Open Data Kit (ODK) is an extensible, open-source suite of tools created to build information services for developing regions. Designed to be used together or independently, ODK tools build on existing standards and are supported by a community of developers and users. Some of our tools are shown below.

**ODK Build**
Build generates XForms used by ODK tools to render logic and exchange data.

**ODK Collect**
Collect renders application logic as prompts and transfers collected data.

**ODK Aggregate**
Aggregate provides data storage and export in the cloud or local servers.

Adding to typical data collection use cases like socio-economic surveys with GPS locations and images, ODK is being used to create decision support applications for clinicians and for building multimedia-rich nature mapping tools. Other examples of ODK deployments are shown below.

**AMPATH in Kenya**
AMPATH uses ODK for home-based counseling and testing of millions of HIV patients in rural Kenya.

**Berkeley HRC in Central African Republic**
HRC uses ODK to document human rights violations in the Central African Republic, Uganda and Liberia.

**Suruí Tribe in Amazon**
The Brazilian Forest Service and Google.org is piloting ODK for in-situ monitoring of the Amazon rainforest.

Evaluations of ODK demonstrates that it can enhance information services in a variety of low-resource environments. Users report ODK is easier to use, more capable, more cost-effective, and more accurate than the alternatives they considered.