

#### The Digital Age: Insights and Implications for the Sector



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- How many of you assess and try to improve the organizational capacity of your nonprofit partners?
- How many of your companies offer skill-based volunteering programs?
- How many of you are involved in donating data?



### What is Digital Civil Society?

## VOLUNTARILY USING PRIVATE DIGITAL RESOURCES FOR PUBLIC BENEFIT





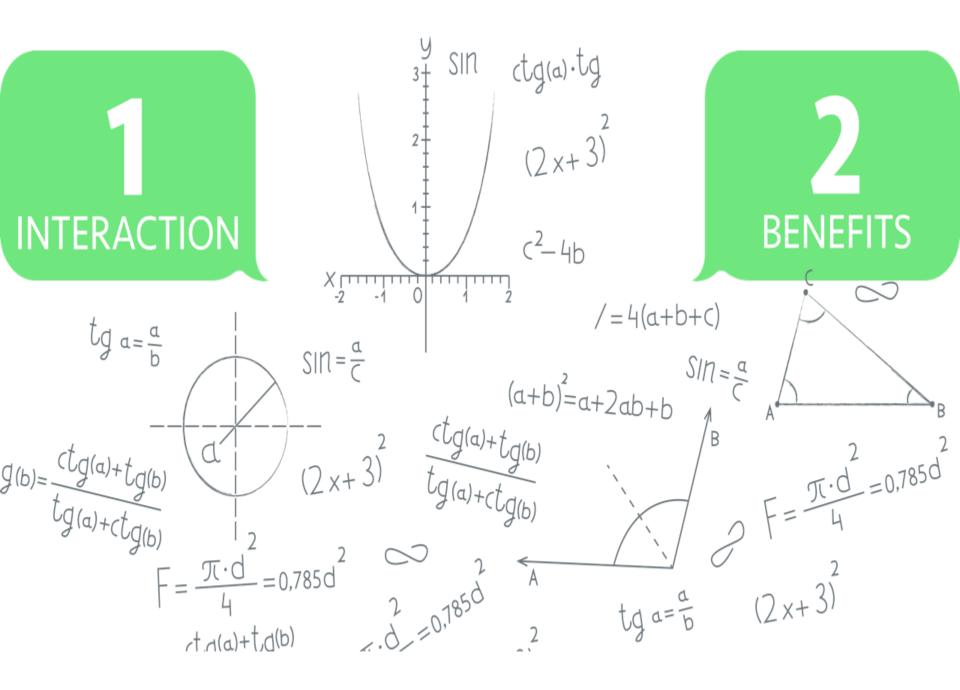








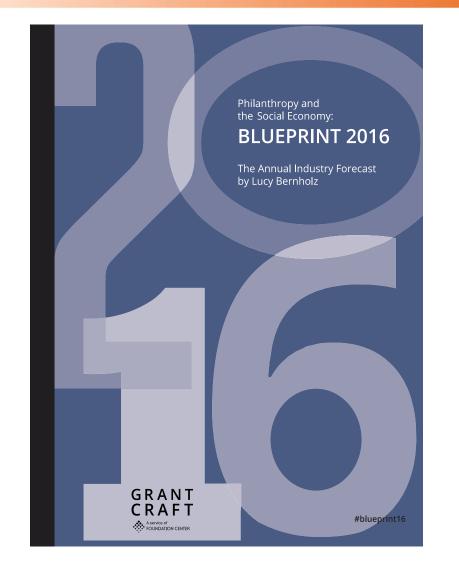
- Seeking a "new social calculus"
- New opportunities to help partners succeed
- Your job and my next prediction



NEW CALCULUS DIGITAL MECHANISMS PRODUCE TWO BENEFITS FOR EVERY ACTION

NEW SET OF ORGANIZATIONAL EXPERTISE TO MANAGE DIGITAL RESOURCES



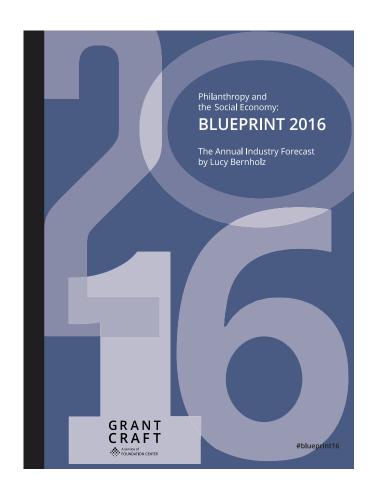


#### How dependent is your organization on digital data and infrastructure? Could you do what you do without any use of the Internet, electronic communications, digital storage, or mobile phones?

What digital skills does everyone in your organization need now? What will they need three years from now?

How well does your organization understand and manage digital resources?

How well distributed is digital knowledge in your organization? Are you reliant on one person to "know how it works?"



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#### WELCOME TO DIGITALIMPACT.IO

THE DIGITALIMPACT.IO SITE IS DESIGNED TO HELP NONPROFIT ORGANIZATIONS AND FOUNDATIONS USE DIGITAL DATA ETHICALLY, SAFELY, AND EFFECTIVELY.

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#### WHY DIGITAL IMPACT?

Managing and governing digital data in ways that advance your mission and respect the rights of the people you serve is a core capacity foundations and nonprofits. While digital data hold tremendous promise for how we do our work in the social sector, they also raise new challenges. Digital data should be viewed as both an asset and a liability.

## Data philanthropy

#### 4 Ways of Sharing

Share aggregated and derived data sets for analysis under non-disclosure agreements (NDA)



Allow researchers to analyze data within the private company's own network, under NDA



Real-Time Data Commons: data pooled and aggregated between multiple companies of the same industry to protect competitiveness.

Public/Private Alerting Network: companies mine data behind their own firewalls and share indicators.



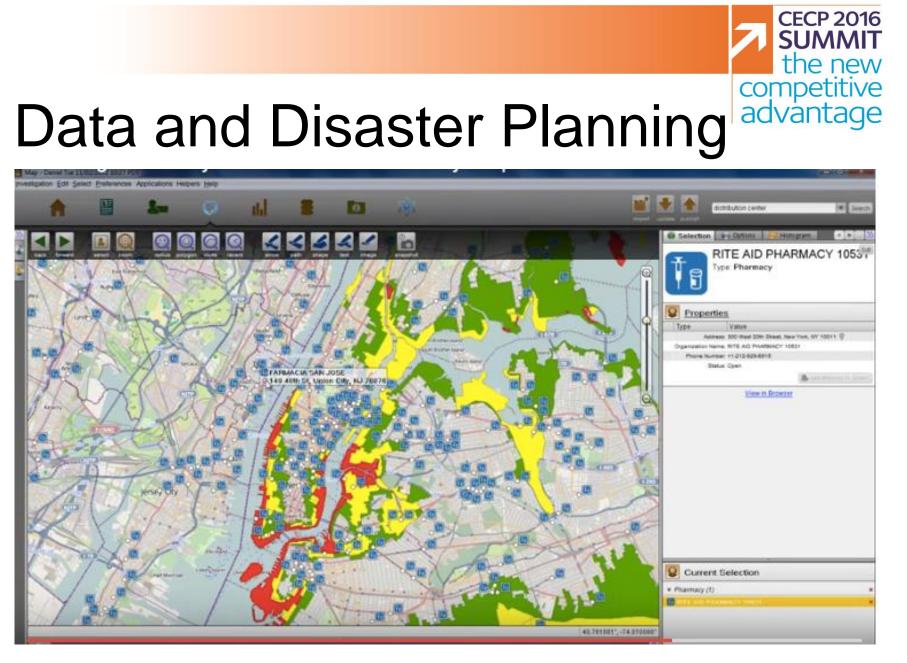
• How do you give and keep?

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- Who is liable for use or misuse?
- How are data to be protected?
- How is consent attained?
- What kind of algorithmic visibility is needed?



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## Prediction

## Within 3 years your job will involve donating data