

# Success factors of strategic H&C planning - results of the Act!onHeat meta-study

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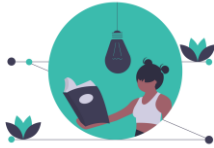
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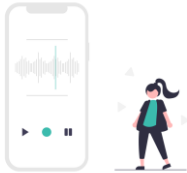
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# What are success factors for heating and cooling plans?



Analysis of existing heating and cooling plans and energy plans (36 plans)



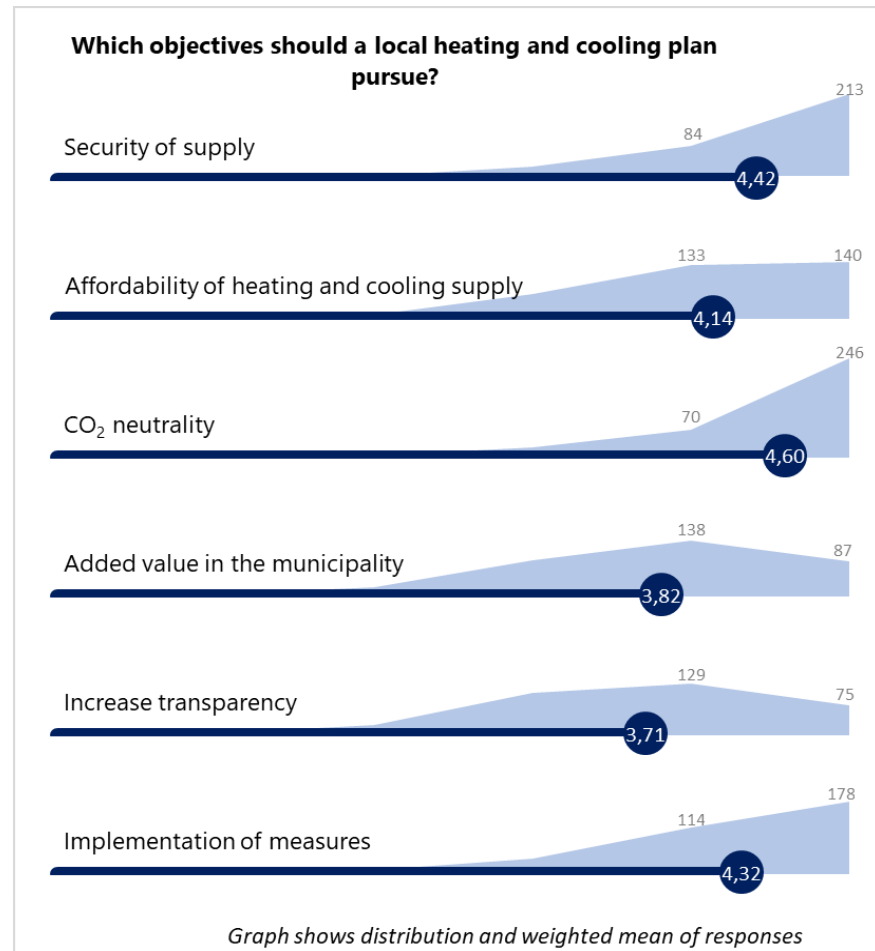
Expert Interviews (15 interviews)



Online Survey (341 responses)

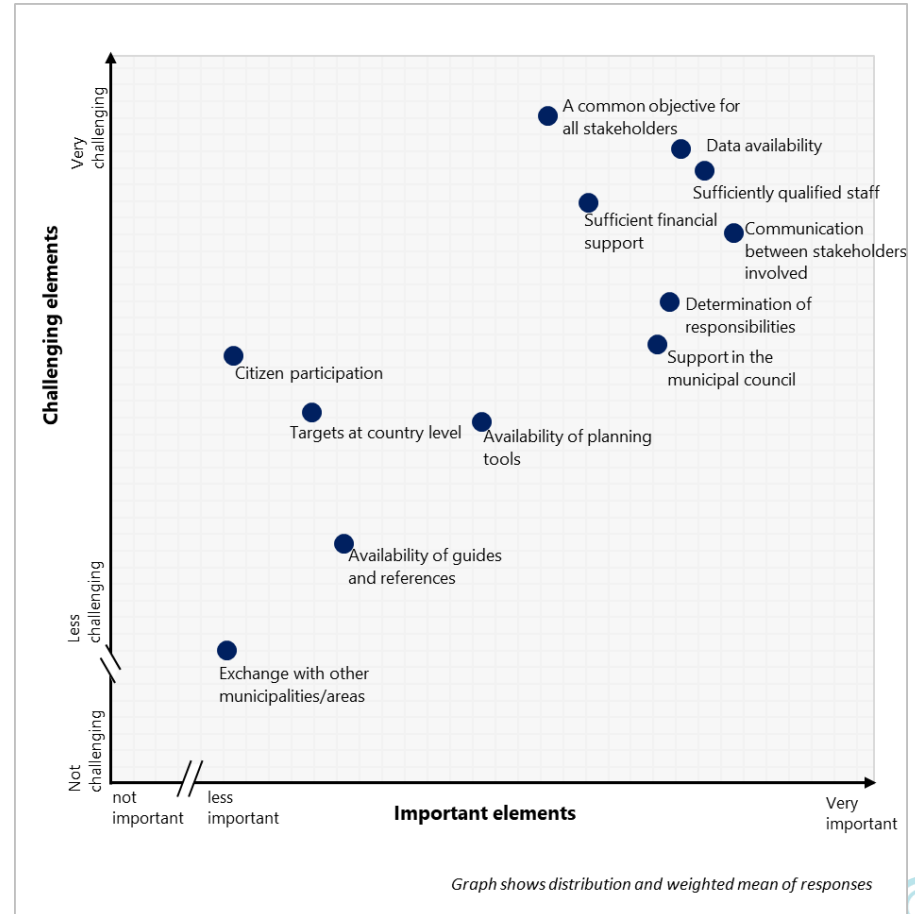


## Objectives



## Important and Challenging Elements

- **Sufficiently qualified staff** and **data availability** are seen as particularly important and challenging
- **Guides and references** and **exchange with other municipalities** are seen as less important and less challenging



## Summary and key messages from the meta-study

- **Commitment** of decision-makers is a precondition for the emergence of strong H&C plans
- Central **objective** is **CO2 neutrality**
- **Communication** of the planning process is a **challenge** to be overcome for strong H&C plans
- Most **important success factors** are **sufficiently qualified staff and data availability**

## Summary and key messages from the meta-study

- The respondents see **H&C planning as an effective and suitable instrument**
- It is essential that **all relevant actors are involved from the beginning**
- Focus of **H&C planning is not on the creation of a single plan**, but on the entire process of achieving a climate-neutral H&C supply



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