

Anguilla's .ai Domain Windfall — Monetising a Legacy Country-Code Suffix Amid the AI Boom

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Quality score: 62/100

Evidence strength: Moderate

Summary

Anguilla, a 15,000-resident Caribbean territory, turned its inherited '.ai' internet suffix into a fiscal engine: registrations jumped from 144,000 (2022) to 354,000 (2023) as AI-sector demand surged, yielding roughly a fifth to a quarter of government revenue by 2024.

Key dimensions

Dimension	Score
Evidence of impact / measured results	3/3
Transferability / demonstrated replication	1/3
Scalability	2/3
Sustainability / continuity	2/3
Innovation	3/3
Inclusiveness / equity	1/3
Multi-stakeholder collaboration	1/3

Evaluated by C-NAPSE

Data sources

[C-NAPSE web research](#) — accessed 2026-09-07

[Government of Anguilla \(Ministry of Finance / Anguilla Registrar\)](#) — accessed 2026-09-07

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[Sherwood News — 1M+ .ai websites, ~\\$70m to Anguilla's government revenue](#) — accessed 2026-09-07

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