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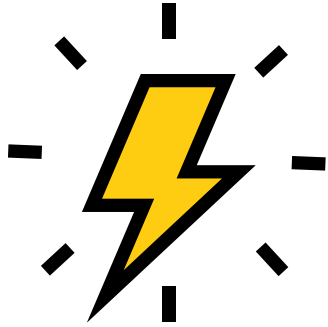
Building **IDI Algorithms** to Benefit **Aotearoa**

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Why build an algorithm?



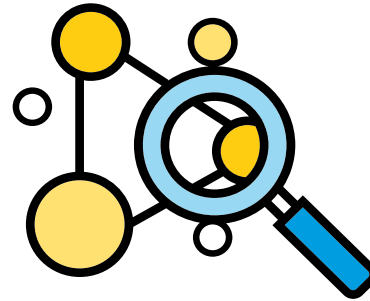
Automated Decision Making



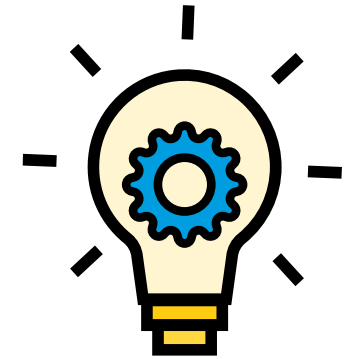
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Consistent

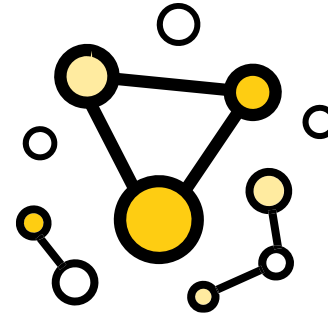


Transparent



Efficient

What problems do algorithms suit?



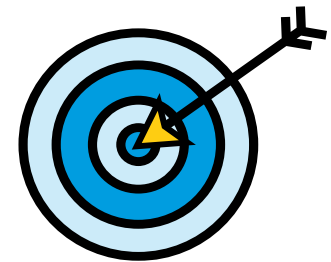
High volume



Low complexity



Speed is important

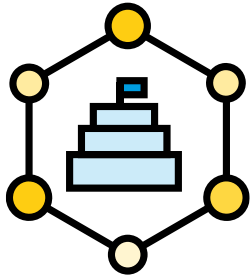


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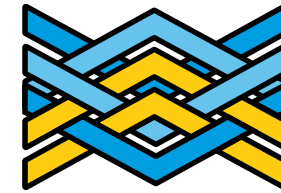
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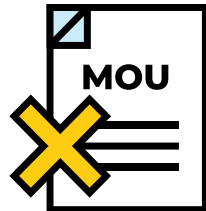
Integrated data
across agencies



Clear privacy
rules



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/ Five Safes

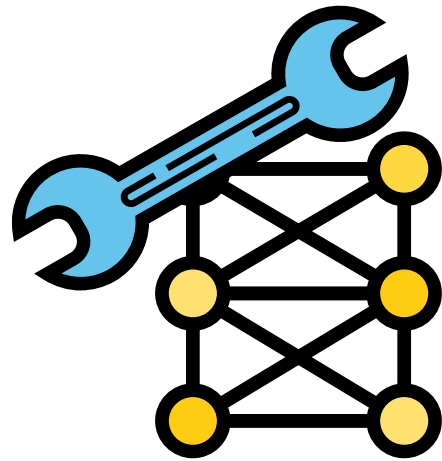


No MoU's



Everyone is in
the IDI

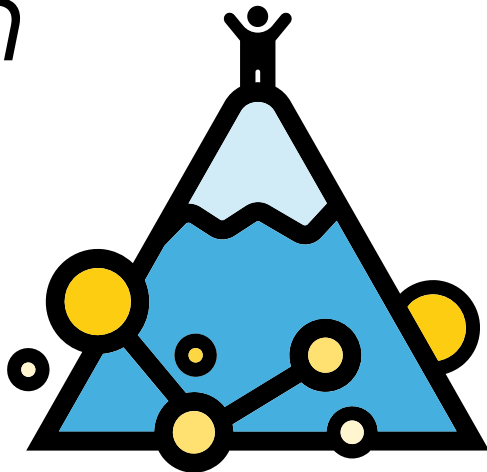
Building IDI algorithms - *technical*



- Build model in IDI
- Take insights and learnings
- What data do we require
- Build model outside the IDI

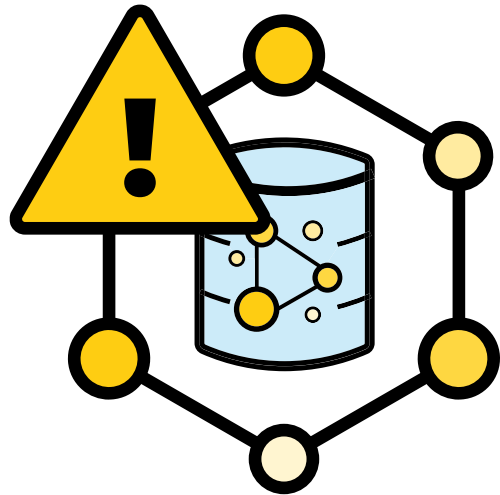
Building IDI algorithms

*- broader
solution*



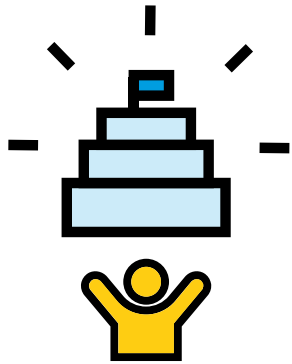
- Business Context
- Model Development Lifecycle
- Algorithm the right solution?
- Test biases
- Transparency
- Increasing access (e.g. Modular Coding)

Risks to building algorithms in the IDI



- Is the IDI set up for this?
- Social licence
- Trusting data in the IDI
- Including Communities

What this could mean



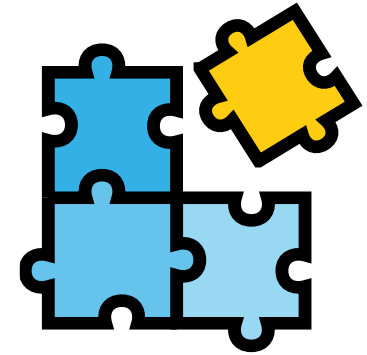
**Better
outcomes for
government**



**Improved
services for
people/
communities**



**Improved
Transparency**



**Include unmet
need**



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