

Marseille Aix-en-Provence Regional Vision, France, 2015. The study for Marseille Aix-en-Provence is a multi-scalar approach structured into three parts: 1. Metropolitan vision, 2. Metropolitan pieces, 3. Metropolitan systems projects. The vision set forth implementable actions across the metropolis on a short and long term basis. Three major themes organized the vision: 1. Landscapes, 2. Mobility, and 3. Economies and Cultures. These themes were made specific by zooming into certain areas of the territory called "Metropolitan Pieces."

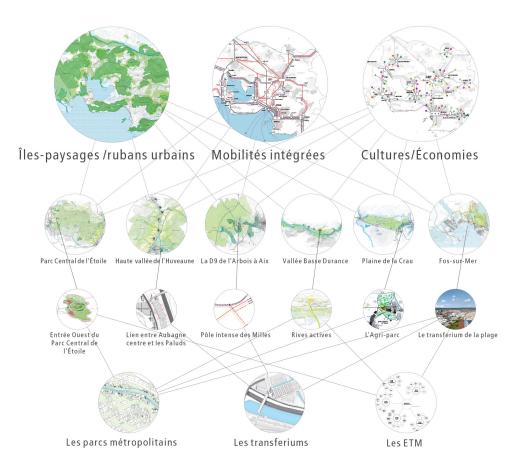
The Metropolitan pieces were delineated by the overlapping of critical systems, and found to be key locations for future commitments and investments over a 15-20 year period. Pilot projects within each of these territorial pieces demonstrated the first steps toward a long term strategy. The projects formed a network that served the Metropolis as a whole called "Metropolitan Systems Projects".

Each systems project, when applied to a specific geography, emphasized how networks could better structure the uses and processes of a place. The three types of systems were:

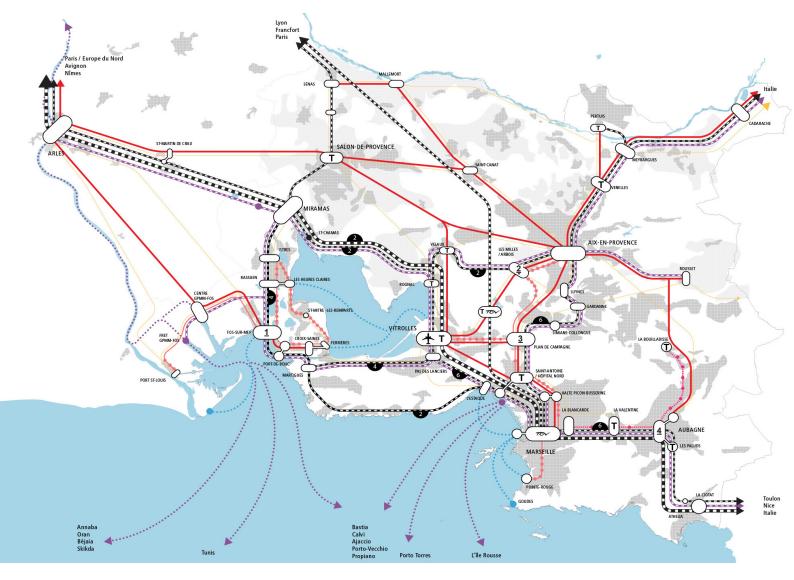
1. Metropolitan parks which reinforced the landscape identity of the metropolis and built a new City-Nature relation; 2. The Transferium multi-modal transit hubs which proposed new interchange typologies between public transport and services, everyday life, trade, and other forms of community engagement; 3. Metropolitan Territories which proposed operational entities to manage the specific sectors needed to catalyze and facilitate urban development.

Lead Urban Designer, Regional plan 2,400 Sq. mi. (6,215 Sq. km.)

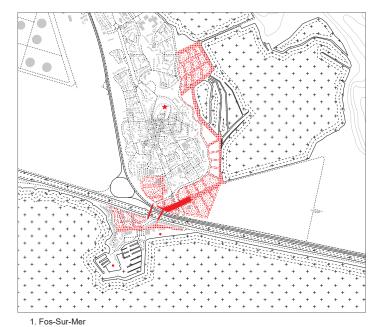
ORG Permanent Modernity (mobility) w/ LIN (project lead) & ZUS (landscape)



Study themes, pieces, and system projects

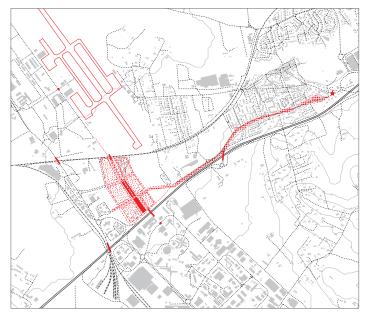


Regional mobility "metro" map

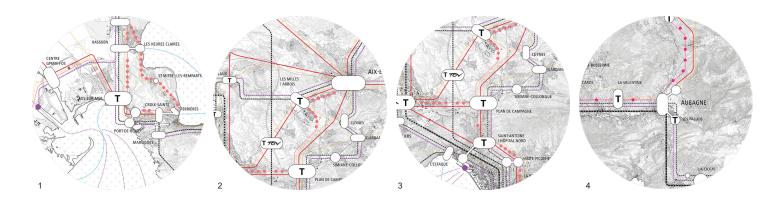




Pilot mobility systems projects



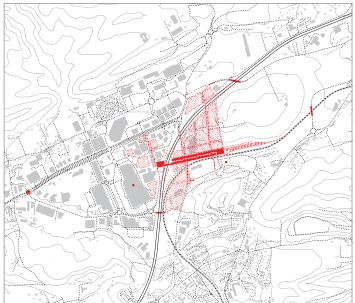
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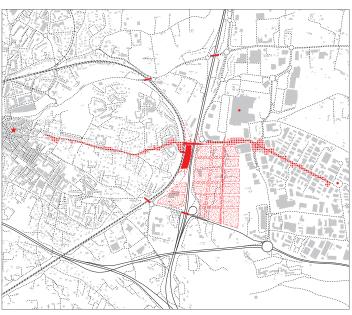


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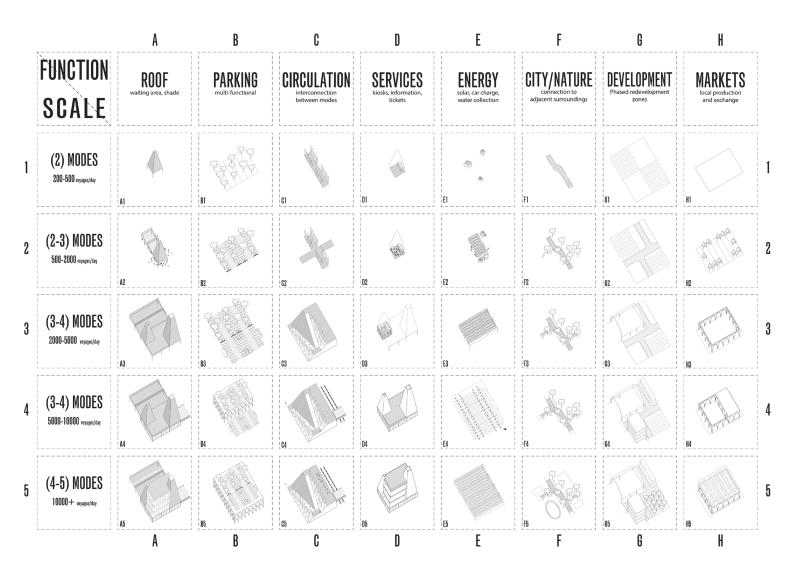
Mixed-use Transfer Stations ("Transferium")







4. Aubagne



Mobility hub development matrix

