





Designing the RESCLIMA platform to improve urban climate resilience: Case of Duran, Ecuador.

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RESCLIMA Project

- ESPOL led initiative for collaborative work on climate resilience for medium-size cities.
- Goal: Propose strategies for city resilience policies based on data
- 4 Main areas
 - Health
 - Floodings
 - Landslides
 - Heat Islands
- Funded by Duran City administration.







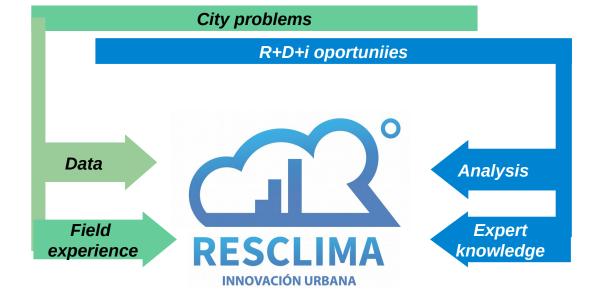
























Data flow problem



Open data policies are barely met and/or poorly implemented.

Ever-changing staff and limited IT infrastructure.

Few experts in the local government staff.

External consultants provide a reports but not the data.





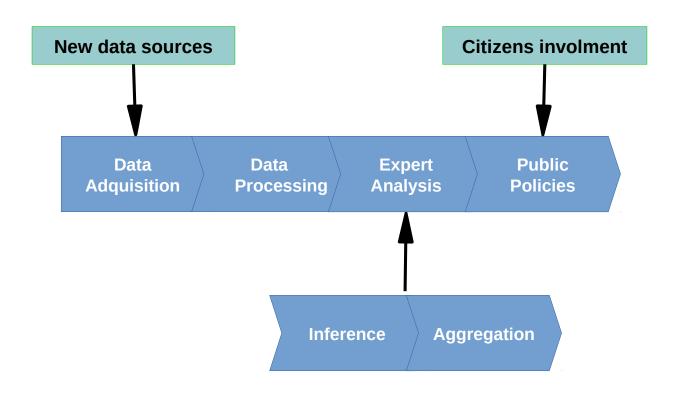






IDEA

- Make data access, search and reporting simple.
- Provide quick data access to academic experts.
- Build/Add data analysis services on demand.
- Tool for building technical capabilites in local governments







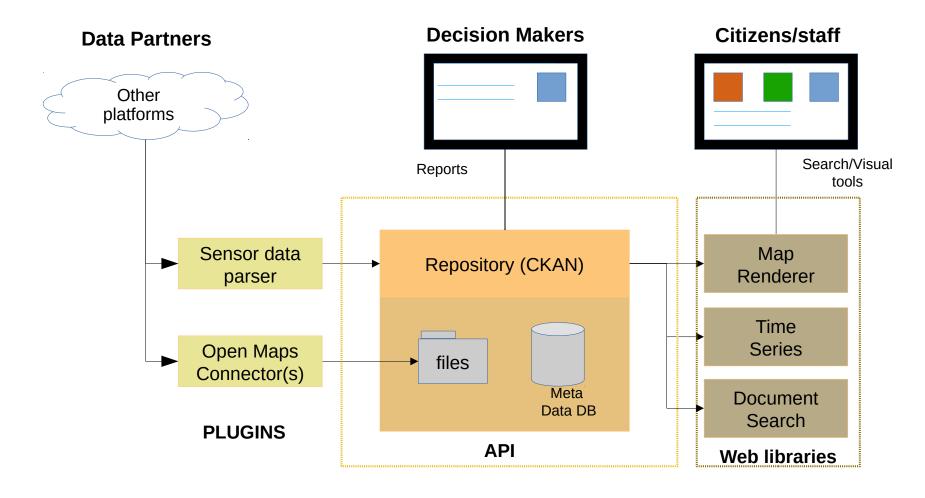








Software architecture











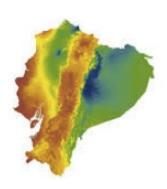




Data Sources



Maps (shp)



Images (tiff)



Weather (Webcrawling)



Low-cost Sensor network (webservice)



Simulated data (Extension)



Low-cost Sensor network (blutooth)





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Crowsourcing (Connect Duran edition)

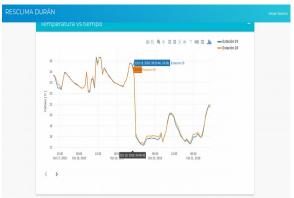


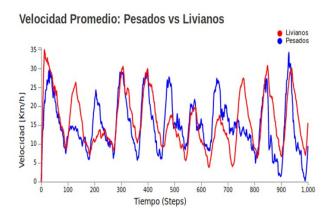


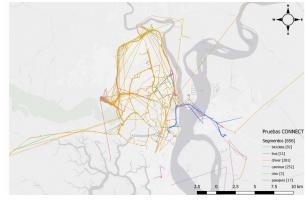


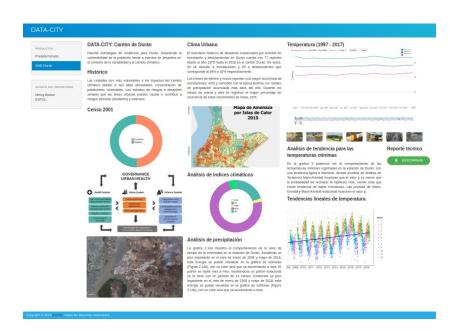
Results











DATA PRODUCT

Processed data













New opportunities



















Conclusions

- A modular web-oriented plataform is a cost-efective tool for Academia-Government collaboration.
- Access to data can foster innovation and new bussiness opportunities.
- Tech and knowledge transfer to local staff is key to strengthen collaboration.









Questions?





