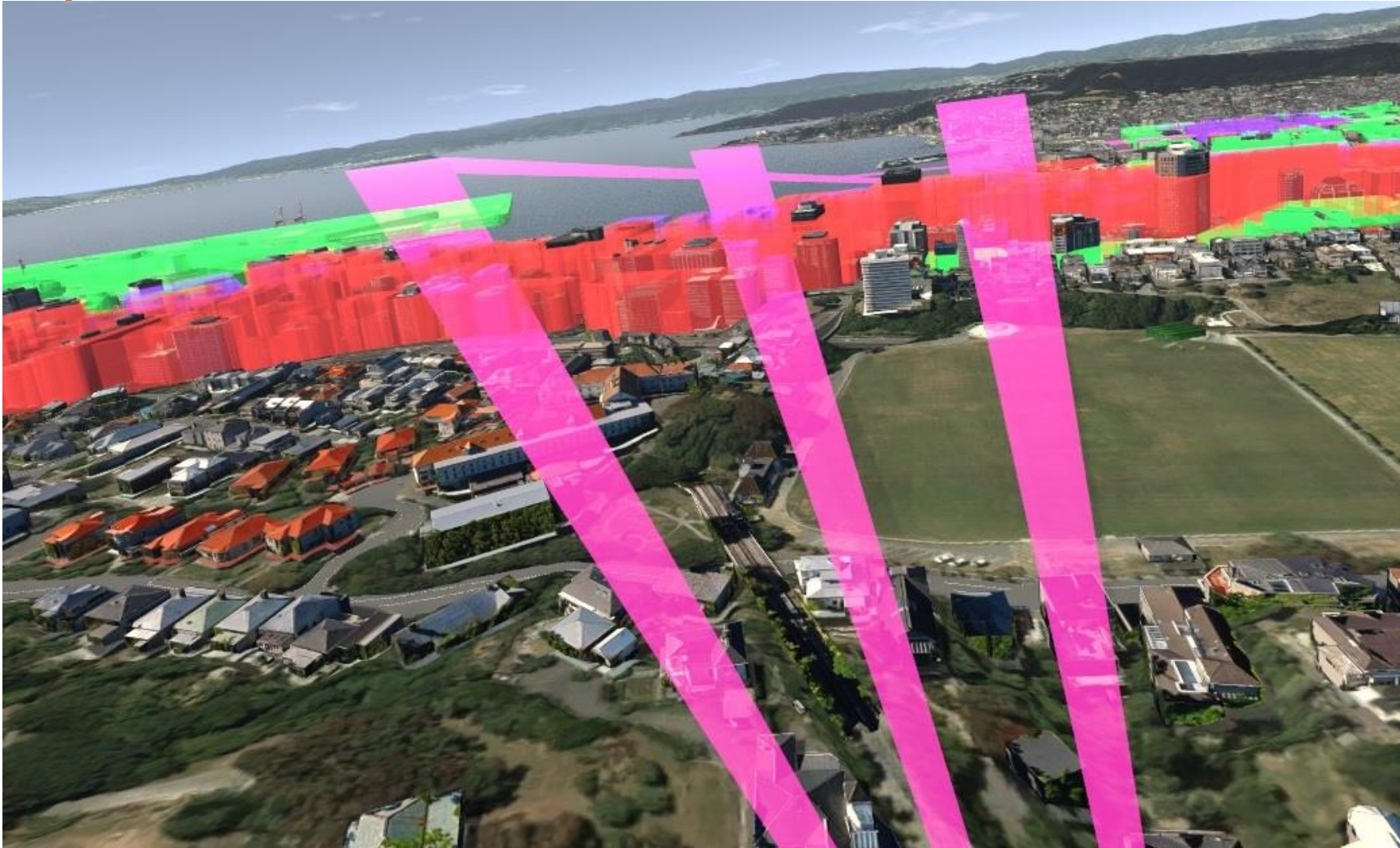
# Using AI on open data to generate more data



From aerial photography  
data to lean building and  
road outline data



# 3D Virtual reality data (Wellington City Council)



Wellington's District Plan controls for the central area seen from the top of the Kelburn Cable Car

# 3D Virtual reality data (Wellington City Council)



Visualise the impact of sea level rise (using the land elevation)



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