

New horizons in open data

Developing
[open]data
ecosystem





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Open Data evolution in Estonia

2011 – joined Open Government Partnership

2013-2015 – Public Sector Information Directive II (EU)

2014 – Green Paper on Publishing Machine-Readable Public Information

2015 – national Open Data Portal

2016 – enforcement of OD-related requirements in Estonian Public Information Act

2016 – establishment of Open Knowledge Estonia (OK-EE)

2018 – OK-EE contracted to advance OD in Estonia in the next 3 years

Legal and policy framework

Public Information Act

All unrestricted public data > Open Data

Machine-readable

All public sector organizations should link their OD in the national Open Data Portal

Green Paper

Key principles > open standards, open license, accessibility, machine-readability, privacy protection

Recommendation to use > open license, structured, non-proprietary open format)

Open Government Partnership Action Plans

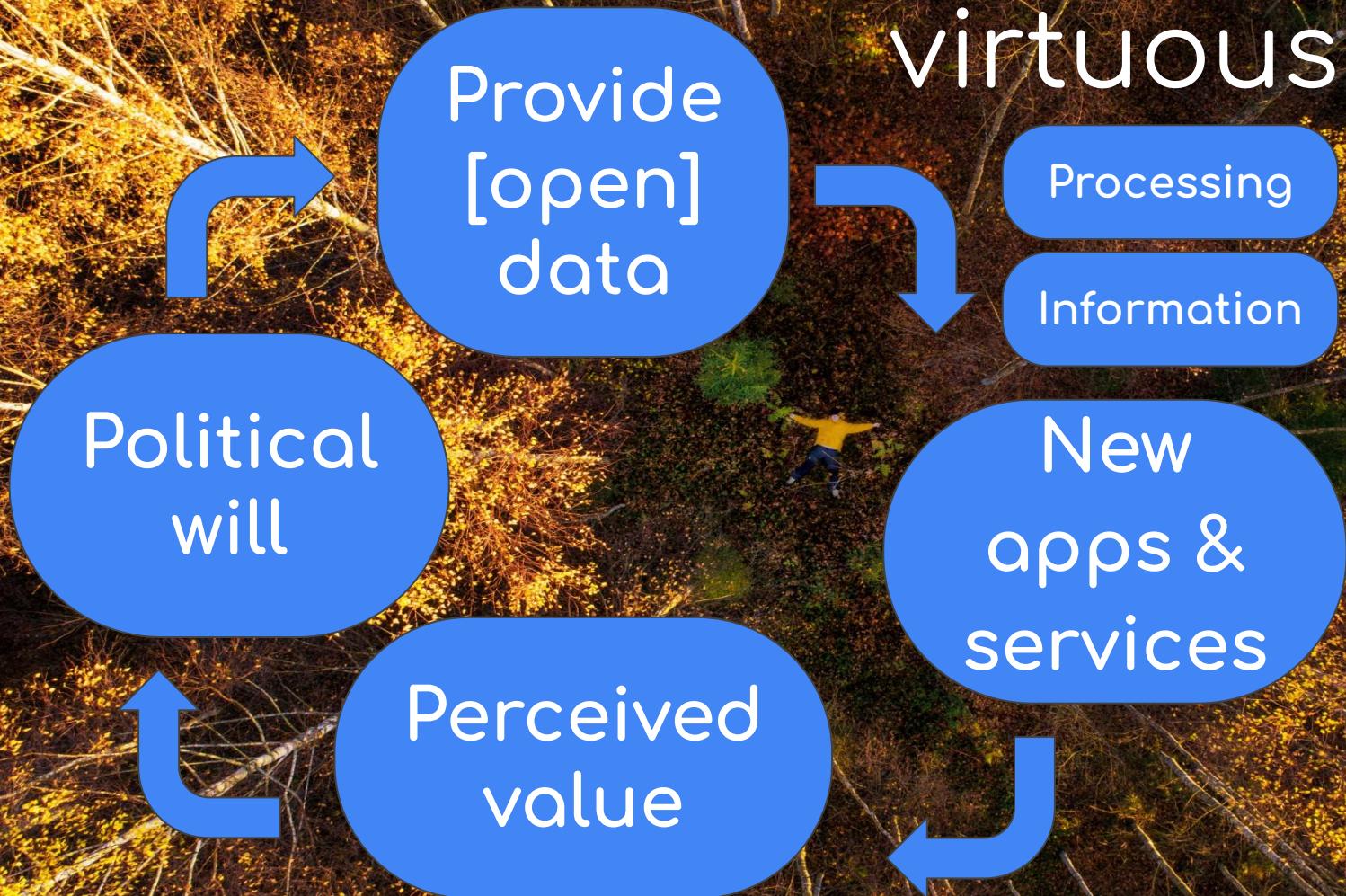
General advancement of OD in Estonia (OD repository, pilot apps, opening up data in certain domains, etc.)

Information Society Strategy 2020

Easy access to data and information (incl. Open Data Portal) + publishing cultural heritage data as OD



virtuous circle

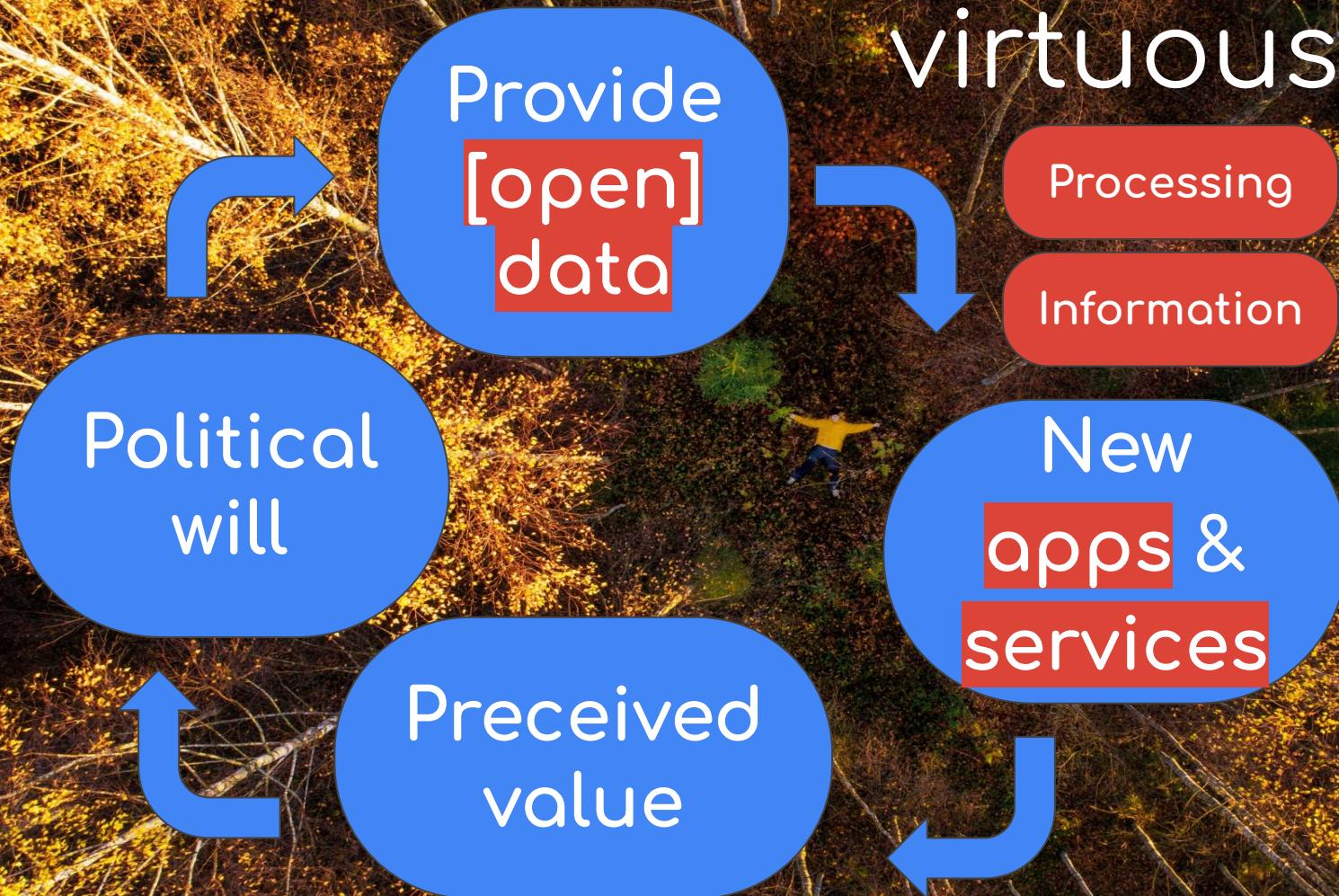


A photograph of a sailboat on a calm sea at sunset. The sun's reflection is a bright white streak on the water. The sky is a gradient from orange to blue. Overlaid text reads "Taking steps and concrete action points".

Taking steps and
concrete action points

Blockers?

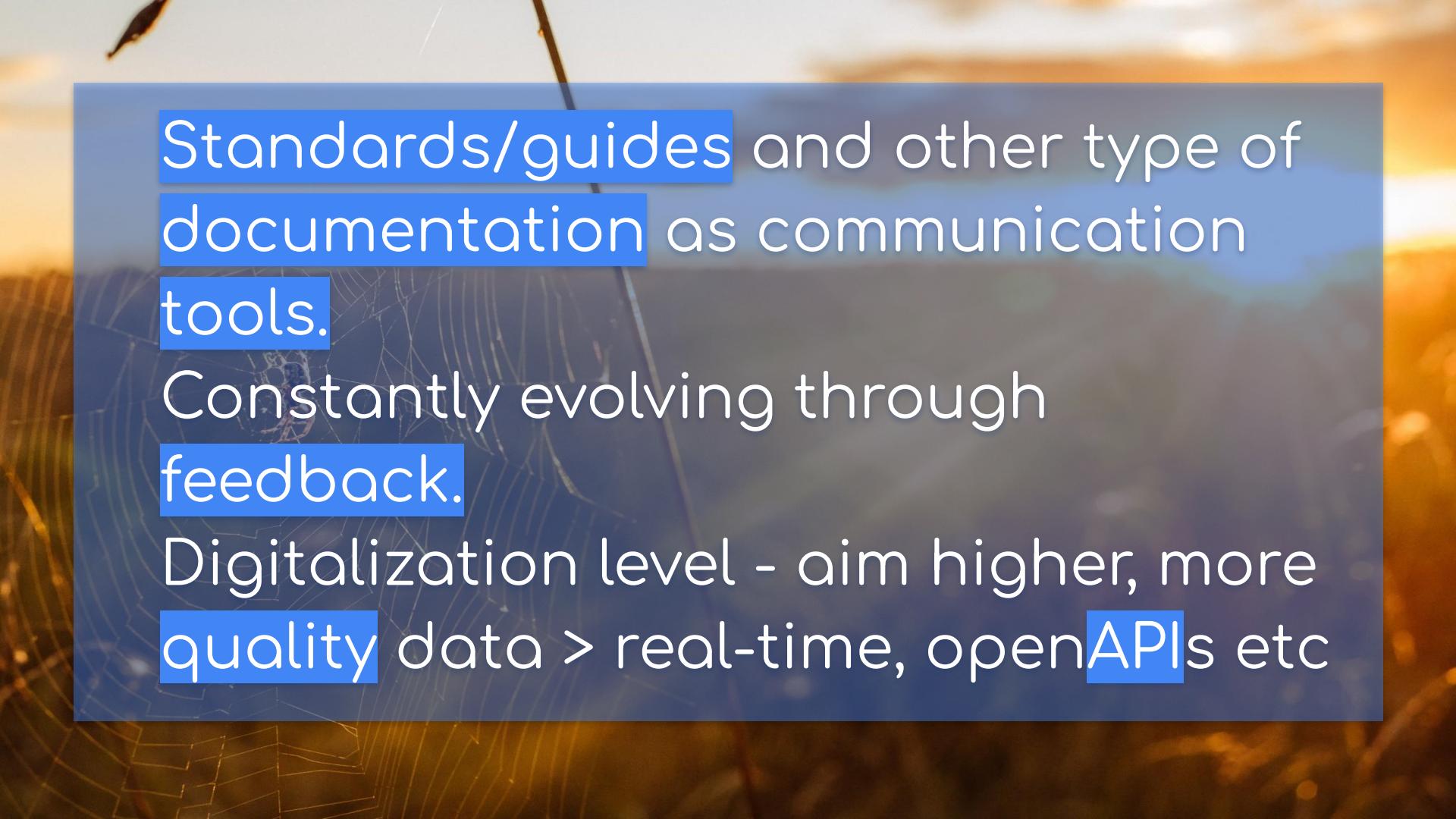
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Key element: Communication

Who is your user? Needs?



Standards/guides and other type of documentation as communication tools.

Constantly evolving through feedback.

Digitalization level - aim higher, more **quality** data > real-time, openAPIs etc

An aerial photograph of a vast wetland area. The landscape is characterized by numerous small, irregularly shaped pools of water scattered across a terrain of dark, wet soil and patches of green vegetation. In the foreground, a dense forest of tall, thin trees covers a hillside. A winding, dark blue river or stream flows through the center of the image, its path curving from the bottom left towards the top right. The sky above is a pale, hazy blue, suggesting early morning or late afternoon light. The overall scene is one of natural beauty and tranquility.

Thank You!
Q&A

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