

Supplier payment within 30 days

Government measure: Barcelona City Council supplier payment within 30 days since the invoice receipt.

Measure goal: Favor the liquidity of Barcelona City Council suppliers.

This measure is included in a government strategic objectives package, which also considers budgeting techniques according to the European System of Accounts (ESA95) and setting goals concerning percentages of current saving over current revenues. The following strategic objectives will allow the Barcelona City Council to maintain its remarkable solvency and to boost growth, economic recovery and business competitiveness:

- 1) Favor supplier's liquidity, because of being paid quickly (30 days in 2012).
- 2) Avoid public administrations to take advantage of supplier's leverage as a financing method.
- 3) Avoid the bad practices from certain suppliers of charging the financial costs in the bids presented to public administrations (consequence, increased competitiveness)

City Councils and public institutions must help to create the conditions for present and future economic growth. Starting from what's feasible and what depends directly from the institution it's a good way. If suppliers are paid properly it's because of budget consistency, institution solvency and internal processes conducted with effectiveness.

Payment indicators within 30 days

PAYMENT PERIOD BARCELONA CITY COUNCIL

Law 15/2010 of measures against payment slowness to business

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PAYMENT PERIOD MONTHLY INDICATORS: GENERAL MANAGER INSTRUCTION 30.12.2011

Payment period	Days
Payment period average	27,8
Average weighted by amount	33,2

Payment period in days	Number of payment obligations documents	% of payment obligations	Amount paid (in thousands)	% of amount paid
Until 30	1.590	70,7%	9.224.654	22,6%
Between 31 and 40	378	16,8%	27.258.601	66,8%
Between 41 and 50	108	4,8%	1.661.758	4,1%
Between 51 and 60	112	5,0%	1.751.617	4,3%
Between 61 and 70	45	2,0%	492.458	1,2%
More than 70	15	0,7%	440.010	1,1%
TOTAL	2.248	100,0%	40.829.097	100,0%

DETAIL OF PAYMENT PERIOD AND STAGES BY SECTORS AND DISTRICTS

Sectors and districts	Average period of the stage in days					Number of documents	Amount paid (in thousands)	Outstanding invoices 30/6	Amount	Days
	Registration / accounting entry	Accounting entry / approval	Approval / treasury limit	Treasury limit /payment order	Registration /payment					
TOTAL CITY COUNCIL	9	10	3	6	28	2.248	40.829,09	2.927	51.771,75	30
Manager's Office for Resources	9	16	3	5	32	649	4.032,64	951	9.990,73	37
Manager's Office for Quality of Life, Equality and Sports	10	10	2	5	27	284	5.007,09	292	5.484,33	27
Manager's Office for Prevention, Safety and Mobility	10	7	5	5	26	106	610,03	272	3.705,70	31
Manager's Office for Urban Housing	11	12	2	8	34	196	18.914,12	197	23.162,08	27
Manager's Office for Economy, Business and Employment	24	4	1	5	34	69	152,83	212	4.017,90	20
Manager's Office for Culture, Knowledge, Creativ. and Innov.										
District Ciutat vella	6	9	2	10	27	72	2.078,30	82	363,68	26
District Eixample	8	3	5	5	21	94	1.617,39	97	563,01	26
District Sants-Montjuïc	7	13	1	7	28	182	1.740,79	76	440,43	17
District Les Corts	8	6	2	5	21	28	340,35	82	434,38	30
District Sarrià-St.Gervasi	8	8	3	6	25	103	965,94	70	512,51	24
District Gràcia	5	3	2	9	20	106	922,57	53	392,95	11
District Horta-Guinardó	5	3	2	6	17	110	1.260,95	198	492,41	23
District Nou Barris	8	7	5	5	26	28	655,94	109	876,14	31
District Sant Andreu	10	6	4	5	25	90	777,96	109	506,11	32
District Sant Martí	9	5	3	5	23	131	1.752,20	127	829,39	26

Days Internal Audit	2,3
Days Signature and Approval	2,0
Days Cash Payment (Treasury)	1,6
TOTAL	5,9

