

Ciutat Vella

La Boqueria and Santa Caterina were the first two open markets in Barcelona before the city wall was demolished and the *Eixample* urban expansion was planned.

Years later, the Born market was the first great example of iron architecture in Barcelona. Between 1921 and 1971 it served as the city's wholesale fruit and vegetable market but this was later transferred to the new Mercabarna. Today the Born market is a centre for culture and memory where you can see the remains of the medieval city that was razed to the ground in the early 18th century after Catalonia's defeat in the War of the Spanish Succession (1701-1714).

BOQUERIA

La Rambla, 89

Original project: Josep Mas i Vilà / Antoni de Falguera. 1840 / 1914

Remodelling: Lluís Clotet + Ignacio Paricio. 2001



SANTA CATERINA

Av. Francesc Cambó, 16

Original project: Josep Mas i Vilà; Josep Buxareu. 1848

Remodelling: : EMBT (Enric Miralles + Benedetta Tagliabue). 2005



Eixample

Ildefons Cerdà's project for the *Eixample* district in Barcelona (1859) proposed that each group of 10x10 blocks would have a market and other public facilities in the centre. This was never implemented in its entirety but, nevertheless, the district has five evenly distributed markets ranging from the largest in the city, Sant Antoni, to the most recent and also one of the smallest, Fort Pienc. In addition, four of these markets - Sant Antoni, Concepció, Sagrada Família and Fort Pienc - are in blocks (or super-blocks) with a wide variety of public facilities that act as a focal point for a rich social life.

SANT ANTONI

Comte Borrell, 1

Original project: Antoni Rovira i Trias. 1882

Remodelling: Ravetllat-Ribas. 2018



CONCEPCIÓ

Aragó, 311

Original project: Antoni Rovira i Trias. 1888

Remodelling: Albert de Pineda i Álvarez. 1998



BORN

Pl. Comercial, 12

Original project: Josep Fontserè i Mestre; Josep Maria Cornet i Mas. 1876

Remodelling: Enric Sòria. 2013



BARCELONETA

Pl. Font, 1

Original project: Antoni Rovira i Trias. 1884

Remodelling: Josep Miàs. 2007



NINOT

Mallorca, 133-157

Open-air market: 1894

Original project: Antoni de Falguer Joaquim Vilaseca. 1933

Remodelling: MAP Arquitectes (Josep Lluís Mateo). 2015



SAGRADA FAMÍLIA

Padilla, 255

Original project: 1944

New building: 1993

FORT PIENC

Pl. del Fort Pienc, 3

Original project: Josep Llinàs. 2003



Old towns

Most of the old towns and villages on the plain of Barcelona didn't join the city's municipal area until 1897 (Horta joined in 1904 and Sarrià in 1921). But most of them had already built their own municipal markets while they were still independent, following the style of the time based on slender iron structures and spacious interiors.

More markets were built later on in the 20th century as these districts developed, in order to serve the new residential areas.

SANTS

HOSTAFRANCS

Creu Coberta, 93

Original project: Antoni Rovira i Trias. 1888

Remodelling: Valeri Consultors Associats. 2003



SANTS

Sant Jordi, 6

Original project: Pere Falqués i Urpí. 1892-1913

Remodelling: PB2 Josep Llobet i Bach. 2014



SARRIÀ

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Pg. Reina Elisenda de Montcada, 8

Original project: Marcel·lià Coquillat; Arnau Calvet. 1911

Remodelling: G56. 2007



SANT GERVASI

GALVANY

Santaló, 65

Original project: Pere Falqués i Urpí. 1868-1927

TRES TORRES

Vergós, 2

Original project: Joan Baptista Subirana. 1958

SANT GERVASI

Pl. Joaquim Folguera, 6

Original project: 1968

Remodelling: Valeri Consultors Associats. 2002



GRÀCIA

LLIBERTAT

Pl. Llibertat, 27

Original project: Miquel Pasqual i Tintorer, Francesc Berenguer i Mestres (decoration). 1888

Remodelling: PB2 Josep Llobet i Bach. 2009



ABACERIA

Travessera de Gràcia, 186

Original project: Joan Torras Guardiola. 1892

Being remodelled



ESTRELLA

Av. Pi i Margall, 73

Original project: 1957

LESSEPS

Verdi, 200

Original project: 1974

Remodelling: 1999



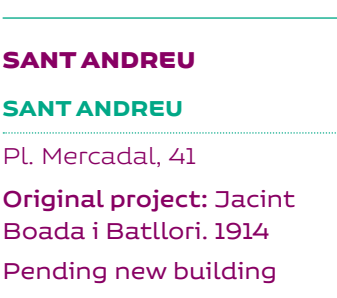
HORTA

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Tajo, 75

Original project: Ramon Termens i Mauri. 1951

Pending remodelling



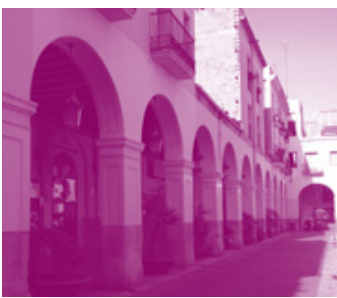
SANT ANDREU

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Pl. Mercadal, 41

Original project: Jacint Boada i Batllori. 1914

Pending new building



SANT MARTÍ DE PROVENÇALS

CLOT

Pl. del Mercat, 26

Original project: Pere Falqués i Urpí. 1889

Remodelling: 1995

POBLENOU

Pl. de la Unió, 25

Original project: Pere Falqués i Urpí. 1889

Remodelling: G56. 2005



New districts

Between the 1950s and 1970s Barcelona grew rapidly due to immigration from all over Spain. The need to supply this new population led to the second major construction phase for the city's markets and more than twenty were opened. Almost all are made from reinforced concrete and have more modest dimensions (less height and surface area and not so many stalls) than the large markets at the end of the 19th century. Some of them have been recently remodelled or even rebuilt.

LA MARINA

Pg. de la Zona Franca, 178

Original project: 1973

New market [different location]: Albert de Pineda. 2003

LES CORTS

Travessera de les Corts, 215

Original project: 1961

Remodelling: G56. 2008

VALL D'HEBRON - TEIXONERA

Pg. de la Vall d'Hebron, 130-134

Original project: 1969

Remodelling: BAAS-Jordi Badia. 2019

EL CARMEL

Llobregós, 149

Original project: 1969

Being partially remodelled

NÚRIA

Av. Rasos de Peguera, 186

Original project: Fernando Bendala and Samuel Mañá. 1966

Currently closed

CIUTAT MERIDIANA

Costabona, 4-6

Original project: 1968

Remodelling: Valeri Consultors Associats. 2001

CANYELLES

Antonio Machado, 10

Original project: Albert de Pablo. 1987



GUINEUETA

Pg. Valldaura, 186-190

Original project: Estudi AGR (Josep Anglada, Daniel Gelabert, Josep Ribas). 1965

Remodelling: Daniel Mòdol i Deltell. 2013



MERCÈ

Pg. Fabra i Puig, 270-272

Original project: Estudi AGR (Josep Anglada, Daniel Gelabert, Josep Ribas). 1961



MONTSERRAT

Via Favència, 241

Original project: Estudi AGR (Josep Anglada, Daniel Gelabert, Josep Ribas). 1960

Pending new building

TRINITAT

Pedrosa, 21

Original project: 1977

Remodelling: JG Asociados. 2001



GUINARDÓ

Teodor Llorente, 10

Original project: Bonaventura Bassegoda i Musté. 1954

Remodelling and new building: Lluís Cantallops, Albert Valero, Marta Bayona, Marta Vicente. 2014



FELIP II

Felip II, 118

Original project: Estudi AGR (Josep Anglada, Daniel Gelabert, Josep Ribas). 1966

Remodelling: Valeri Consultors Associats. 2002

BON PASTOR

Sant Adrià, 168

Original project: Enric Piqué Marco, Antoni Canyelles i Torrent. 1960

New building: AA25 Arquitectura & Instal·lacions. 2019

PROVENÇALS

Menorca, 19

Original project: 1974

Remodelling: G56 Mur-Garganté Arquitectes Associats. 2013

SANT MARTÍ

Puigcerdà, 206

Original project: 1966

Remodelling: Comas-Pont Arquitectes. 2014

BESÒS

Jaume Huguet, 38

Original project: 1968

Being partially remodelled



Non-food markets

In addition to its food markets, Barcelona also has several non-food markets specialising in certain products: the Encants (Fira de Bellcaire) is the large antique and second-hand market; the Encants de Sant Antoni specialises in textiles; the Dominical de Sant Antoni focuses on books, magazines, stickers, postcards, films and video games; and, as the name suggests, the Flower stalls on the Rambla, organised as another single market, are dedicated to flowers and plants.

FLORS DE LA RAMBLA

Rambla de les Flors

ENCANTS DE SANT ANTONI

Comte Borrell, 1

Original project: Antoni Rovira i Trias. 1882

Remodelling: Ravetllat-Ribas. 2018



DOMINICAL DE SANT ANTONI

Comte Borrell, 1

Original project: Antoni Rovira i Trias. 1882

Remodelling: Ravetllat-Ribas. 2018



ENCANTS. FIRA DE BELLCAIRE

Castillejos, 158+

Av. Meridiana, 69

Original project: B720 (Fermin Vázquez). 2013



MARKETS of BARCELONA

- Low influence
- Medium influence
- High influence

