

SIGMA — Bulgaria's AI-Assisted Real-Time Public Procurement Transparency Platform

AI in the Public Sector · Good practice · Bulgaria

Quality score: 53/100

Evidence strength: Moderate

Summary

Bulgaria's Ministry of Innovation and Digital Transformation launched SIGMA, a free, AI-assisted platform giving citizens real-time search over 193,019 public contracts worth over EUR51bn across 4,440 institutions (2020–2026), built in under a month with no extra budget.

Key dimensions

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

Evaluated by C-NAPSE

Data sources

[C-NAPSE web research](#) — accessed 2026-07-31

[Bulgarian Ministry of Innovation and Digital Transformation](#) — accessed 2026-07-31

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