



Open Contracting

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We open up public contracting
through disclosure, data
and participation...



...so that the trillions of dollars spent every year on providing goods and services to citizens deliver on their promise of public benefit



Open Contracting can save governments money and time, deliver better services to citizens and create a better business environment for all



15% of GDP

9.5

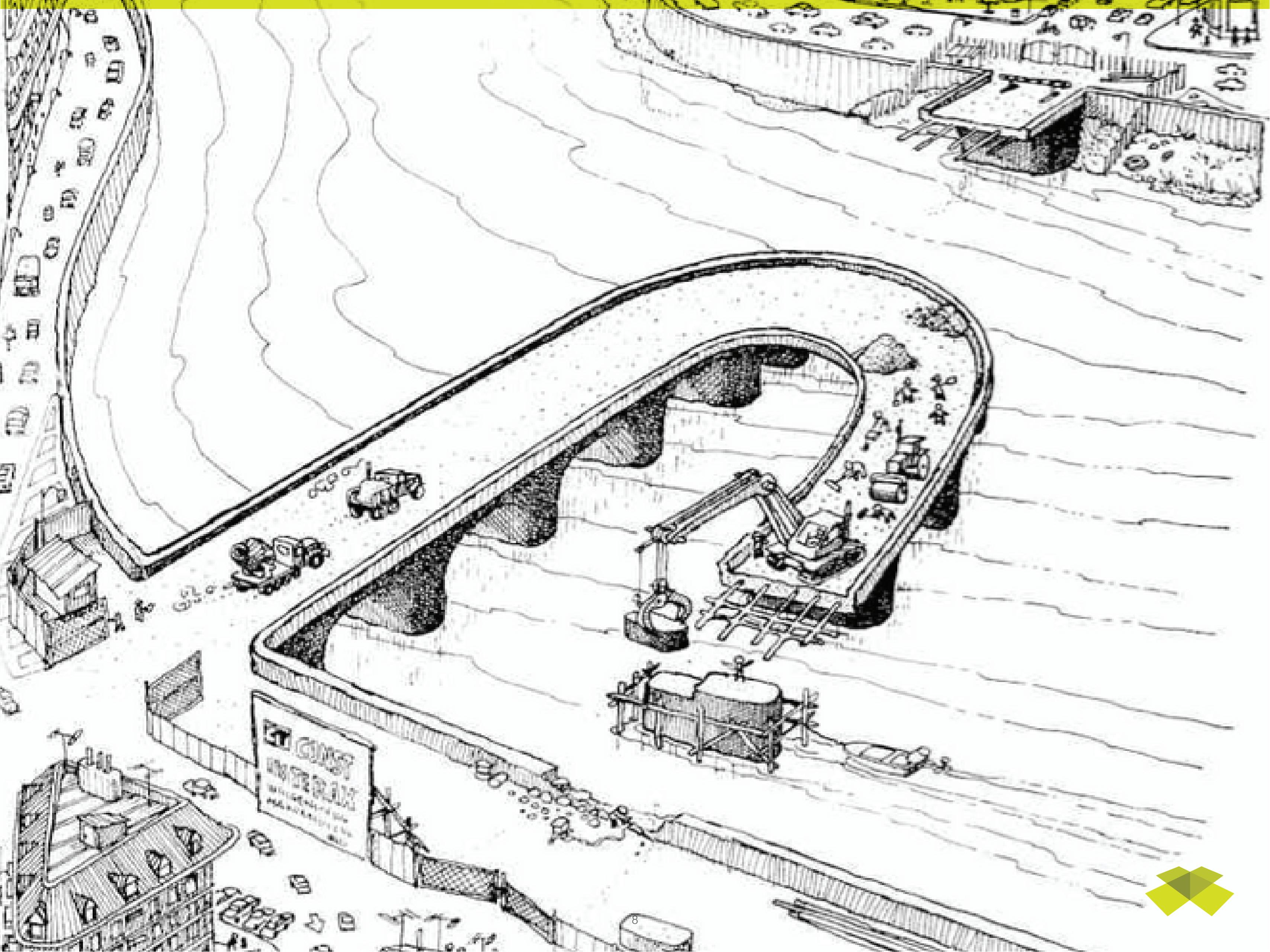
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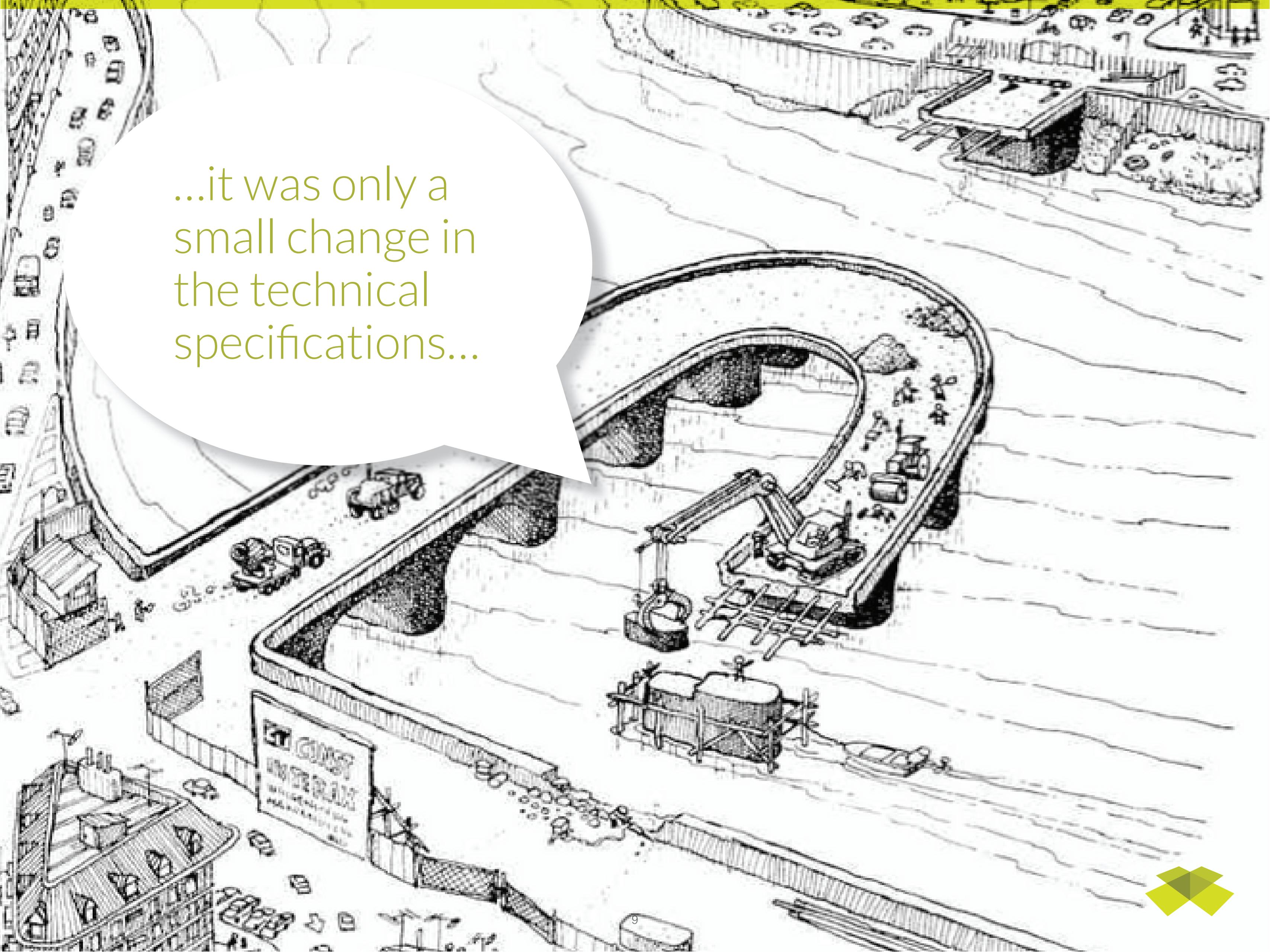
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...it was only a
small change in
the technical
specifications...





What is Open Contracting?



Publication & disclosure
of contracting data



Participation & use
of the data



Feedback and redress
so problems get fixed



Innovation



Disclosure + Participation by Stage

Planning	Formation	Award	Implementation	Termination
Information about the planning of a contract	Information about the tendering or negotiation process.	Information about the awarded contract	Information about implementation including payments	Information on end of contract life
Consultation	Observation	Observation	Monitoring	



Benefits

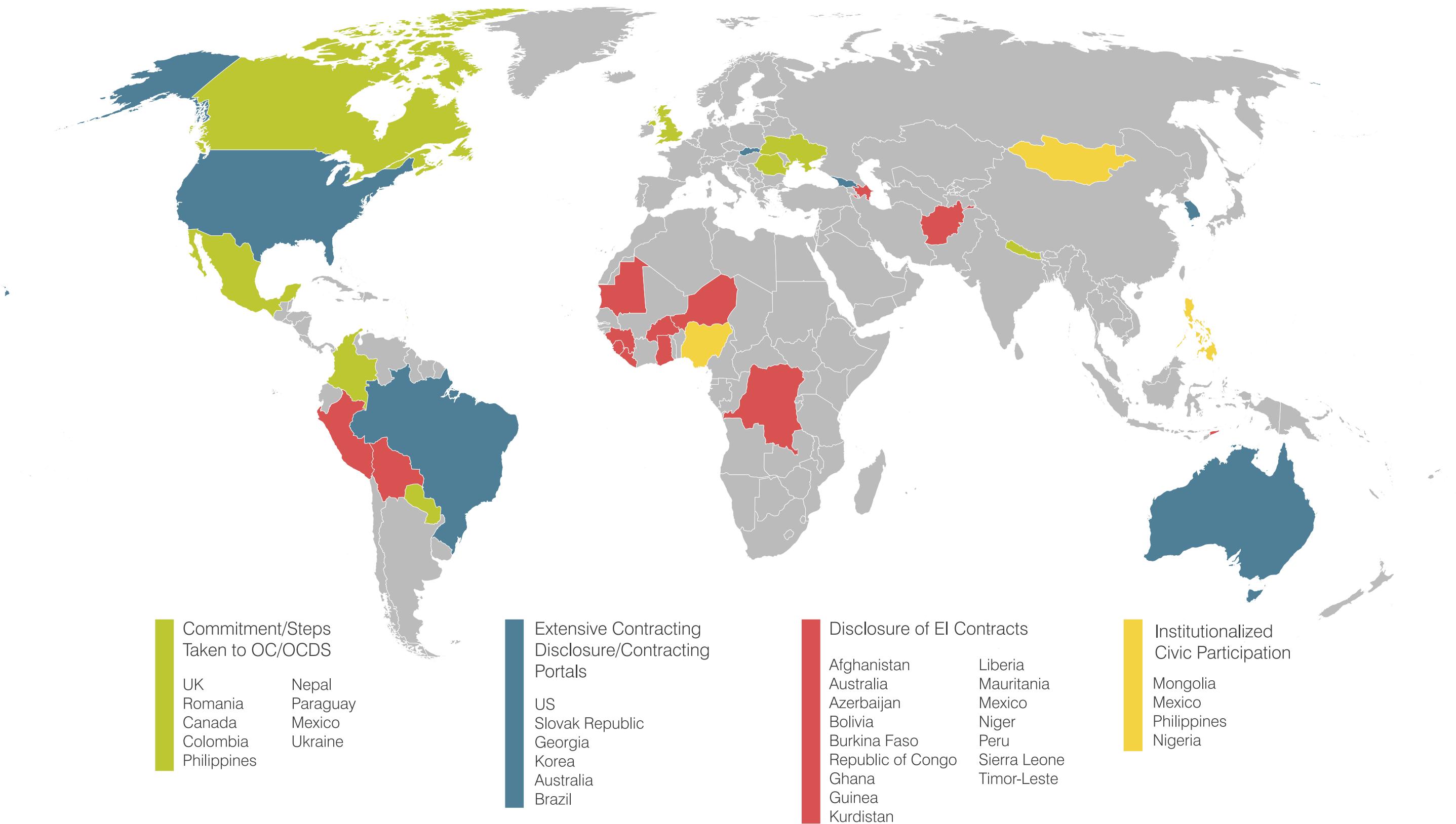
- ▶ Save governments money and time
- ▶ Improve service delivery to citizens
- ▶ Level playing field for business, more SMEs
- ▶ Unlock innovation
- ▶ Deter fraud and corruption

= **MORE AGILE PROCUREMENT**

= **MORE TRUSTED GOVERNMENT**

= **IMPROVED QUALITY OF LIFE**





OC Main Features

Multi-stakeholder collaboration

Constructive engagement

Disclosure of contracting data

Capacity building of stakeholders

Tool development/adaptation

Contract Monitoring and Reporting

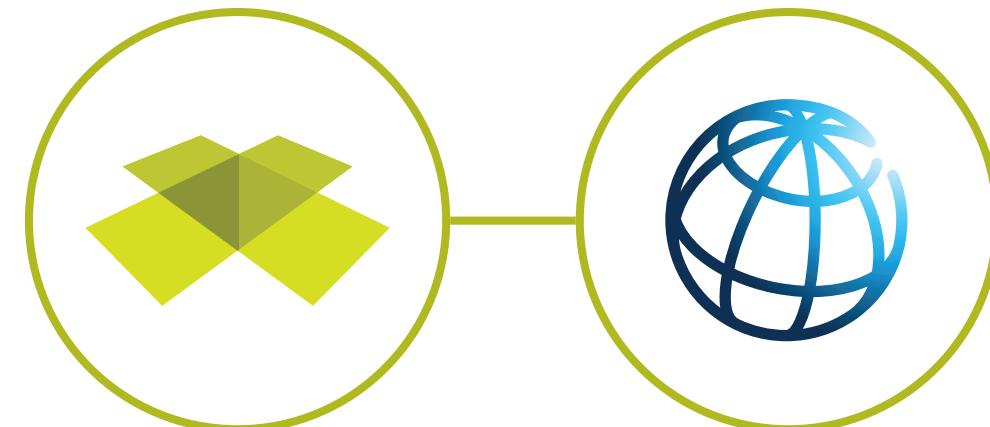
Institutional mechanisms for feedback



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Extractive
Industries
Transparency
Initiative



Construction
Sector
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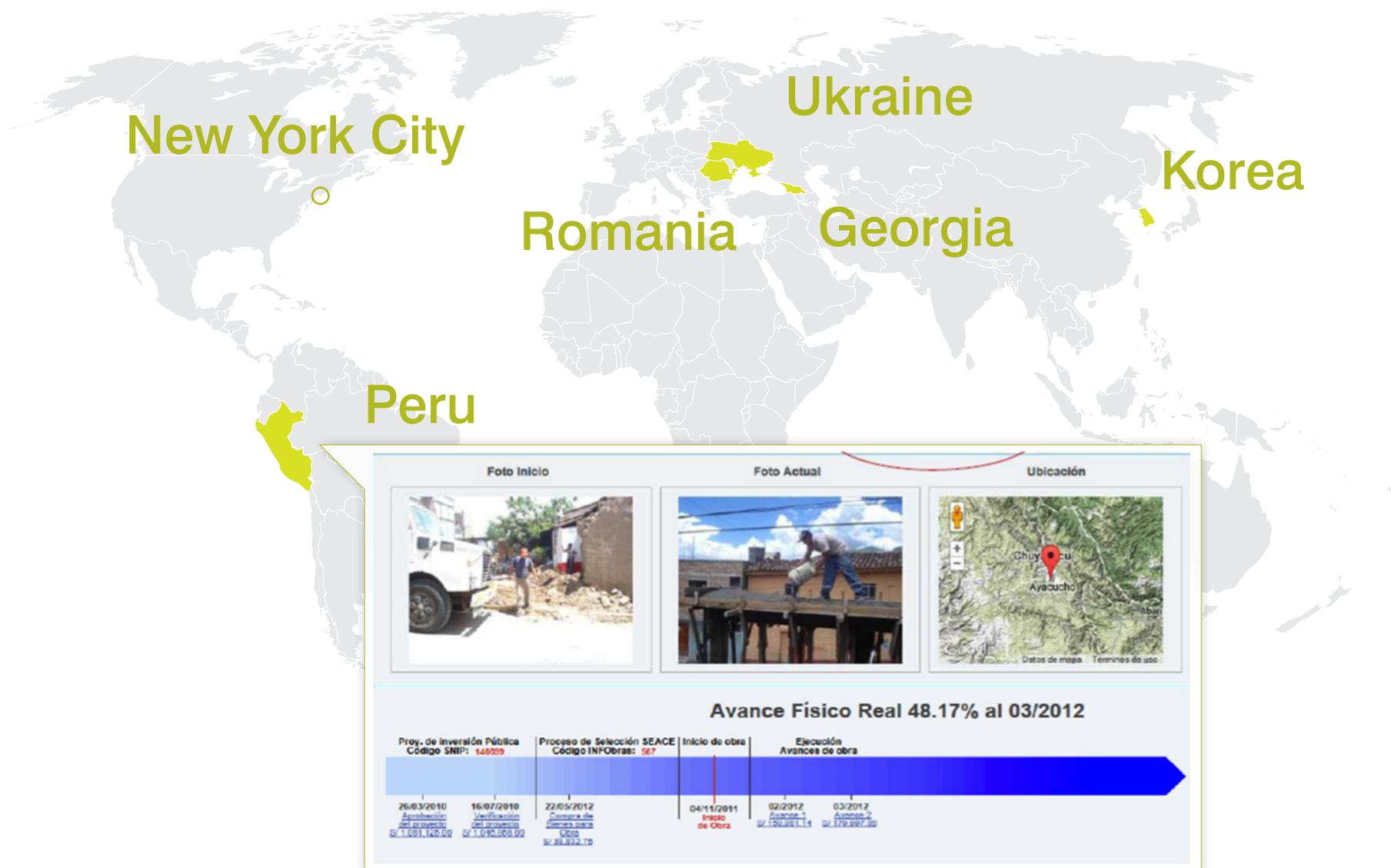


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Some Illustrative Examples

Systems and Interfaces

- ▶ Interoperable data
- ▶ Easy visualizations
- ▶ User Friendly Participation



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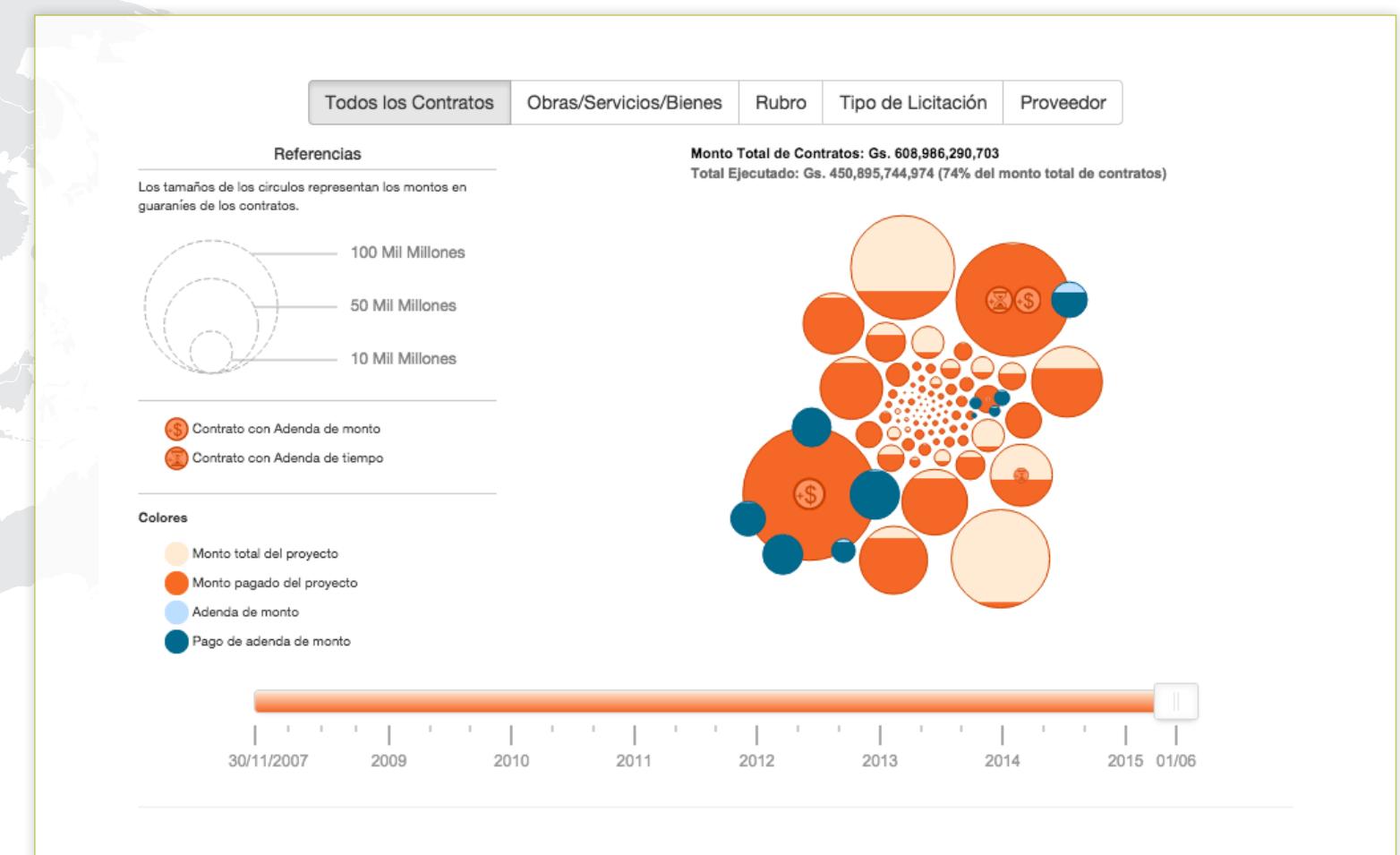
Opening Contracting Data:

- ▶ Demonstrative Pilot – mapping contracting data
- ▶ Recommending Technical Upgrades to Procurement Information Management System
- ▶ New tools and Applications
- ▶ Capacity Building to create and use contracting data



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Principles to Practice:

- ▶ Open Contracting Assessment
- ▶ Dimensions of both Disclosure and Participation
- ▶ Concrete recommendations and targets for action



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Boosting Accountability:

- ▶ Multi-stakeholder action planning
- ▶ Capacity Building
- ▶ Creating Feedback Loops in the Contracting Process





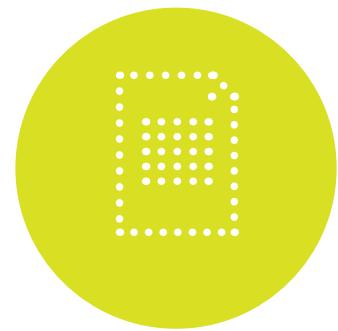


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The data standard describes how to release **documents** and **data** at, and about, each stage of a contracting process...



Planning



Tender



Award

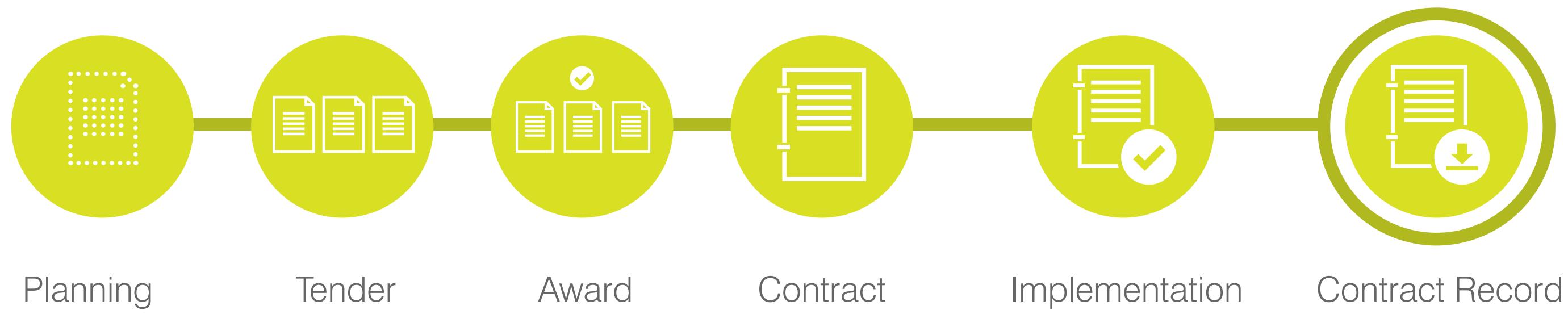


Contract



Implementation





...and **OCDS** describes how to bring those **releases** together in a snapshot record providing timely, and accessible, open **data** on all aspects of contracting.



Integrated Data



What can users do with this data?



Value for money in procurement

Good value for money on the goods and services in the procurement process & identify value for money in concluded contracts.

Analyze trends in prices and supplier performance

Comparable data (codelists and unit prices).



Detecting fraud and corruption

Scrutinize procurement documents and data for ‘red flags’ that might indicate public monies are being mis-used.

‘Micro’ approach and ‘systemic’ approach

Linkable data using globally unique identifiers for companies



Competing for public contracts

Track contracting opportunities

Information on past contracts

Forward looking and timely information



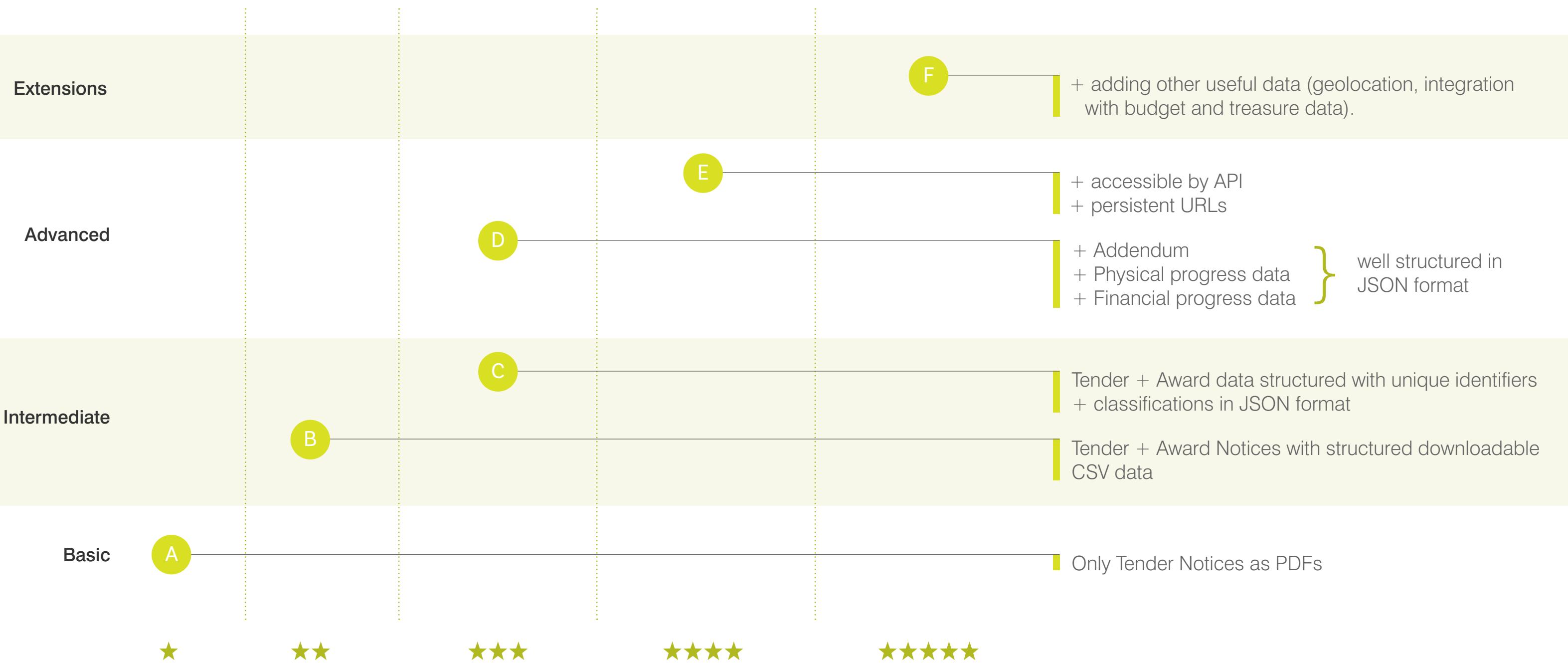
Monitoring Service Delivery

Ensure that public contracting is delivering value to citizens in terms of quality of goods, works, and services.

Especial interest on data on location and subcontracting



How to implement OCDS



Thank you!



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