

Online Webinar on BEREC Strategy 2021- 2025 Work Programme 2021

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- Welcome: *Dan Sjöblom, Director General PTS - BEREC Chair 2020*
- BEREC Strategy 2021-2025: *Michel Van Bellinghen, Chairman BIPT – Incoming BEREC Chair*
- BEREC Work programme: *Michel Van Bellinghen, Chairman BIPT – Incoming BEREC Chair*
- Questions & suggestions (deadline 14:30 CET): *Dan Sjöblom & Michel Van Bellinghen*

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BEREC Strategy 2021 – 2025

New mission statement

“BEREC aims at fostering the independent, consistent and high-quality regulation of digital markets for the benefit of Europe and its citizens”



5 year strategy



Multi-annual WP



EU priorities



•Flexible updates

Market, technological and policy developments

Networks

**•Digital
Services**

Digital divide

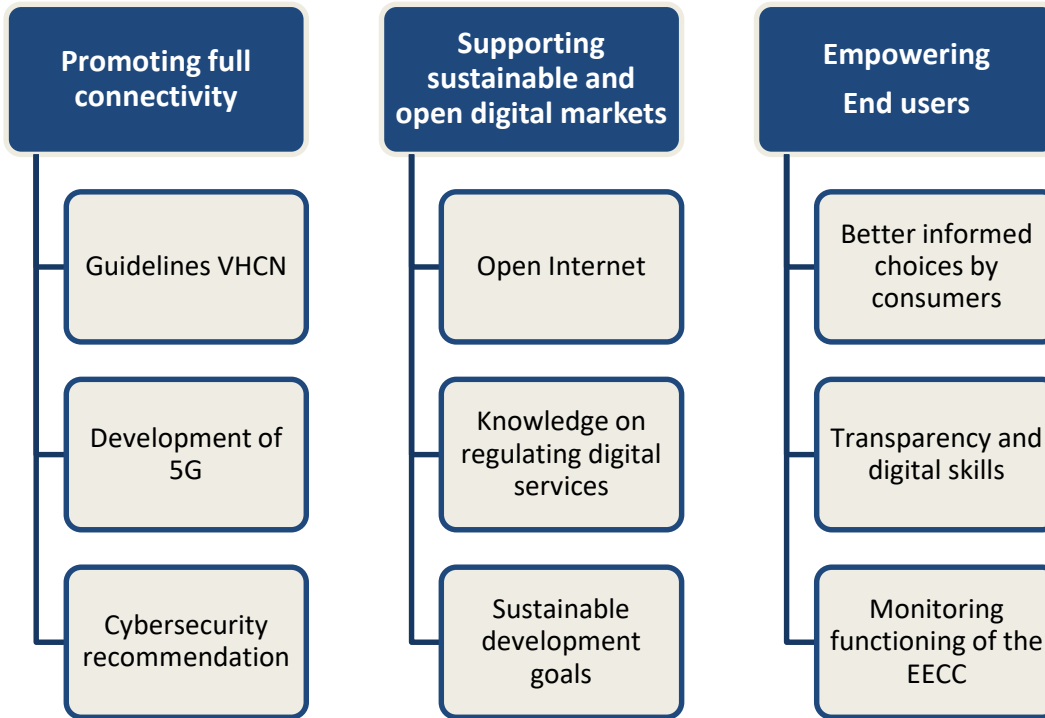
**•Big data and
AI**

**•Cyber
security**

**•Sustainability
•Climate
Change**

**•Taking into
account new
EC priorities**

3 High level Strategic priorities



Horizontal principles: implementation of the EECC and focus on sustainability

Areas of improvement



**Institutional/International
cooperation priorities**

Sustainability



**Developing the right
tools**

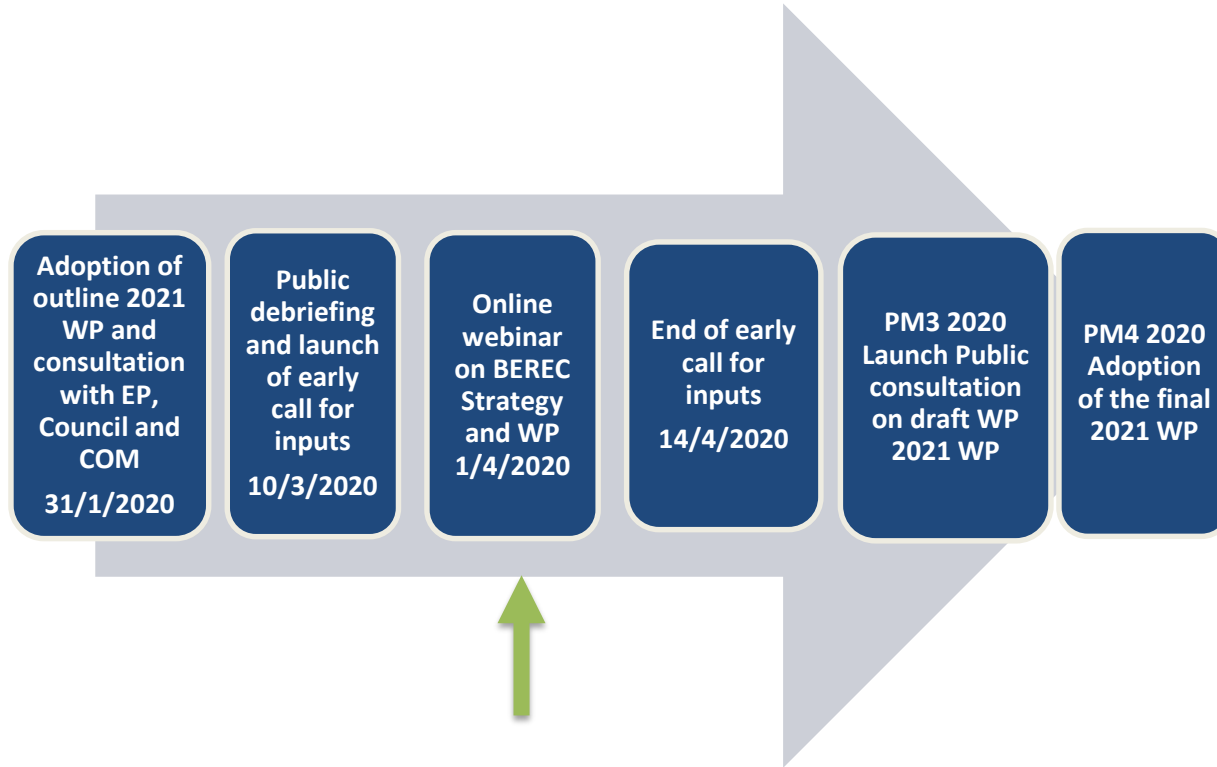


Stakeholder engagement

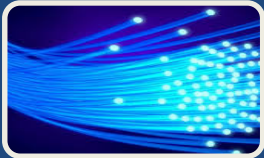


Work Programme 2021

Work programme 2021 - Process



Objectives of the Work Programme 2021



1. General objectives of the Code



**Alignment with the future BEREC Strategy
2021 - 2025**



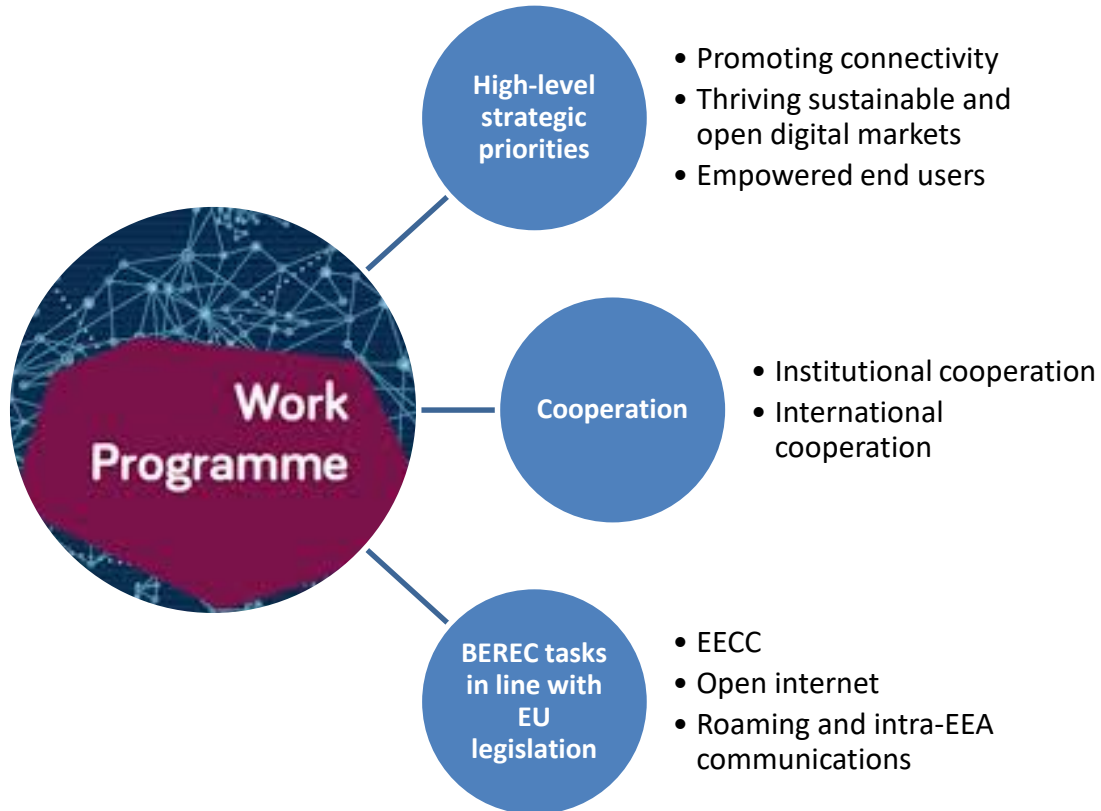
**Advice to the European Parliament,
Council and Commission**



**Enhancement of working methodology
and stakeholder engagement**



Your input on the mandatory tasks?



Possible items for 2021 – What is important for you?

- BEREC study on consumer behaviour and attitudes towards digital platforms
- Report on access regulation (including prices) based on EU State aid
- Report on how to handle third-party payment charges on mobile phone bills
- Work on the impact of 5G on regulation
- Economic analysis of digital markets
- Compensation in the case of early termination of contracts
- Report on key elements of the functioning of the EECC



- **What role BEREC does anticipate to play in contributing to a consistent transposition in the EECC, and how?**

- **What should be a main driver for convergence of national markets towards functioning EU single digital market?**

- **With view to an intensive 5G network roll out across the EU, how can BEREC support the roll out of 5G?**
- **What could be BEREC's role regarding Electromagnetic field emissions (EMF)?**
- **How will BEREC promote access to 5G to avoid the delay problems that MVNO operators observed with 3G and 4G transitions?**
- **Does BEREC intend to take the wholesale dimension of 5G into account when drafting its report about the impact of 5G on regulation and the role of regulation in enabling the 5G ecosystem?**

- **Will you continue BEREC's support to Western Balkan countries?**

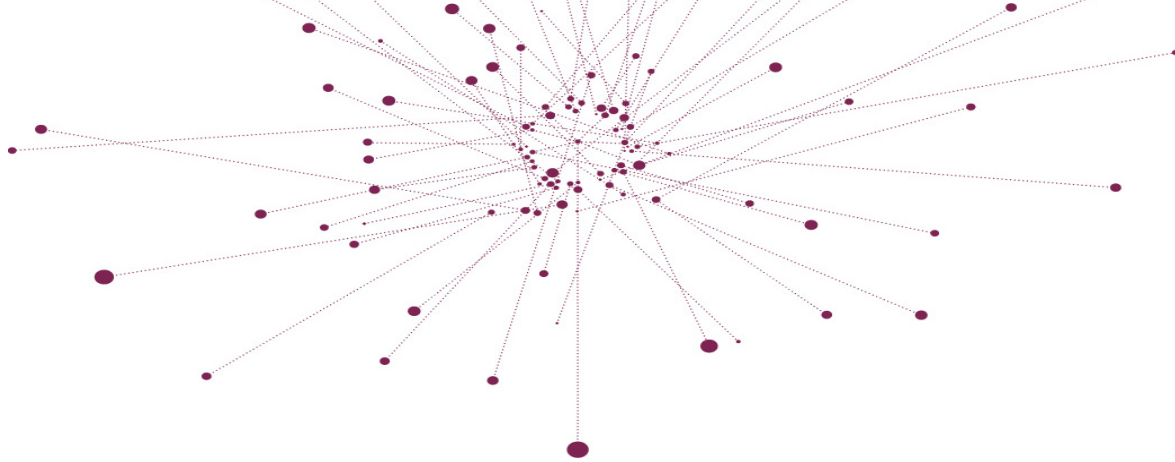
- **How is BEREC practically involved in implementing the strategy for data and AI announced by the Commission in February? Which other parties are practically involved and how do you interact with each other?**

- **Which topics will prevail in 2021?**

- **On the upcoming Digital Services Act (DSA), what is BEREC's thinking?**
- **What are the challenges ahead of the regulations regarding digital platforms?**

- **Can you provide an update on the status of the Open Internet consultation**
- **How can stakeholders get specific feedback on our submissions?**

- **Are the conclusion reached in the “International Roaming BEREC Benchmark Data Report” and the “BEREC’s formal Opinion to the Commission” in June 2019 still valid? Is there still room for the reduction of wholesale roaming caps?**
- **In regards to consumer protection rules and consumer transparency, does BEREC intend to reopen discussions on the necessity of having forms of device neutrality regulation?**
- **Does BEREC have the intention to conduct further data collection and reporting on the availability and take-up IoT/5G wholesale international roaming, 5G wholesale access and network slices, including the barriers to and benefits of enabling new business models as well as the experiences with issues around systems deployed using network slices?**



Thank you!

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