

SIQAT VALUE PROPOSITION

STRUCTURAL INTEROPERABILITY QUICK ASSESSMENT TOOL

DESCRIPTION WHAT IS SIQAT?

- SIQAT is an **online questionnaire** created in the EU Survey portal.
- SIQAT allows public administrations to assess the **Structural interoperability of their digital public services**.
- SIQAT is **aligned with the principles and recommendations** set out by the **European Interoperability Framework (EIF)**.

AUDIENCE FOR WHOM IS SIQAT RELEVANT?

- **Public service owners** | to improve the overall structural interoperability and conformance of their digital public services.
- **Policy-makers** | to get insights on the interoperability level of digital public service.
- **Public Procurement Officers** | to identify standards and specifications for an interoperable digital public service.

BENEFITS WHY USE SIQAT?

- ✓ A free of charge assessment which can be completed in 30 minutes
- ✓ An **interoperability maturity score** indicating where your service stands today considering key interoperability aspects.
- ✓ A **set of recommendations** for improving your digital public service, based on interoperability standards and good practices.
- ✓ A **statement of conformance** with the EIF principles.
- ✓ A **check of interoperability requirements** for the design of new digital public services, which are interoperable by default.

DIGITAL PUBLIC SERVICE COMPONENTS

The SIQAT assessment provides public administrations with insight into two key aspects of the structural interoperability of their digital public service:

Shareability: It is the extent that an open standard enables prospective coexistence of an off-the-shelf asset in a given domain set of digital public service value chains.

Reusability: It is the extent that an open standard enables the coexistence of an off-the-shelf asset in a given value chain of a digital public service.

