

Data Quality Statement

Dataset Title 2016 Territory election – Summary of votes by Legislative Assembly division

Agency Northern Territory Electoral Commission

Division

Dataset Description

A summary of votes received during the 2016 Territory election. Votes are displayed against

Legislative Assembly divisions.

Dataset Classification High

Dataset quality rating Accuracy $\star \star \star \star \star$

Completeness $\star \star \star \star \star$ Consistency $\star \star \star \star \star$ Timeliness $\star \star \star \star \star$ Integrity $\star \star \star \star \star$

Accuracy High ****

- ✓ The data correctly represents what it was designed to measure, monitor or report
- ✓ This data meets quality assurance processes (checking of errors at each stage of the data collection and processing)
- ✓ Action has been taken to minimise processing errors
- ✓ Information on any known limitations of the data collection is provided.
- ✓ Data fits certain criteria and adheres to specific business rules.

Completeness High ★★★★

- ✓ Dataset contains all the records expected and are correctly populated
- ✓ Data completeness is measured at the dataset, record, or column level
- ✓ Data with missing values were identified and addressed
- √ The proportion of data stored against the potential of 100% complete
- ✓ Data completeness was checked against mandatory attributes that require a value

Consistency High ★★★★

- ✓ Data values were consistently represented within a dataset, between datasets and across datasets
- ✓ No differences were found when comparing two or more representations of an entity against a definition
- ✓ Data within the database conforms to defined business rules
- ✓ Data meets rules for content and format enabling effective matching and consistent output
- ✓ Only valid data will be written to the database

Timeliness High ★★★★

- Data is available quickly and frequently enough to support information needs
- ✓ Time lag between the reference period and the actual date of release is short
- ✓ The frequency of the data collection is specified (one-off basis or ongoing)
- ✓ Data is current and released before it is superseded
- \checkmark Updates or revisions to the data are made after its release

Integrity High ★★★★

- ✓ Standard definitions, common concepts, classifications and data recording practices have been used
- ✓ Elements within the data can be meaningfully compared
- ✓ This data is generally consistent with similar or related data sources to enable data compilation and comparison
- ✓ This data is consistent with previous releases (no significant changes to methodology or collection standards)
- ✓ There were no major changes in the way data items are defined, classified or counted since the start of the series

Additional information on criteria not met - data marked with a X

Data custodian Details

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Legend

- √ The dataset meets the quality criteria
- X The criteria is not met Explanation is provided
- Criteria is not applicable to the data

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