

# Open data maturity

2024 country factsheet

## State of play at a glance

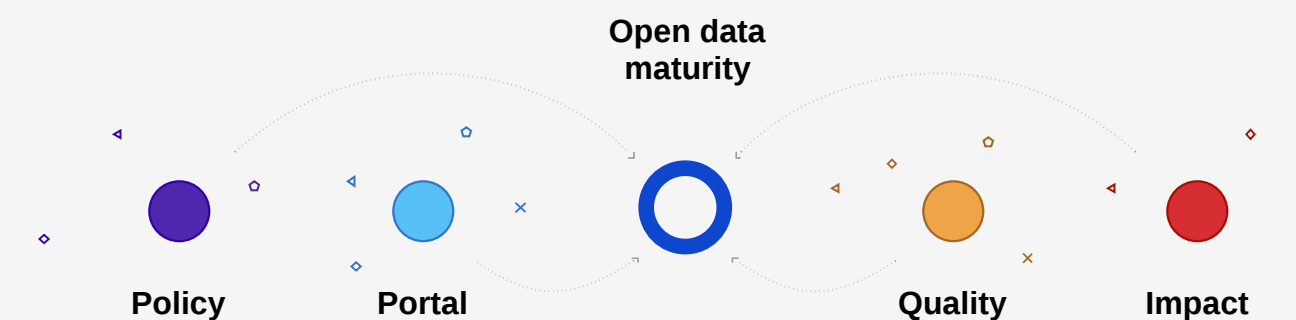
One of the key developments is the creation of the General Directorate of Data, which is part of the Ministry for Digital Transformation and Public Service. This directorate is responsible for promoting the use of data by public administrations, companies and citizens, and facilitating data sharing in interoperable spaces. Its tasks include promoting openness and reuse in public administrations and coordinating the management of high-value public datasets.

Additionally, several local and regional Spanish public administrations (e.g. in the Canary Islands and the Balearic Islands) have established dedicated units responsible for information that coordinates matters related to Directive (EU) 2019/1024 (the Open Data Directive).



Explore more open data maturity insights online at:

<https://data.europa.eu/en/open-data-maturity/2024>



# Assessment methodology

Open data maturity is measured on four thematic dimensions: policy, portal, quality and impact. Each dimension contributes an equal 25 % towards the overall maturity score.



**Policy**  
Investigates the open data policies and strategies in place in the countries, the national governance models for managing open data and the measures applied to implement those policies and strategies.



**Portal**  
Investigates the functionality of national open data portals, the extent to which users’ needs and behaviour are examined to improve the portal, the availability of open data across different domains and the approach to ensuring the portal’s sustainability.

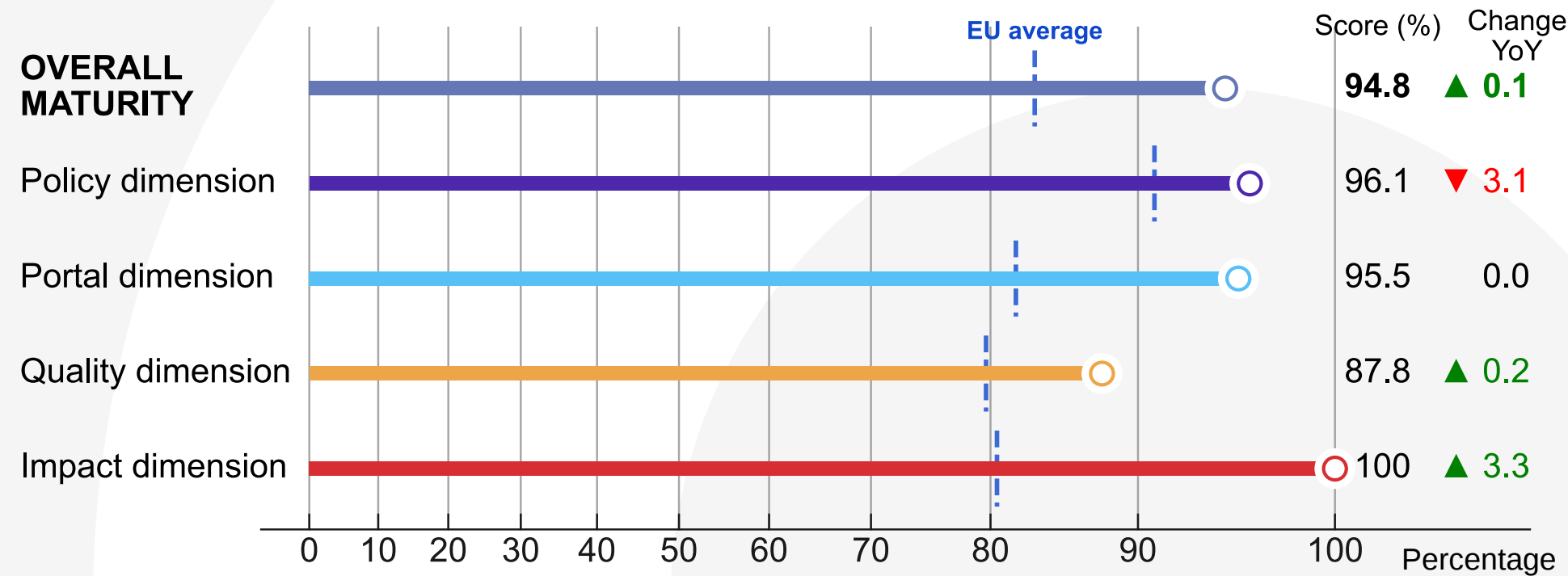


**Quality**  
Investigates the measures adopted by portal managers to ensure the systematic harvesting of metadata, the monitoring of metadata quality and compliance with the DCAT-AP metadata standard and the quality of the deployment of the published data on the national portal.

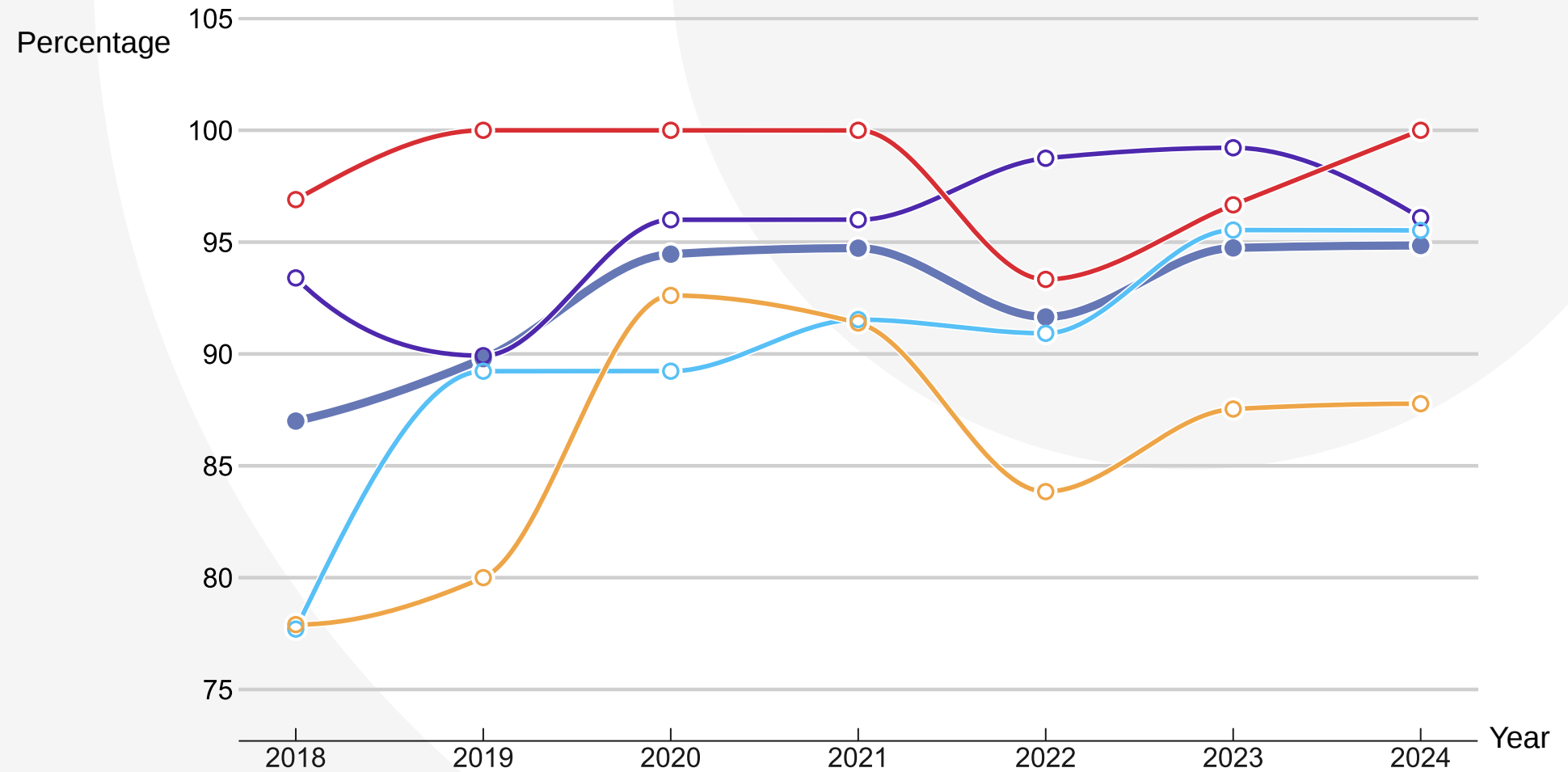


**Impact**  
Investigates how well countries define and measure data reuse, the steps taken to assess reuse and user needs and the presence of reuse examples in the domains of government, society, the environment and the economy.

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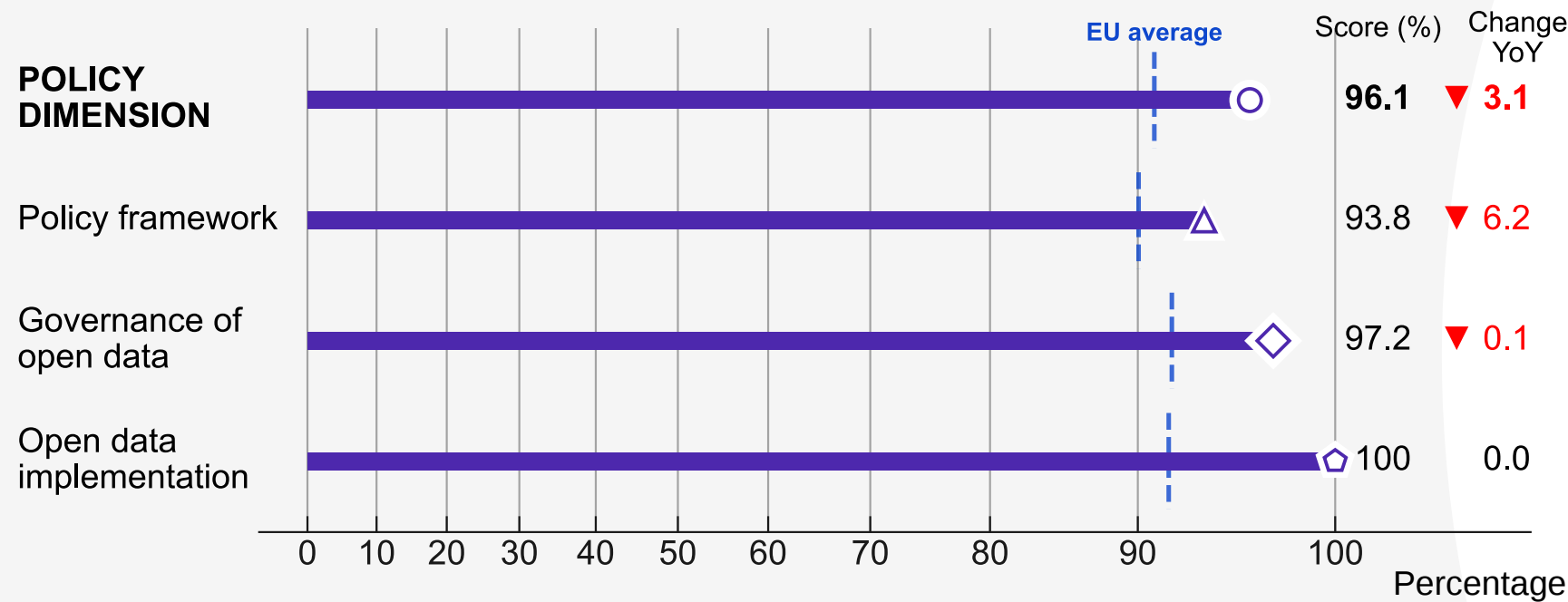


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## Policy dimension

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### Key questions

- Does the national open data policy/strategy include an action plan?

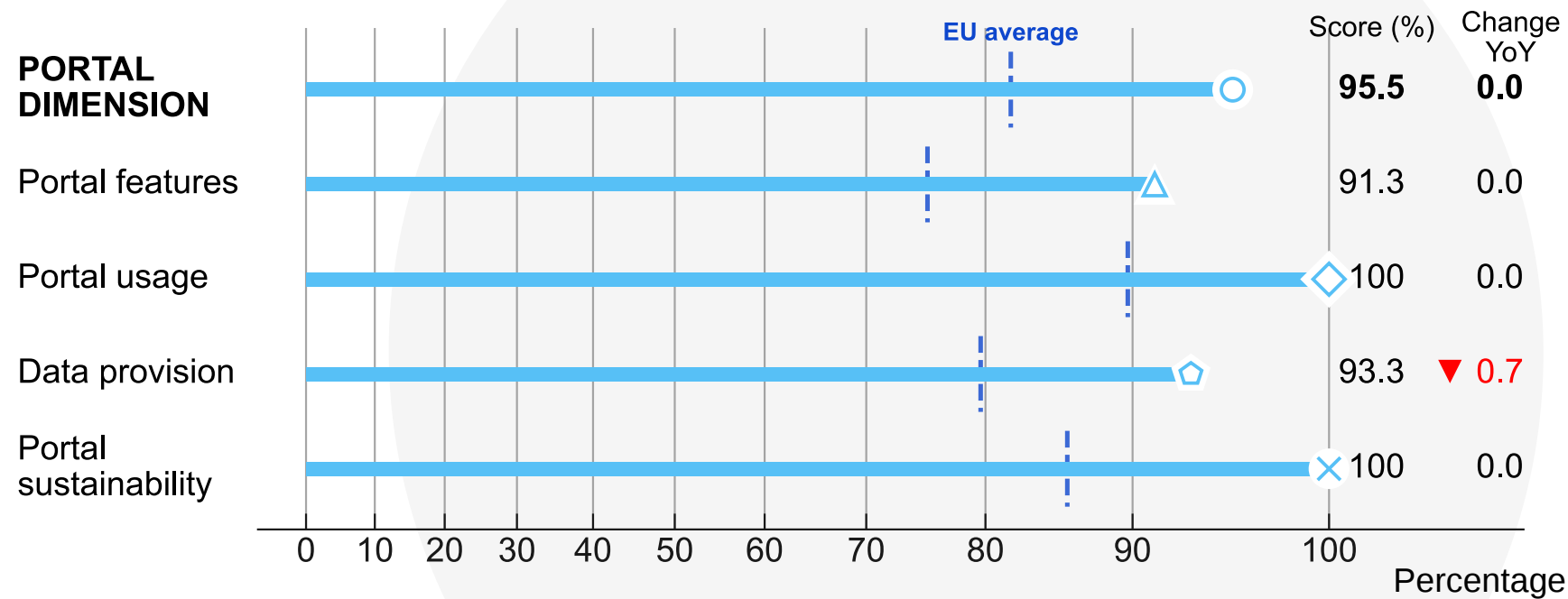
✓ Yes
- To what degree do local/regional public bodies conduct open data initiatives?

✓ Majority
- Are there processes to ensure that the open data policies/strategy are implemented?

✓ Yes

## Portal dimension

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### Key questions

- Do you monitor the portal's traffic?

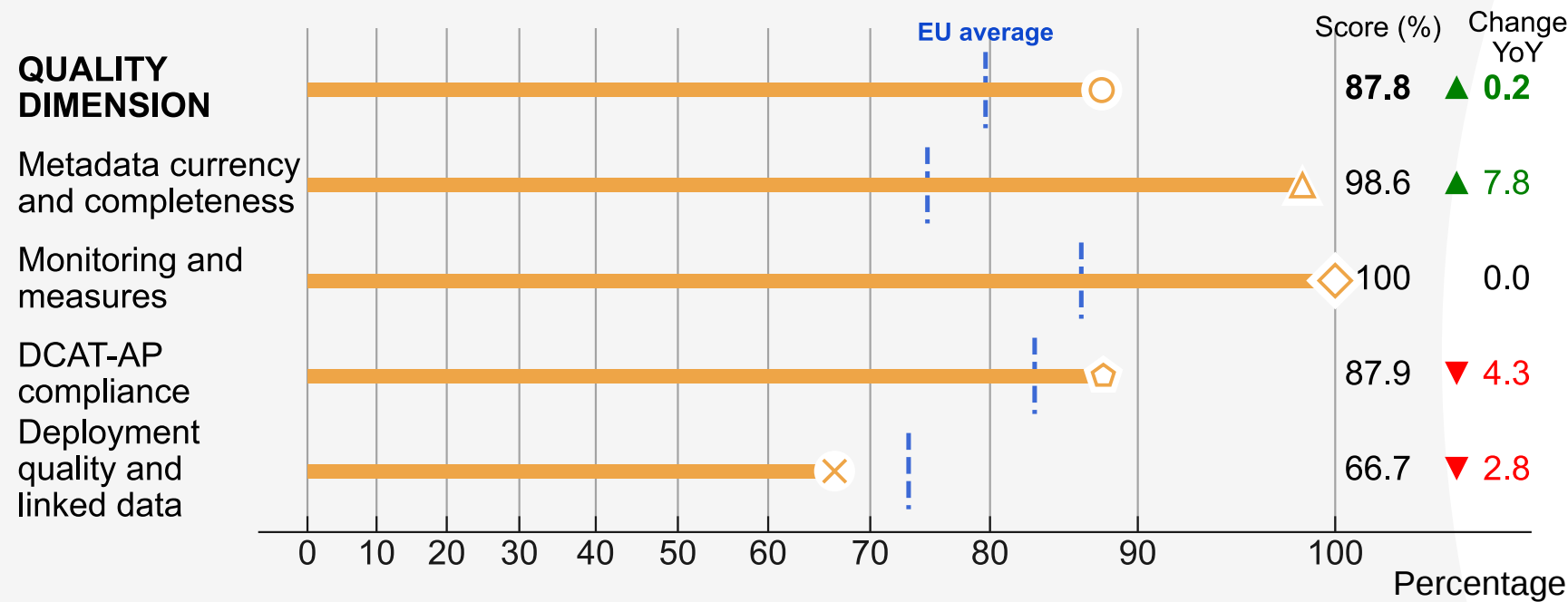
✓ Yes
- To what degree do public sector data providers contribute data to the portal?

✓ Majority
- Does the national portal allow users to see what data exists but cannot be made available as open data?

✓ Yes

# Quality dimension

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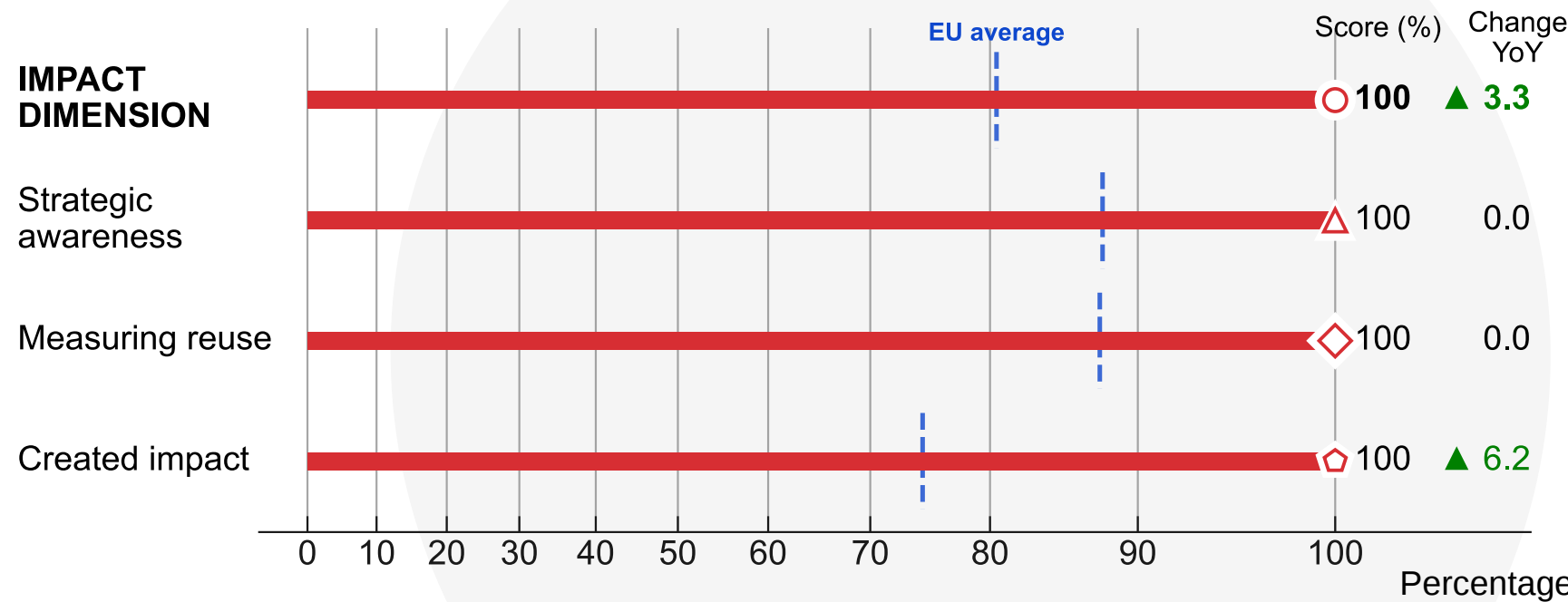


## Key questions

- Do you monitor the quality of the metadata available on your portal?  Yes
- Do you set any standards on metadata quality that data providers must abide by?  Yes
- Do you use a model to assess the quality of deployment of data in your country?  Yes

# Impact dimension

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## Key questions

- Do you have a definition of open data reuse in your country?  Yes
- Are there any processes in place to monitor the level of reuse of your country's open data?  Yes
- Do you have a methodology in place to measure the impact of open data?  Yes