Present stage of bioeconomy in Europe

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Bioeconomy strategies and transition

- 2010- 6 bioeconomy strategies worldwide
- 2015- 40 nations target bioeconomy in their policy strategies
- driving force past few years: peak oil
- nowadays: climate protection targets

Sustainable bioeconomy: premises

- 1. Biomass is underexploited:
 - too much waste, not used optimally
 - more energy and materials can be extracted from current biomass stream
- 2. The biomass potential can be upgraded by:
 - closing yield gaps
 - introducing new or improved species
 - introducing new extraction/processing tech.

Source: Mathijs, E. et al., SCAR 4th

Key principles for sustainable bioeconomy

- Food first: ensure the primacy of food security
- Sustainable yields: am. harvested < regrowth
- Cascading approach: sequential use according to "value added" principle
- Circularity: reduce/reuse/recycle
- Diversity: specific practices at different scales, diversify output

Avoiding new externalities

- Bioeconomy as a miracle solution genarating less externalities than fossil-based economy?
- Application of a technology ALWAYS has consequences, that inventors didn't intended, and are often not foreseen-> Jevons paradox
- Negative impact on labor market- replace L with K

Hottest companies in Adv. Bioeconomy 2016

Company name (State)

- 1. Amyris (US)
- 2. LanzaTech (US)
- 3. Novozymes (DK)
- 4. Renewable Energy Group (US)
- 5. Solozyme (US)
- 6. DuPont Industrial Biosciences (US)
- 7. Genomatica (US)
- 8. DSM (NL)
- 9. BASF (DE)
- 10. BioAmber (US)

Source: BioFuel Digest

Company name (State)

- 13. Beta Renewables (IT)
- 19. Avantium (NL)
- 22. Green Biologics (UK)
- 28. Clariant (CH)
- 30. Neste Oil (FI)
- 31. Abengoa Bioenergía (ES/US)
- 33. Stora Enso (FI)
- 35. Reverdia (NL)
- 42. Evolva (CH)
- 47. Corbion (NL)
- 49. Evonik (DE)

Bioeconomy Policies

- dedicated bioeconomy strategy
- bioeconomy-related strategy
- be-related strategy; dedicated be-strategy is under development

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Russian Federation

China

Turnover in the EU bioeconomy (EU-28, 2013) Total: 2.1 trillion Euro



Turnover in the EU bio-based economy* (EU-28, 2013) Total: 1 trillion Euro



*excluding Food, Beverages and Tobacco Products

Prepared by MOWE -Institute.eu i 2015

Employment in the EU bioeconomy (EU-28, 2013) Total: 18.3 million



Employment in the EU bio-based economy* (EU-28, 2013) Total: 13.8 million





*excluding Food, Beverages and Tobacco Products





Turnover and employment in the EU bioeconomy (2011)





Turnover and employment in the EU bio-based economy* (EU-28, 2013)







Employment & turnover, EU bioeconomy 2014

Employment: 18,6 mil., turnover: 2,2, tril. EUR



Employment (million persons employed) in the bioeconomy sectors of the EU (2014) Turnover [trillion EUR] in the bioeconomy sectors of the EU (2014)

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Employment in the bioeconomy sectors of activity in the 28 EU Member States, in percentage





Turnover in the bioeconomy sectors of activity in the 28 EU Member States, in percentage







Production of bio-based electricity



Contribution to EU bioeconomy turnover

• cca 50 % of turnoever: DE (18%), FR (15%), IT (13%)



European bioproducts examples Car tyre (DE) Engine cover (DE/NL)



Producers:

Chewing gum (сн)

Toothpaste (DE/CR)

Sector: Cosmetics industr

Producers: BASF | Neva Cosmetics

Toilet paper

Face cream

(GR)



Conditioner

(FR)

(IT)

School uniform

(UK/DK)



Producer:



Producers:

THANK YOU FOR YOUR ATTENTION!

