

Existence of institutional mechanism for long-term planning

Dimension - Institutional Arrangements

Associated Key Factor:

Policy formulation and implementation

Data Source:

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The indicator:

Existence of institutional mechanisms like foresight for long-term planning

Description

Measures commitment of political systems to long-term planning and cross-sectoral integration of policies

How is it measured?

It is a qualitative indicator and can be assessed by the existence of long term planning mechanisms in different policy areas at the national, regional and European levels.

What is the policy relevance of the indicator?

Measures extent to which policy is evidence-based and forward looking

The Indicator is relevant for the following pathways of the FORESIGHT FOR TRANSPORT exercise:

	Transport Impact	External Determining Variable	Intermediate Variable	Contextual Information
Greater power for European level of decision making	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
A reorientation of European transport policy	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>