CELTIC-NEXT / EUROGIA funding programme
Germany (BMWi)
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Objects of funding

- **Development of Digital Technologies**
  - Innovative
  - Disruptive
  - Application-related

- **Open topics** - from Industry 4.0, 5G and electromobility to corona and hydrogen

- **All areas** - from agriculture to entertainment sector

CELTIC-NEXT and EUROGIA are welcome!

- **Basic Förderrahmen „Entwicklung digitaler Technologien“** (funding framework "Development of digital technologies")
- Grants are subject to the availability of the corresponding budget funds!
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Participation of German partners

• Project idea developed?
  • Found suitable international partners?
    • More than one and less than seven German partners involved?

• Contacting DLR project management organization

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Submission of project ideas

- **First contact:** gladly by telephone
- Present **project idea** concisely on **two pages**
- Submit **project outline (ten-page)** for the part of the German partners by the deadline in **German(!)**.
- Please send both by e-mail to **int-kooperationsprojekte-PT@dlr.de**

• Each national consortium is funded by its country!
• Three to five German partners (well-founded exceptions: two or six partners are also possible).
• Further partners may be involved via subcontracting.
• Significant contribution from each project partner.
• Funding of companies, research institutions and universities possible.
• Participation of small and medium-sized enterprises (SMEs) expressly desired!
• Project proposal driven by industry (usually 2:1 ratio between industry and research partners).
Terms of funding / Purpose of the funding

• Economic aspects of exploitation obligatory!
• Creation of concrete starting points for economic exploitation through the project results.
• Potential application partners must be involved or named.
• Basic research is not funded! Used technologies must be available with at least TRL 4 (technology readiness level).
• Demonstration of the technological feasibility and the economic benefit for the participating industries.
• The benefits of international cooperation for Germany as a business location must be clear.
Terms of funding / Eligible costs/expenses

• **Project specific costs/expenses:**
  • Personnel resources
  • Travel expenses
  • Material
  • Project relevant equipment
  • R&D Subcontracting
  • Patent costs (SME)

• **Not eligible are e.g. the basic equipment at FE/HS like workplace computers etc.**
Funding quotas

- Small and medium-sized enterprises (SME) 50 %
- Large companies 40 %
- Research institutions (e.g. FhG, DFKI) 90 %
- Colleges / Universities 100%

Reminder:
TRL 4! More “Experimental development” than “Industrial research”!
Förderaufruf “Internationale Kooperationen“

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