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# **Open data service**

Making better use of public data in the Helsinki region, Finland

**Procurements by cities** 

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**Parking data** 

# **HELSINKI REGION INFOSHARE**

is the open data service of the Helsinki Metropolitan Area in Finland. At Hri.fi you can download and utilise public data without restrictions, e.g. in school projects or business. The service offers an abundance of, for example, geographic data and statistics through open application programming interfaces (APIs) or as files.

# Why open data?

The cities have useful information for example about traffic noise, population, restaurant terraces and spending. To make sure that also the city residents, researchers and enterprises can utilise the public data, it has to be made available freely in accordance with the principles of open data. Open data enhances democracy and the creation of new business activities and intensifies the city's own operations as well.

### Everyone benefits from open data!

### **HRI helps** city data openers

The HRI service helps the cities of the Helsinki Metropolitan Area to open their public data, for example, by means of instructions collected on the website, training events and personal advice in practical questions.

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HRI's data catalogue makes the data opened by the cities easily available to all.

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## **HRI** supports data users

HRI arranges developer meetings and encourages people to utilise Helsinki Region open data, for example, in educational institutes and hackathons.

In the application gallery, you can present your own applications and take a look at the efforts and application ideas of other data utilisers.

You can also use open data!



Applications using Helsinki Region Transport's (HSL) timetable data help public transport passengers. Image: Marker Wizards.

Free your data for all to use!

PRINCIPLES OF OPEN DATA PUBLIC MACHINE LICENSED A FREE OF CHARGE

Open data: public, machine-readable, openly licenced and free of charge. Image: Marker Wizards Popular applications which use Helsinki Region open data: Whim, Eventmore & Helsinki App.