

# Grassroots Innovations Across the World

An overview of local bottom-up solutions toward sustainable development



## ABOUT THIS CAMPAIGN

UNDP's Strategic Plan (2022 – 2025) sets out the ambitious objective to increase access to clean and affordable energy for 500 million people by speeding up investment in distributed renewable energy solutions, especially for those hardest to reach and in crisis context.

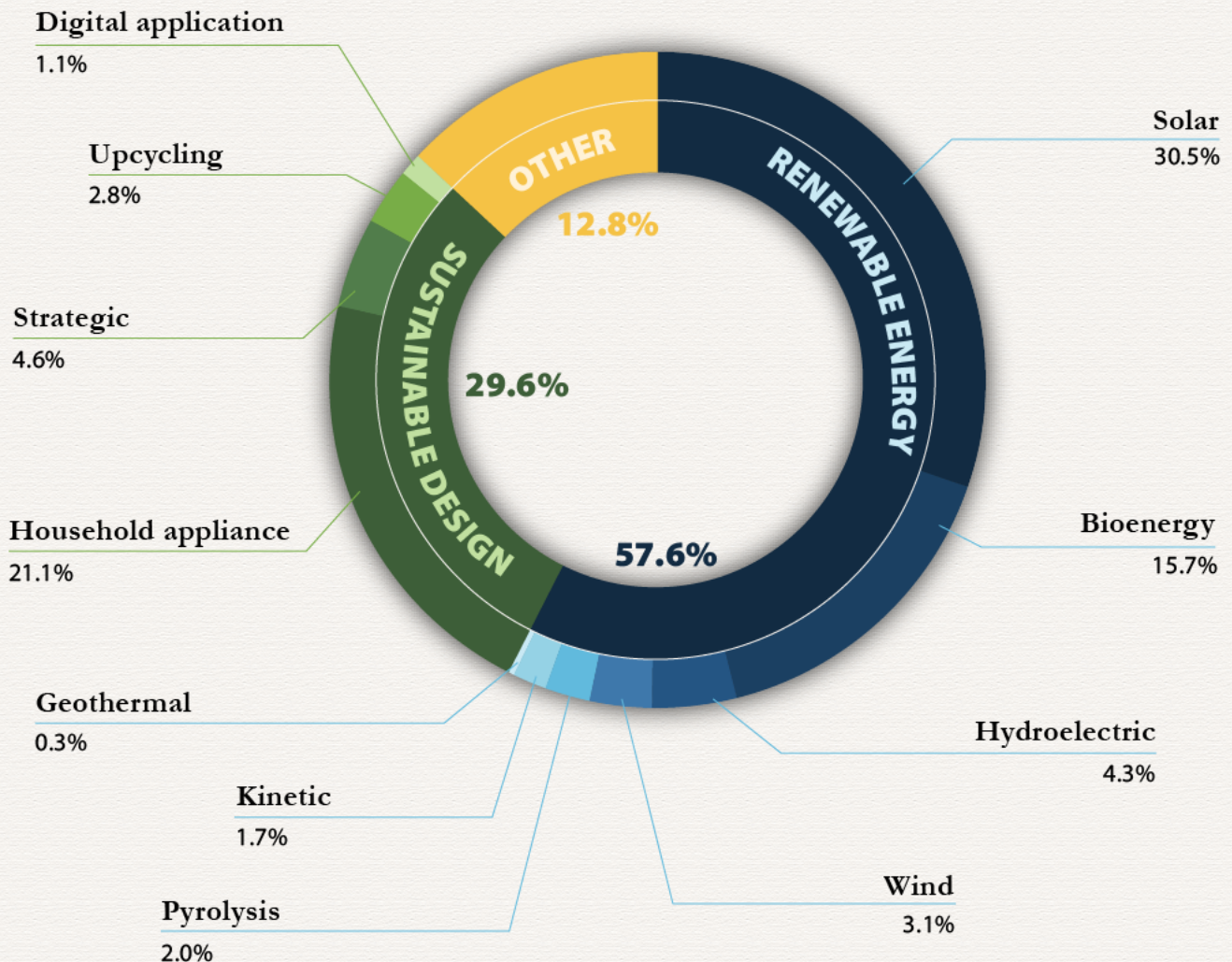
The *Discover and Deploy Solutions Mapping* Campaign explores bottom-up, lead user, frugal and grassroots innovations as a contribution to sustainable energy access.

**351**  
unique innovations

**48**  
countries



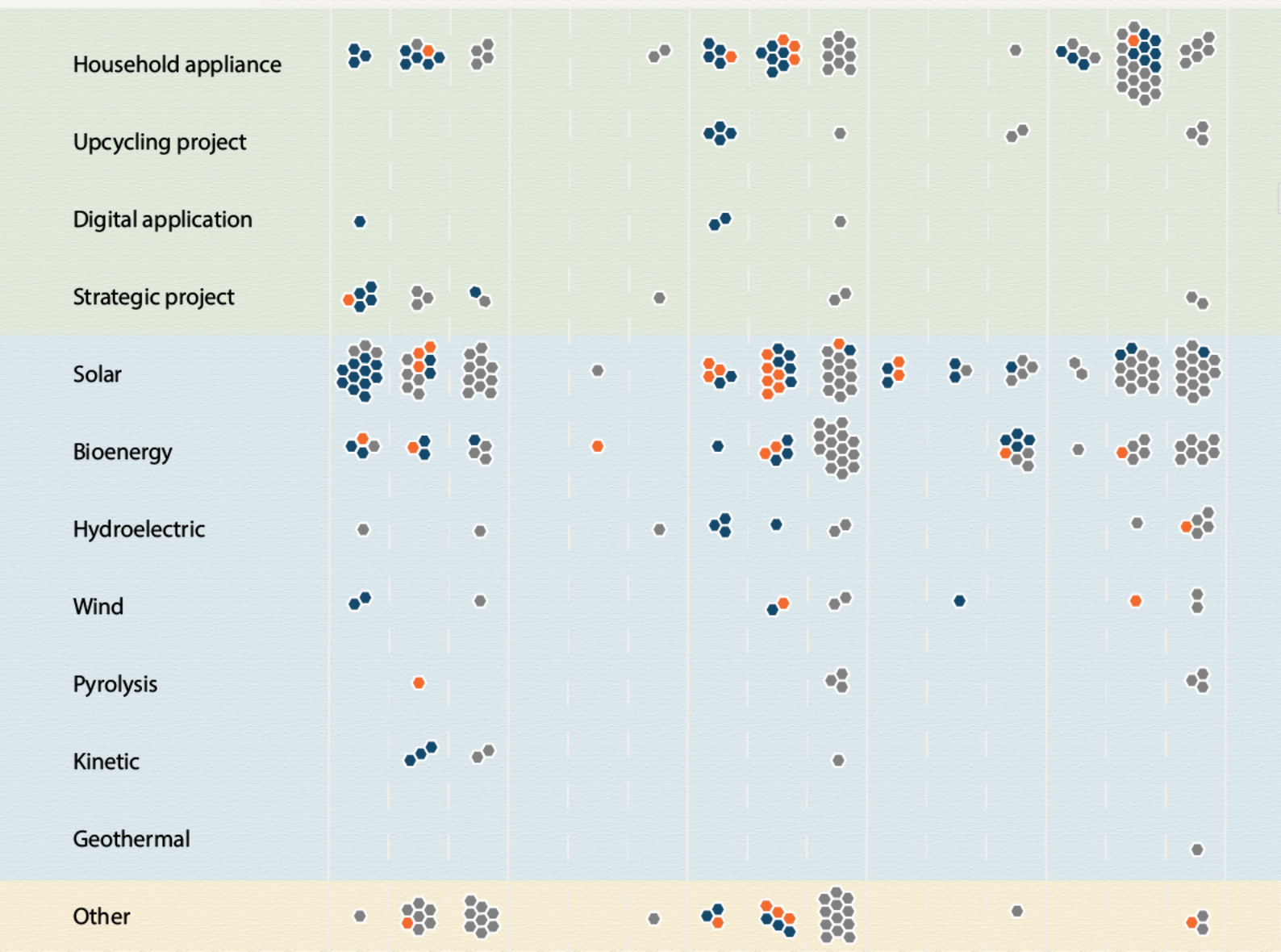
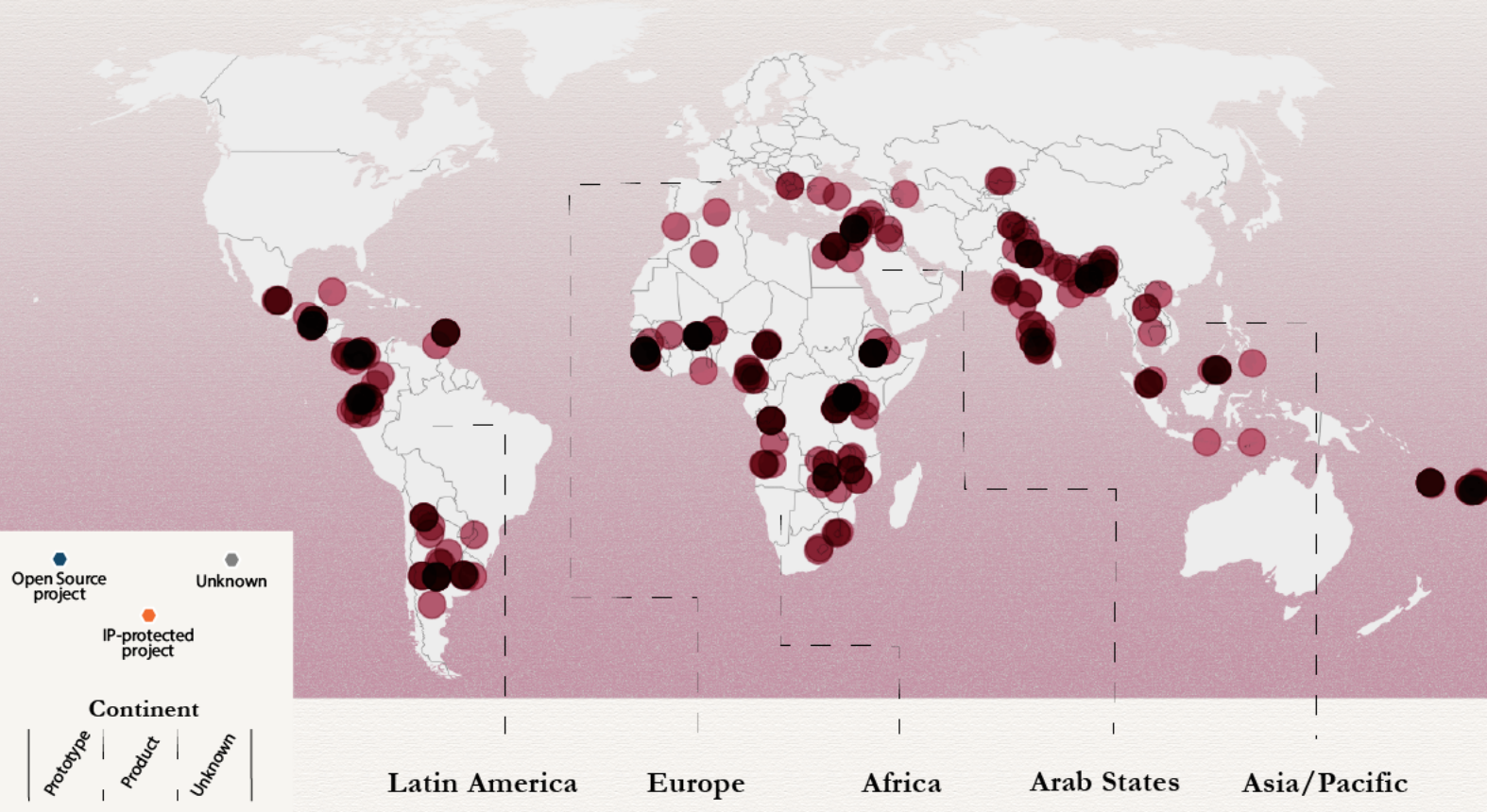
## TYPES OF INNOVATIONS





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## GLOBAL DISTRIBUTION OF INNOVATIONS





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## RELATION OF INNOVATIONS TO SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS

**Size of bubble** Absolute number of innovations contributing to the goal

