

# **Providing context for Smart Energy Cities**

## **Baseline Analysis Method Manual**

## **Baseline Analysis reports**

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### Introduction

This report summarises the work undertaken and methodology for producing the **City Baseline Analysis** as part of the EU-FP7 TRANSFORM project. Appended are the resulting **City Baseline Reports**.

The first deliverable from TRANSFORM is an outline of each city utilizing existing data; this is the City Baseline Analysis. As specified in the Transform proposal, the objective of the analysis is to produce a clear outline of each of the participating cities in the Transform project. This outline should draw on existing materials to describe the city in terms of climate, energy assets, ambitions, and targets. The outline should also include information on energy production, energy flows and energy efficiency, where possible.



#### Figure 1. Illustration of the Transform progress including the positioning of the City Baseline Analysis

The role of the City Baseline Analysis is to hold up a mirror to each of the participating cities and to illustrate their current status across a range of sectors. The City Baseline Analysis should provide a snapshot in time of each city; this is a reference point, from which the Transformation Agenda will define the process to become A Smart Energy City.

The Smart Energy City Definition including the key elements and Key Performance Indicators (KPIs) have also been developed as part of work package 1 will provide a set parameters or metrics against which a city can monitor their progress (see fig. 1). The results of this work can be found in the following reports:

- 1. Definition of a Smart Energy City;
- 2. Becoming a Smart Energy City, state of the art of 6 TRANSFORM cities;

The findings of the baseline analysis are displayed in a series of six short reports; one per city. These are the City Baseline reports; the starting place from which the cities will begin their transition to Smart Energy Cities.

As well as providing a point of reference, each city will be able to use their City Baseline Analysis report in their intake workshop. The analysis will help them to decide the areas they would like to focus their efforts.





## **Roles and workflow**

The Baseline analysis was carried out by WP1 overseen by the City of Copenhagen as WP1 leader.

Arup lead on the creation of the questionnaires, collection of data and development of the baseline reports.



Figure 2. 'Creating the baseline analysis'- workflow

1) 2) The process began with Arup producing a draft questionnaire to be issued to the cities, for more information on the baseline questionnaire see section 1.3. This draft was reviewed by the other active parties in WP1: Accenture, DTU and the City of Copenhagen.

3) A blank questionnaire was then issued to each of the cities.

4) 5) Once the data was received from the cities, the most suitable data was then used to draft Baseline Reports. Where appropriate, the data was also supplemented with additional research. Hamburg and Amsterdam have produced an invaluable 'Status-quo report' detailing the characteristics and ambitions of Hamburg and Amsterdam. It has been suggested that all 6 cities

6) A gap-analysis was then carried out, and the draft reports were returned to each city with suggestion of how to improve their data.

7)8) The cities then provided updates to their data, and the baseline reports were revised and issued.





## The Baseline questionnaire- data collection

Each city was issued with a blank copy of the questionnaire to populate. This self-assessment asked a series of questions about each city's current state.

Questions (or 'hard KPIs') were asked regarding the cities status across six sectors: Energy, Waste, Water, Transport, Buildings and ICT. The questions were divided thematically into these six sectors so that the questionnaire could be easily divided up amongst the departments within the city authority. Aligning the structure of the questionnaire as closely as possible with organisational structure of the cities allowed cities to respond more efficiently.

Questions were selected on the following basis:

- To provide a broad coverage across the cities sectors;
- Answers could be easily provided by the cities using existing data with minimal calculation or analysis; and
- In line with previous work carried out by Arup and Accenture on Smart Cities.

The questionnaire also contained a 'powers' assessment tool; this is used to establish a city authority's level of influence in each sector. For each of the six sections, the city was asked to report their level of influence over the visions, budgets and policies.





## **Building the reports- The analysis**

The reports produced are a series of 2-page dashboards. Maximising the use of graphics, the reports provide a 10 minute overview of the quantitative data available on the city.

The 'powers table' issued in the baseline questionnaire was used to produce a graphic illustrating the city's control/influence over each sector. For each sector (i.e. water, waste, energy), and under each area of influence (i.e. set vision, budgetary control, etc.) cities were asked to nominate their level of power (i.e. Sets vision, no influence, etc. The diagram illustrates in relative terms, where the city has power, and at what stage in the process they can assert this power.



Figure 3. Diagram illustrating city influence over different sectors





## **Reflection-Improvements to the process**

In terms of improvements to the process of producing the City Baseline Analysis, below are some points observed by WP1 and fed back from the cities.

Improving the efficiency of data collection

- Better definition of responsible parties within the cities;
- Greater use of local partners in data collection; and
- Greater customisation to the questionnaire to individual city requirements.

Functionality and additional value of the baseline analysis process

- Cities gained an insight into their data availability;
- Level of detail in the questionnaire allowed cities to realise what they do and do not know;
- Cooperation between stakeholders was strengthened through the data collection process; and
- Data collection and questionnaire formed an important intervention to start TA process;





# **Baseline Analysis reports**







### ENERGY





From 2015 all new construction in the city must be

**climate-neutral**. This means that the buildingrelated energy consumption will be reduced as far as possible by means of insulation (while retaining proper ventilation) and the remaining energy demand will be met from sustainable sources.



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350 On street electric vehicle charging points



Modal Split

Walking

28%

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Rail /

Metro /

Tram

Buses 12%

3%





#### ENERGY



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## COPENHAGEN, DENMARK

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#### POWERS Buildings Energy Waste Copenhagen Transport Water Set vision Budgetary control Set/enforce policies and regulation Own/Operate Asset or Function TRANSPORT 411 k m cycle lanes Intermodal 94% ticketing system are segregated Other Cars/Taxis 2% 26% Cycling High provision of facilities for cyclists has 32% led to a large proportion of journeys being undertaken by bicycle. 32% If the use of cars is necessary, the goal is Modal that the large majority of them use Split electrical, hydrogen or are hybrids. Transport must contribute to making a greener, smarter and healthier city in 2025 /Tram/Buses Walking Ferries/ River boats 26% 0.5% On street Transport is a main part of the Climate Plan 2025. electric Copenhagen is focused on making cycling, walking vehicle or using public transport the most attractive means of transport for Copenhageners to get around the charging city. points

#### Copenhagen's vision is that all Copenhageners have digital access to public services.

IT Strategy priorities divided into five categories: Citizens, businesses and users Municipality tasks

Employees

Managing IT development

Operation and development of the IT platform

The city has an Open Data strategy, where the city's data are available for citizens, business etc. to access and use

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Rail/Metro

14%





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## GENOA, ITALY

2005

2, 271

#### POWERS Total city-wide emissions Buildings Energy 9 metric tonnes of CO<sub>2</sub> equivalent (CO<sub>2</sub>e) per year ICT Genoa GHG REDUCTION TARGET Genoa aims to reduce overall GHG emissions by Liodsueil 19JEW 23.7% by 2020 (based on a 2005 baseline) WASTE Other Fines (soil, Organics 8% dust etc) 43% 1% Paper and cardboard www.comune.genova.it 13% 1.45 kg Ensuring waste generated participation per person & transparency Plastics per day registered wireless 17% 19,241 hotspot

Textiles

7%

Glass Wood 3%

3%

5%

BUILDINGS

pot

ICT



users

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new recycling plant.

Genoa's citizens are offered **economic** incentives for using recycling sites of for composting at home.

Recycling / composting 33% Management of Waste Landfill 66%

#### Genoa's Urban Mobility Plan includes development of the urban railway system Genoa's Urban Mobility Low Plan also includes emission development of a Bus buses in Rapid Transit system use Free parking for low emission vehicles 0,5 1 1,5 2 s of passenger km travelled per year 2.5 0 Billions Motorcycles On street 10% electric 3.8 km Other vehicle 1% of cycle lanes charging Private motorized points 37% transpo 32% are segregated Buses Rail/Metro/Tram 29% NSFORM TRANSFORMATION AGENDA FOR LOW CARBON CITIES





### ENERGY



220 trains per day

Hamburg has established a city-owned energy supplier- Hamburg Energie. This organisation, in cooperation with the city, tackles the challenges of furthering energy efficiency measures, low carbon heating, energy storage and virtual power plants.

The city authority currently owns just over 25% of the cities energy networks. In September 2013 a referendum will be held on the municipalisation of all Hamburg's of gas and power grids.



## HAMBURG, GERMANY

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Residential.

73.20%

treated per d a y 54million m <sup>3</sup>

Industrial, 2.80%

Other. Commercial 1.50% 20.00% Municipal, 2.50%

It is currently mandated that all buildings shall be on a metered water supply.





#### WASTE



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electric

vehicle

charging

points

1,700km

of cycle lanes

200 k m

are segregated

27.7

Stadtreinigung Hamburg (SRH) is a Hamburg owned waste management company responsible for the management of residual waste, bulky waste, biowaste, paper waste and organises the recycling, energy recovery and disposal of all waste streams





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Population 1.3m

Temperature range							
		Climate					
	М а х 40.5°С	835 mm average					
		rainfall per year					
		11.39 °C average					
	M i n -24.6 °C	temperature					

## Economy

€ 56 billion GDP

€ 42,831 GDP per capita

€ 19,286 disposable income per capita

4 actions clearly identify in Lyon's Sustainable Energy Action Plan (2011):

- 1. To develop biomass heating district,
- 2. Support to organize wood market at regional level
- To drive the territory and the private and public entities in the development of renewable energy
- 4. To ease implementation of smart grids for private companies

Lyon has created a specific administrative entity to define the energy strategy and put in place an operational action plan.

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## LYON, FRANCE

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users





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#### ENERGY



#### WATER

The City of Vienna distributes water by a gravity fed system ; using pumping no energy in supplying almost all major areas.

Combined

Rainwater and

wastewater system

Vienna's water treatment plant in Simmering achieves purification levels of 98 to 99 per cent. By 2020 a sludge treatment plant will be developed which will provide enough renewable energy to power the plant.

	75%		25%	m <sup>3</sup>			
	Residential	C	commercial	It	is	currently	
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	litres		$\star \star$			all be on a	
Water consumption		*		metered water supply.			
	per capita	RMATION AGE CARBON CITIE	NDA				
	per day				OK LOW	CARDON CITE	3

wastewater

treated per

day

## VIENNA, AUSTRIA

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thousand



#### Vienna's waste goals:

- Reducing waste generation Increasing re-use
- Treatment and landfilling of waste within the city boundaries
- Increasing the material recycling rate Increasing the efficiency of waste incineration



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Transport Master Plan was developed within a cooperative consulting process, with the active participation of several departments both within and outside Vienna City Administration. Local citizens were also involved in an involvement and information process.

1.5

Vienna's 2003 Transport Master Plan is the City of Vienna's strategic transport concept, setting clear transport policy priorities while also leaving room for local, regional and global developments.

Walking

28%

Buses

5%

Cycling

6% Private

Rail/Metro/

Tram 32%

Modal Split

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motorized

transport

29%



# **Blank report**

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### GRAPHICS





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heating

#### POWERS



- Graphic created using Adobe illustrator
- Responses were averages across each sector
  (i.e. average of responses for 'city roads', buses' and 'rail' gives a score for 'transport')
- Each sector has four types of influence:
  - set vision;
  - own/operate asset or function;
  - set/enforce policy/regulation; and
  - budgetary control.

