

Degree of accreditation of the linguistic profiles of Public Administrations. Basque Autonomous Community (BAC)

Definition

This indicator includes the players within the public entities affected by the 86/1997 Decree, classifying them by the degree of accreditation of the linguistic profile of the position they hold.

When classifying the employees, whether the position occupied had a mandatory date or not, or whether they own the position, have not been considered.

Territory

Basque Autonomous Community (BAC)

Variables and categories

- **Level of Basque:**
 - **B1:** Linguistic profile 1 (LP1)
 - **B2:** Linguistic profile 2 (LP2)
 - **C1:** Linguistic profile 3 (LP3)
 - **C2:** Linguistic profile 4 (LP4)
- **Job positions and accreditation of employees:**
 - Empty/no information
 - Accredited
 - Lower level accreditation
 - No level accredited
 - Extent

Sub-indicators (crosses)

Public Administration employees depending on their degree of accreditation of the linguistic profile assigned to the job position they hold and the entity. Basque Autonomous Community (BAC)

Source

Basque Government. Vice-Council for Linguistic Policy

Characteristic s of the source

By means of the 86/1997 Decree, 15th April, the normalisation process of the use of Basque in the Public Administrations of the Basque Autonomous Community was regulated. According to this Decree, each entity must approve and implement the normalisation of the use of Basque plan.

The entities that must approve and implement the normalisation of the use of Basque plan, are as follows: town councils, crews, associations and consorts, provincial councils and general boards, the Basque Government and its independent bodies, the Basque Parliament and Ararteko, the University of the Basque Country, the Basque Court of Public Accounts, the Labour Relations Council, the Basque Office for Protected Data, the Basque Agency for Development Cooperation, the Etxepare Basque Institute, Kindergarten Consortium and the

	<p>Basque Water Agency.</p> <p>To gauge a better understanding of the contents, here is a brief explanation of some of the concepts:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Linguistic Profile (LP): defines the level of competency in the Basque language needed to supply and perform the job position, in accordance with Article 97.2 of the 6/1989 Act, 6th July, of the Basque Civil Service. There are four profiles assigned to the job positions: LP1, LP2, LP3 and LP4 (regulated by Article 13.2 of the 86/1997 Decree). • Mandatory Date (MD): this establishes the date from which the linguistic profile required must be reached, i.e. when it becomes mandatory. Once the Mandatory Date has expired, the LP corresponding to the job position must be accredited in order to be filled. • Compulsory Fulfilment Index (CFI): establishes the percentage of job positions that will be allocated a Mandatory Date in each entity and for each planning period (Article 11 of the 86/1997 Decree, 15th April). <p>To establish this index, the real sociolinguistic situation of the territorial sphere of action in each public administration is taken into account (in the case of town councils, the municipal is the field of reference; for provinces, the historical territory, etc.). The calculation is obtained using the following formula: “Basque speakers + (almost Basque speakers/2”, in which data from the Census or Population and Housing Census must be applied, in force at the start of the planning period.</p> <p>Based on this index, the entities are classified into four groups: 0%-25%, 25%-45%, 45%-70% and 70%-100%. Article 17 of the 86/1997 Decree governs this classification, and defines the minimum targets to be achieved by the entities positioned in each group.</p>
First data and frequency	<p>First data: from 2012 and the latest from 2017.</p> <p>Frequency: it is renewed every two or three years.</p>
Complementary information	
Publications and reports	<p>Decree 86/1997, 15th April, governing the normalisation process of the use of Basque in the Public Administrations of the Basque Autonomous Community:</p> <p>https://www.euskadi.eus/y22-bopv/es/p43aBOPVWebWar/VerParalelo.do?cd1997001956</p> <p>General criteria and the general normalisation plan of the use of Basque in the Basque Government: 6th planning period (2018-2022):</p> <p>http://www.euskadi.eus/gobierno-vasco/-/libro/eusko-jaurilaritzan-euskararen-erabilera-normalizatzeko-irizpide-orokorrak-eta-plan-nagusia-vi-plangintzaldia-2018-2022/</p>