Data underlying research paper "Developing an open data intermediation business model: insights from the case of Esri"
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This folder contains data underlying the research paper "Developing an open data intermediation business model: insights from the case of Esri". It consists of:
1. De-identified interview transcripts
2. Informed consent form template

Note about the de-identified interview transcripts:
The 27 interviews, involving 29 interviewees, were conducted between April 2023 and April 2024 based on the semi-structured approach. We shared the tentative interview questions with the interviewees in advance (for the majority, at least three working days prior). Since they are semi-structured interviews, the ultimate interview questions may differ from the tentative questions.

The de-identified interview transcripts should be read in the context of the research on open data ecosystem and the role of Esri as open data intermediaries.

We removed personally identifiable information from the transcripts. Some interviewees may risk being identifiable if their organization is known. Hence, we removed the organization and country information from all transcripts.

With verbal communication, some sentences may be less incomprehensible in writing, especially if English is the speaker's second language. Thus, we did minimal edits when transcribing to improve the comprehensibility where necessary, but the main objective was to keep the transcripts as close to verbatim as possible.

Note about the informed consent form template:
We sent the informed consent form to every interviewee in advance and requested that they return it to us before or during the interview.

All interviewees whose interview transcripts are recorded in this document give permission for the anonymized transcript of their interview, with personally identifiable information redacted, to be shared in 4TU.ResearchData repository so it can be used for future research and learning.

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