

Emerging trends in legal and policy issues that impact on geospatial information management in Sweden



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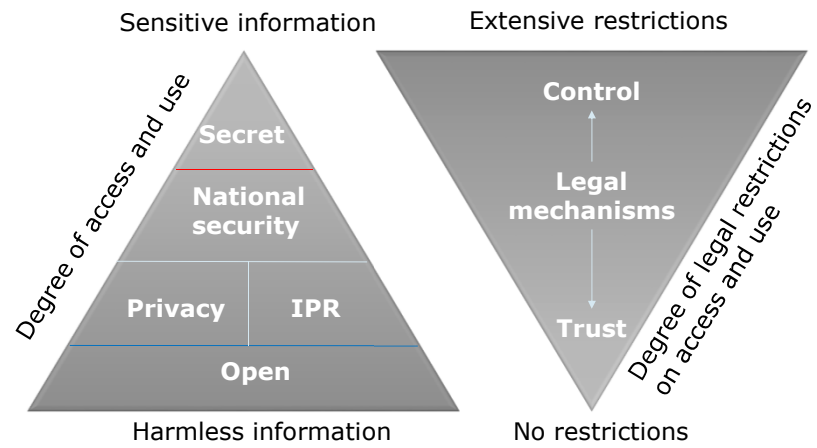


Presentation

1. Trend impact on development of legal and policy frameworks
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3. Emerging legal and policy issues

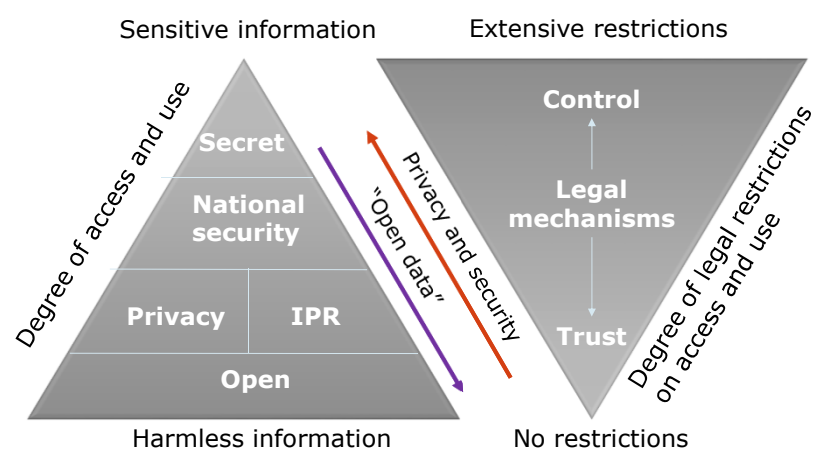


Legal and policy frameworks impact access and use of information – why and how?



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Trend impact on development of legal and policy frameworks



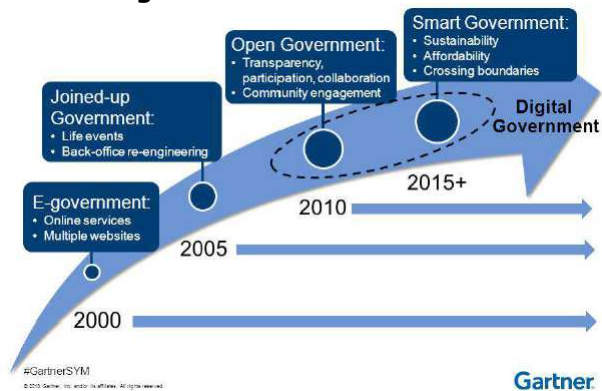
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Trend: Legislation is gaining importance for speeding up digitalization in the public sector

Legal signals

- e-ID
- e-signatures
- Digital post
- E-procurement
- E-invoicing
- Base registers
- Standards

Overall signals

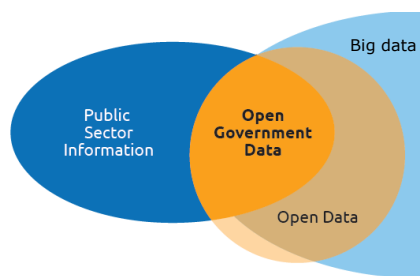


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Trend: More open government data

Legal signals

- Ongoing review on the EU Public Sector Information (PSI) directive and the Database directive
 - The extent of the increase in data re-use
 - The effects of the principles applied to charging and licensing
 - The interaction between data protection rules and interplay with the Database directive



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Trend: Stronger data protection and security

Legal signals

- Restrictive case law from the European Court of Justice
- Legal reform: New data protection regulation in EU – Deadline for implementation in May 2018.

Overall signals

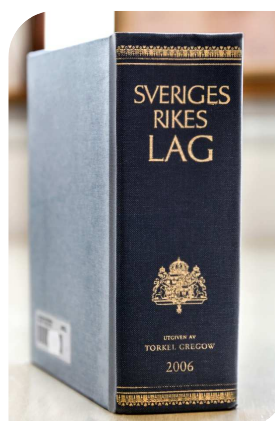
- Global cyberattacks, stolen financial data, login credentials, data security scandals
- Migrant crisis in Europe
- Terrorist attacks in Europe



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Desired changes in legislation on geodata in Sweden

- Open data/automated decision making/harmonized licenses
- Deregulate details on harmless personal data and replace them with general rules
- Legal preconditions for “once only” principle for data collection and dissemination



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Legal and policy issues to consider

- Does "open data" need regulatory intervention?
- When is location data sensitive or harmless?
- Is it necessary to define "authoritative data" in legal and policy frameworks?