

Getting the best from the Oasis HUB - December 6<sup>th</sup>, 2018

1	I see on the website there is a possibility to connect through an API. Can you elaborate on that?
	We have API access as part of our development plan. We don't yet have a date this will be implemented, and we'll be reviewing our development priorities for 2019 in the coming weeks.
2	If the information in the hub is marked free, is there is a chance to use it to visualize it via our own web platform? What are the restrictions? How do we get licensed under OASIS to use the free data?
	Each dataset is supplied with a licence which can be viewed just before download. In the case of free datasets these are typically provided with an open source licence, which can allow the user to derive new products.
3	How many visitors and downloads does the website have?
	The Oasis HUB is a start-up that is growing rapidly, in terms of the number and range of datasets, membership, tools and services. Since March 2018 there have been almost 8570 visitors and almost 3000 downloads of both free and commercial data.
4	Do you do any consultancy - can you help us find the data we need?
	Yes. We are regularly working on behalf of clients to find data to help them on projects. If you'd like to discuss this drop an email to <a href="mailto:hello@oasishub.co">hello@oasishub.co</a>
5	Is OASIS-hub a 100% subsidized website and strongly dependent on funding or is it a long-term development?
	At its inception the Oasis HUB was funded by EIT Climate-KIC, with the aim of incubating the project to a point where it becomes self-sustaining. We are at the point of self-sufficiency and very much look forward to long-term developments.
6	When will your tools section be launched and what kinds of tools are on there
	The tools section will be released in very early January 2019. Over time it will contain tools for: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Climate change and Adaptation</li> <li>• Energy</li> <li>• Loss and Damage</li> <li>• Natural Hazards</li> <li>• Software</li> <li>• Statistical</li> </ul>
7	Crowdfunding data?
	We're pretty close to releasing a crowdsourcing platform. One of the issues faced by data consumers is the huge gaps that exist across the global data landscape. Typically, the areas least served are the developing economies, which are also the areas likely to suffer the most from the impacts of climate related extreme weather events. Crowdsourcing allows any hub member to create a campaign which receives contributions from the wider hub community.