

I-SC.11 / Purchasing : structure and organization

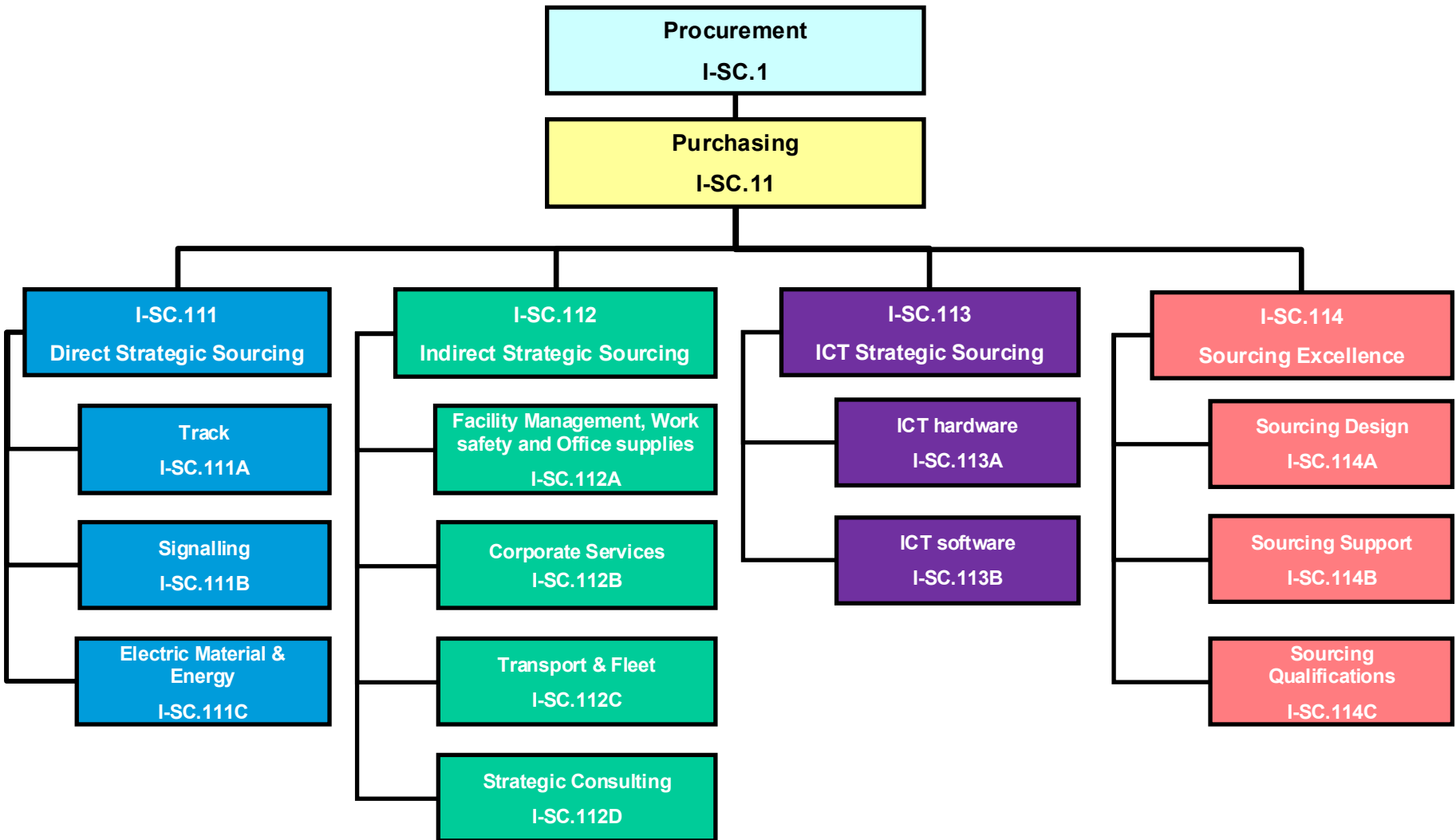
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Organizational chart I-SC.11



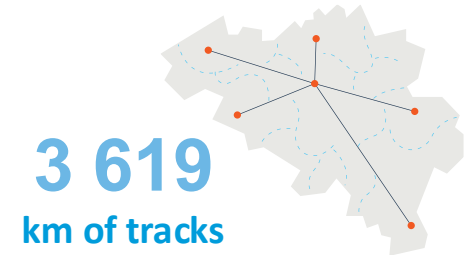
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			I-SC.111C	Electric Material & Energy	Fabien Lhoir
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			I-SC.112C	Transport & Fleet	Julien Paquet
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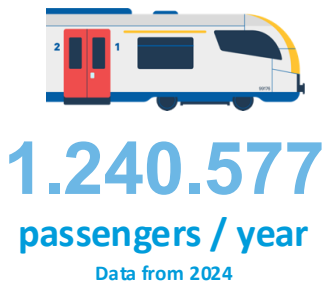
How can I contact them?
Send them an e-mail to : firstname.lastname@infrabel.be

Summary of purchase perimeters

Number Office Purchasing	Family Purchase	Purchase perimeters
I-SC.111A	Track	Rails, sleepers, ballast, frogs, saddles, forged points, castings, etc...
I-SC.111B	Signalling	Axlecounters , track circuits, relays, ETCS, light signalling, small electronic equipment, personnel protection systems (Safer-W), points motors , level crossing equipment (barriers, bells, flashers, etc.), etc.
I-SC.111C	Electric Material & Energy	Transformers, substation equipment, catenary fasteners, insulators, insulated electriccables , catenary wires , electrical power (traction and distribution), optical fibres, etc.
I-SC.112A	Facility Management, Work safety & Office supplies	Personal protective equipment (shoes, clothing, etc.), office furniture, workshop parts, screws, etc.
I-SC.112B	Corporate Services	Event organisation, catering, insurance, communication, HRO, finance, catering, ...
I-SC.112C	Transport & Fleet	Rolling stock, <i>yellow machines</i> , road transport, rail transport, cars, trucks, accessories for cars/trucks,...
I-SC.112D	Strategic Consulting	ICT consultancy, strategic support, interim management,...
I-SC.113A	ICT hardware	PC's, servers, laptops, printers, IT networks, ...
I-SC.113B	ICT software	Computerlicences and software , ...



Managing the railway infrastructure: by building, maintaining and operating a safe, sustainable and reliable rail network, playing a strong and reliable role in an integrated door-to-door mobility chain (for both passengers and freight)





Managing Traffic in realtime

1 Railway Operation Center

10 signal boxes



24/7

to guarantee a
safe and reliable
rail network

1,5TWh

2nd largest consumer
and largest energy
distribution network
in Belgium



100%

Main track is equipped
with system **ETCS**

(safety system)

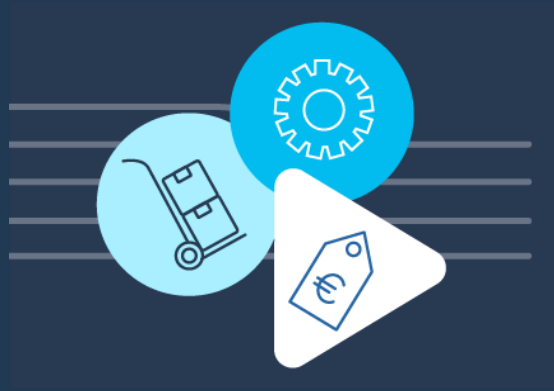
Ended in December 2025

+/- 1 Billion €

invested on an annual basis
and more than **€300 million** spent

on goods and services, Infrabel is a major player in
the Belgian economy





**Purchasing supplies and services at
Infrabel :
what are our procedures?**

**Purchasing Infrabel
I-SC.11**



Organization Purchasing Infrabel

Supplies & services

How to become a supplier at Infrabel ?

3 entry points

depending on the type of procurement procedure :

**Without
publication**

With publication

**Qualification
system**

Become a supplier at Infrabel Purchasing (supplies and services) ?

Negotiated procedure without publication

(1-phase procedure)

What? Who is it for?

Purchasing sends the tender documents to the companies selected from a shortlist identified in our systems: the consulted companies can then **submit their offer (1 unique phase)**.

How?

Contact our Infrabel **Category Managers** and Infrabel **Strategic Sourcing Managers** to make yourself known and be recorded in our systems!



Scan for more
information

Negotiated procedure with publication

(2-phase procedure)

What? Who is it for?

Call of tenders published by Purchasing (in the Moniteur Belge and the European Official Journal) for the procurement procedure in question.

All interested firms **can submit their candidatures (1st phase)** to take part in the procurement procedure.

Purchasing then sends the **tender documents** to the companies whose candidatures have been selected: these selected companies can then **submit their offer (2nd phase)**.

How?

Keep an eye on the call for tenders that are published: in general, they remain visible (= published) for 1 month per procurement procedure -> so don't miss them!

Negotiated procedure based on a qualification system

(2-phase procedure)

What? Who is it for?

1. Qualification systems published on a permanent basis by Purchasing (in the Moniteur Belge and the European Official Journal) for a range of products and services → all interested firms can **apply to qualify (1st phase)**.
2. When there are purchase request, Purchasing launches the **necessary procurement procedures** - without publishing a contract notice - and sends the tender documents directly to qualified firms, which can then **submit an offer (2nd phase)**.

How?

Consult the published **Qualification Systems** (also on the Infrabel website)

Ariba

Platform for awarding public contracts

All companies involved in a future procurement process with Infrabel must register on the Ariba Network.

Application of the registration procedure is mandatory in order to become or remain an Infrabel supplier.



More information on our website with the list of our Purchasing experts

Post-award Supplies and Services

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**Dedicated
Contract
managers**