



The Mobility Scoreboard

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Policy context

2011: Council Recommendation on 'Youth on the move'

- 10 priority areas for policy development
- Envisages the development of a tool 'for monitoring progress in promoting, and removing obstacles to, learning mobility'
 - Qualitative indicators to go alongside quantitative mobility data

2016: Mobility Scoreboard for higher education and IVET

- Higher education: Eurydice Network
- IVET: Cedefop
- Joint online platform for all Mobility Scoreboard indicators
- Regular updates foreseen

Challenges

Political:

- Scoreboard requires value judgement on policy approaches
- Sensitive for some countries
- Qualitative indicators may not be in sync with quantitative data

Technical:

- Indicators assess the national policy environment, but not all aspects can be translated into measurable targets applicable at national level
- Choices to be made, priorities set

Solution:

- Expert group to guide the development
- Bologna Scorecard indicators as a model

The Mobility Scoreboard for Higher Education

**Information
and guidance**
(including the role
of multipliers)

**Foreign
language
preparation**

**Portability of
grants and loans**

**Disadvantaged
learners**

**Recognition of
learning
outcomes 1:
ECTS**

**Recognition of
learning
outcomes 2:
qualifications**

Indicator structure

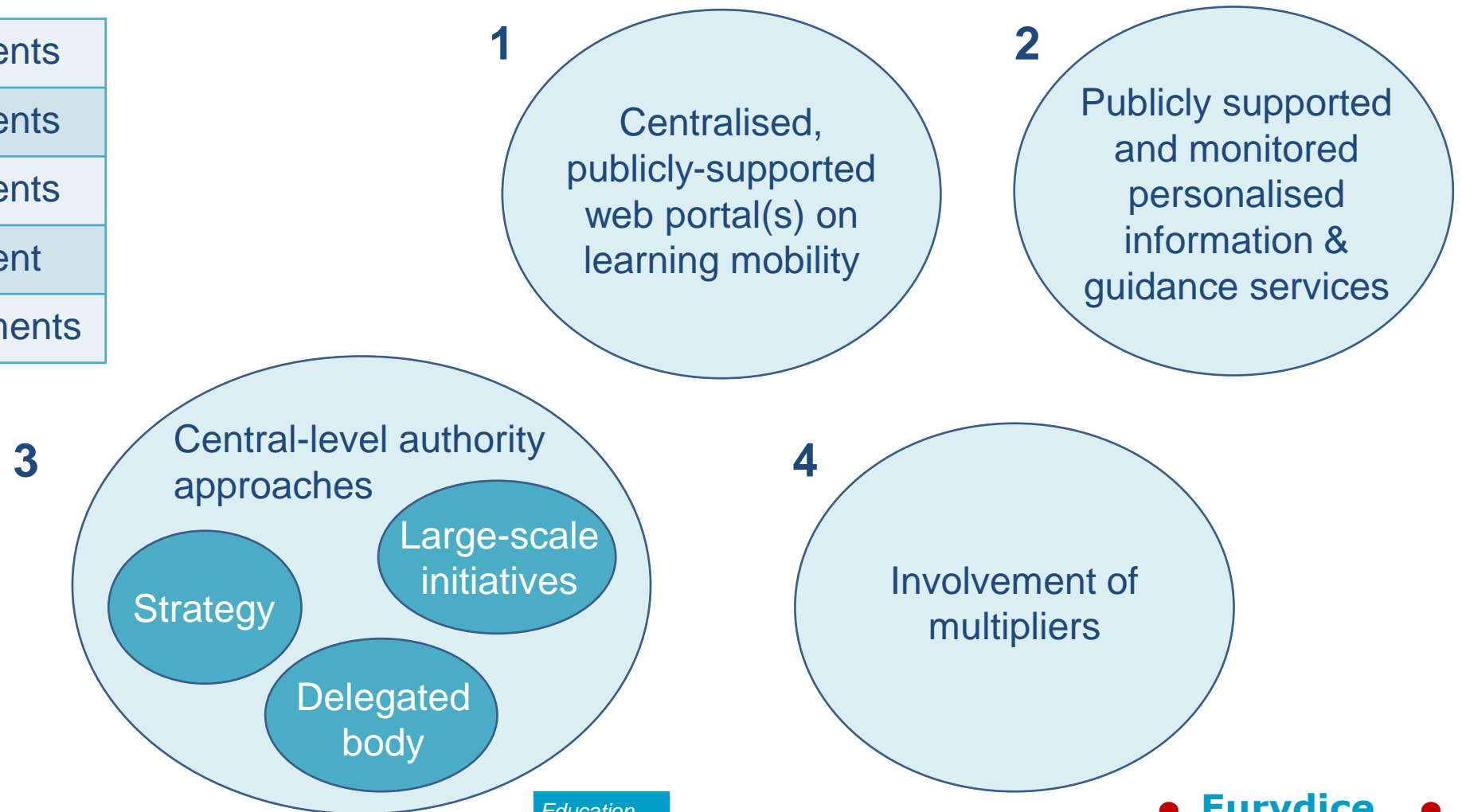
- **Composite indicators**
 - Reflecting the presence/absence of different elements/criteria **OR**
 - Reflecting the fulfilment of pre-defined steps leading to a desired outcome
- **Colour-coding** as used for the Bologna Scorecard
 - dark green** (all criteria are fully met)
 - light green** (most aspects appear in the system)
 - yellow** (only some aspects are implemented)
 - orange** (systems fulfil only a limited part of the criteria)
 - red** (none of the elements exists)



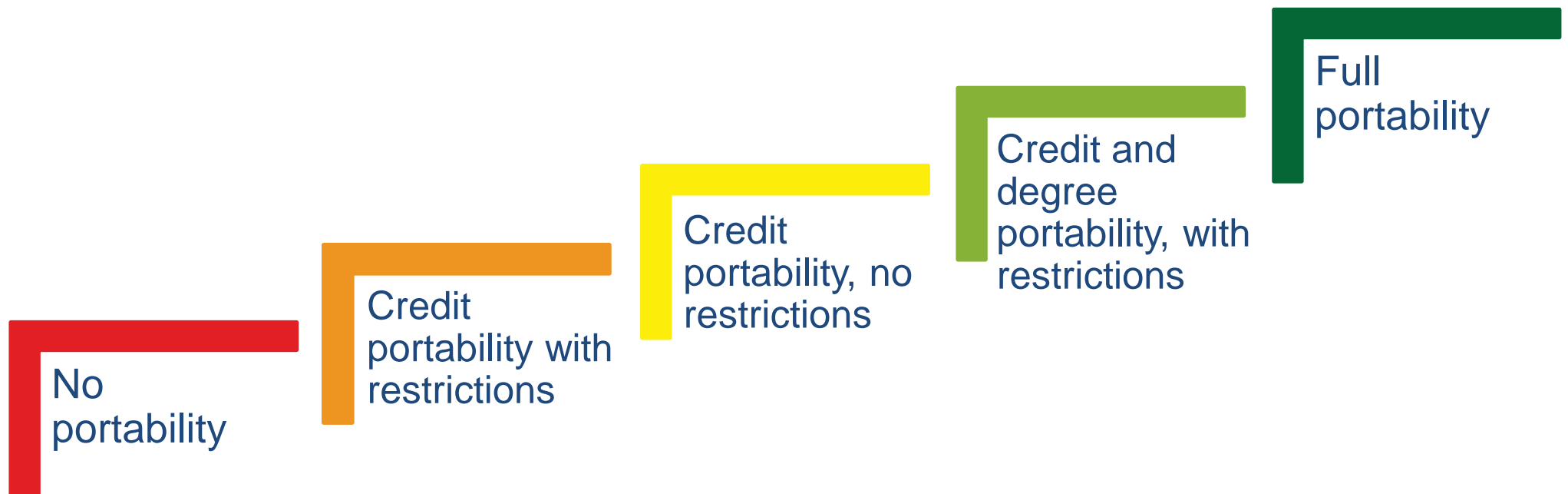
European
Commission

Information and guidance on learner mobility

4 elements
3 elements
2 elements
1 element
no elements



Portability of domestic public grants and publicly-subsidised loans



Impact

- Mobility Scoreboard is politically accepted across European countries
- Highlights both policy areas (e.g. the recognition of qualifications) and countries with the greatest need for progress
- Extent of progress will be visible with the 2019 update
- Model being considered for monitoring in the European Education Area



Thank you for your attention!

Mobility Scoreboard: <https://eacea.ec.europa.eu/national-policies/en/mobility-scoreboard>