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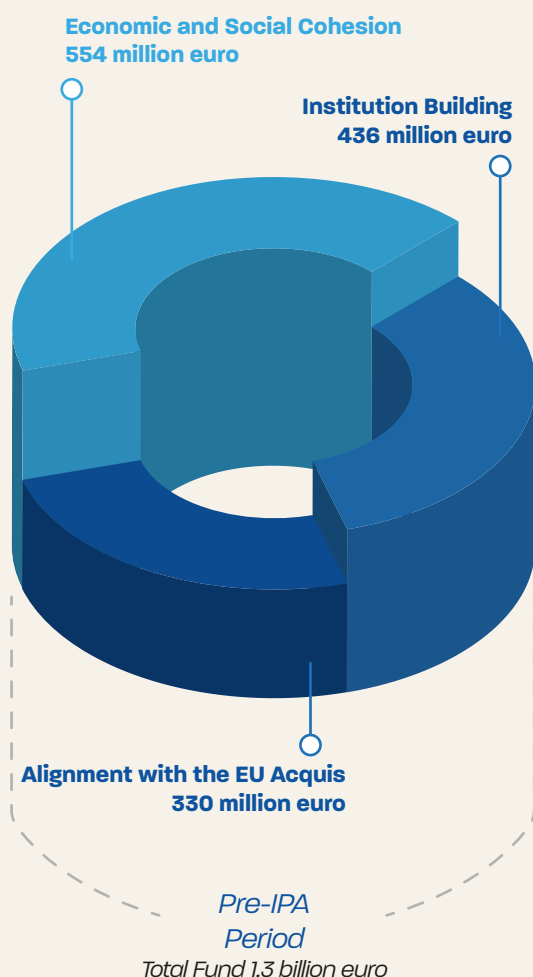
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Abbreviations

ADR	Alternative Dispute Resolution
AFAD	Disaster and Emergency Management Presidency
AgriGx	AgriGenomic Hub
ATP	Agreement on the International Carriage of Perishable Foodstuffs and on the Special Equipment to be Used for such Carriage
AVRR	Assisted Voluntary Return and Reintegration
BEYSAD	White Goods Suppliers Association
BOTAŞ	Petroleum Pipeline Corporation
CAP	Common Agricultural Policy
ÇASGEM	Centre for Labour and Social Security Training and Research
CBC	Cross-Border Cooperation
CCT	Conditional Cash Transfer
CFCU	Central Finance and Contracts Unit
CISOP	Competitiveness and Innovation Sector Operational Programme
COSME	Competitiveness of Enterprises and SMEs
CSD	Civil Society Dialogue
CSDC	Civil Society Development Centre
CSO	Civil Society Organisation
CSPN	Civil Society Partnerships and Networks
CSSP	Civil Society Support Programmes
DEUA	Directorate for European Union Affairs
DGRTS	Directorate General for Regulation of Transport Services
DIMAP	Direct Digital Production Platform
DoTMC	Directorate of Transport, Maritime Affairs and Communications Research Centre
EBRD	European Bank for Reconstruction and Development
EC	

Türkiye - EU Financial Cooperation

EU Support provided in the pre-IPA Period



Türkiye's candidacy to become a member of the European Union (EU) has accelerated the country's socio-economic development process by investing in human resources and providing resources in fields such as energy, environment, agriculture and rural development, industry and transport. EU funded programmes and projects target all segments of the society and various stakeholders, including public institutions, civil society organisations, local administrations, CSOs, private sector and universities.

After Türkiye obtained the status of candidate country for EU membership at the EU Summit held in Helsinki in 1999, the country started to benefit from EU grants under a single framework. In this period, which lasted from 2002 until 2006, approximately 1.3 billion euro of EU support was provided to Türkiye and 164 projects were implemented.

IPA I (2007 – 2013)

The Instrument for Pre-Accession Assistance (IPA) which is the financial support instrument of the EU for the benefit of candidate and potential candidate countries, provides financial resources for the political, economic, legal and administrative measures in support of harmonisation with and implementation of the EU acquis in the EU membership process.

Within the scope of the preparations for the seven-year budget period as of 2007, the EU combined the financial support to candidate and potential candidate countries under a single structure called IPA.

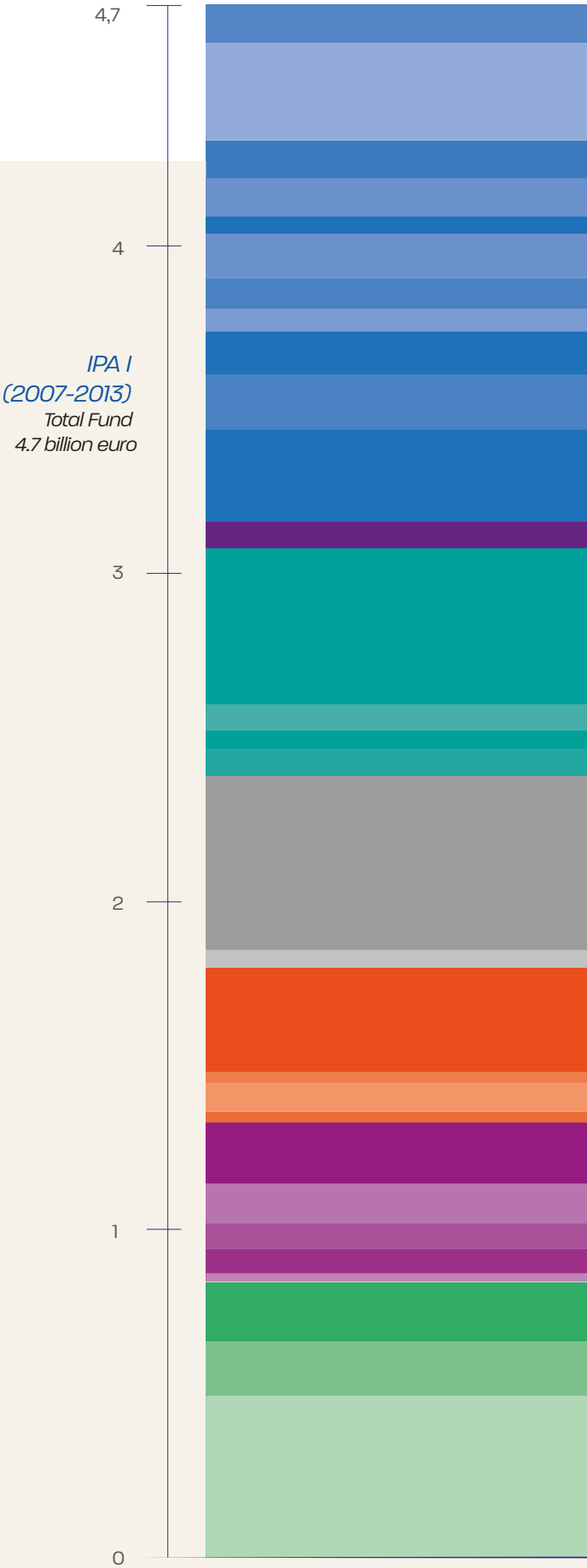
Even though there were important structural changes with regard to the pre-IPA period, alignment with the EU acquis, implementation of the acquis and capacity building for economic and social cohesion were preserved as the main objectives in the IPA period 2007-2013 ⁽¹⁾. In this period, also the support for participation in the EU Programmes started.

IPA I was carried out under five main components:

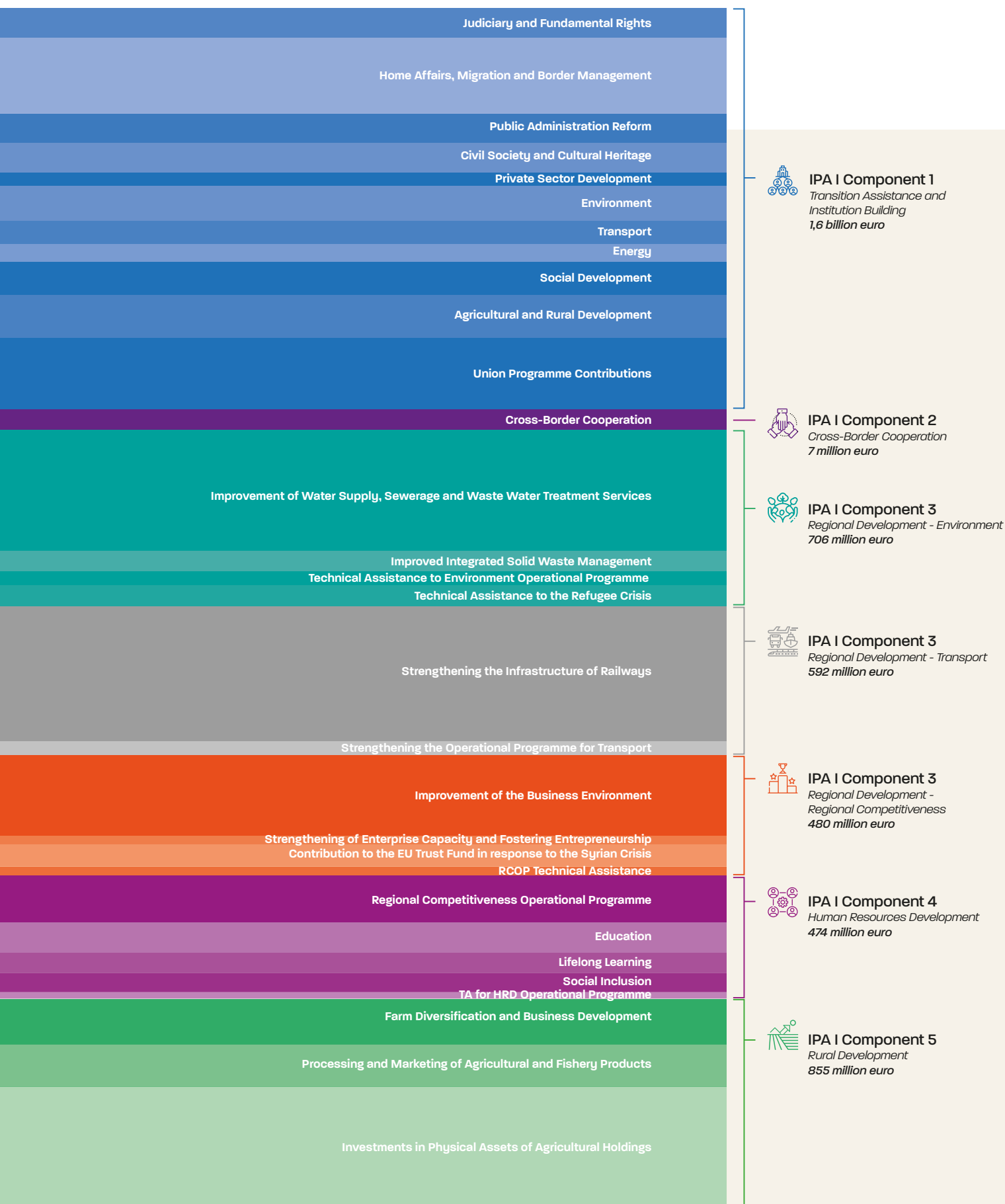
- 1. Transition assistance and institution building
- 2. Cross-border cooperation
- 3. Regional Development
- 4. Human Resources Development
- 5. Rural Development (IPARD)

The amount allocated to Türkiye in IPA I was 4.7 billion euro, a significant increase compared to the pre-IPA period. Distribution of allocation by component, programme and priority is shown in the chart.

¹ Hereinafter referred to as IPA I



Distribution of IPA I Funds by Component, Programme and Priorities



IPA II (2014 – 2020)

During the seven-year IPA II period covering the years 2014 – 2020, Türkiye benefitted from an EU contribution of 3.2 billion euro.

The fields supported under IPA II do not differ greatly compared to IPA I. In IPA I, programmes were structured on a component basis, whereas IPA II was characterised by a sectoral approach. Policy areas and sectors supported during this period are given below.

1. Reforms in preparation for EU membership

- a. Democracy and Governance
 - i. Civil Society
- b. Rule of Law and Fundamental Rights
 - i. Judiciary and Fundamental Rights
 - ii. Home Affairs

2. Socio-economic and Regional Development

- a. Environment and Climate Action
- b. Transport
- c. Energy
- d. Competitiveness and Innovation

3. Employment, Education and Social Policies

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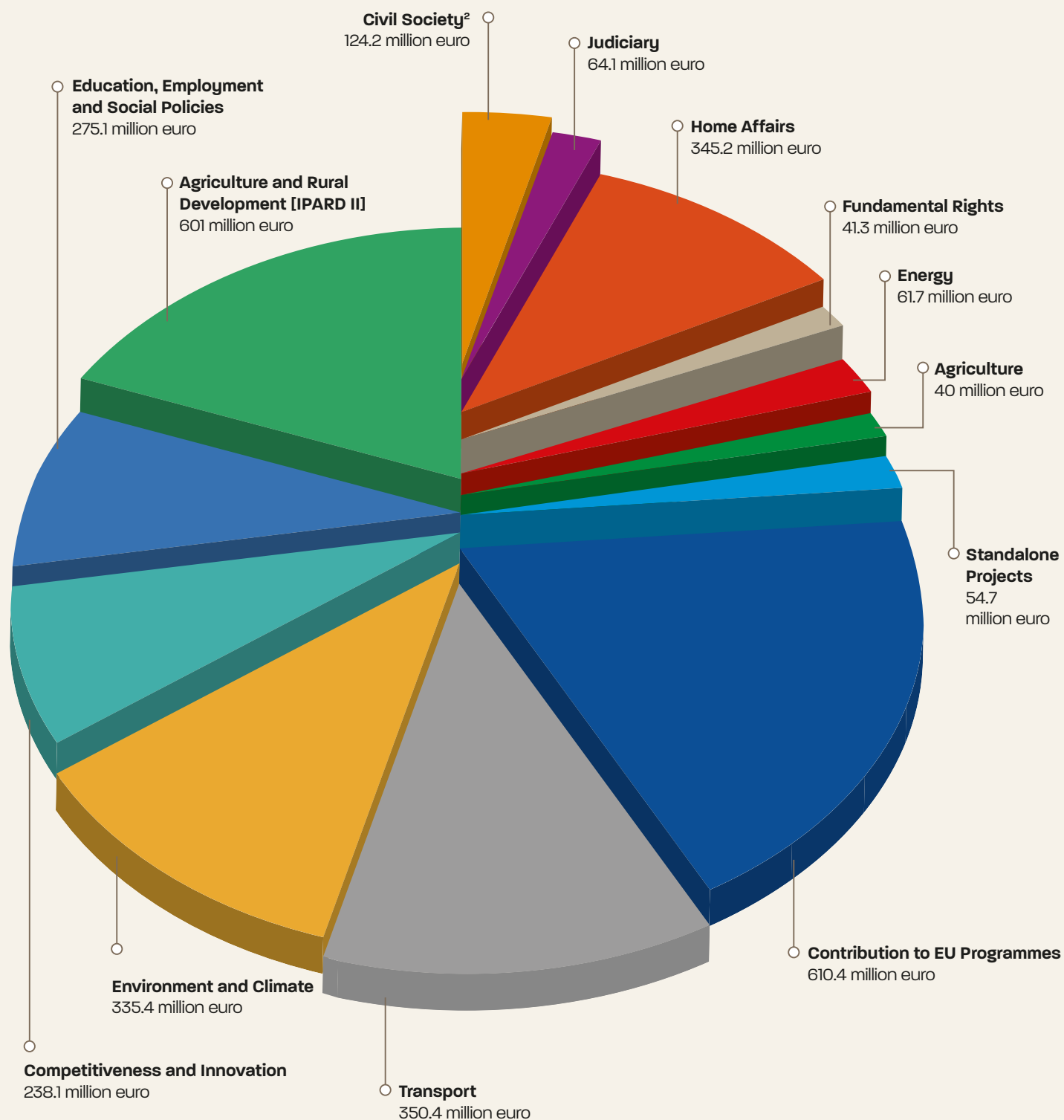
4. Agriculture and Rural Development

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Distribution of IPA II Funds by Sectors (EU Allocation)

IPA II 2014-2020

Total Fund 3.2 billion euro



² Town Twinning Projects and Jean Monnet Programmes added to this amount. The Civil Society Instrument managed

IPA II Allocations

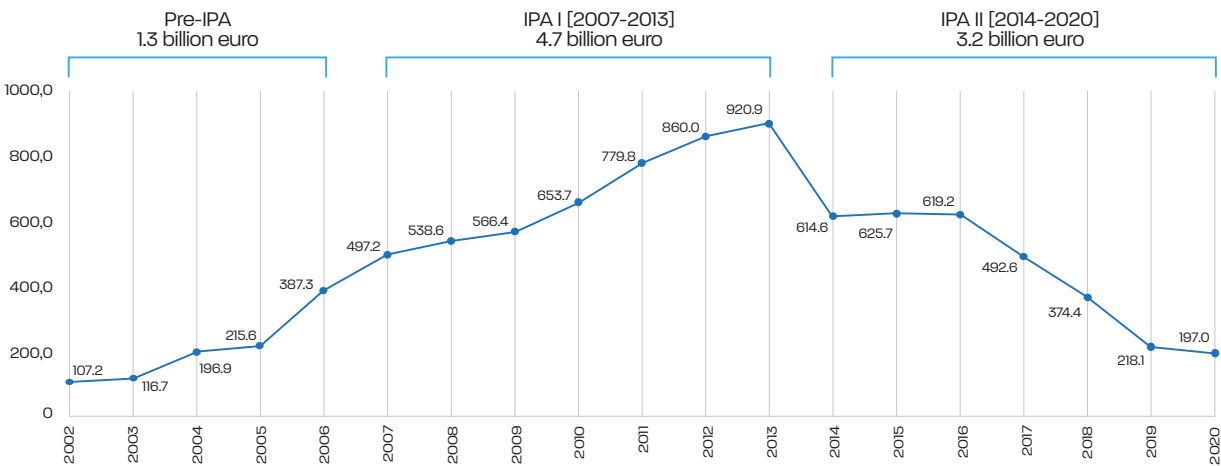
Budget amounts according to the priority and sub-priority areas of IPA II are shown in the table below.

IPA II Priorities and Budget Distribution

Priorities	Current Budget (million euro)
a. Reforms in preparation for union membership	1,328.0
Democracy and governance	872.3
Rule of law and fundamental rights	455.6
b. Socio-economic and regional development	986.3
Environment and climate action	335.4
Transport	350.4
Energy	62.4
Competitiveness and innovation	238.1
c. Employment, social policies and education	275.1
d. Agriculture and rural development	640.3
TOTAL	3,229.7

**As the budget of the Regional and Cross-Border Cooperation programme is not within the scope of IPA, it is not given in the table.*

Pre-IPA, IPA I and IPA II Budget Amounts

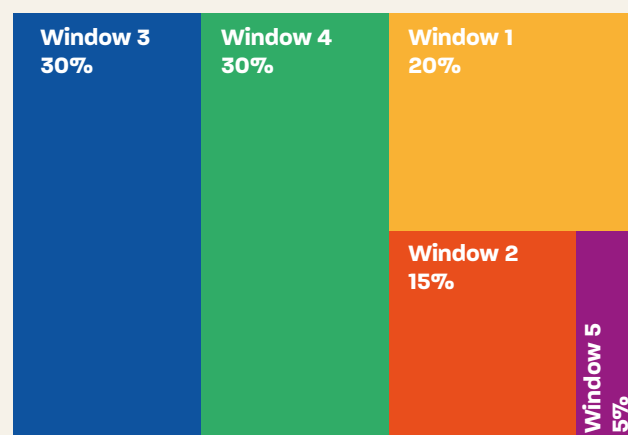


IPA III (2021 – 2027)

Under IPA I and II, country allocations for the entire seven-year periods were determined at the beginning of the programme periods. However, updates and cuts could be made during the period. In IPA III, covering the years 2021 – 2027, the country allocation approach was abandoned. Instead, a new model has been adopted in which the allocated funds will be pooled and beneficiary countries will use this fund in proportion to their performance.

The preparations for IPA III started with the submission of project proposals for the first programming years from all beneficiary countries to the European Commission, which were then compared with funding priorities and subjected to a relevance assessment. After the elimination of the projects that are found not relevant within the scope of the sector, the project proposals go through a maturity assessment which examines whether they are ready to be funded. Projects that pass both stages become entitled to allocation, within the EU budget possibilities, by being included to the programme prepared for that year and the signature of the relevant Financing Agreement. With this method, it is aimed that the technical document preparation, which in the past started after the signing of the Financing Agreement and could take a long time, proceed in parallel with the programming studies, and thereby delays will be minimised.

Financing priorities in IPA III are grouped in five categories under the titles of "windows" replacing the "sectoral" grouping used in IPA II. The thematic windows and priorities to be financed and the projected distribution of funds among the windows are as follows:



Umbrella Institutions and Organisations

Umbrella institutions and organisations have been mandated for the establishment, authorisation and supervision of the systems required for implementation, coordination between institutions, cooperation, compliance with country priorities and communication with EU institutions. These institutions will continue with similar duties and responsibilities during IPA III.



National IPA Coordinator

President of the European Union

- General coordination of programming, monitoring, evaluation and reporting of implementation
- Execution of the negotiation processes of main agreements, signing and submission to the European Commission
- Determining the Türkiye Strategy Document and priorities in line with national policies and programmes and ensuring their complementarity with each other



National Authorising Officer

Deputy Minister of Treasury and Finance

- Management of IPA II accounts and execution of financial transactions, through the National Fund
- Ensuring the effective operation of internal control systems
- Monitoring the system established with IPA

MULTI ANNUAL PROGRAMMES

Sector Name



Transport Sector Operational Programme



Programme Authority:
Ministry of Transport and Infrastructure



TRANSPORT
SECTOR
OPERATIONAL
PROGRAMME



Environment and Climate Action Sector Operational Programme



Programme Authority:
Ministry of Environment, Urbanisation and Climate Change



Environment and Climate Action
Sector Operational Programme

Rule of

Law

Impartial

Independent

Judiciary

Justice

RULE of LAW and FUNDAMENTAL RIGHTS SECTOR

JUDICIARY and FUNDAMENTAL RIGHTS SUB-SECTOR

JUDICIARY

Judiciary sub-field is one of the fields directly related to Chapters 23 and 24, which forms the backbone of the EU accession negotiation process. Within the framework of its approach, the sector is positioned as follows:

Sector:

Rule of Law and Fundamental Rights

Sub-Sector:

Judiciary and Fundamental Rights

Sub-Field:

Judiciary

Lead Institution:



Ministry of Justice

Priority Areas:

With the IPA projects carried out in the judiciary sub-field,

