



## How to Elevate Aerial Surveying Profile?

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## Welcome and brief introduction

#### About me:

- 2023 Esri
  - Head of Global BD & Sales for Reality Mapping
- 2011 2023 Terratec (later Field Group), Scandinavia
  - VP Software Products, IT & Cyber Security
  - Head of Data Processing (Aerial Surveying and Mobile Mapping)
  - Production Manager (LiDAR & Mobile Mapping)
- 2009 2011 Gispro, Poland
  - Production Manager (Aerial Surveying & Mobile Mapping)

MSc Photogrammetry & Remote Sensing

- Warsaw & Vienna University of Technology

#### **About Esri:**

Since 1969, we have supported customers with geographic science and geospatial analytics, what we call The Science of Where.

We take a geographic approach to problem-solving, brought to life by world's most powerful GIS technology.

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## Agenda

- Understanding the competitive landscape
   Navigating from "Red" to "Blue" Ocean
   Differentiating your business
- 4. Effective advertising and positioning
- 5. Differentiating your business by partnering with Esri

## Understanding the competitive landscape

## Where do you want to play? & How do you plan to win?

## **Understanding the competitive landscape**

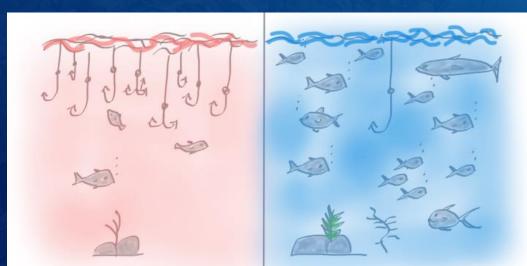


## Understanding the competitive landscape

#### Aerial Surveying market is:

- 1. Highly saturated
- 2. Low price and low margin driven
- 3. Bloody and full of ruthless competition
- 4. Regulated, often with very specific local standards
- 5. Under pressure from drone and satellite service providers.

## "Red ocean" market







Compete in existing market | Create a new market space Addressing existing demand Optimize existing products & services | Craft new products and services

Build a new demand Take-on competitors | Make competitor irrelevant Tweak cost-value balance | Innovate for new value proposition Adapt to market trends | Create and shape new trends

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YES NO Price Is your price easily accessible to the mass of buyers? YES NO Cost Rethink Can you attain your cost target to profit at your strategic price? YES NO Adoption What are the adoption hurdles in actualizing your business idea? Are you addressing them upfront?

**Buyer Utility** 

Is there exceptional buyer utility in your business idea? Rethink

A Commercially Viable Blue Ocean Idea

## Navigating from "Red" to "Blue" Ocean

#### To succeed in red ocean

you must rely on existing cases, study them, and find what exactly you can do better to differentiate and win over the competition in market.

Or, if you don't have any strong differentiation, you can get our chunk of the market by setting prices lower.

#### To succeed in a blue ocean

you must analyze the market, do the research, design, develop and go-to market from problem to solution,

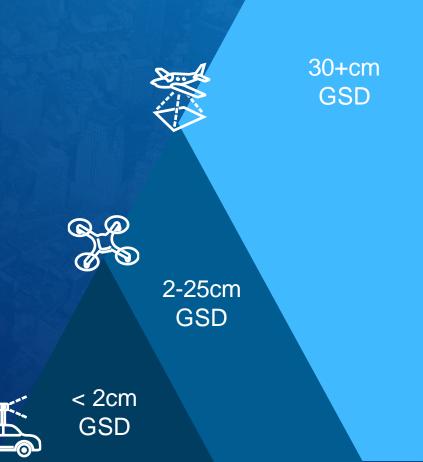
test it well in advance – because when you bring something completely new, you shall be prepared to have a long series of iterations.

Example of differentials to include in messaging:

 Market is regulated for a reason – Surveying & Mapping grade products has high demand for accuracy and precision.

2. High-tech hardware sensors used

- offering direct georeferencing limiting field work
- full wave form or multiple return LiDAR systems
- global shutter cameras system
- distortion free imagery and more...
- 3. Hybrid and simultaneously data capture (combining multiple sensors on-board)
- 4. Fast mobilization for "grey sky" missions



"Core" hardware or Core software

System(s) integrator

Service / Content provider

"Core" hardware or "Core" software

Look on triangle and ask yourself "What ...

- 1. you are good at "today"?
- 2. you can develop "tomorrow"?
- 3. partnership you can make?

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Service / Content provider

Questions:

- Who has better chance to reach "blue ocean" market?
- For whom it is easier to define differential and unique value proposition

#### A. Service data provider?

#### or

**B.** Service data provider who can integrate various systems / hardware sensors tailored to customer needs and are partnered with core software delivering seamlessly to customer system of records?

"Core" hardware or "Core" software

development

System(s) integrator

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**B.** "Core" hardware manufacture who can integrate with "Core" software. So, they bundle the offering delivering more or unique value?

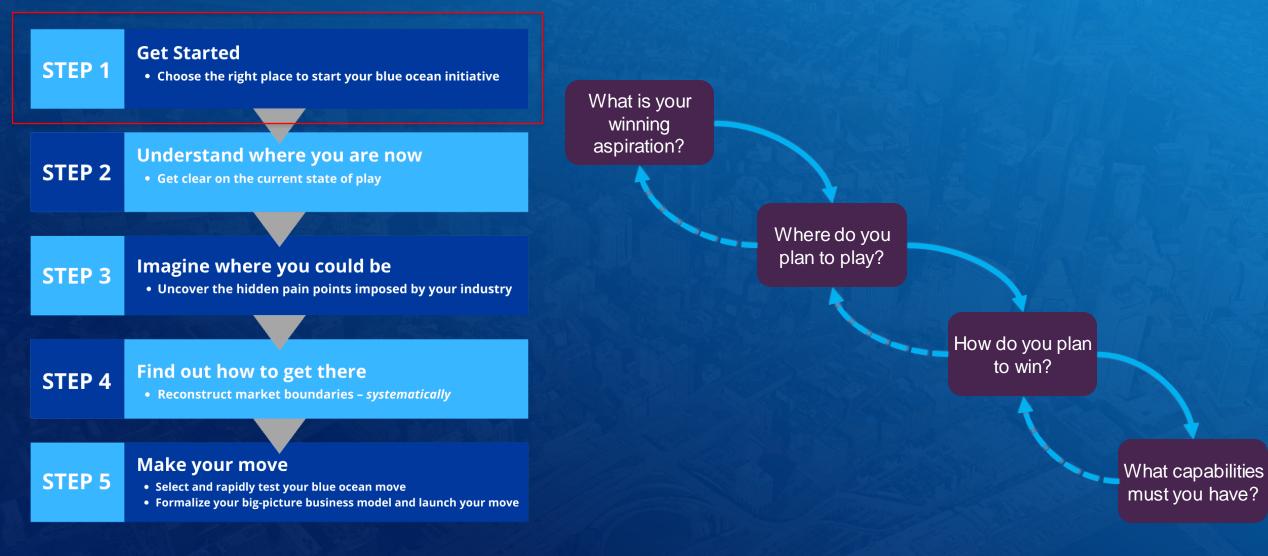
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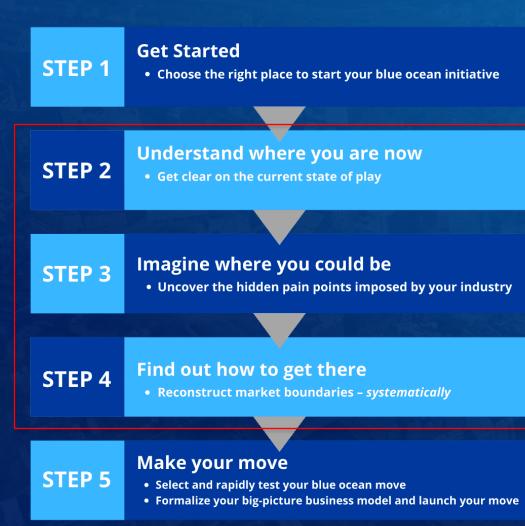
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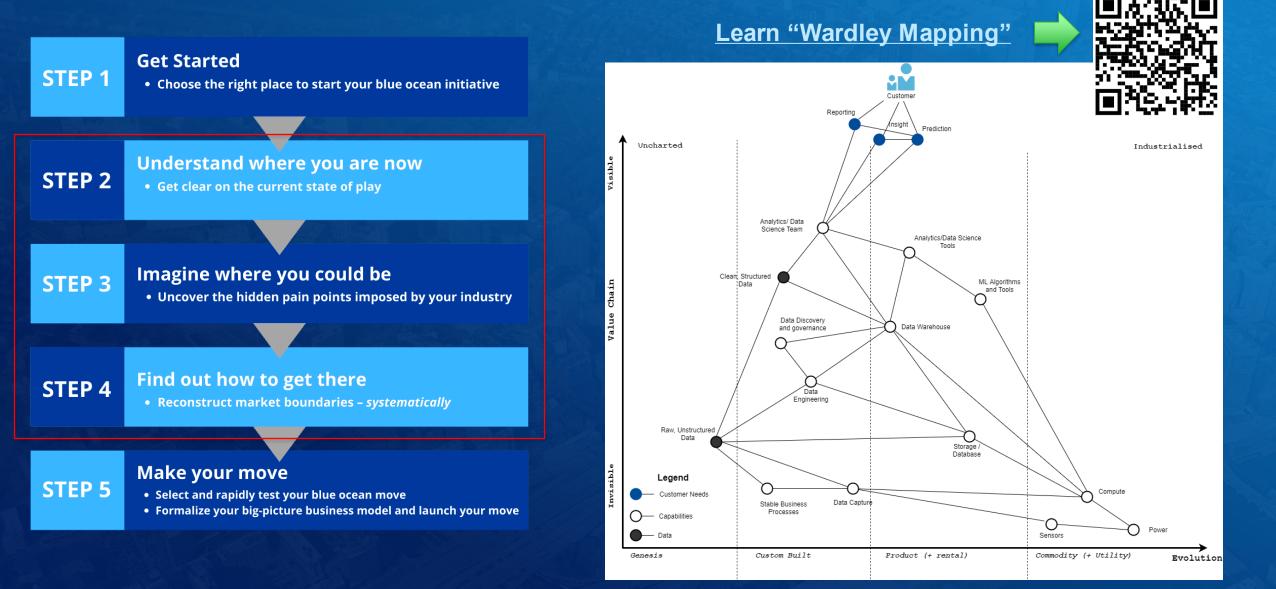
#### "Wardley Maps" by Simon Wardley

The problem with most businesses is that by lacking situational awareness. They operate only based on purpose and gut feeling, so they end up building the wrong thing, improving the wrong process or organizing in a way which is not going to help them achieve their highest goals

#### "Jobs to be Done" by Tony Ulwick

Customers want to "hire" a product to do a job.

Nobody wants a hole on the wall, a car or a computer, but everybody wants to hang a picture on the wall, go to work or write a book.



STEP 1 Get Started • Choose the right place to start your blue ocean initiative

**STEP 2** 

Understand where you are now
Get clear on the current state of play

**STEP 3** 

**STEP 4** 

**STEP 5** 

#### Imagine where you could be

• Uncover the hidden pain points imposed by your industry

Find out how to get there • Reconstruct market boundaries – systematically

Make your move

• Select and rapidly test your blue ocean move

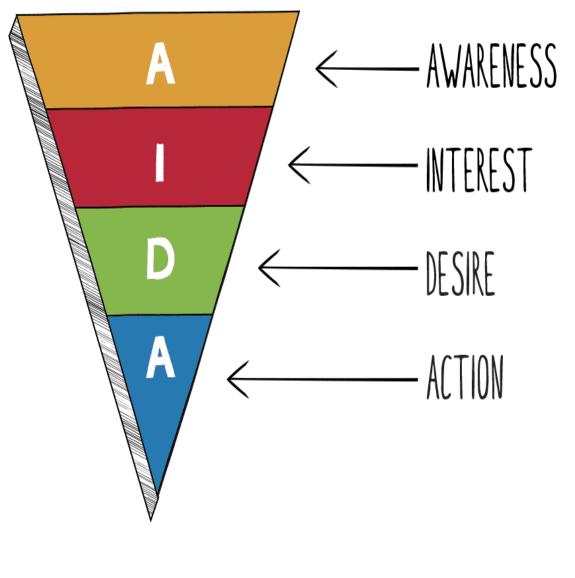
• Formalize your big-picture business model and launch your move

#### Target market

**Target audience** 

Personas: Technical "champion" Sponsor "decision maker"

## THE AIDA MODEL





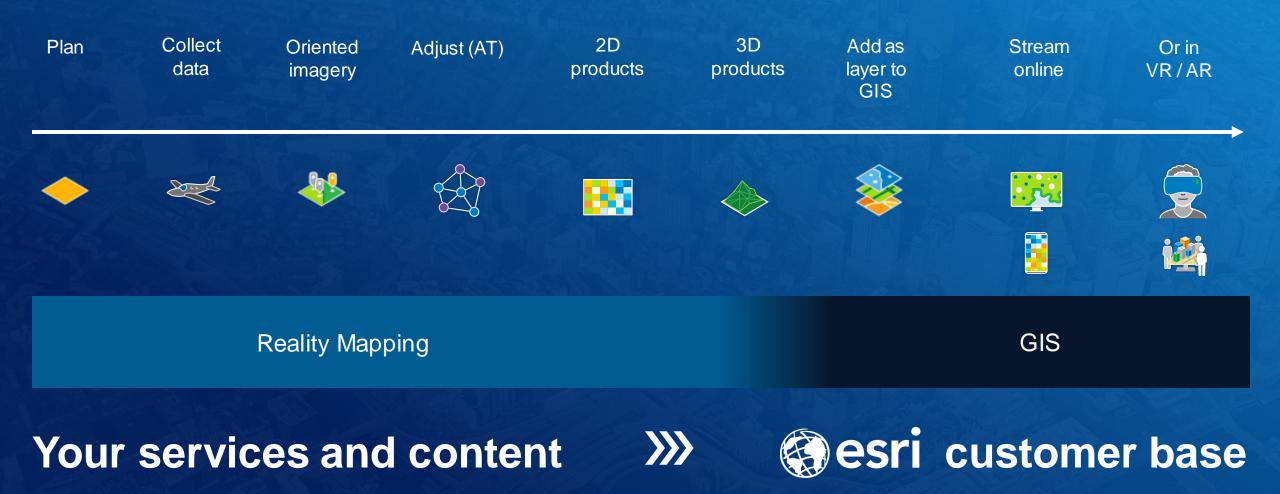
- 1. Find your differential opportunities to navigate towards "Blue ocean"
- 2. Accept that there's no one-size-fits-all approach to business. This is where situational awareness comes in handy: I recommend "Wardley Maps"
- 3. Consider hiring consultant for "Awareness" and "Interest", for example:
  - Spatially Aware
  - Oxymoron Agency

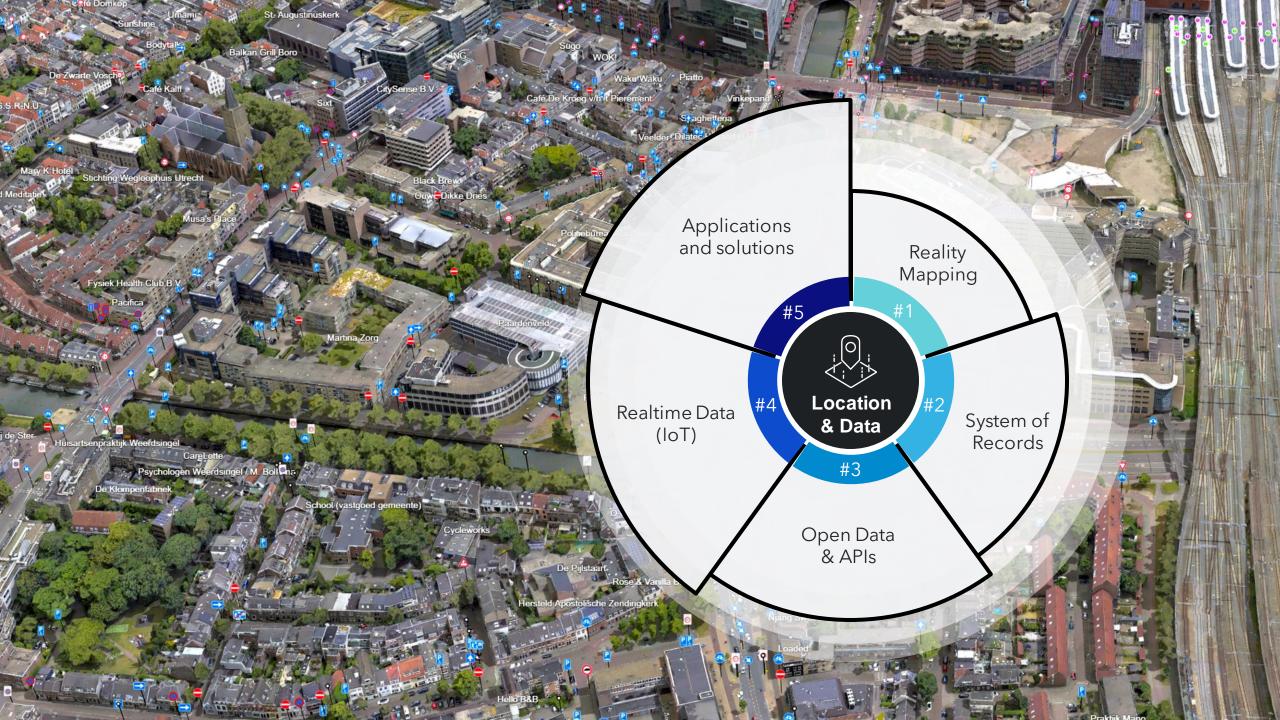
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- 4. Target audience and define personas
- 5. Implement and sustain AIDA "sales funnel"

## Differentiating your business by partnering with Esri





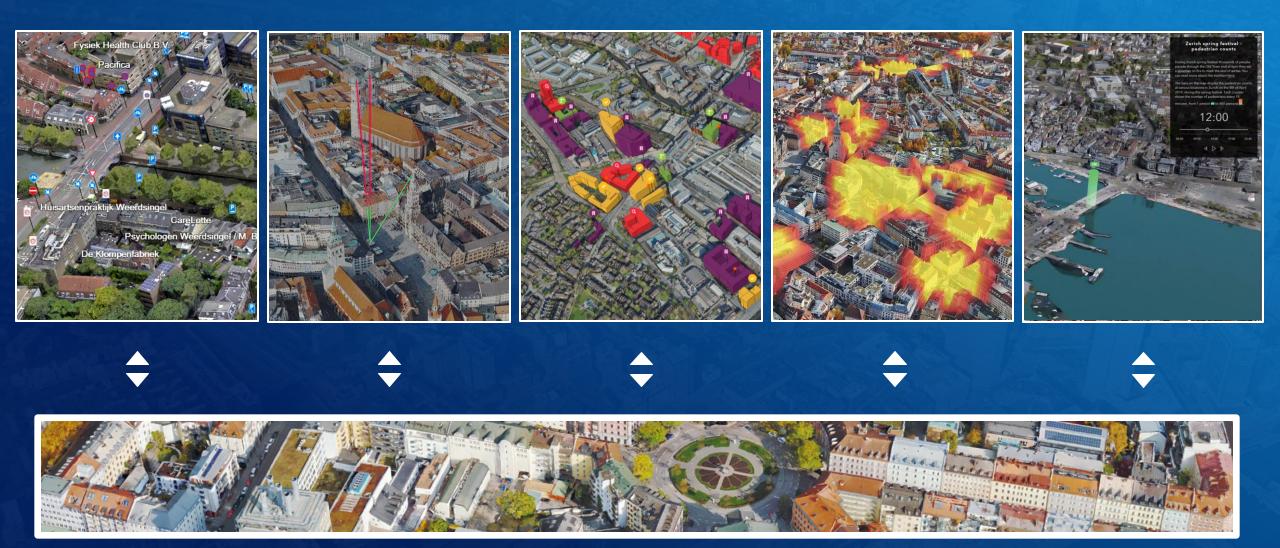
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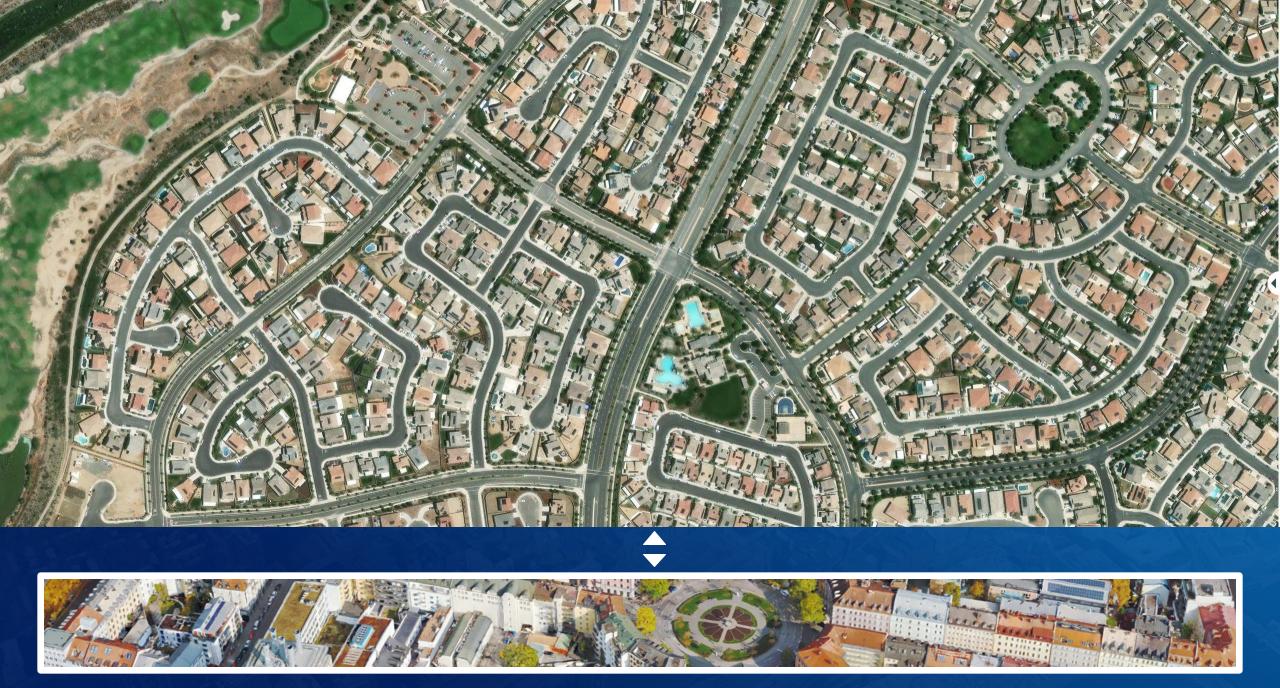
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**Reality Mapping** 



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## Bonus to effective advertising: LinkedIn algorithm



1981 - 1996

1997 - 2012

Y (Millennials)

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**Screen time** surges and trend is clear

Generation	Born	Screen time	@ Social Media
Baby Boomers	1946 – 1964	~ 2h	~ 0.5h
X	1965 – 1980	~ 3,5h	~ 1,5h

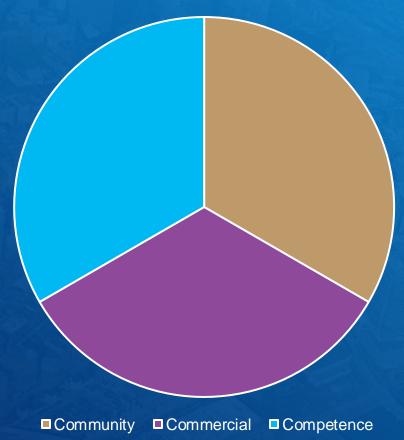
~ 5h

~ 7h

~ 3h

~ 6h

#### Well balanced content



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