

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	26,9
Average weighted by amount	32,4

Payment period in days	Number of payment obligations documents	% of payment obligations	Amount paid (in thousands)	% of amount paid
Until 30	2.721	66,8%	21.827.901	26,9%
Between 31 and 40	1.069	26,2%	49.044.871	60,5%
Between 41 and 50	172	4,2%	8.767.909	10,8%
Between 51 and 60	50	1,2%	1.039.143	1,3%
Between 61 and 70	21	0,5%	40.057	0,1%
More than 70	42	1,0%	298.172	0,4%
TOTAL	4.075	100,0%	81.018.053	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	11	6	4	5	27	4.075	81.018,05	3.451	44.630.484,83	19
Manager's Office for Resources	15	9	4	4	33	856	4.492,84	1.529	4.702.795,48	25
Manager's Office for Quality of Life, Equality and Sports	9	6	2	5	22	389	5.555,34	261	4.321.909,26	16
Manager's Office for Prevention, Safety and Mobility	9	7	5	6	27	568	3.177,68	221	2.571.838,82	16
Manager's Office for Urban Housing	13	5	3	6	26	384	38.980,94	211	25.501.647,38	17
Manager's Office for Economy, Business and Employment	14	7	5	4	31	120	3.420,73	217	2.494.918,87	17
Manager's Office for Culture, Knowledge, Creativ. and Innov.										
District Ciutat vella	8	7	5	4	24	130	4.822,92	85	641.544,67	16
District Eixample	11	4	4	5	25	140	3.242,49	97	589.061,55	16
District Sants-Montjuïc	11	5	5	5	26	245	3.002,39	141	659.527,69	12
District Les Corts	10	3	5	5	23	155	1.253,26	103	342.917,60	17
District Sarrià-St. Genasi	8	4	5	4	21	205	1.768,13	119	557.130,50	12
District Gràcia	7	5	4	5	22	205	1.902,90	56	245.185,19	11
District Horta-Guinardó	9	4	4	7	23	144	1.937,70	121	571.713,24	13
District Nou Barris	9	5	4	5	22	101	1.897,97	65	394.124,29	13
District Sant Andreu	9	6	5	5	25	205	1.987,38	95	461.886,72	10
District Sant Martí	12	8	5	4	31	228	3.575,38	130	574.283,57	13

Days Internal Audit	1,4
Days Signature and Approval	1,8
Days Cash Payment (Treasury)	2,0
TOTAL	5,1

Average days for numbers of documents (2015)

