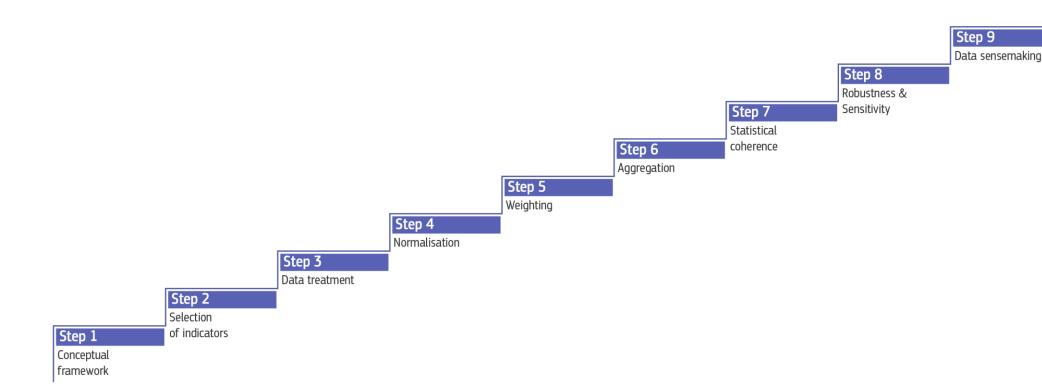
Step 10 Communication

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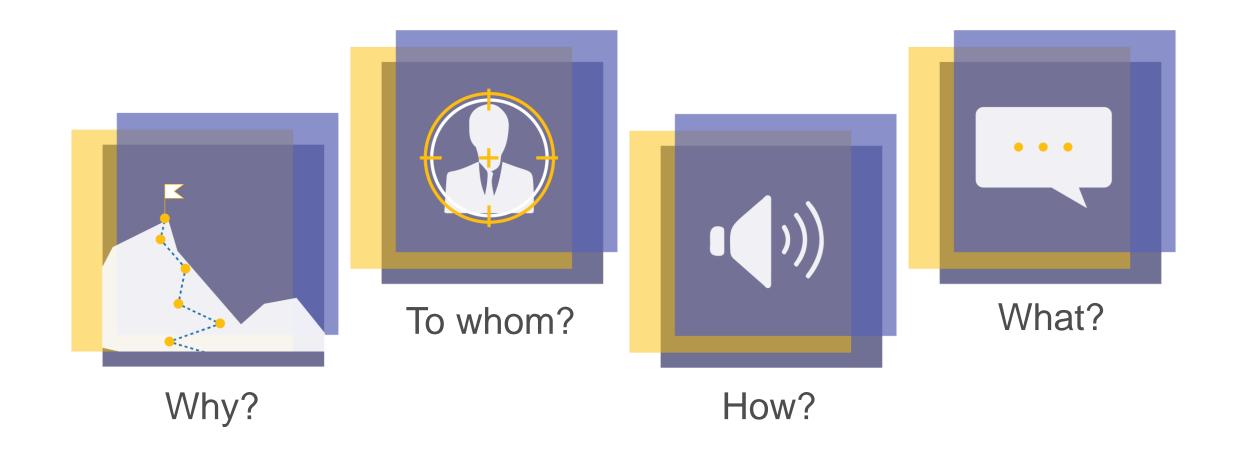


10 STEPS to build a Composite Indicator





Visualisation & Communication





1. Define your goal

Why are we communicating our summary measure?





Why?

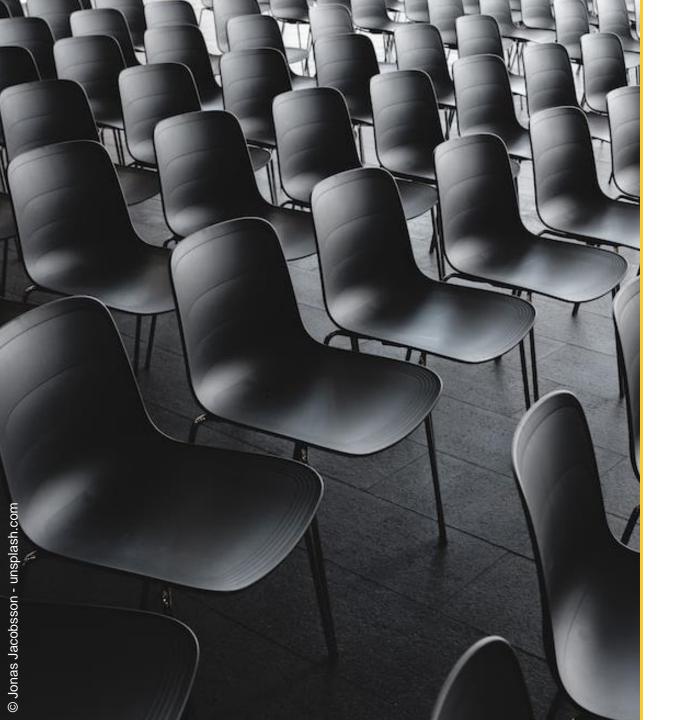
- Offer insights for supporting evidence-based decisions
- Improve public understanding of complex phenomena
- Engage people in taking action
- Share science with peers
- •



2. Identify target audience

To whom are we delivering our communication?





1. Interests

- Collect evidences and contribute to informed decisions (decision makers)
- Enrich scientific knowledge in the field (scientists)
- Understand and speak about complex phenomena (media)
- Explore topics of public interest (citizens)
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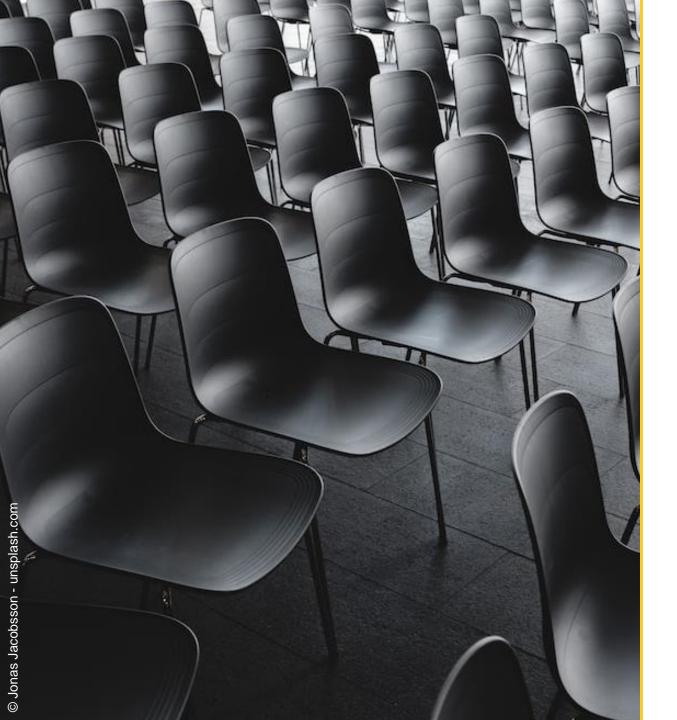




2. Level of knowledge

- Expert in the field
- Privileged point of view
- Well-informed
- Knowledgeable
- Uninformed





3. Data literacy

- Expert (statistics)
- Trustee (executive)
- Generalist
- Novice



Audience segment	1. Interest	2. Level of knowledge	3. Data literacy
A. Scientists (industry, academic community, government)	Expand knowledge	Expert in the field	Expert
B. Decision makers (government or business)	Sustain decisions with evidences	Privileged view (stakeholder)	Trustee
C. Media and multipliers (journalists, educator, opinion-makers)	Share information	Well informed, not necessary expert	Generalist
D. Citizens	Improve awareness and guide actions	Knowledgeable, not necessary well-informed	Generalist/Novice

How does our message reach out the audience?



What are some of the most used communication channels?

- Reports
- Policy briefs
- Country/region/city profiles
- Online tools
- Seminars

- Infographics
- Newspaper articles
- Video
- Posts for social media
- Events



What is the difference between communication channels?

		printed
• Reports	 Infographics 	printed
 Policy briefs 	 Newspaper articles 	
 Country/region/city profiles 	 Video 	online
 Online tools 	 Posts for social media 	
 Seminars 	 Events 	live



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details

short messages



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technical

generalist



What is the difference between communication channels?

Coding + dataviz

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Seminars

- Infographics Graphic design
- Newspaper articles
- Video

Animation / video editing

- Posts for social media Content creation

Events



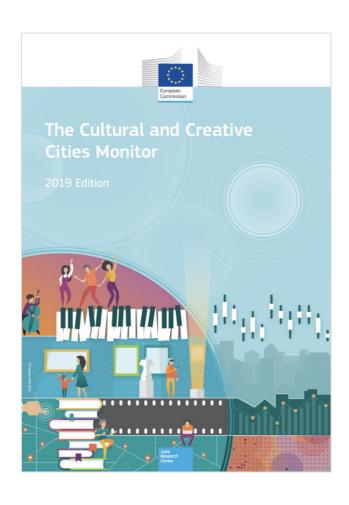
Having in mind our audience and the goal of our communication

- Interaction with data and information (explain / explore)
- Level of details
- Language

Time & skills necessary to produce communication products



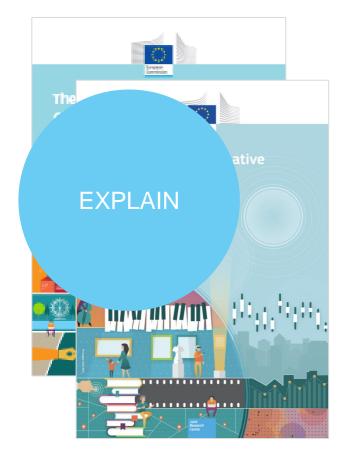
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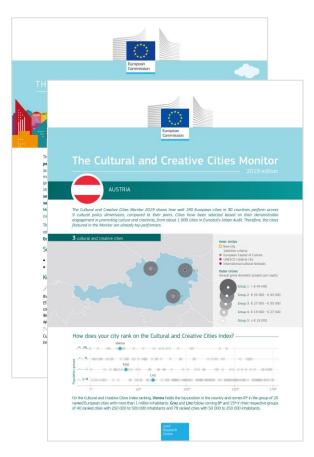
- European and local decision makers
- Academics
- Workers in the cultural and creative sectors (NGOs, organisations, ...)
- Citizens



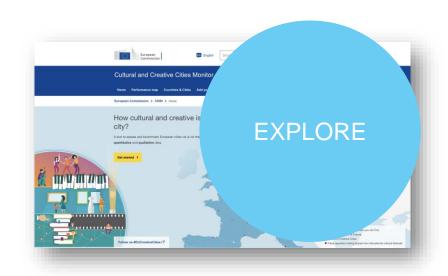
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Report



Country factsheets



Online tool





However, cities which do not achieve the first places at the index level may also perform well or even better on some

Cities ranking

XXL XL S-M Population groups Cities are ordered alphabetically within each population group

Population groups:

XXL group > 1 million inhabitants (20 cities) 500 000 - 1 million inhabitants (40 cities) 250 000 - 500 000 inhabitants (40 cities)

S-M group 50 000 - 250 000 inhabitants (79 cities)

Cities

Dimensions

Cultural Venues

Cultural Participation

Intellectual Property

in Creative Sectors

Human Capital

& Education

Openness,

Quality of

Governance

Tolerance & Trust

Local & Internationa Connections

& Innovation

New Jobs

& Attractiveness

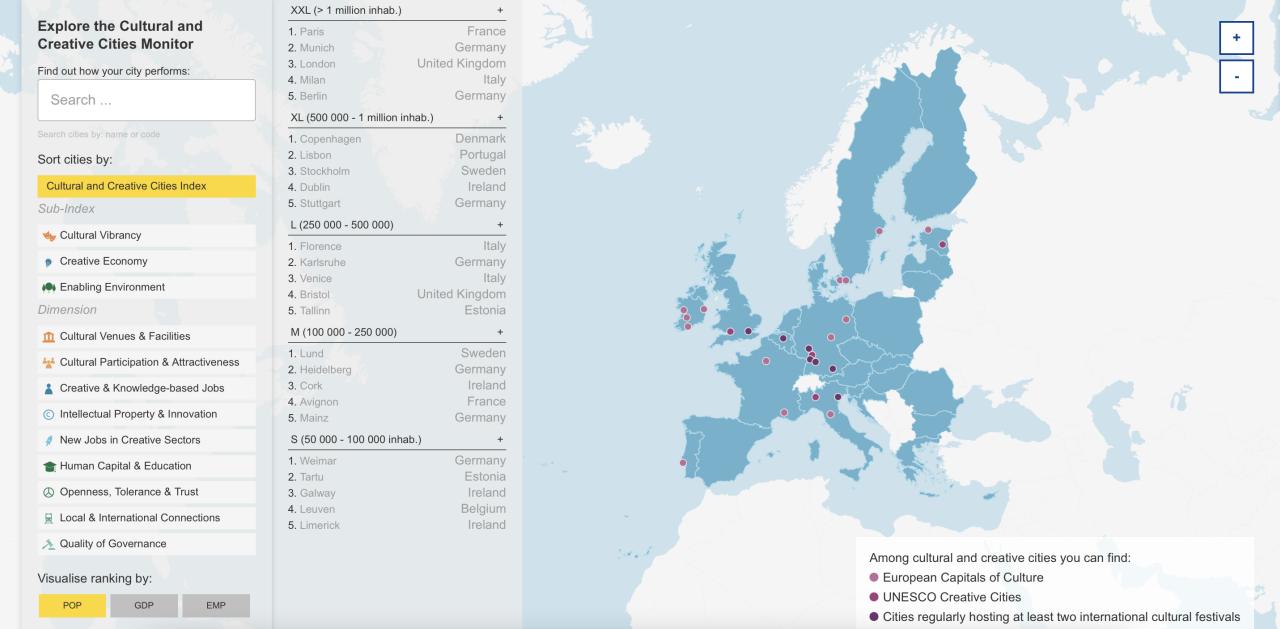
Creative & Knowledge-based Jobs

& Facilities

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dimensions, compared to their peers at European level.











Social media posts

Videos

Infographics



4. Define messages

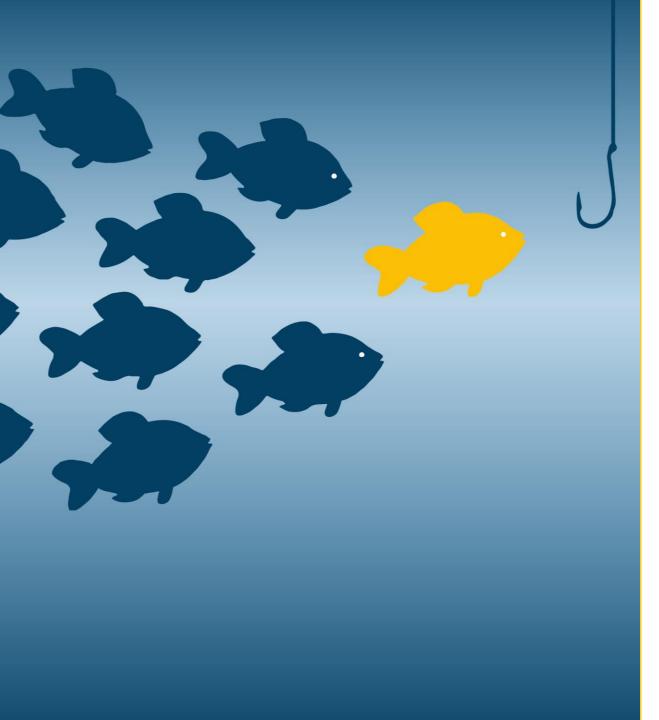
What do we want to communicate?





✓ Tell a story





- ✓ Tell a story
- ✓ Choose hooks for the audience





- ✓ Tell a story
- ✓ Choose hooks for the audience
- Catch the attention with something new



Studies show that people remember



10% of what they hear



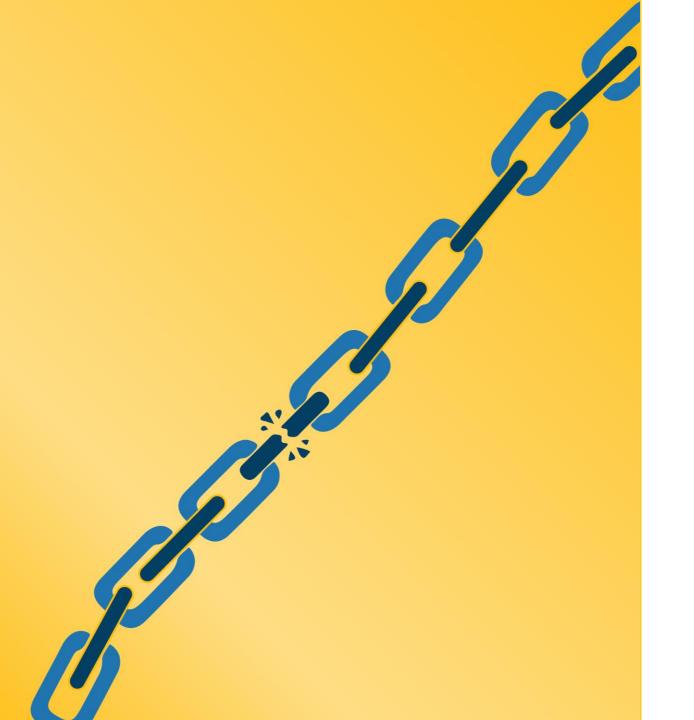
20% of what they read



80% of what they see and do

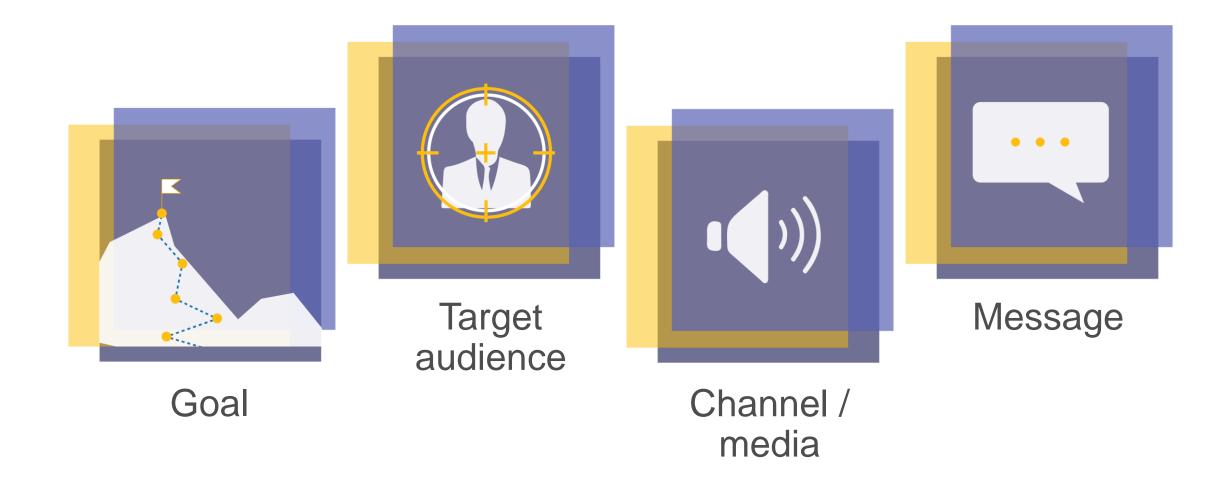
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- ✓ Tell a story
- ✓ Choose hooks for the audience
- ✓ Catch the attention with something new
- ✓ Say it visually
- ✓ Be transparent and don't hide weaknesses







Thank you



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