

Language Technology Programme for Icelandic 2019–2023 — Open Speech and Language Resources for a Small Language

Digital Inclusion · Good practice · Iceland

Quality score: 56/100

Evidence strength: Moderate

Summary

A five-year national programme building open-source Icelandic speech recognition, synthesis, machine translation and spell-check so a ~small language stays usable in digital services. Outputs are verifiable; user-level impact is not yet evaluated.

Key dimensions

Dimension	Score
Innovation level	4/5
Sustainability (ongoing)	1/1
Evaluation evidence	0/1
Demonstrated reach	1/1
Documented learning	0/1

Evaluated by C-NAPSE

Data sources

[C-NAPSE web research](#) — accessed 2026-10-11

[Almannarómur, Center for Language Technology \(funded by Iceland's Ministry of Education, Science and Culture\)](#) — accessed 2026-10-11

[Language Technology Programme for Icelandic 2019-2023 \(arXiv\)](#) — accessed 2026-10-11

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