

Bioeconomy Strategies in Europe





The map shows the state of bioeconomy strategies in Europe. The data has been adapted from the Map of "Bioeconomies around the World", produced by the German Bioeconomy Council. Though the present map focuses on Europe, we also added countries currently planning to develop bioeconomy strategies under the Bioeast Initiative based on a map produced by the European Commission's Knowledge Centre for Bioeconomy. There are four levels of strategy-development shown: (a) having a dedicated bioeconomy strategy in place (such as in Ireland, France or Germany), (b) currently developing a dedicated bioeconomy strategy (e.g. Portugal and the Netherlands), (c) having bioeconomy related strategies in place (such as in Belgium, Greece, and Denmark). The final level is (d); those who plan to develop a dedicated bioeconomy strategy, which on is map is focussed on countries that are part of the Bioeast initiative (e.g. Hungary and Romania).

The map shows that, while the bioeconomy is in different stages of development, it is considered an important sector of the economy which is supported by the majority of governments across Europe.

Sources:

German Bioeconomy Council
European Commission's Knowledge Centre for Bioeconomy

Strategies

-  Dedicated bioeconomy strategy
-  Bioeconomy-related strategy/decitated strategy under development
-  Bioeconomy-related strategy
-  Plan to develop bioeconomy strategy (Bioeast Initiative)

