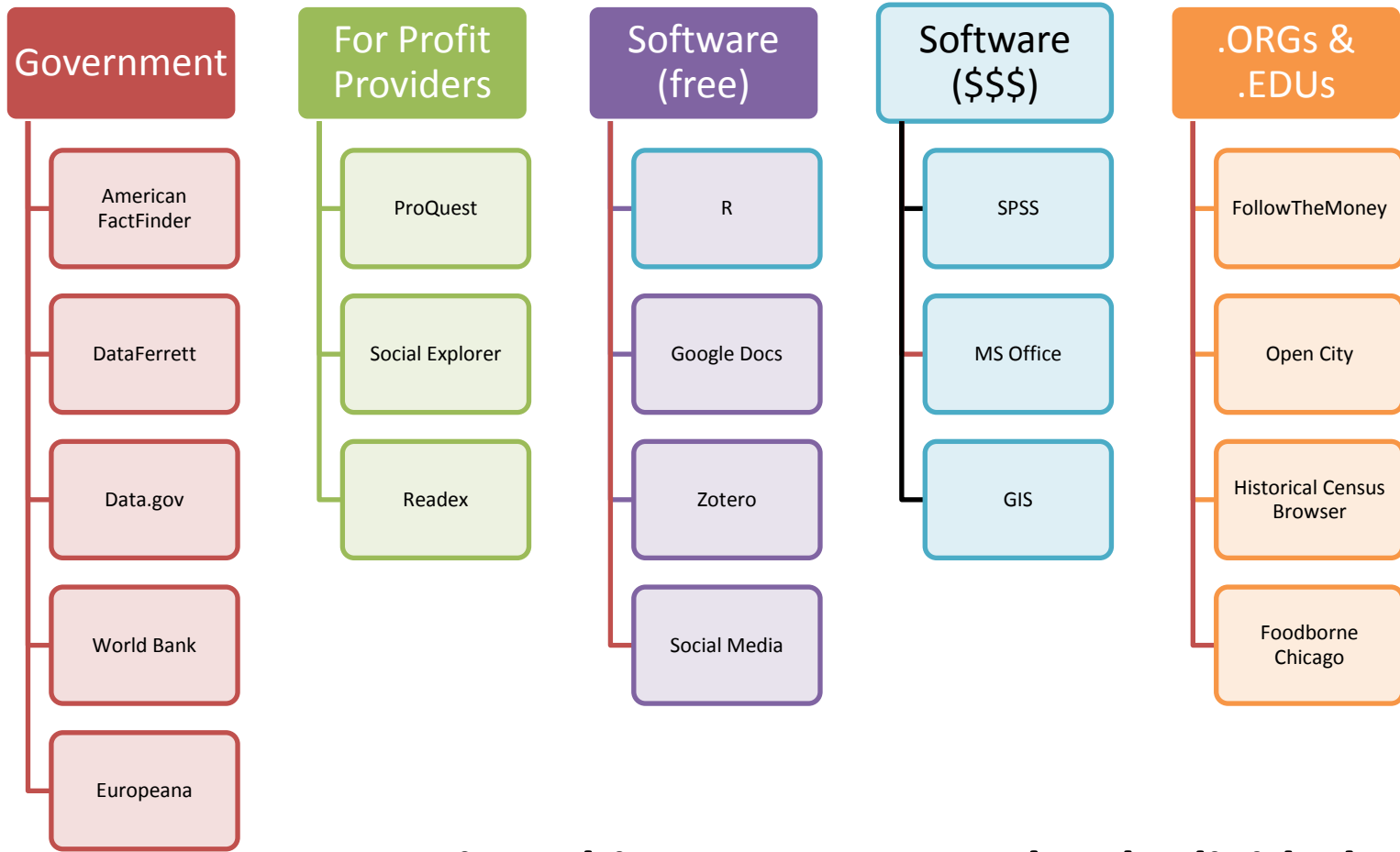


“Government information includes so much more than it used to”



Warning: things are NOT so clearly divided as they appear here

Example: The World Bank

A screenshot of a Google search for "world bank". The search bar shows "world bank" and a magnifying glass icon. Below the search bar, the "Public Data" section is visible, listing various datasets and metrics. The "Metrics" section includes "Bank liquid reserves" and "Domestic credit provision". The "Datasets" section lists "Report 2011, United Nations Development Programme (11)", "World Economic Forum (3)", and "Inter-American Development Bank (3)".

A screenshot of the World Bank Data portal navigation menu. The main heading is "Data". Below it, there are several navigation options: "By Country", "By Topic", "Indicators", "Data Catalog", and "Microdata Home". The "Microdata Home" section is highlighted, showing "Home", "Central Microdata Catalog", and "Collections". The "Microdata Library" section is also visible, with the text "The Microdata Library facilitates access to d".

A screenshot of the World Bank logo and navigation menu. The logo features a globe and the text "THE WORLD BANK Working for a World Free of Poverty". Below the logo, there is a navigation menu with options: "ABOUT", "DATA", "RESEARCH", "LEARNING", "NEWS", "PROJECTS & OPERATIONS", "PUBLICATIONS", "COUNTRIES", and "TOPICS". The "DATA" option is highlighted.

A screenshot of the World Bank Open Data page. The page features the World Bank logo and the text "World Bank Open Data: free and open access to data about development in countries". Below this, there is a search bar labeled "Find an indicator" with the text "GNI per capita, Atlas method (c)". There is also a "SHARE" button.

A banner for "World Development Indicators 2013". The banner features a photograph of a young girl's face on the left. To the right of the photo, the text "WORLD DEVELOPMENT INDICATORS" is written in bold, black, uppercase letters. To the far right, the year "2013" is written in large, bold, orange and white numbers.

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World DataBank

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Example: U.S. Census data



- **US Decennial Census is arguably the most important data set for social science research in the United States.**
 - We are increasingly accessing Census data outside of libraries
- **The U.S. Census Library is the best resource for pre-2000 data but if you are looking for 2010 or more recent then the FactFinder and DataFerret will be better tools**
 - We have always relied on other resources for census information, such as IPUMS
 - However, our options are increasing and the Census's role appears to be getting smaller
 - Where will the 2000, 2010+ be held over time?



Text Mining

- There is a lot of interest in text mining
- Any leading open source options?
- The options are lagging behind statistical analysis options



The supply chain is bigger and more complex

- The supply chain for government information in the digital era has a lot more players
 - The rererererepackaging of government information
- Can Libraries keep up?
 - Our role in the supply chain is smaller than it used to be.
- More collaboration



Trends: more collaboration & better service

- Center for Research Libraries
- Would you like fries and a drink with your government information?