

# Prioritization of product categories and climate requirements based on potential climate benefits

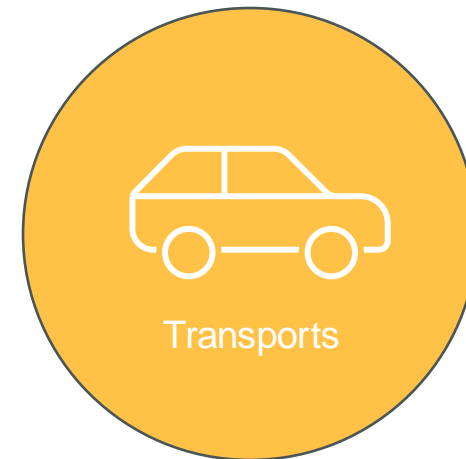
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# Finding which category to prioritize

1. Choose based on specific climate goals
2. Choose based on environmental spending analysis
3. Use the National Agency for Public Procurement's environmental spending analysis or start with these four →

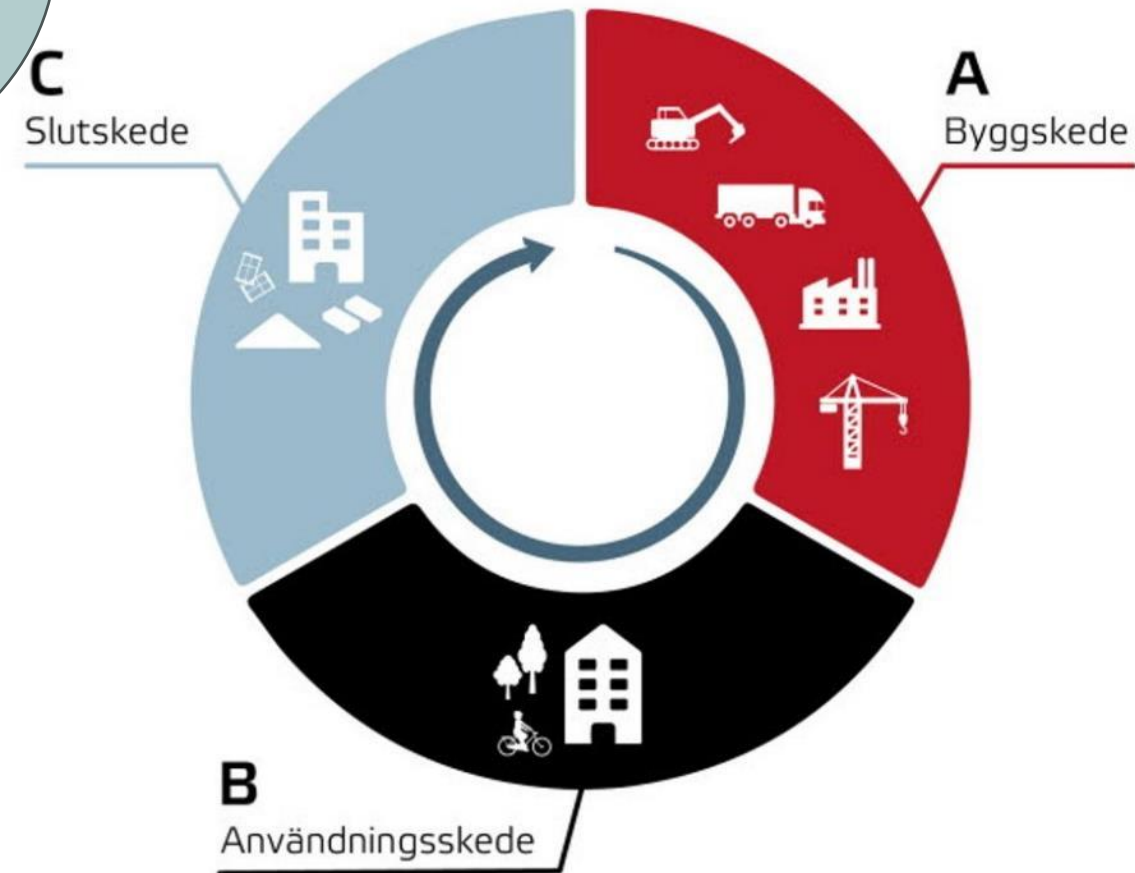




# Construction & infrastructure

## Construction

- ✓ Construction phase: Set requirements based on threshold values
- ✓ Operational phase: Energy performance requirements
- ✓ Renovation: Set requirements for improvement compared to own reference values



# Construction & infrastructure



## Infrastructure

- ✓ For larger projects: Set requirements for improvement compared to project-specific baseline
- ✓ For smaller projects: Focus on the largest impact categories
  - Bulk handling/transport
  - Concrete
  - Asphalt
  - Steel



# Transports



- ✓ Set requirements for the proportion of renewable fuel (with stricter requirements during the contract period)
- ✓ Set requirements for the greenhouse gas emissions of the fuel (or specify which fuels are allowed).
- ✓ Set requirements for the vehicles to ensure they are adapted for high climate performance.



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## IT/Telecom



- ✓ Procure reused IT equipment.
- ✓ Procure robust products with long warranty periods (applies to both new manufacturing and reuse).
- ✓ Request systems for recirculating.
- ✓ Request environmental product declarations for new products.
- ✓ Set requirements for energy efficiency in data storage and server rooms.



# Food



- ✓ Choose raw materials / ingredients with low climate impact. Reduce the proportion of animal products and increase the inclusion of seasonal vegetables.
- ✓ Set raw material / ingredient -specific climate requirements. Focus the requirements on animal products.
- ✓ Focus on reducing food waste.




Image: [Den grönare Matcirkeln \(livsmedelsverket.se\)](https://www.livsmedelsverket.se)

**A climate saving of 280 kg CO<sub>2</sub>e is equivalent to...**




...purchasing a **refurbished/reused** computer instead of a new one.

or



...a passenger car driving on **renewable fuel** instead of gasoline, from Boden to Amsterdam (2360 km).

or



... a 75 m<sup>2</sup> apartment in a new multi-family building being constructed with **1% lower climate impact** than the typical case.

or



...a person follows a **more sustainable diet** for just over 3 years, instead of eating like the average Swede.



# Thank you!

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