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Roadmap for the Circular Economy in Catalonia 2021-2027



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Catalan Strategy on Green and Circular Economy and Ecodesign (2015)



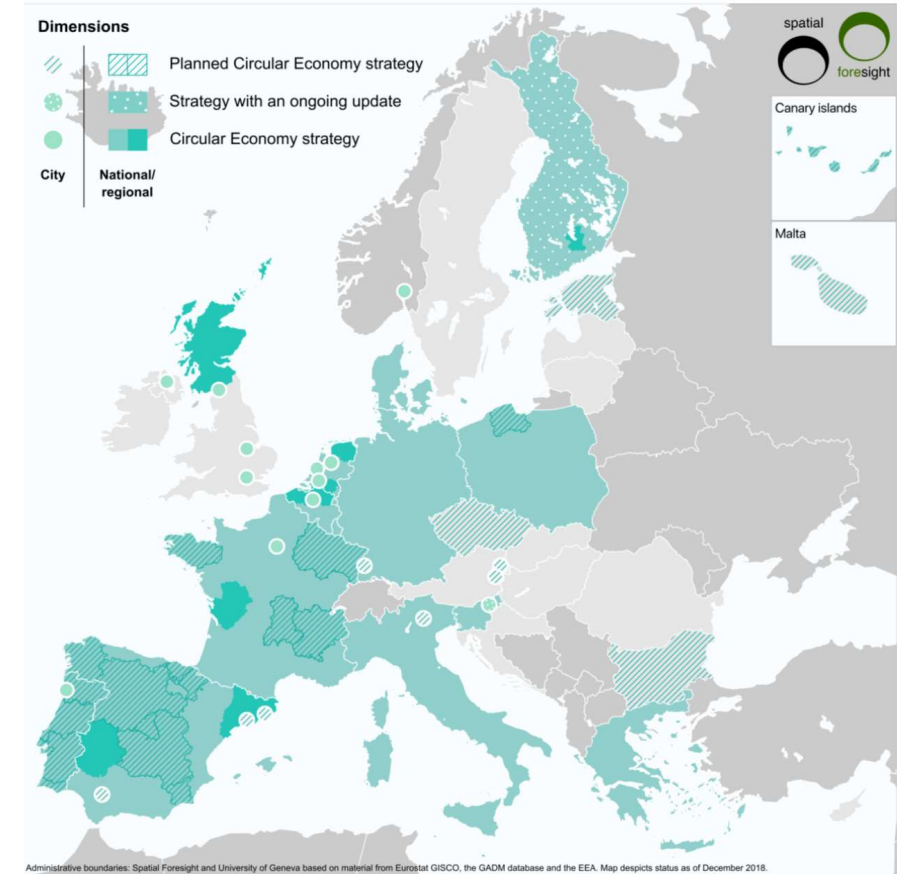
Catalan strategy on green and circular economy (2015)

Estratègia catalana d'ecodisseny
per a una economia circular i ecoinnovadora

Catalan Ecodesign Strategy (2015)

- One of the **first European territories** with a circular strategy
- Approved by **Government Agreement** in 2015
- Among the benchmarking inspiration was Ireland and its **Delivering our green potential, 2012**
- Creation of the **Interministerial-working group** on Circular and Green Economy: need for cross-sectorial approach

Map 2.1 Overview of existing and planned circular economy strategies in Europe



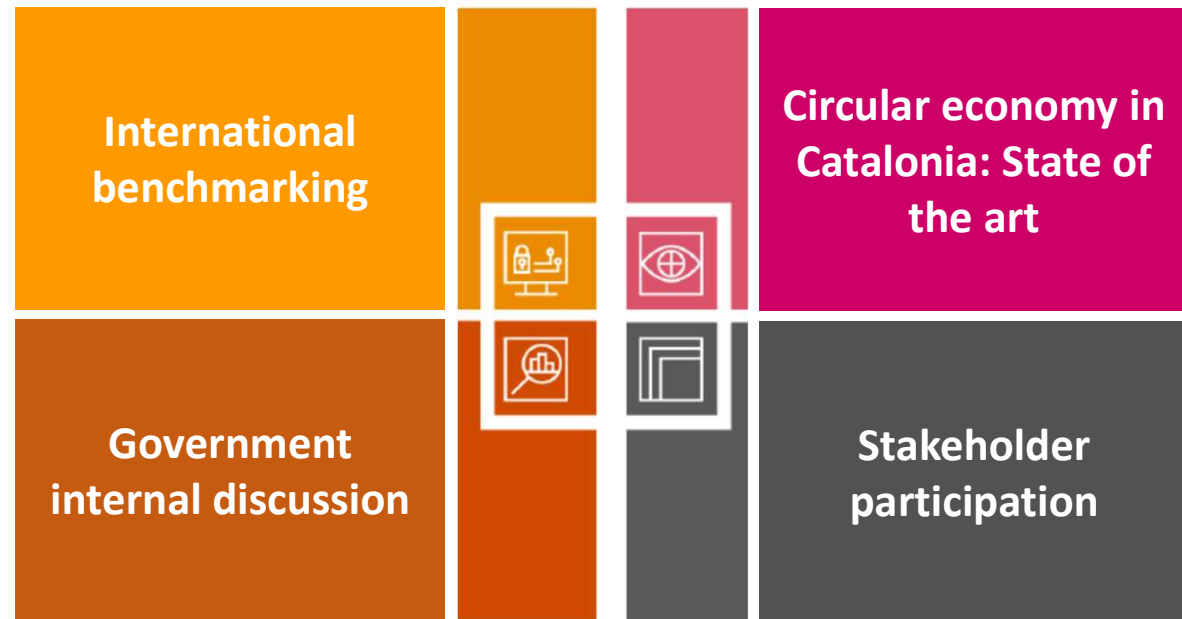
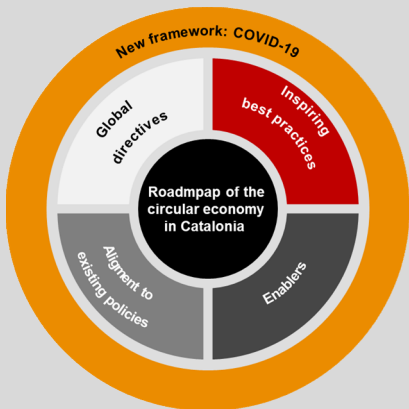
Administrative boundaries: Spatial Foresight and University of Geneva based on material from Eurostat GISCO, the GADM database and the EEA. Map depicts status as of December 2018.

Source: Spatial Foresight, 2019 based on the strategies collected for this study and information from stakeholders about upcoming strategies.

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ENERGY - CROSS SECTORAL – TEXTIL - EDUCATION- CONSTRUCTION-
WASTE – CHEMICAL – WATER – MATERIALS - LOCAL AUTHORITIES

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Vision:

- Facilitating the **integration of a regenerative economy** into the government's strategic policies.
- Bringing the possibilities of the **circular economy to market realities**
- Improvement of **human well-being and social equity** and reduction of **environmental risks**

Strategic objectives



Contribute to
achieving climate
neutrality



Undock economic
development from
the consumption of
materials



Close the circle of
value strings and
resources



Circular awareness
and inclusiveness

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OBJECTIVES:

At the strategic level



- Facilitating integration into the government's strategic policies
- Bringing circular economy to market realities

At a concrete level



- New transformative policies, based on collaboration
- Gather synergies between sectoral policies (e.g. water; energy/climate change; digitalization...).



Citizen participation process

• Key data

Sessions

10 Sessions
Accompanied by the 10 corresponding online forms

Mixed strategies

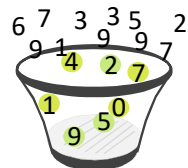
6 sectorals sessions
4 cross-cutting sessions

Assistants

89 institutions
143 actors

Contributions

512 contributions
initiatives and concrete actions to be included in the Roadmap



*The proposed actions have been consolidated in **130 clusters**.*

Groupings

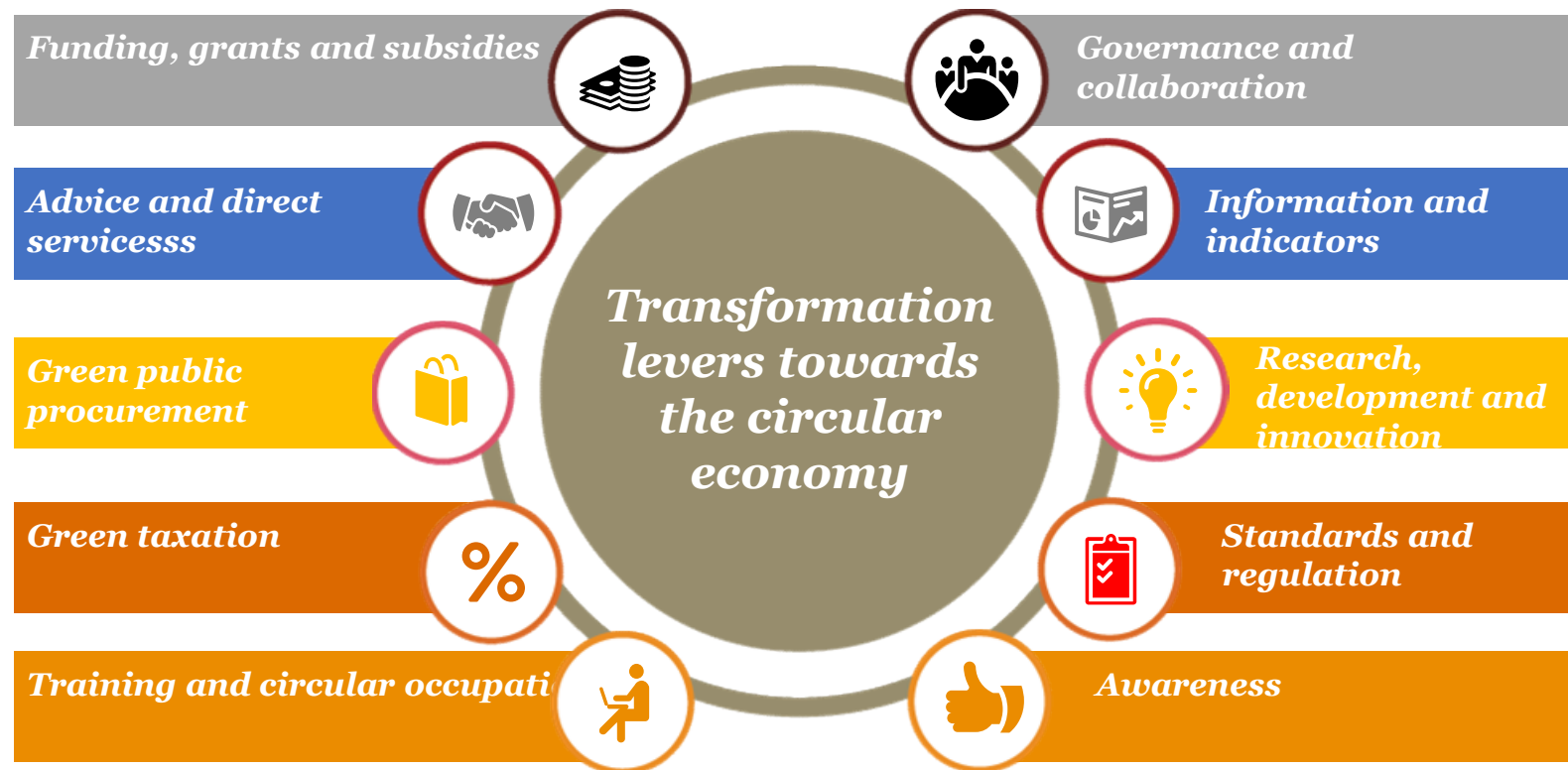
130 groupings of actions

- Innovative
- Aligned with needs
- Generate synergies
- Meaningful for Catalonia

Instrument-sector crossover

	Water	Construc.	Energy	Materials	Chemist	Waste	Textile	Transver-sal
Funding, grants and subsidies	2	2	6		3	1		8
Advice and direct services		1	2			1	1	4
Green Public Procurement		2	2					1
Green Taxation	1		1			1		1
Training and circular occupation				3	1	2		6
Governance and collaboration	2		1	1	1	1		7
Information and indicators	5	1	2	3		4	2	7
R&D&i	1		2			1	1	2
Standars and regulation	2	1	4	6	1	5	2	3
Awareness	1				1			8

Governance instruments and levels of transformation



Strategic initiatives

1. Increase public **grants and financing** programmes, and green taxation
2. **Training** as a lever for circular employment
3. A paradigm shift driven by **governance** and collaboration
4. Empowering information and **citizen awareness** for behavior change
5. Simplifying **standards and regulations** to encourage circular production and consumption
6. Promoting more efficient and collaborative **green public procurement**
7. Maximizing circular economy integration through **EMAS**
8. Research, Development and Innovation projects
9. Program on Industrial **Symbiosis**
9. Consolidation of the **Circular Economy Hub** (*Catalunya Circular*)
10. **Circular Fashion Agreement**
11. ...





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Thank you!

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