

What can city-regions do to beat the triple crisis of

#climatechange #foodinsecurity #cost-of-living?

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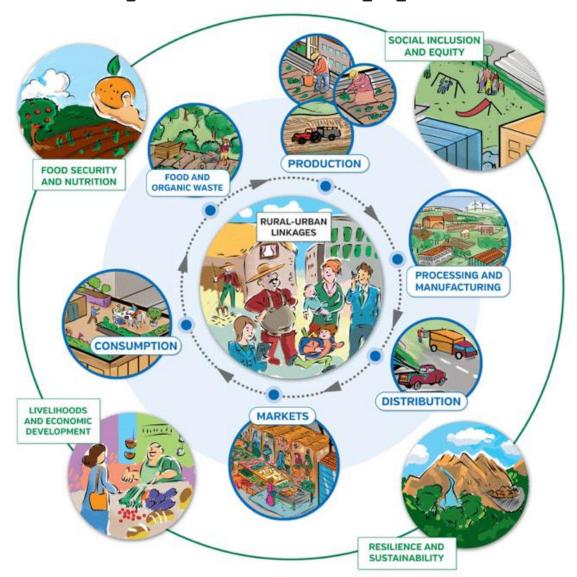
FoodSHIFT webinar: Farm to Fork

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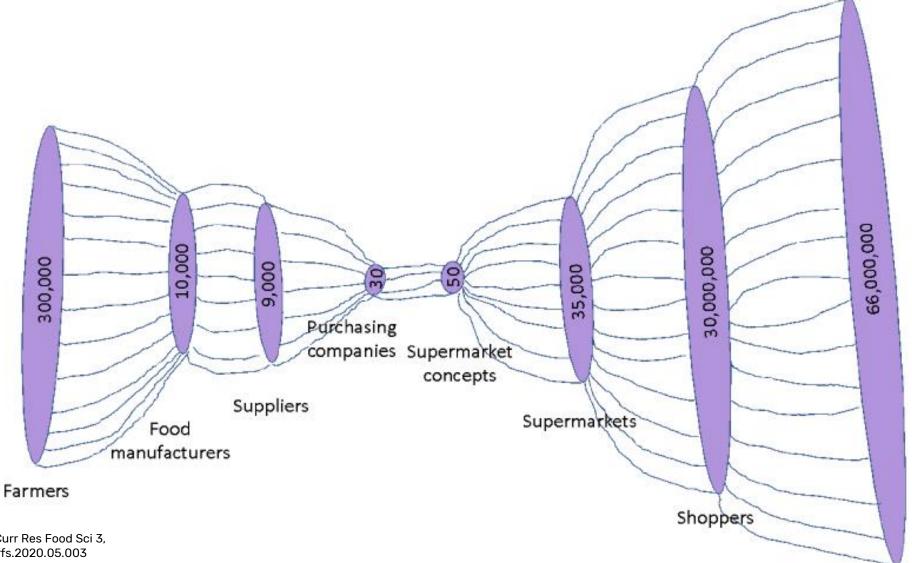
What is a city-region food systems approach?





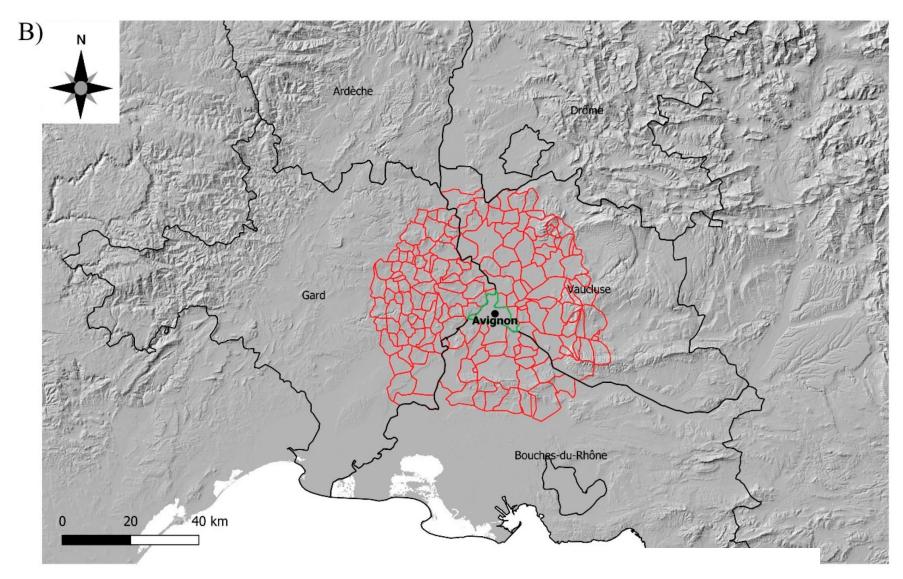
Localized food systems vs. globalized food systems





The concept of a foodshed

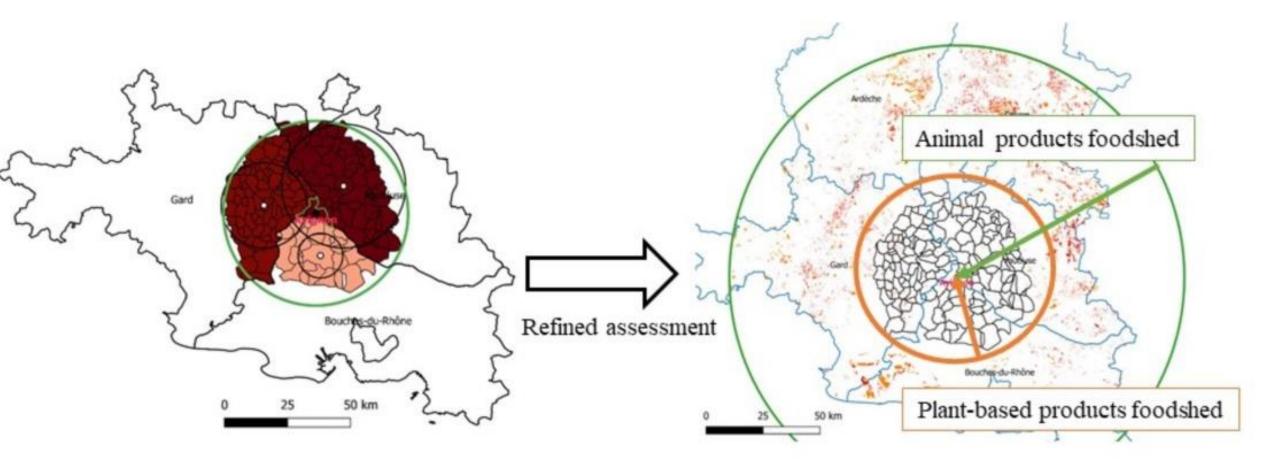




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Towards increasing selfsufficiency in the city-region?





How to build more resilient and sustainable city-region food systems?

- Support local and decentralized food production
 - Optimize local food distribution
 - Reduce food loss and waste
 - Promote plant-rich diets
 - Make healthy food available for everyone









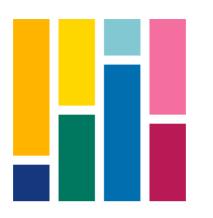


Transformative food system governance is the key!



- Assess existing urban food policies
- Develop strategies and action plans for advancing national and local food policies and legislation
 - Establish and strenghten collaboration between ongoing and emerging EU food system projects
- Build network of policy labs, living labs, SCAR WGs and partnerships focusing on agroecology and food system transformation





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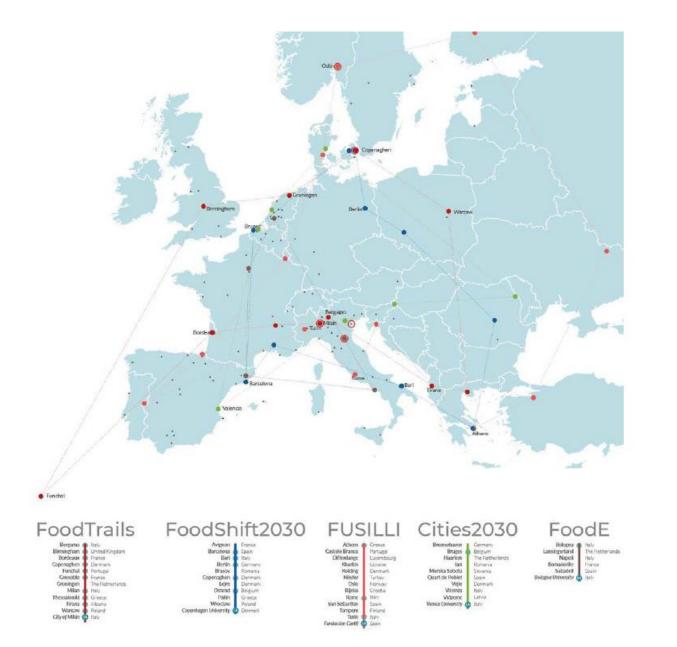
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"Meals in the City of Copenhagen must be sustainable and climate friendly. As a goal, we will implement a reduction of the climate footprint of at least 25 percent per. per capita by 2025. The goal is for the City of Copenhagen as a whole"

"The most damaging types of meat, especially beef, are reduced, so that the meat used is primarily the less damaging types such as poultry and fish. The total amount of animal foods is reduced so that more vegetable raw materials and especially more plant-based protein sources such as legumes are used"

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