

Evaluation of Cohesion policy

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State of play 2014-2020 ex-post evaluation

- In progress
- 13 work packages mix of cross-cutting and thematic packages.
- Tenders published between end-2021 and end-2022.
- Completion of works: end-2024.
- Synthesis report: 2025



2021-2027 processes: mid-term review vs mid-term evaluation

Mid-term **evaluation**,
for each fund, by end-
December 2024, by the
**European
Commission**



Mid-term **review** that
includes and
assessment for each
programme, by end-
March 2025, by the
Member States

Evaluation plan



- Adopted by the Monitoring Committee within 1 year of programme adoption
- Covers 2021-2029 period
- For 1 or more programmes & 1 or more funds
- Balance legal requirements & flexibility

Evaluation plan – structure



- Objectives, coverage, coordination (why? what? who else?)
- Evaluation framework (responsibilities & resources)
- Planned evaluations (list & timetable)

Thank you



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