

data.gouv.fr MCP Server — France's Experimental Generative-AI Gateway to Public Datasets

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Quality score: 33/100

Evidence strength: Descriptive / self-reported

Summary

In February 2026, France's data.gouv.fr began exposing its dataset catalogue via a Model Context Protocol (MCP) server, letting AI assistants such as Claude answer natural-language questions over official data — a cautious, still-experimental step.

Key dimensions

Dimension	Score
Evidence of impact / measured public value	0/3
Transparency, fairness & accountability	2/3
Transferability / demonstrated replication	1/3
Scalability beyond pilot	0/3
Governance, capability & sustainability	2/3

Evaluated by C-NAPSE

Data sources

C-NAPSE web research — accessed 2026-07-25

DINUM (Direction interministérielle du numérique) — data.gouv.fr — accessed 2026-07-25

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