# Science, Technology and Innovation Policy - STIP Compass:

A hub for data-driven STI policy analysis and advice Presentation to the 9th ITF Transport Statistics Meeting

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## **Presentation outline**

#### In the next few minutes, you will learn about

- A web portal for science, technology and innovation (STI) policies and related data maintained by the OECD and European Commission
- A biennial survey of >60 countries on their STI policies, which is the main data source underpinning the portal
- A new survey question collecting data on STI policies targeting the transport and mobility sectors
- How the data collected on transport and mobility will be used in the portal – and how you could help



- An **EC-OECD joint initiative** to collect together in one place qualitative and quantitative data on national trends in **STI policy**.
- It uses a **semantic database** for storing, accessing and linking various kinds of data (e.g. on policies, statistics, publication metadata, twitter feeds...).
- It is **publicly available** online at <a href="mailto:stip.oecd.org">stip.oecd.org</a>.



#### Featured

These cards give you a quick access to sections and pages within the portal that are in the spotlight. They include new thematic portals that address pressing STI policy concerns recommended dashboards analysis of the data and recent announcements.











#### Access the territory dashboards

Click on the country that you are interested in to get a bird's-eye overview of the main national STI policies in one place. Using these dishiboards, you can learn how various governments design STI policies and deploy instruments to address a wide rance of objective and challences.



#### Policies recently added to the database

- DATA, ALGORITHMS AND SOURCE CODE POLICY ROADMAP 2021-2024 Start date: 2021 | Sed date: 2024
- EUROPEAN PARTNERSHIP IN HORIZON EUROPE FOR CLEAN HYDROGEN Start date: 2021 | Enddate: 2021
- EXECUTIVE ORDER ON TACKLING THE CLIMATE CRISIS AT HOME AND ABROAD Start date: 2021
- GUIDELINES FOR SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY DEVELOPMENT, AND INNOVATION

  Start date: 2021 | End date: 2027 | Budget range: Nore than 500M EUR per-view
- ITALIAN SCIENCE FUND
  Stantdate: 2021 | Rudget range: 100M-500M EUR per year
- ◆ PANDEMICS AS A CHALLENGE FOR SOCIETY Start date: 2021 | Find date: 2024



## The EC-OECD STIP Survey

- The **main data source** for STIP Compass.
- Conducted every two years, it aims to collect data on national STI policy initiatives.
  - The survey is distributed across ministries and funding agencies by national contact points.
- The survey is divided into 6 main policy areas and one edition-specific "module".
- In the 2023 edition, the specific module is on STI policies for net-zero transitions – and includes a question on the transport and mobility sector





## The 2021 edition of the STIP survey collected data on 6,600 STI policy initiatives in 57 countries + EU

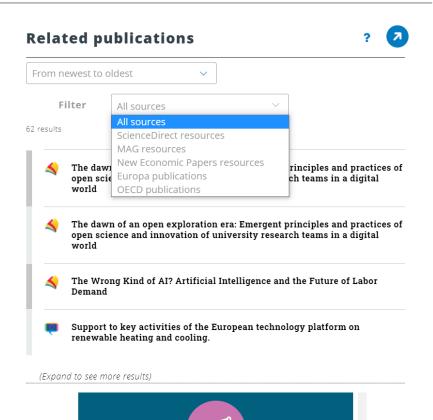


Taken together, the countries covered in the STIP survey/STIP Compass database account for an estimated <u>97% of global R&D</u>



### Data linked to the STI policy data

- Semantic integration with linked data:
  - 9,000+ publications from the OECD,
     EC, the International Energy Agency
     and UNESCO
  - 35,000+ academic papers from relevant journals
  - Policy initiative data linked to **100s** indicators from the STI.Scoreboard
     infrastructure
  - 100s of relevant RSS and Twitter feeds in country pages





### **Data interfaces in STIP Compass**

#### Interactive dashboards

- 700+ different kinds of dashboards
- Country dashboards: Generate overview documents from live data

### Search engine

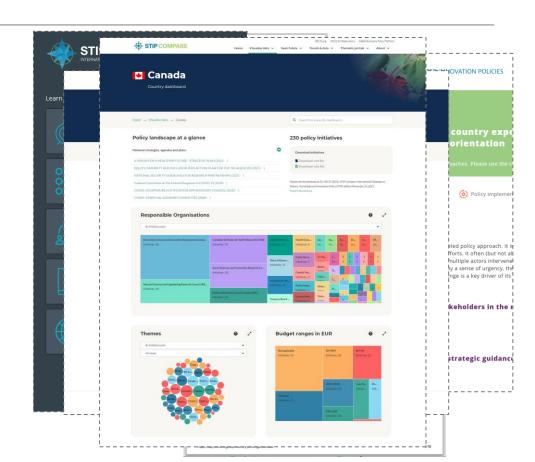
- Google-like search
- Narrow down by keywords using a dedicated innovation vocabulary

#### Download data

Open API to download data in Excel/XML formats

#### Thematic portals

Explorable explanations adding layers of guidance





## Use of 2021 STIP Survey data

+100 K PAGEVIEWS / YEAR









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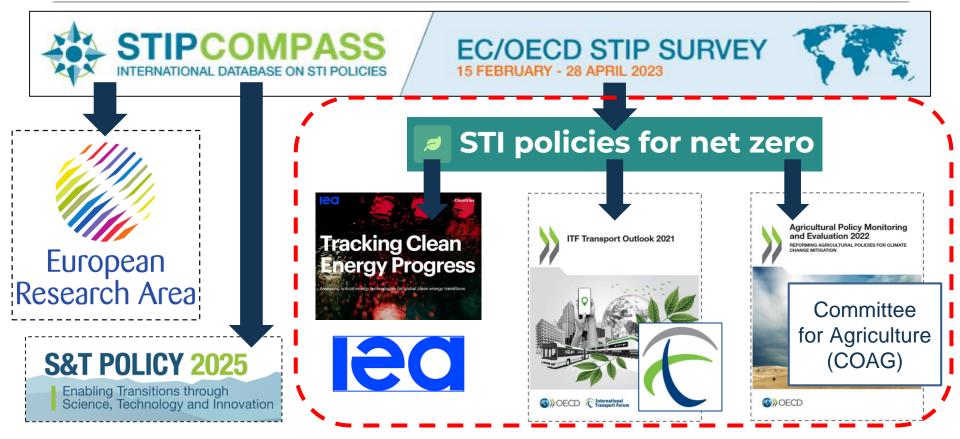








## 2023 EC-OECD STIP Survey: New uses of the data





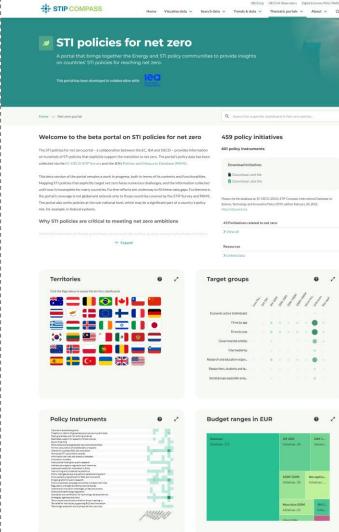
Launched with the **IEA** at COP26 in Nov 2021

Maps STI policies that explicitly support the transition towards **net zero carbon emissions in the energy sector**.

**Data**: Close to 500 policy initiatives from 40 countries and the EU, statistical indicators, relevant publications (EC, OECD, academic, etc.), etc.

#### **Features**

- Country dashboards
- Browse, filter and export policy initiatives
- Linked data dashboard
- Download full dataset





# Expanding the net zero portal beyond energy: sector-specific questions on STI policies for net-zero

M1.3 What policy initiatives, if any, aim specifically to support research and innovation for net-zero carbon ambitions in the energy sector?

M.1.4 What policy initiatives, if any, aim specifically to support research and innovation for net-zero carbon ambitions in the transport and mobility sectors?

M.1.5 What policy initiatives, if any, aim specifically to support research and innovation for net-zero carbon ambitions in the food and agriculture sectors?



## **Guidance on policy initiatives to report**

## M.1.4 What policy initiatives, if any, aim specifically to support research and innovation for net-zero carbon ambitions in the transport and mobility sectors?

Guidance on policy initiatives to report:

- Transport and mobility research and innovation strategies and policies (e.g. major R&D and demonstration projects, support schemes, emerging technology regulation) aiming to contribute to achieving net-zero CO2 emissions (i.e. deep decarbonisation), in any supply-side or end-use sector (e.g. research and innovation for electric vehicles, public transport systems innovation, smart cities, shared modes of transport).
- Specific attention may be given to policies, strategies and/or programmes focusing on hard-to-decarbonise sectors where key technologies for decarbonisation are relatively less mature (e.g. long-distance transportation such as shipping and aviation), or on key emerging low-carbon energy technologies (e.g. low-carbon hydrogen, advanced biofuels).

The question has been prefilled with 73 STI policy initiatives previously identified



## "Policy initiative" as the unit of reporting

#### **Defined** as a public action that:

- i. aims to achieve one or several public **policy goals**
- ii. is expected to **modify or frame the behaviours** of actors and stakeholders
- iii. is **implemented** with a minimum time horizon or on a continuous basis (i.e. not as a one-off "event").

#### **Characterised** by taxonomies

- Basic fields for textual data (name, short description, objectives, background)
- A policy instrument taxonomy built based on Lit. review and OECD workshops
- A taxonomy for target groups and list of budget ranges
- An STI thematic taxonomy that structures the questions of the STIP Survey



## **STIP** survey administration

- The OECD DSTI administers the STIP survey
- Each country has a 'national contact point' typically the delegate of the OECD Committee for Scientific and Technological Policy
- National contact points differ in their approaches to completing the STIP survey, but many distribute it across their government, giving officials from different ministries survey accounts to enter details on relevant policies
- The IEA is creating accounts for delegates in its Committee for Energy Research and Technology



## Timeline for the 2023 edition of the STIP Survey









## **STIP Survey support page**

#### **Contents**

- Timeline reminder
- Video tutorials & full guide for respondents (pdf)
- How to administer the Survey: best practices
- What's new (structure changes)
- Definitions and FAQs (explanations of the survey questions and taxonomies)

Access: <a href="https://community.oecd.org/community/cstp/stip">https://community.oecd.org/community/cstp/stip</a>



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