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Funding Opportunities in EUREKA Programme

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EUREKA ?



- **EUREKA** was founded in 1985 to strengthen the global competitiveness of European industry by promoting Europe-wide co-operative R&D.



The EUREKA Initiative is...

- Intergovernmental
- Nationally financed
- Market oriented
- Bottom up!



E! - inter-governmental

- Now there are 38 EUREKA member countries and the EU is represented by European Commission .
- EUREKA offices are usually based in the relevant ministry (science, research, education, industry...) of each member country.

EUREKA Member Countries



Austria
Belgium
Croatia
Czech Republic
Denmark
Estonia
European Union
Finland
France

Germany
Greece
Hungary
Iceland
Ireland
Israel
Italy
Latvia
Lithuania

Luxembourg
Malta
Monaco
The Netherlands
Norway
Poland
Portugal
Romania
Russia
San Marino

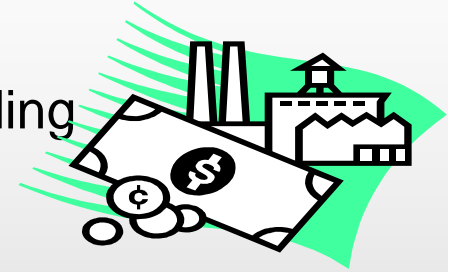
Serbia
Slovakia
Slovenia
Spain
Sweden
Switzerland
Turkey
Ukraine
United Kingdom

EUREKA initiative is...



nationally financed

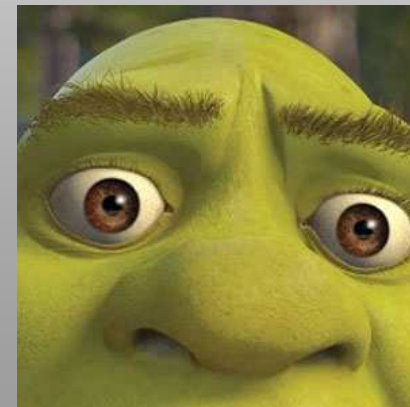
“Each country fund its own firm from national R&D funding programme”



market-oriented and bottom-up

“The result of a **EUREKA** project must be a marketable product, process or service”

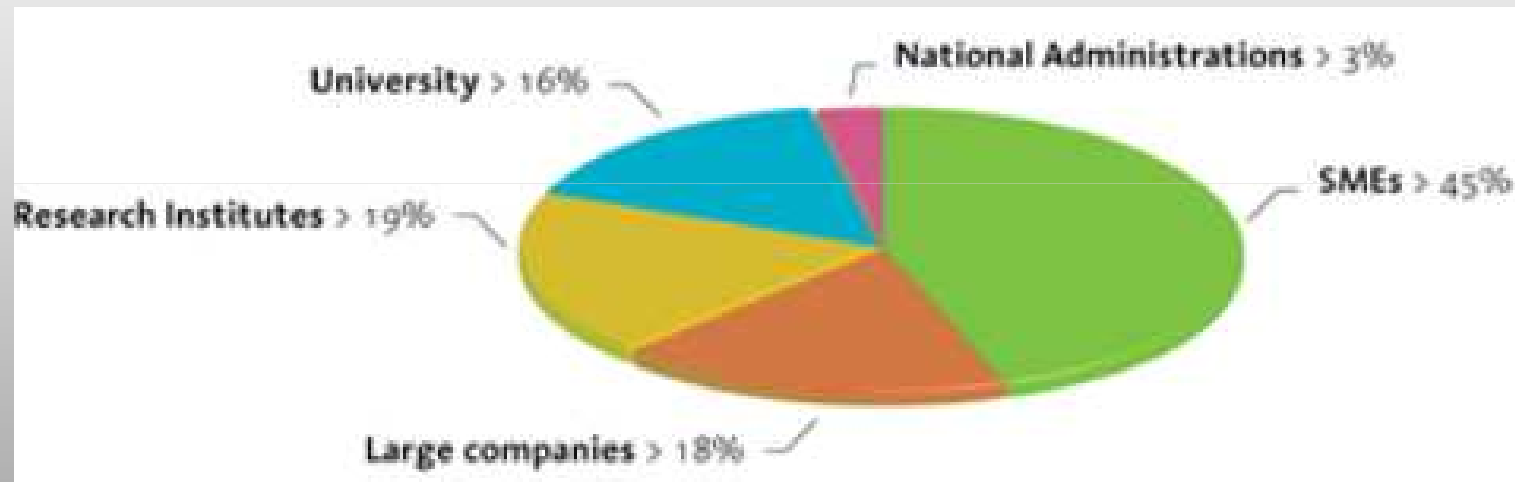
“It can address any technological area, but must have a civilian purpose.”



Who?



EUREKA enables businesses, research centers and universities to carry out collaborative, pan-European projects .



The **EUREKA** formula is especially appealing to smaller businesses, giving them **valuable access to new networks and knowledge.**

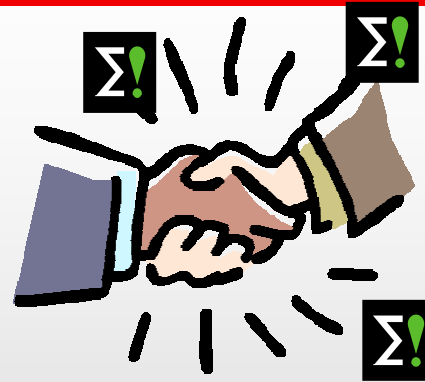
Benefits



- To get internationally recognized label for your project
- To discover new technological competencies through cooperation
- To promote your company in several international platforms



Opportunities in EUREKA



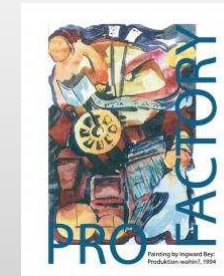
Individual Projects



EUROSTARS



Clusters



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Umbrellas

Individual Projects



- Multilateral/bilateral projects
- Involve participants from at least two EUREKA member countries
- National evaluation, national funding
- Small, short term projects (1-2 years)
- Result in a product, process or service representing a significant advance in their sector

EUREKA Umbrellas



A EUREKA umbrella basically aims at creating EUREKA R&D projects in a certain technological field

PRO FACTORY	Production technologies
EUROENVIRON	Environmental R&D
EUROAGRI+	Agriculture, food and feed
EUROTOURISM	IT-Technologies for tourism
LOGCHAIN+	Freight chains and logistics
EULASNET II	Laser & optics applications
ECONTEC	Digital content
INNOFISK	Innovative aquaculture
ENIWEP	Industrial wear prevention
EUREKABUILD	Construction technology

EUREKA Clusters



- Long term, strategically-initiatives
- Evaluation by Technical Steering Group
- Large number of participants, many from Europe's major companies (i.e. Philips, Airbus, Telefonica, Alcatel-Lucent)
- Develop generic technologies of key importance for European competitiveness



EUROSTARS



- To fund R&D projects of R&D intensive SMEs
- International Evaluation
- At least 50% of the project's core activity should be carried out by SMEs.



www.eurostars-eureka.eu

Turkish EUREKA Support System



- National evaluation, national funding
- Any Turkish company can apply for funding.
- All eligible costs of companies are covered by a grant throughout a project's duration.
 - 60% for Large Firms
 - 75% for SMEs
- Online project submission system:
 - 1509 – International R&D Projects Funding Programme
 - <http://eteydeb.tubitak.gov.tr>





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