

<b>Country</b>	Poland
<b>Organisation</b>	National Centre for Research and Development (NCBR)

This document contains information on **specific requirements** for the funding organisation indicated above. Not fulfilling the requirements may lead to **ineligibility of the application**. In case of any uncertainties please contact the related funding organisation (see below).

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## Eligibility

Eligible Institutions	Following entities are eligible to apply: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Research organizations</li> <li>• Micro, Small, Medium and Large Enterprise</li> <li>• Research consortia (according to The Act of 30 April 2010 on the Principles of Financing Science, published in Journal of Laws No. 96 item 615, 2010)</li> </ul> Organization must be registered in Poland.
Additional requirements	All proposals must be aligned with National regulations, inter alia: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The Act of 30 April 2010 on the Principles of Financing Science, published in Journal of Laws item 2045, 2016 (with amendments);</li> <li>• The Act of 30 April 2010 on the National Centre for Research and Development, published in Journal of Laws item 1447, 2017 (with amendments);</li> <li>• The Regulation of the Minister of Science and Higher Education of 25 February 2015 on criteria and rules on granting state aid and “de minimis” aid by the National Centre for Research and Development, published in Journal of Laws item 299, 2015.</li> </ul>

## Budget

Total earmarked budget	500 000 EUR
Budget restrictions	Up to 200 000 EUR per project, regardless of the number of Polish research groups in the project consortium.
Eligible costs	The eligible costs shall be the following: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. <b>personnel costs</b> (researchers, technicians and other supporting staff to the extent employed on the research project);</li> <li>2. <b>costs of instruments and equipment</b>, technical knowledge and patents to the extent and for the period used for the research project; if such instruments and equipment are not used for their full life for the research project, only the depreciation costs corresponding to the life of the research project, as calculated on the basis of good accounting practice, shall be considered eligible;</li> <li>3. <b>costs for buildings and land</b>, to the extent and for the duration used for the research project; with regard to buildings, only the depreciation costs corresponding to the life of the research project, as calculated on the basis of good accounting practice shall be considered eligible; for land, costs of commercial transfer or actually</li> </ol>

	<p>incurred capital costs shall be eligible;</p> <p>4. <b>cost of contractual research</b>, costs of consultancy and equivalent services used exclusively for the research activity; this cost type cannot account for more than 70% of all eligible costs of a project; the subcontracting can be obtained from consortium partner only in justified case, this need will be verified by a national experts panel;</p> <p>5. <b>other operating costs</b> including costs of materials, supplies and similar products incurred directly as a result of the research activity;</p> <p>6. <b>additional overheads</b> incurred indirectly as a result of the research project; that costs cannot account for more than 25% of eligible project costs and are counted as a multiplication by percentage given above and the rest of direct costs, excluding subcontracting (4); It means <math>6=(1+2+3+5)*25\%</math>.</p>																				
<p>National funding rates</p>	<p>Funding quota of Polish participants can be up to 100% for universities or research organisations. In the case of enterprises, funding quota will be decided on a case-by-case basis depending on the size of the company, type of research/development, risk associated with the research activities and commercial perspective of exploitation. Organization must be registered in Poland.</p> <table border="1" data-bbox="507 862 1433 1321"> <thead> <tr> <th></th> <th>Large Enterprises</th> <th>Medium Enterprises</th> <th>Small Enterprises</th> <th>Universities and research organisations</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Fundamental /Basic research</td> <td>Not eligible</td> <td>Not eligible</td> <td>Not eligible</td> <td>Up to 100 %</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Industrial /Applied research</td> <td>Up to 50+15 (max 65%)</td> <td>Up to 50+10+15 (max 75 %)</td> <td>Up to 50+20+15 (max 80 %)</td> <td>Up to 100 %</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Experimental development</td> <td>Up to 25+15 (max 40 %)</td> <td>Up to 25+10+15 (max 50 %)</td> <td>Up to 25+20+15 (max 60 %)</td> <td>Up to 100 %</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p>Other type of activities (e.g. coordination, dissemination, management) is not eligible for funding as separate research tasks in the project schedule.</p>		Large Enterprises	Medium Enterprises	Small Enterprises	Universities and research organisations	Fundamental /Basic research	Not eligible	Not eligible	Not eligible	Up to 100 %	Industrial /Applied research	Up to 50+15 (max 65%)	Up to 50+10+15 (max 75 %)	Up to 50+20+15 (max 80 %)	Up to 100 %	Experimental development	Up to 25+15 (max 40 %)	Up to 25+10+15 (max 50 %)	Up to 25+20+15 (max 60 %)	Up to 100 %
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<p>Submission of the proposal at the national level</p>	<p>Polish Participants will be informed and invited to submit Polish proposal once the international evaluation and the ranking list will be established.</p>																				