



E-mobility II – Roll-out of charging infrastructure  
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# Chicken or egg? Challenges for charging infrastructure roll-out



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# Where we are?



- EU GREEN DEAL: transition to sustainable mobility by reducing GHG emissions transport sector by 90% by 2050.



## FACTORS

Autonomous mobility and an intelligent traffic management system



Modal shift to railways and inland waterways navigation

Fuel price that reflects its impact on the environment



Increase of alternative fuel options

Transport decarbonisation: increasingly stringent emissions standards

# PASSENGER CAR



Veicoli utilizzati per il trasporto a 3,5 tonnellate.



## «LAST MILE» VEHICLES



Max 8 pax, 3,5 ton

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## LIGHT DUTY VEHICLE



Veicoli utilizzati per il trasporto di più di otto persone

> 8 pax, max 5 ton

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## HEAVY DUTY VEHICLE



Veicoli utilizzati per il trasporto di più di otto persone

> 8 pax, > 5 ton

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## «OFF-ROAD» VEHICLES

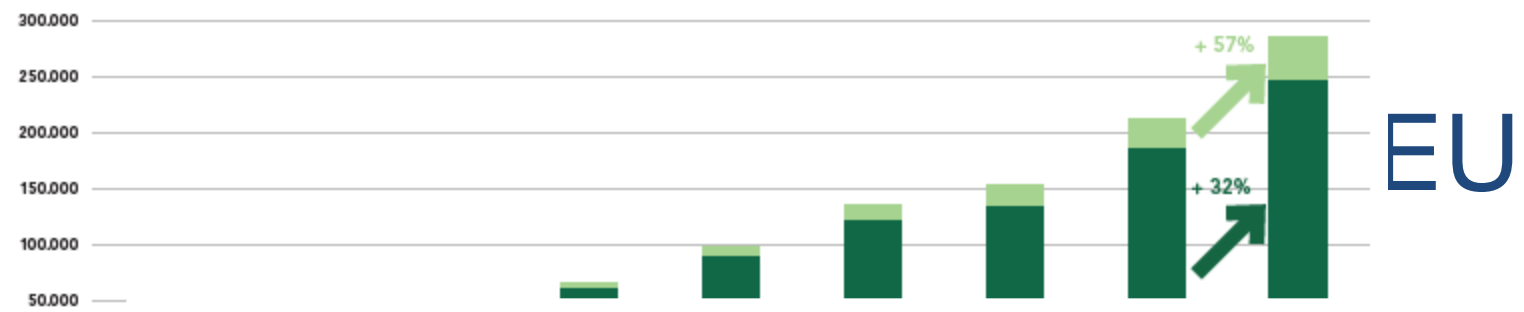


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Europe is the largest world market, with almost 1.4 million electric vehicles registered in 2020 (+ 137% compared to 2019): 1,36 mln cars & 2.100 e- buses



- At the end of 2020, over 285,000 public charging points (public use/accessible ) are estimated in Europe:
  - 87% normal charges
  - 13% fast charges
  - >35% compared to 2019



# Most used Type of Charging



When & how: Charging overnight/during the day at home/parks areas or charging opportunity during trips.



Type: wall box



Type: Conductive charging via cable



When & how: Charging overnight in depots or charging opportunity during service.



Type: Conductive charging via cable



Type: Pantograph system



# Current challenges for charging

## TECHNOLOGICAL TRENDS FOR THE CHARGING OF ELECTRIC VEHICLES (CARS)

ITEMS	TREND
CHARGING SPOT	Columns and "Energy Storage"
	Dynamic management of recharging
	Direct payment of charging service
	Plug & Charge columns (ISO 15118)
	Smart charging: "V1G" and "V2G"
	Integration of the charging system into the "street furniture"
NEW CHARGING TECHNOLOGY	Battery swap
	Mobile charging
	Wireless charging (pilot also for e-BUSES)



# Outlook for charging technology

Integration charging systems with the **electricity grid**:

- **columns and "energy storage"** (storage systems and RES production).
- **V1G and V2G** (connection among vehicles, charging systems and different operators to optimize the charging process).

SHORT (5 Y)

OVER 10 Y

NOW

FUTURE

- **"dynamic load balancing" systems** (differentiated modulation of the power delivered by the column).
- **payment by credit or debit card for charging service** (simplify and speed up the charging process).
- **mobile charging with vans equipped with an on-board battery,**

MID-LONG (5-10 Y)

- **Autonomous robots** equipped with a battery that can move in limited contexts.
- **Battery swap and wireless charging** (current technological limits both on the infrastructure and vehicle).



# Synergy is the Key



## Charging Infrastructure

- Lack of homogeneous & interoperable diffusion in EU
- Range anxiety (fast & normal charge)
- Impacts on energy network/grid



## Electric Vehicles

- High costs of vehicles
- Battery autonomy
- Vehicle2Grid (V2G)



Regional Best practices and policies improvement (funds and strategies) for alternative fuel mobility, in particular e-mobility



in 2020 it became 1°country where EV sales accounted for more than half of new cars. **Public:** Generous incentives - tax breaks, toll exemptions, vehicle grants with a massive roll out of charging infrastructure. **private companies:** see the potential of a fast-growing market and flooded the Nordic country with EVs. Car manufacturers have used the country as a test-bed for new models

## Public Initiatives

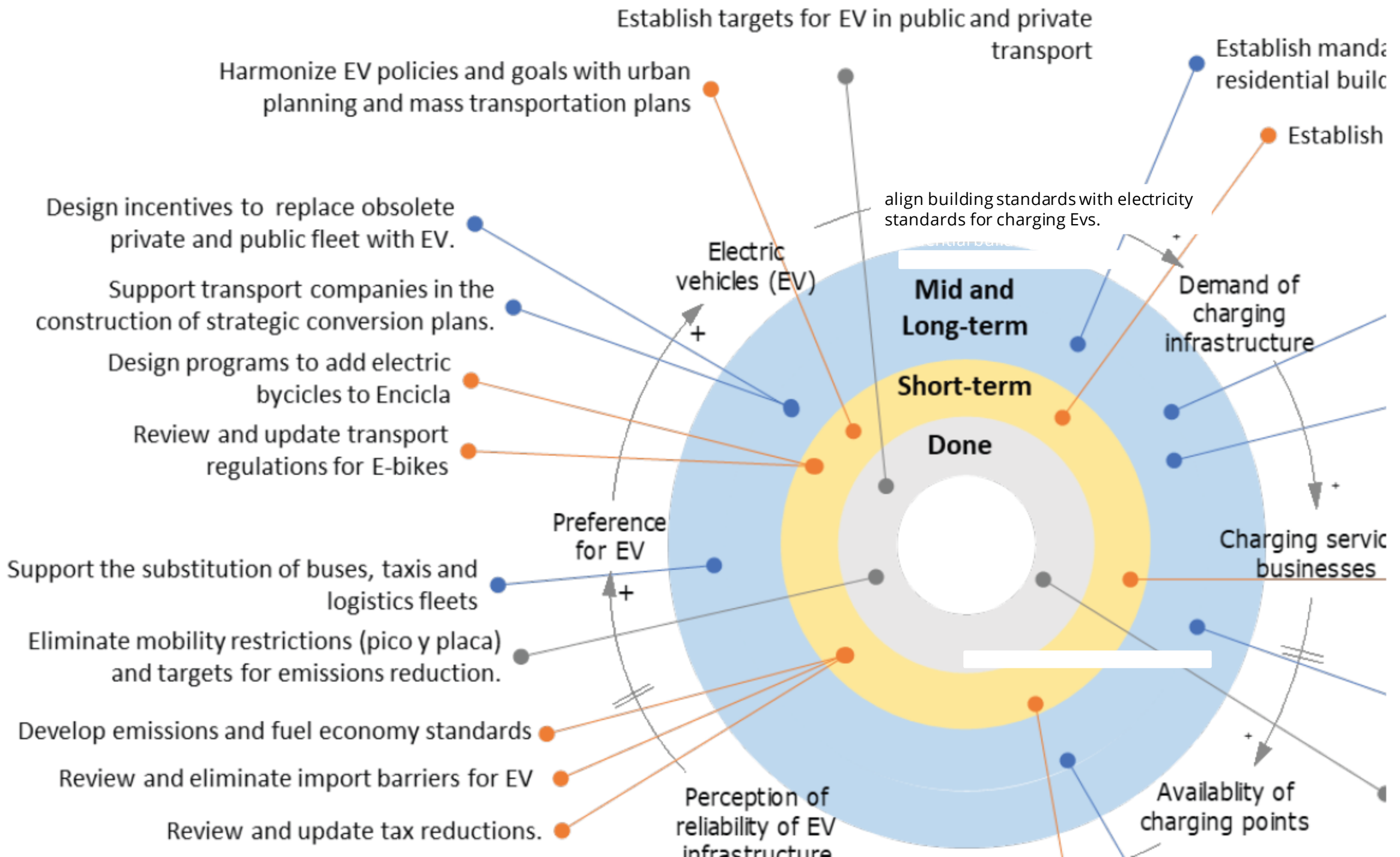
- Governance & policies
- Mid & long-term Planning & strategies
- Incentives
- Research (Universities)
- Public-Private Partnership
- Information campaigns for end-users (behavioural changes of citizens)



## Private Initiatives

- Sustainable Business models
- Short, Mid & long-term Investments
- Services
- Research & Innovation
- Cooperation with PAs
- Information campaigns for end-users (e-mobility is cool!)







# Thank you!



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