

Tartu Smart City Programme — EU Mission 100 pilot city

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Quality score: 81/100

Evidence strength: Strong

Summary

Tartu retrofitted 17 Soviet-era blocks, deployed 65 e-bike stations, 60 biogas buses and 300+ smart LED lights, and ran the Baltic states' widest autonomous-vehicle test (26 stops, 66 km). Selected from 377 applicants as Estonia's sole EU Mission 100 Climate-Neutral Smart City.

Key dimensions

Dimension	Score
Evidence of impact / measured results	2/3
Transferability / demonstrated replication	2/3
Scalability	2/3
Sustainability / continuity	3/3
Innovation	3/3
Inclusiveness / equity	2/3
Multi-stakeholder collaboration	3/3

Evaluated by C-NAPSE

Data sources

[C-NAPSE web research](#) — accessed 2026-06-20

[City of Tartu](#) — accessed 2026-06-20

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