## The Bioeconomy

- from an EU perspective

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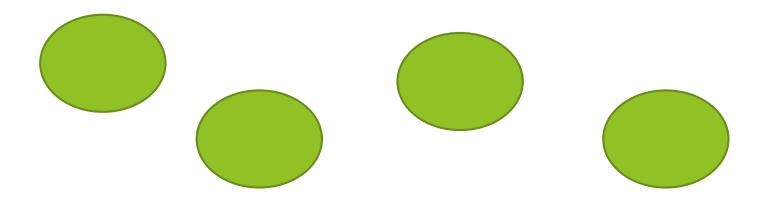


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## The Bioeconomy strategy (2012)

- Investment in research, innovation and skills
- Reinforced policy interaction and stakeholder engagement
  - Enhancement of market and competiveness

12 Actions and 54 sub-actions.



As one sector, it is one of the Unions biggest and most important sectors and employs around 22 million people: a large number in rural and coastal areas.

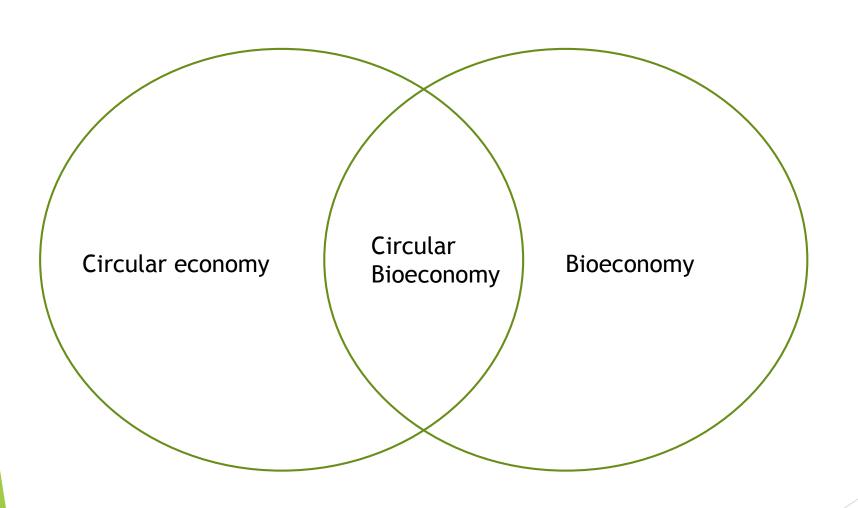
- In 2017 the EC reviewed the progress of the Bioeconomy strategy and action plan.
- ► The updated Bioeconomy strategy is expected to be adopted by the <u>third</u> <u>quarter of 2018.</u>

- Cross-sectorial
- Stakeholder engagement
- Skills
- Coherence/Synergies
- Circular economy



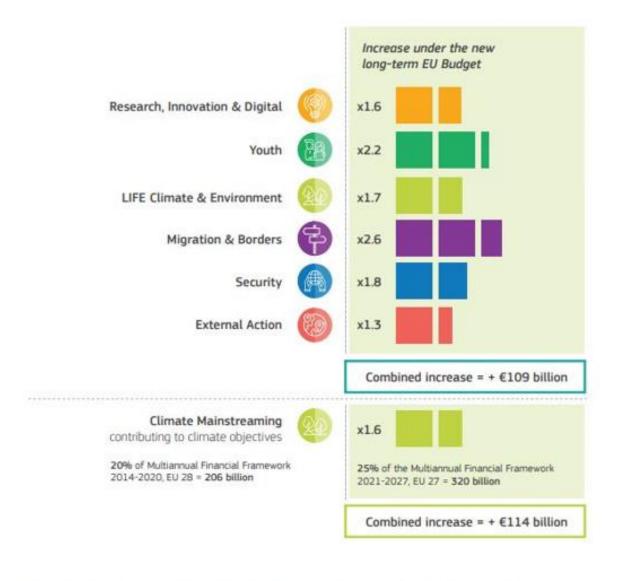
Source: Expert Group Report - DG RTD (2017)

## A circular bioeconomy



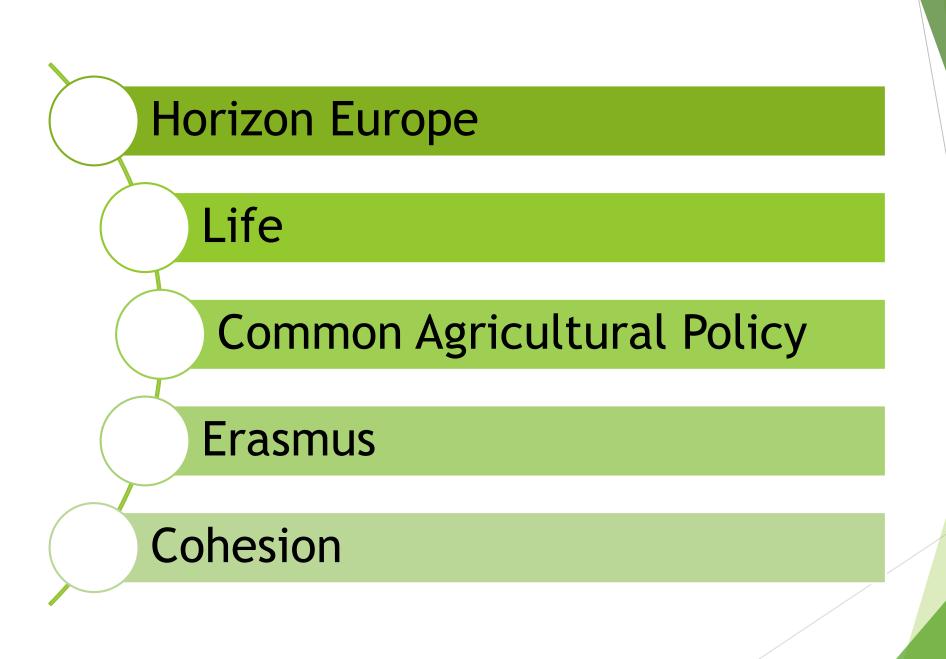
## A new context: 2018





Note: Compared to the Multiannual Financial Framework 2014-2020 at EU-27, including the European Development Fund Source: European Commission

Figur 2. Källa: https://ec.europa.eu/commission/sites/beta-political/files/budget-proposals-modern-eu-budget-may2018\_en.pdf



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