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# Waste management in the Area Metropolitana of Barcelona (AMB)

TAIEX Workshop on solid waste  
integrated management in urban areas

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# What is AMB ?



# Introduction



# Introduction



	ESPAÑA (2014*)	CATALONIA (2014)	AMB (2014)
Area	504.645 km <sup>2</sup>	32.114 km <sup>2</sup>	636 km <sup>2</sup>
Population	46.512.199 inhab	7.518.903 inhab	3.214.211 inhab
Population density	92 inhab/km <sup>2</sup>	234 inhab/km <sup>2</sup>	5.053 inhab/km <sup>2</sup>
MSW production	22.395.811* t (* 2012)	3.650.849 t	1.377.952 t
MSW production per capita	1.31* kg/inhab/day (* 2012)	1.33 kg/inhab/day	1.17 kg/inhab/day

## INTRODUCTION



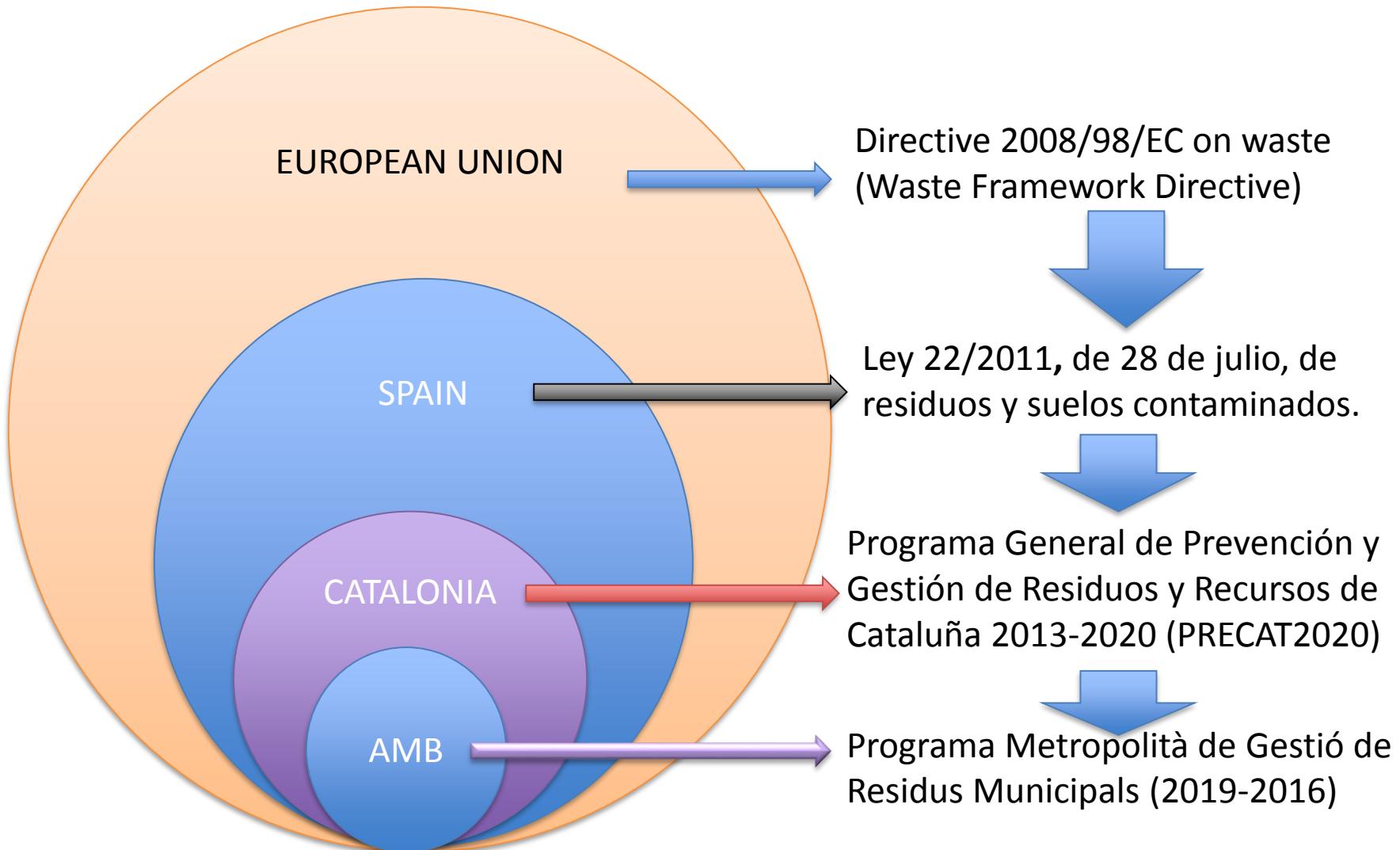
AMB is the Local Authority of metropolitan Barcelona. It is in charge of **Environment**, Urban Planning, Housing, Transportation and Mobility, and Economical Promotion of the Barcelona Metropolitan Area.

The Department of Environment of the **AMB** (100 people staff) is the provider of public services for the 36 Municipalities included in its territory. Among them:

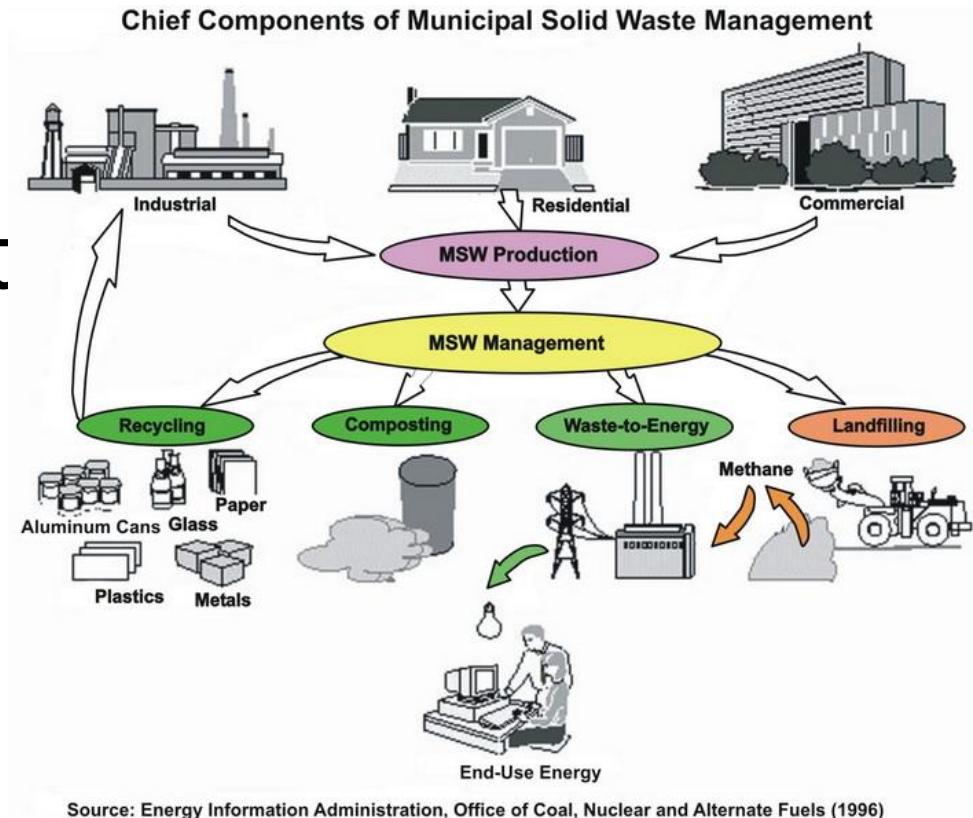
- Water supply, sewage and wastewater treatment and its reuse.
- Waste Management and Treatment and the coordination of the municipal services of collection.



## INTRODUCTION: Legal Framework



# What's the AMB MSW management model ?



# MSW Management Model: Collection

## a) 5 Publics containers,

- Paper and cardboard (blue)
- Organic matter (brown)
- Glass (green)
- Packaging (yellow): plastics, metals and brick
- Refuse (grey)

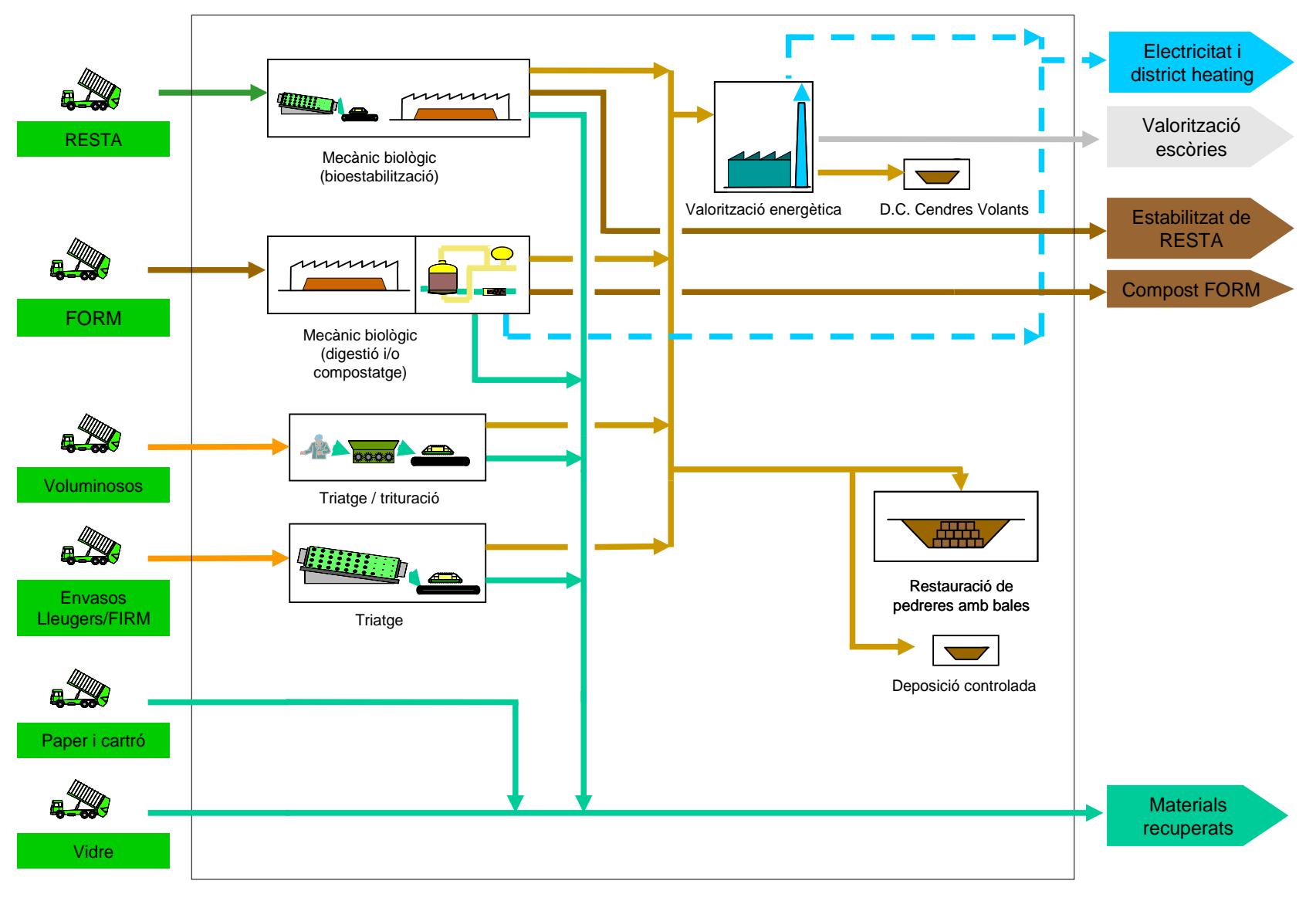


## b) Green points (DEIXALLERIES, decheterie),

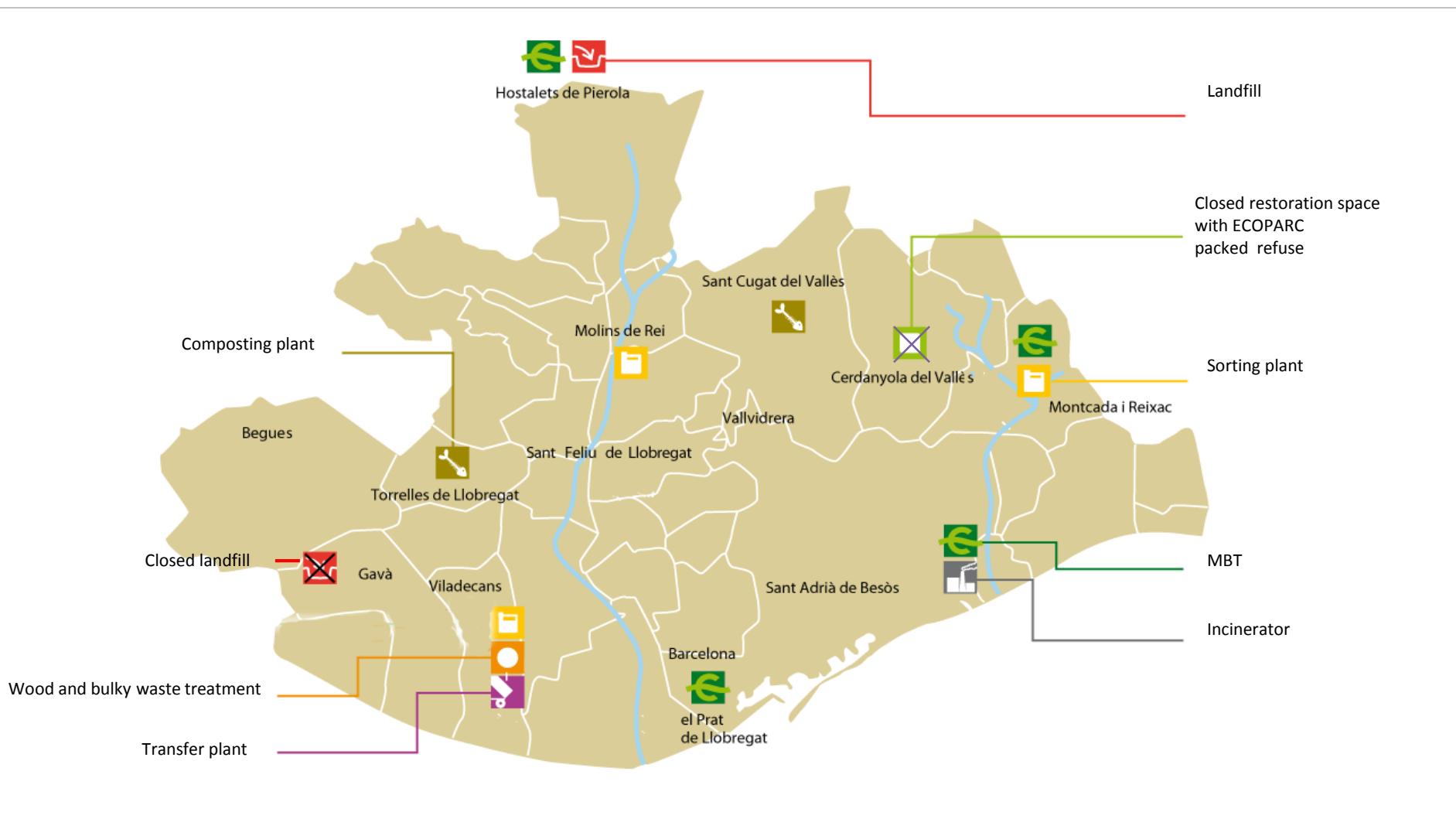
- Tires,
- Electric material (Bulbs, fluorescent tubes, batteries,..)
- Paints and varnishes
- Househols apliances
- Oils



# MSW Management Model: Treatment



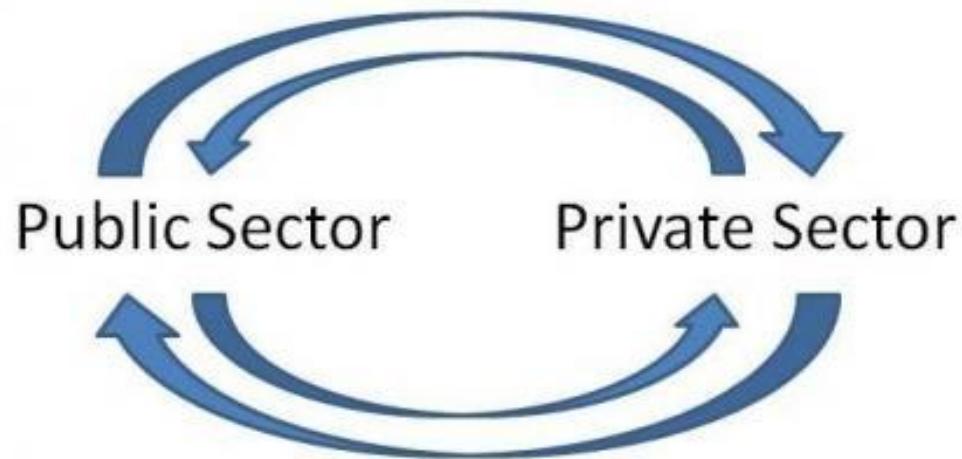
# MSW Management Model



## Waste management in the AMB



# The role of the private sector

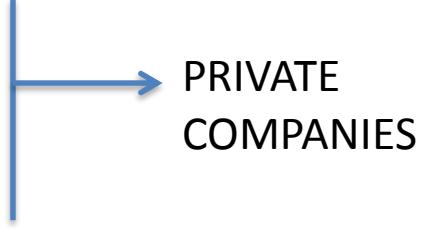


## PRIVATE SECTOR IN THE MSW MANAGEMENT MODEL

The model is a public-private partnership (BOOT model):

Public tendering :

\* It includes the project, financing, construction and operation for 20-30 years of the most significant installations.

- Build
  - Operate
  - Owner
  - Transfer
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- PRIVATE COMPANIES

Two payments are made to the private company :

- Operating fee (€/t)
- Investment payment (€/t or €/year)

	ECOPARC 1	ECOPARC 2	ECOPARC 3	ECOPARC 4
<b>Capacity (tonnes/year)</b>	160.000 (Refuse) + 85.000 (SSOM)	160.000 (Refuse) + 100.000 (SSOM)	192.000 (refuse) – TMB 350.000 - Incinerator	300.000 (refuse) 50.000 (SSOM)
<b>Owner</b>	<b>AREA METROPOLITANA DE BARCELONA</b>			
<b>Public and Private Partnerships</b>	URBASER (95%) TERSA (5%)	TIRSSA (54%) FCC (31%) URBASER (10%) TERSA (5%)	CESPA (48%) URBASER (32%) TERSA (20%)	CESPA (100%)
<b>End of the exploitation contract</b>	<b>06/2030</b>	<b>11/2027</b>	<b>12/2022</b>	<b>10/2025</b>
<b>Pretreatment technology</b>	Rotary sieves, optical separators, manual collection, aspiration of film, field magnet and eddy current separators	Rotary sieves, manual collection, aspiration of film, field magnet and eddy current separators	Rotary sieves, optical separators, manual collection, aspiration of film, field magnet and eddy current separators	Rotary sieves, optical separators, manual collection, aspiration of film, field magnet and eddy current separators
<b>Composting Technology</b>	WTT (WASTE TREATMENT TECHNOLOGIES)	ROS ROCA	-----	SORAIN CECCHINI
<b>Biomethanation Technology</b>	BTA	VALORGA	ROS ROCA	-----
<b>Biomethanation Features</b>	Wet Digestion	Dry Digestion	Wet Digestion	-----

**TERSA** Barcelona Municipality (58%), AMB (42%)

**TIRSSA** FCC (33%), URBASER (66%)

# Extended producer responsibility



# **Integrated Waste Management Systems**

## **SIG**

**Integrated Management Systems** are non-profit organization that allow producers to meet their obligations to the principle of "polluter pays"



## SIG tasks

- 1- Establishment and management of systems for the collection,**
- 2- Transport,**
- 3- Recovery, treatment, recycling and or disposal of waste materials**
- 4- Monitoring of waste materials covered by their policy areas, including the supervision of such operations and landing sites after closure.**

## **PRODUCT**

Packaging.....	ECOEMBES
Glass.....	ECovidre
Batteries and Accumulators.....	ECOPILAS
Medicamentos .....	SIGRE
WEEE (RAES) ..... (Waste electrical and electronic equipment)	AMBILAMP (bulbs & ballast) ECOLUM (Lighting devices) ECOTIC (Air Conditioning, computer equipment and cellular telephones). ECOLEC ( Household appliances) ECOLUM (Lighting devices) ERP (household appliances, bulbs,..)
Pesticide Residues .....	SIGFITO,
Wate- tyres.....	SIGNUS,
Used Oil .....	SIGAUS,

# The economic Sustainability of the model?



# FINANCIAL SUSTAINABILITY

## COLLECTION



It is carried out by every municipality.



The cost is paid by citizens though:

- Direct Charge
- Included in the Tax on assets and property (IBI).

## TREATMENT



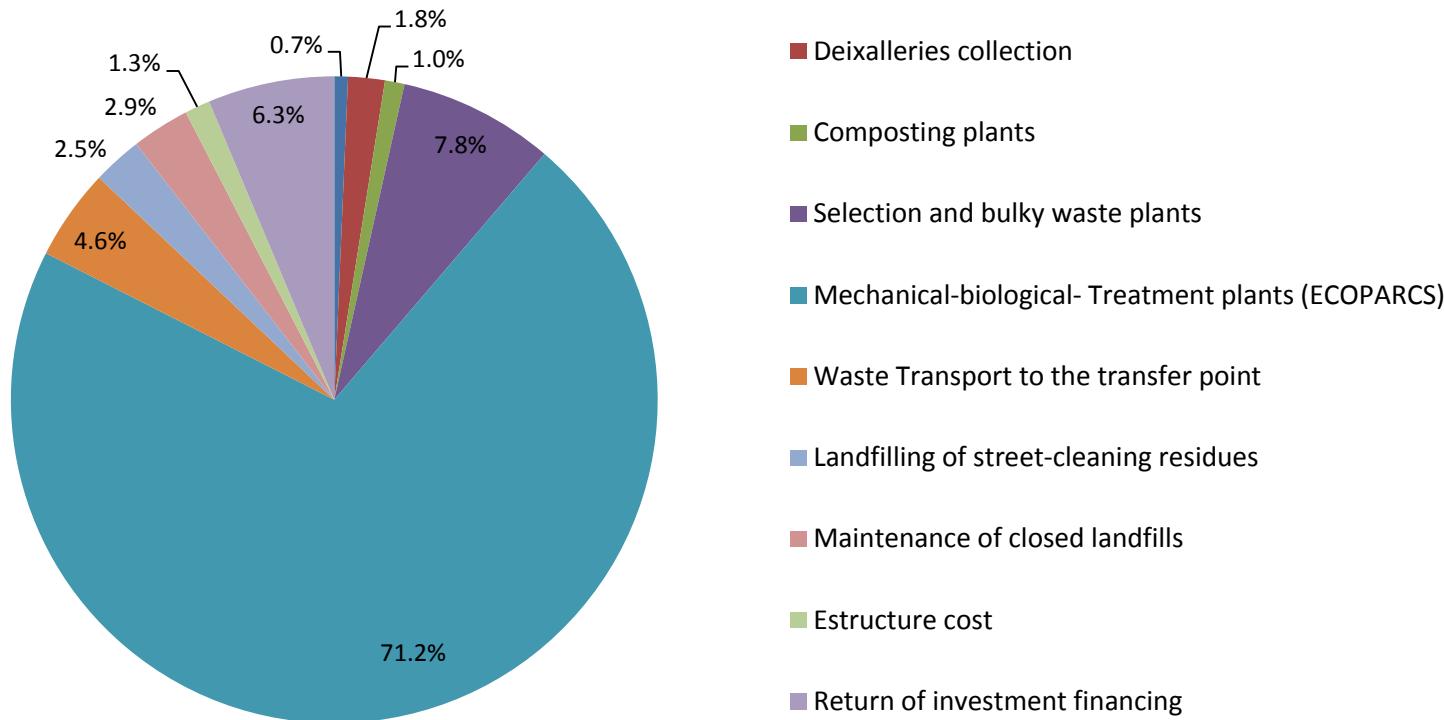
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The cost is mainly paid by the citizens using charges (TMTR).

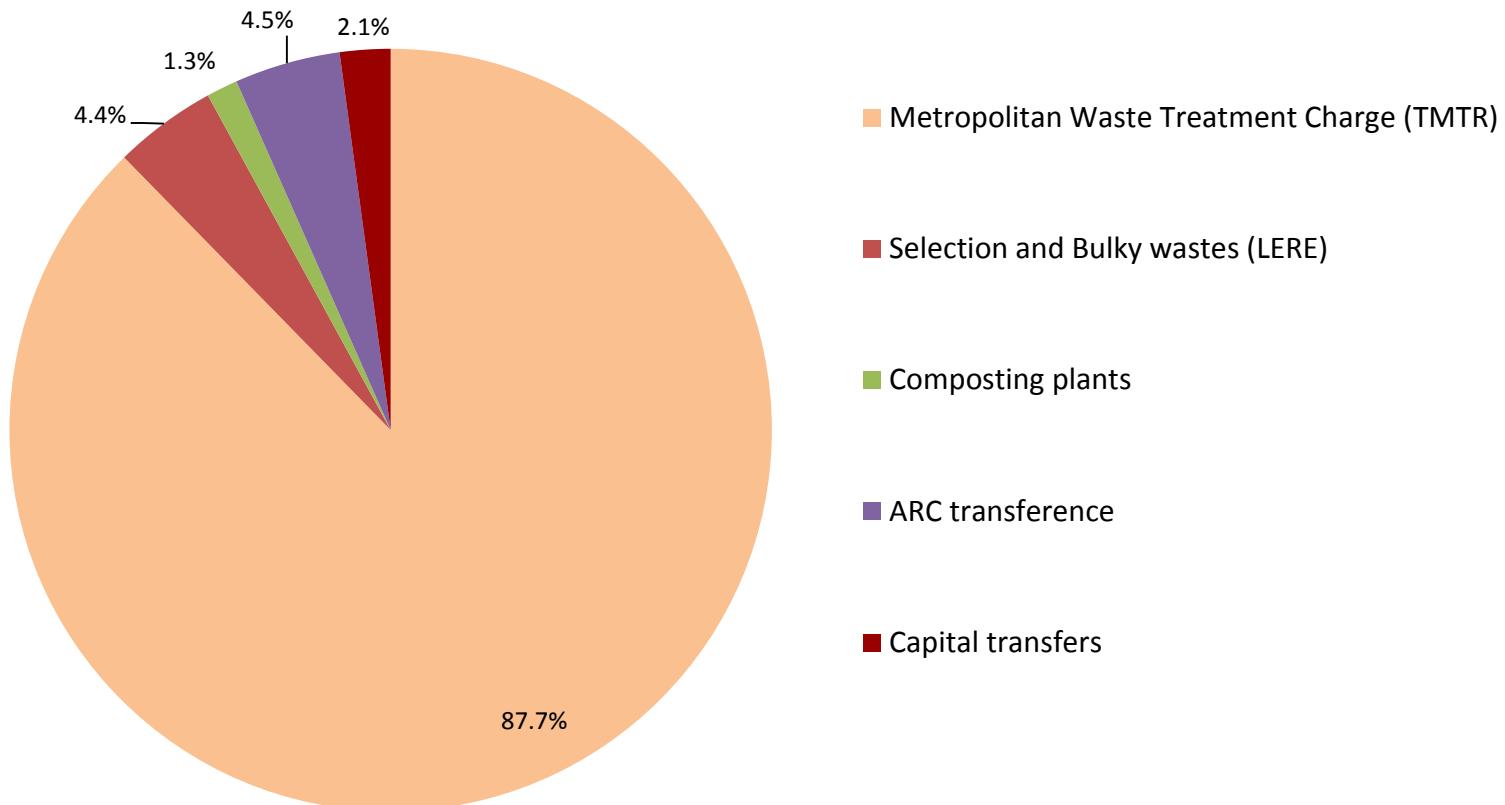
# FINANCIAL SUSTAINABILITY

## 2014 Expenditures



# FINANCIAL SUSTAINABILITY

## 2014 Incomings



## FINANCIAL SUSTAINABILITY

### T.M.T.R. (TAXA METROPOLITANA DE TRACTAMENT DE RESIDUS)

Calculated on the basis of the real waste management cost, and distributed in two main charging lines:

- **Households:**

The tax depends on the house properties. (Flowrate of water, Diametre of the incoming flowmeter, and monthly consumption of water).

- \* This tax is multiplied by a municipal coefficient .

$$Cfm = (1 - n) + n \times \left( \frac{\frac{\sum_{2010}^{2012} T_{i\_a}}{3 \times hab_{i\_2011}}}{\frac{\sum_{2010}^{2012} Tt\_a}{3 \times hab_{t\_2011}}} \right)$$

- \* Some social bonuses are considered:
  - Houses with more than 4 inhabitants → bonus 5%.
  - Owner older than 60 → bonus 50%
  - Owner in specific MSW programmes → until 25%
  - Use of deixalleries → 25%

## FINANCIAL SUSTAINABILITY

### T.M.T.R. (TAXA METROPOLITANA DE TRACTAMENT DE RESIDUS)

- **Business and Stores:**

- \* The tax depends on the type of waste generated.
  - A- unsorted waste
  - B- Unsorted waste and cardboard
  - C- Unsorted waste and paper
  - D- Unsorted waste, packages and/or glass
  - E- Organic, unsorted waste and cardboard
  - F- Organic, unsorted waste, packages and cardboard,
- \* Some social bonuses are considered:
  - Tax exemption for the fractions treated by an authorised manager.
  - Social entities,... → bonus 50%
  - Owner in specific MSW programmes → until 25%
  - .....



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Data Lectura anterior	Lectura anterior	Data Lectura actual	Lectura actual	Consum període (m <sup>3</sup> )	Base de facturació
01/04/15	1.526	02/06/15	1.544	18	Lectura Real

Ús domèstic  
Comptador individual sobre bateria  
Habitatge Tipus C

Comptador: IBE 00531860H  
Posició: 0-07

#### RESUM FACTURA BIMESTRAL

SUBMINISTRAMENT D'AIGUA	30,94 €
CÀNON DE L'AIGUA	8,75 €
TAXA DE CLAVEGUERAM	2,75 €
TAXA DE TRACTAMENT DE RESIDUS	4,95 €
IVA	3,97 €

**TOTAL A PAGAR** **51,36 € (\*)**

(\*) Veure detall al darrere.

#### AVÍS MISSATGE

L'aigua sempre està en moviment, recorre el seu cicle fins que arriba a nosaltres, a les nostres llars, a les nostres vides. Li oferim l'aigua de més qualitat, i l'acompanyem en el seu viatge, que segueixi el seu curs, perquè segueixi fluint.

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How did we  
solve the  
NIMBY effect?



## SOCIAL ASPECTS (NIMBY effect)

### Financial compensation:

- A fixed amount per ton treated in the installation.
- A fixed annual month.
- Reduction in the MSW treatment cost.

# Thank you!

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