



PXL Session

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The PXL methodology

PXL – Peer eXchange and Learning:

- is a methodology developed by the S3 Platform for supporting transnational learning in the context of RIS3 and territorial development strategies in general.
- builds on the S3 Platform Peer-Review Methodology and on a wealth of experience with participatory methods for transnational learning applied to the RIS3 design.
- aims to effectively tackle specific implementation challenges encountered by the authorities managing territorial strategies. It is targeting a community of policy makers who have already made substantial advancement in the definition of policy strategies and are experiencing the transformation of planned objectives into actual results.
- engages peers and experts in focused discussions on important issues raised by regions and countries and guides them to distil a range of collective suggestions and lessons into a coherent picture.

Objectives of PXL

What ***outputs are expected*** from a PXL session:

a. Provide specific policy and technical advice and practical suggestions to the country/region under focus.

b. Put together in a coherent picture a collection of collective recommendations and learnt lessons.

PXL – TIMELINE

2 min	<i>Introduction by the moderator</i>
20 min	<i>Presentation of RIS3 from country/region</i>
5-10 min	<i>Q&A around the presentation</i>
3 min	Introduction of PXL discussion on the issues posed by the country/region <i>Selection of a rapporteur for each table</i>
20-25 min	PXL discussion Round 1 - Suggestions for how this/these issue(s) can be addressed
10-15 min	Round 2 – What are the relevant lessons to take home for the different regions/countries represented on the table?
5 min	<i>Closing of table work - Summary and writing down the results on coloured papers</i>
15 min	Composing a collective picture - Rapporteurs report back
3-5 min	<i>Reflections from the reviewed country/region</i>

PXL discussions

- *Representatives from the same country/region should split between different tables*
- *If possible, at least one person from the country/region under focus at each table*
- *Select a rapporteur who will report the results of the PXL discussion*

PXL discussion (Round 1)

Consider, discuss, help

How should the country/region under focus tackle these issues?

- Do you have any practical advice or recommendations based on your own experience?
- What (in your experience) has worked and what has not (good/bad practices)?

Group exercise:

- Discuss your experiences and suggest advice/recommendations
- Write down for each question your 3 collective recommendations.

PXL discussion (Round 2)

Share key learnings

What are the relevant **lessons you will take home and share?**

Individual exercise:

- Think of 3 lessons that you are taking home in relation to the issues being discussed.

Group exercise:

- Agree on and write down 3 collective lessons that you as a group will take home for the issues being discussed.



**Let's put together what
we have achieved in this PXL session**

Picture of PXLs - table by table

The issues posed by the country/region:

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Collective recommendations to the country/region:

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Collective lessons to take home:

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**Thank you for your participation and
contribution!**



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