decidim is a digital platform for citizen participation

Free and safe technology. With all democratic guarantees. Reprogramming democracy is now possible with Decidim.
El espacio donde nos encontramos para decidir.

Esta es la plataforma de participación de la Ciudad de México. Aquí podrás proponer, votar y opinar sobre los temas que te interesan de tu ciudad.
La plateforme e-pétitions du Sénat permet de déposer une pétition ou de soutenir une pétition déjà publiée. Ces pétitions permettent, si plusieurs conditions sont réunies, de pouvoir saisir le Sénat d'une demande d'inscription à l'ordre du jour d'un texte législatif ou de création d'une mission de contrôle sénatoriale.

Les pétitions ayant recueilli au moins 100 000 signatures dans un délai de 6 mois sont transmises à la Conférence des Présidents.
Make your voice heard

The future is in your hands

- Attend an event near you
- Share your ideas
- Organise your event
The People’s Money: You Decide!

a space to enhance civic participation, promote civic trust, and strengthen democracy in New York City

REGISTER
OmaStadi

Osallistuva budjetointi tuo ideasi ja äänesi kuuluviin

OmaStadi - Helsingin osallistuva budjetointi

Nuorten Ruutibudjetti
What is Decidim?

3 layers of the project

- Political
  Decidim.barcelona
  City: co-decision

- Technical
  Decidim
  Factory: co-production

- Technopolitical
  Meta.decidim
  Community: co-design
1) The political layer

A digital platform with a participation model
Benvinguda a la plataforma participativa decidim.barcelona.

Construïm una societat més oberta, transparent i col·laborativa.
Uneix-te, participa i decideix.

410 Meetings
15,000 attendees physically & 25,000 participants
230,000+ online interactions
supports, endorsements, comments
10,870 proposals
72% acceptance rate
Monitoring results

The proposals were converted to

1,500 Actions
~7,000 accountable projects

2019
~80% execution of the projects
A real story

In 2020, the city of Barcelona launched for the first time a Participatory Budgeting process, in which citizens directly decided how to spend part of the public budget in each district.

The available budget was 30 million euros.
A real story

A group of young girls play cricket in a municipal facility that is not properly equipped for the practice of this sport.
They make a proposal to improve and refurbish the equipment for cricket practice.

They explain the shortcomings of the facility, and argue that, although it is a minority sport, its practice has increased in recent years.
A real story

The proposal received 175 comments, and many contributions came from the Indian and Pakistani community, which does not normally participate in these types of processes, endorsing the girls' proposal.
The project received the most support in the prioritization phase, with a total of 2441 supports.
A real story

The story had an impact on the media, both locally and regionally.
A real story

Individualized meetings were held to define the investment projects, where a team was formed between citizens and municipal staff to develop the project.

The aim of this phase was to specify in detail the project to be developed and quantify its cost in the most accurate way possible.
Phase 4. Concretization of projects

A real story

Information points were deployed throughout the city at the location where the projects were to be implemented, with the description and approximate cost of the projects.
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➔ During the voting phase, all the projects carried out a communication campaign to promote their projects as much as possible.

➔ The cricket field project reached the international media.
Projects for the Sants-Montjuïc District

5 PROJECTS

Sort projects by Most voted

- We improve the park of Industrial Spain
  - Green spaces and urban gardens
  - Hostafrancs
  - Budget: €850,000
  - 3351 votes

- We are renovating the Julià de Capmany sports field for the practice of cricket and minority sports
  - Sports equipment and spaces
  - Poble-sec
  - Budget: €1,600,000
  - 2890 votes

- We pacify ancient Saints
  - Pacification or remodeling of streets
  - Saints
  - Budget: €200,000
  - 2483 votes

- We improve the mountain environment and ecological balance and fix the roads
  - Educational equipment and school environments
  - Poble-sec
  - Budget: €850,000
  - 2413 votes

- We install multifunctional LED screens in sports facilities
  - Sports equipment and spaces
  - Sants - Montjuïc
  - Budget: €70,000
  - 1824 votes

In the end, this project was the second most voted in his district.
A real story

The results were published and now the implementation of the projects selected by the citizens will be carried out.
Barcelona’s Participatory Budgeting (2020-2023)

- 30 million euros
- 1,982 citizen proposals (823 selected to prioritize)
- 375 meetings
- 73,490 interactions (20,772 face-to-face and 52,718 through Decidim.Barcelona)
- + 50,000 new participants in Decidim
- 39,433 people took part in the final vote, casting a total of 216,628 votes (each participant voted an average of 5.6 projects).
+80 participatory processes

15 citizen initiatives

+190 assemblies
2) The technical layer

A free software project
Why is software created using taxpayers’ money not released as Free Software?

If it is public money, it should be public code as well.

publiccode.eu
decidim

decidim is a digital infrastructure for participatory democracy led by the Barcelona City Council with contributors and collaborators all around the world.

https://decidim.org  hola@decidim.org

Repositories 38  People 51  Teams 16  Projects 8  Settings

Pinned repositories

- decidim
The participatory democracy framework. A generator and multiple gems made with Ruby on Rails.
  - Ruby 392 113

- docs-features
Decidim features and future roadmap documentation (English, Spanish & Catalan)
  - 2 2

Find a repository...
Type: All  Language: All

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- government  community  engine  democracy  open-data  civic-tech
  - Ruby 392 113 AGPL-3.0 Updated 3 hours ago

Top languages
- Ruby  HTML  Shell  CSS
- JavaScript

Most used topics
decidim  decidim-docs
A free software project

Free Software
Open to collaboration
Modular
Flexible
Multi-tenant
At the beginning, in 2016, just a fork

- Thanks to https://consulproject.org/ ❤
- A project from the nice people of Madrid
- That let us implement the first version quickly (in just 3 months)
- With a nice framework (Ruby on Rails)
- But we quickly couldn't keep up merging and maintaining our changes
- We talked with them to collaborate, but they wanted a “Rails Vanilla App” and we wanted a modular architecture
So, we started from scratch

- A generator for Rails applications
- With multiple modules (libraries or gems) by default
- With APIs that allows implementing new ones by the community
- With an admin dashboard for configuring most of the platform and its features
- With fully support for i18n in most of the contents (because we live in bilingual society in Catalonia)
"The Decidim framework is the Lego of digital democracy"

- Everything is configurable from the admin dashboard
- Participatory processes are modular
  - Steps, categories can be created for each process
  - Components are like Lego bricks you add to your process
  - If there's a need for a new component, it can be developed
- Any participatory project can be mapped with a little creativity
  - Participatory budgeting, Public consultation, CrowdLaw etc.
Lots of releases

SemVer or ZeroVer
Proposals

To articulate the participation

- Flexible unit of participation:
  - Ideas, contributions, thoughts, proposals, projects
  - Multiple ways to interact
  - Multiple ways to navigate
  - Multiple features associated to.
Meetings

To articulate the physical participation

- Geographical map
- Registration system for attendance
- Multiple media information to add
- Multiple status
- Meetings generated by the participants
Online Meetings

- Meeting room embedded (with Jitsi)
- Polls
- Collaborative notes (with etherpad-lite)
- Comments
- Media
Debates

To articulate the participation

- Counters
- Endorsements
- Last contribution
- User Groups
- Comments

Monthly community calls to discuss features of Decidim

How would you feel about organizing a monthly virtual call to have some discussions on specific topics?

For example, most of you know that next year we want to carry out an in-depth review of the platform's participant experience. We already have some ideas and prototypes of what some of those changes could look like (in the filter system, in the card system, etc.) and would be cool to discuss them.

Or debates like the one that @Ferranrg suggested here:

LISTA DE ADHESIONES

Platoniq  Pauline  Arnaud  y 6 personas más (ver más)
/How it works

Participatory Budgeting

To articulate the participation

- Projects
- Chart Voting System
- Image
- Description
- Value
Other components

To articulate the participation

- Results
- Surveys
- Blog
- Sortitions
/How it works

Participatory spaces

To articulate participatory ecosystem

- Participatory Processes
- Participatory Committees
- Citizen Initiatives
- Consultations
- Participation Network
How it works

Participatory processes

Decidim allows customizing any kind of participatory process as strategic planning, urban planning, collaborative legislation, etc...
How it works

Assemblies

Decidim allows organizing all the participatory committees or councils in your city or organization.
How it works

Initiatives

Decidim can be a digital place for citizen petitions with mandatory results.
How it works

Voting

With end-to-end encryption
How it works

Easy administration

Decidim has an administration environment designed to be used by non-tech people in order to facilitate the administration of the platform to anyone.
/How it works

**Spaces**

- Administrators
- Moderators

**Components**

- Comment
- Proposal
- Amendment
- Result
- Debate
- Survey
- Sortition
- Page
- Blog
- Newsletter
- Meeting

**Participants:**
- Groups
- Individuals

**Access Levels:**
- Visitor
- Registered
- Verified

- View, share, embed, survey
- Follow, support, create, register, comment
- Support/sign/vote (not groups)
/How it works

Classification
Scopes
Territorial
Sectorial
Categories
Subcategories
Hashtags

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Initiatives
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Conferences

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3.3 Configuration
Processes

1. Configuration & Presentation
2. Diagnostic
3. Proposal Creation
4. Proposal Selection
5. Results
6. Evaluation
7. Monitoring

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<td>This library adds an administration dashboard so users can manage their organization, participatory processes and all other entities.</td>
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<td>API</td>
<td>This library exposes a GraphQL API to programatically interact with the Decidim platform via HTTP.</td>
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<td>Budgets</td>
<td>Adds a participatory budgets system to any participatory process.</td>
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<td>Comments</td>
<td>The Comments module adds the ability to include comments to any resource which can be commentable by users.</td>
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<td>Core</td>
<td>The basics of Decidim: users, participatory processes, etc. This is the only required engine to run Decidim, all the others are optional.</td>
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<td>Dev</td>
<td>This gem aids the local development of Decidim’s features.</td>
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<td>Meeting</td>
<td>The Meeting module adds meeting to any participatory process. It adds a CRUD engine to the admin and public view scoped inside the participatory process.</td>
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<td>Pages</td>
<td>The Pages module adds static page capabilities to any participatory process. It basically provides an interface to include arbitrary HTML content to any step.</td>
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<td>The Proposals module adds one of the main features of Decidim: allows users to contribute to a participatory process by creating proposals.</td>
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# modules

By using modules you can extend Decidim functionality and share it with others. They allow you to easily upgrade in the future. See the documentation for making your own module.

## community

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<td>Simplifies the user interface of the accountability module for cleaner display of the results.</td>
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<td>Provides extended functionalities for cooperatives. Combines a CSV-like verification method with impersonation capabilities that allow users to delegate some actions to others.</td>
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<td>Analytics</td>
<td>Enables tracking through Matomo and adds a tab in the admin panel showing one Matomo dashboard (or more) of your choice.</td>
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<td>Transform proposals component to allow not signed in users creation of proposals. For this the proposals created anonymously will be linked with a special anonymous users group. There is a task to create/update anonymous groups in organizations explained in Installation section.</td>
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<td>A Decidim module to add antivirus checks as validations for Decidim's public file uploads, e.g. for proposals.</td>
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<td>Improves the budgeting component's voting feature by providing a budgeting pipeline which guides the user through the budgeting process.</td>
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3) The techno political layer
A public & community centered model of governance
meta.decidim.org
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<td>A contract financed by Barcelona City Hall for redesigning the participant experience in Decidim. See contract (on catalan only).</td>
<td>17 Nov 2021</td>
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<td>3rd FemDev</td>
<td>Good first issues for the developers participating in the 3rd Decidim FemDev Programme</td>
<td>30 Nov 2021</td>
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<td>PWA (Progressive Web Application)</td>
<td>A contract financed by Barcelona City Hall for having a better experience on mobile devices. See contract (on catalan only).</td>
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<td>Online Meetings</td>
<td>A contract financed by Barcelona City Hall for having Online Meetings, improvements in Assemblies and Rails 6 upgrade and technical enhancements. See contract (on catalan only).</td>
<td>yesterday</td>
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<td>Maintainers</td>
<td>Pull Requests reviews and general tasks prioritization for maintainers. Contract financed by Barcelona City Hall. See contract (in catalan only).</td>
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<td>Roadmap</td>
<td>This is the product roadmap, organized by the quarter in which features are expected. Dates are for information purposes and may vary.</td>
<td>27 Sep 2021</td>
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**Roadmap**

Updated on 27 Sep 2021

1. **2021 Q4 (October - December)**
   - Security audit of the new e-voting module
     - Added by carolromero
   - Simulation test of the new e-voting module
     - Added by carolromero

2. **Participatory Process for the UX & Accessibility Review**
   - It'll be a process for getting feedback about the diagnosis and implementation of the redesign, organized in four blocks of three months each.
   - Each block will have a debate, a community meeting, and a mockup as result.
   - The blocks will be:
     1. General Appearance: Home Page, Navigation system, and Comments
     2. General Appearance: Search, Filters, and Cards
     3. Participatory Spaces: Processes and Assemblies
     4. Components: Meetings, Debates, Proposals, and Surveys

3. **2022 Q1 (January - March)**
   - Decidim installer
     - First iteration will include these tasks:
       - All Official Decidim configurations in ENV vars
       - Create a optimized, configurable Docker image using ENV vars
       - Document the procedure to easily generate custom Decidim docker versions
     - Added by carolromero
   - New e-voting module up and running
     - Added by carolromero

4. **2022 / 2023**
   - Progressive Web App (EPIC Integrated)
     - This development is open for feedback at Metadecidim at the moment
     - See full explanation.
       - Add to Home Screen (A2HS) - (Ref PWA05)
       - Change colors on mobile navigation bar - (Ref PWA07)
       - Custom splash screen - (Ref PWA08)
       - Custom icons in my Home Screen - (Ref PWA09)
   - UX & Accessibility Review
     - On this development we will:
       - Make Participant Experience (PX) testing
       - Make mocks of frontend, backend, and system
       - Implement layout implementation of mockups
       - Migrate from Cells to ViewComponents
       - Migrate decidim-app_design to StoryBook.js
     - Added by carolromero
   - Progressive Web App (EPIC Fast)
     - This development is open for feedback at Metadecidim at the moment
     - See full explanation.
       - Configure time monitoring metrics at CI - (Ref PWA01)
       - First Contentful Paint - (Ref PWA02)
       - Speed Index - (Ref PWA03)
       - Time to Interactive - (Ref PWA04)
Meetings export does not show unpublished meetings #8729

paulinebessoles commented 9 days ago • edited

Describe the bug
A clear and concise description of what the bug is.
As an admin, when exporting meetings I do not find the unpublished meetings in the exports.

To Reproduce
Steps to reproduce the behavior:
1. Go to "https://try.decidim.org/admin/participatory_processes/ dint-sed/components/11/manage"
2. Click on Export meetings in Excel
3. See error

Expected behavior
A clear and concise description of what you expected to happen.

I'm not sure if the unpublished meetings should be available or no in the exports, I'd love to hear what you think @carolromero @andreslucena.

Additional context
Add any other context about the problem here. For instance, add Metadecidim link.
#7893

andreslucena commented 9 days ago

I'm not sure if the unpublished meetings should be available or no in the exports, I'd love to hear what you think @carolromero @andreslucena.
Add different authors in proposal seeds #8732

codePau wants to merge 7 commits into decidim:develop from codePau:improve-proposal-seed-authors

codePau commented 9 days ago • edited

What? Why?
The seed data include proposals with different origins (Meetings, Groups and Participants) instead of only proposals with official origin.

Related Issues
- Fixes #7247

Testing
1. Reseed the application (bin/rails db:drop db:create db:migrate && bin/rails db:seed) or re-create it if reseeding throws errors (bin/rake development_app).
2. Go to a proposal index in a participatory process.
3. See that there are proposals created by organizations, participants, groups and meetings.

Thank you!
Community Meetings

Community Meeting 1: How do you imagine a new design for Decidim?

As part of this year’s street meetings, the design of the interface of Decidim. We invite you to participate in this review of the new design. We will discuss the interface and receive your comments and feedback.

[ evento disponible en español ]
Community Meeting 2: How do you imagine a new design for Decidim?

March 16, 2021, 6 pm, Barcelona

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=nnfypbHpAog

Structure of the Session

1. Welcome [9:00 - 9:15]
2. Presentation of proposals [9:15 - 10:30]

Explanations of the design proposals, contact, coordination, and details of the input.
/Principles

Social Contract

This is the social contract that all members of the Decidim community are committed to follow.

➔ Free software and open content
➔ Transparency, traceability and integrity
➔ Equal opportunities and quality indicators
➔ Data confidentiality
➔ Accountability and responsibility
➔ Continuous improvement and inter-institutional collaboration
Other conferences

- DecidimFest 2021 (Internet/Barcelona)
- DecidimFest 2020 (Internet)
- DecidimFest 2019 (Barcelona)
- JAM (Annual Metadecidim Meeting) 2016, 2017 and 2018 (Barcelona)
- Decidim Fest 2019 (Barcelona)
- Decidim Day 2019 (Paris)
- Decidim Day 2019 (Girona)
Governance model

Principles

➔ Community Centered
➔ Shared responsibility on code repositories
➔ Cooperation between organizations
➔ Public-community governance
Decidim Association

- Preserve the social contract and the principles of Decidim
- Take care of the main repositories and the community
- Certify development companies and define democratic indicators
The government of Catalonia, Barcelona city council and the Free Software Association Decidim sign a collaboration agreement to promote democratic participation with free and open technologies

03/02/2021

The Free Software Association Decidim has signed a collaboration agreement between the Department of External Action, Institutional Relations and Transparency of the Generalitat de Catalunya and the Barcelona City Council.

The aim is to promote participatory democracy and to develop and implement open, free and democratic digital infrastructures for participation.

It also seeks to promote the use of Decidim (External link) for citizen participation by both public administrations and social entities and to work collaboratively with other public institutions such as social entities and social agents in order to join forces to deepen technological sovereignty and improve the quality of democracy in the digital age.

Both institutions recognise Decidim as a key infrastructure for the deployment of citizen participation policies and as a tool for the extension of democracy in all types of organisations.

Created by Barcelona City Council and the Decidim community in February 2016, it has been adopted by the Generalitat de Catalunya and other public administrations and social entities in Catalonia and around the world. There are currently more than 300 active instances and it has been implemented in 18 countries, by local governments and very diverse institutions such as the governments of Mexico City, Helsinki, New York and Kochi (Japan) and the National Assembly of France, to name a few. In 2019, it was recognised by the European Commission as one of the most innovative open source projects in Europe. The governance of its code is the responsibility of the Decidim Free Software Association, which is in charge of ensuring the democratic practices of the platform and the promotion of its community Metadecidim.
400 democratic organizations are using decidim today

30 countries
240 cities and govern organizations
180 social organizations
Thanks!

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