



Financing Circular Economy

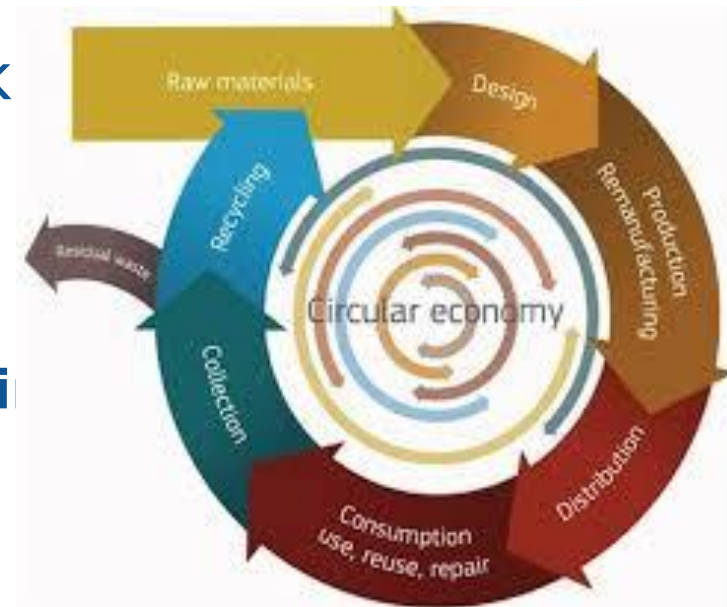
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Transition to Circular Economy

- Need for a systemic perspective
- Market will not work alone/too long transition
- Create a favourable framework conditions
 - **Knowledge/innovation**
 - **Regulatory system/incentives**
 - **Collaborative/profit-cost sharing mechanisms**
 - **Infrastructure**
 - ...
 - **Access to finance**



Circular Economy Finance

- **Systemic transition => many forms of funding necessary**
- **Public vs private funding**
- **EU funding**
 - **Many EU funds fund CE initiatives**
 - ERDF
 - CAP
 - Horizon 2020 - InnovFin
 - **EIB/EIF**
 - Traditional lending/equity funding
 - EFSI



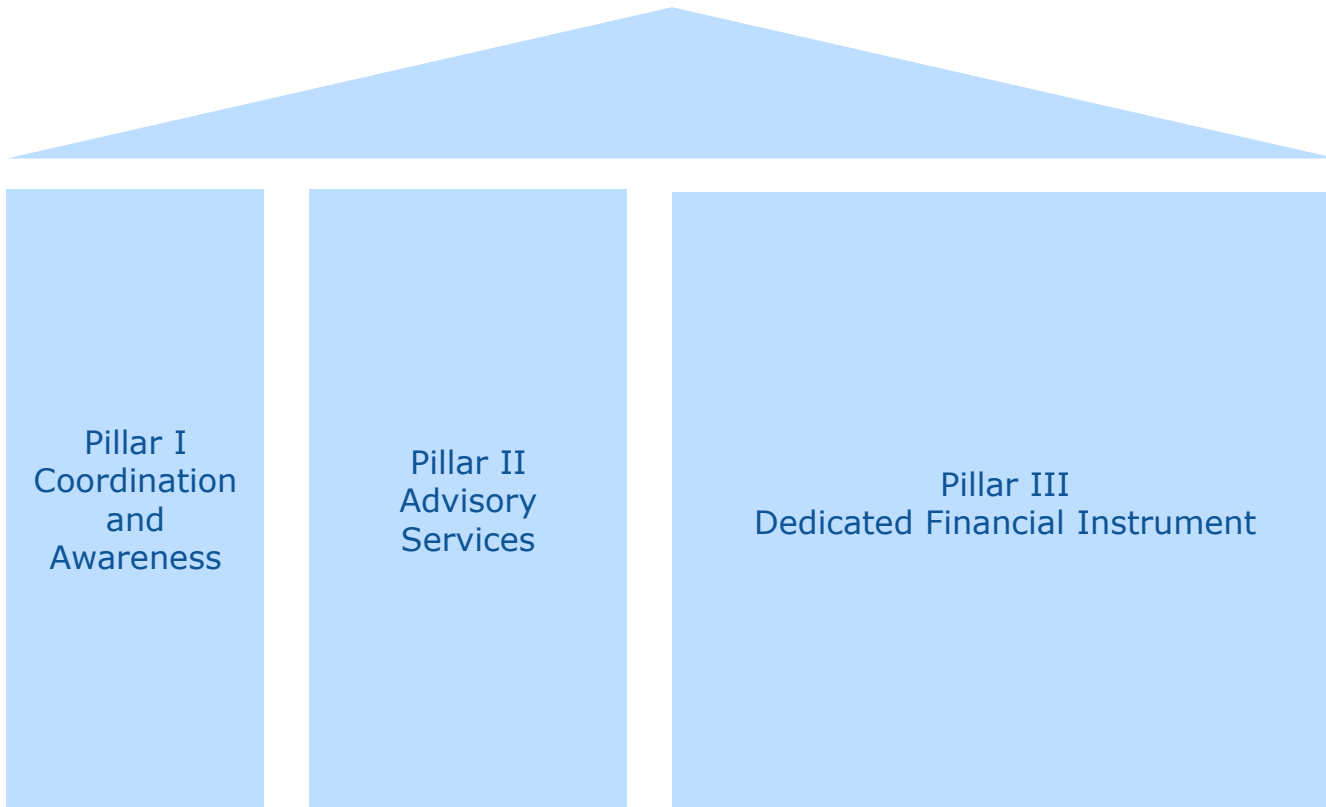
Can we improve existing instruments?

- **EIB: options for improvement**

- **Eligibility of non-technological innovation**
- **Expand the ability of InnovFin financial facilities to finance CE projects**
- **Promote InnovFin, EFSI and other EIB instruments**
 - > Advisory services
- **Establish a dedicated CE financial instrument**



CE Finance Support Platform





Thank you for your attention

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