D8.8 Infographic

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About SPARCS

Sustainable energy Positive & zero cARbon CommunitieS demonstrates and validates technically and socioeconomically viable and replicable, innovative solutions for rolling out smart, integrated positive energy systems for the transition to a citizen centred zero carbon & resource efficient economy. SPARCS facilitates the participation of buildings to the energy market enabling new services and a virtual power plant concept, creating VirtualPositiveEnergy communities as energy democratic playground (positive energy districts can exchange energy with energy entities located outside the district). Seven cities will demonstrate 100+ actions turning buildings, blocks, and districts into energy prosumers. Impacts span economic growth, improved quality of life, and environmental benefits towards the EC policy framework for climate and energy, the SET plan and UN Sustainable Development goals. SPARCS co-creation brings together citizens, companies, research organizations, city planning and decision making entities, transforming cities to carbon-free inclusive communities. Lighthouse cities Espoo (FI) and Leipzig (DE) implement large demonstrations. Fellow cities Reykjavik (IS), Maia (PT), Lviv (UA), Kifissia (EL) and Kladno (CZ) prepare replication with hands-on feasibility studies. SPARCS identifies bankable actions to accelerate market uptake, pioneers innovative, exploitable governance and business models boosting the transformation processes, joint procurement procedures and citizen engaging mechanisms in an overarching city planning instrument toward the bold City Vision 2050. SPARCS engages 30 partners from 8 EU Member States (FI, DE, PT, CY, EL, BE, CZ, IT) and 2 non-EU countries (UA, IS), representing key stakeholders within the value chain of urban challenges and smart, sustainable cities bringing together three distinct but also overlapping knowledge areas: (i) City Energy Systems, (ii) ICT and Interoperability, (iii) Business Innovation and Market Knowledge.

Partners

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Green = Done; Yellow = In progress; Red = To do; Gray = Beyond current planning period

1.   EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

This deliverable depicts the infographic representation of the SPARCS project that will be used both online and offline to showcase key elements of the project to the target audiences.

2.   INTRODUCTION

An infographic is another way to spread the word about SPARCS and present important data\results online and offline.

3.   INFOGRAPHIC

The first general infographic in PNG format can be found below. It showcases SPARCS' objectives, partners and gives a prominent space to the Lighthouse and Fellow cities, depicting a truly EU-wide reach of the project. At the same time, it introduces the key thematic aspects of the project, and gives a quick overview of all the elements that we aim to tackle.

It will be used both online and offline as an introductory overview into the project.