

Structure of the EU Research Framework Programme Horizon 2020

Horizon 2020 is divided into three pillars, which also reflect the priorities of the Research Framework Programme:

- ▶ Part I promotes excellent science in Europe and supports, among other things, the best minds in Europe in all phases of their scientific careers. The objectives of this priority are, for example, better networking of researchers and facilitating research stays in other countries.
- ▶ The second priority area is specifically aimed at industrial research. Industry and especially small and medium-sized enterprises (SMEs) are important drivers of innovation and competitiveness. They are supported and networked here. The aim of this priority is to expand the leading role of European industries.
- ▶ The third part deals with major challenges facing society, such as demographic change or a clean, affordable energy supply. Through Horizon 2020, researchers in the EU and the world are working more closely together on solutions for seven thematically defined challenges.
 - › Transnational Research & Development collaboration (<https://www.era-learn.eu/>) (ERA-Net, Joint Calls, Public-Public-Partnerships (P2P))

Composition Horizon 2020



HORIZON 2020 – the Framework Programme for Research and Innovation (2014-2020)

Part I Excellent Science	Part II Industrial Leadership	Part III Societal Challenges	Spreading Excellence and Widening Participation
1. European Research Council	1. LEIT - Leadership in Enabling & Industrial Technologies: 1. Information and Communication Technologies 2. Nanotechnologies 3. Advanced Materials 4. Biotechnology 5. Advanced manufacturing and processing 6. Space	1. Health, Demographic Change and Wellbeing 2. Food security, sustainable agriculture, marine and maritime research and the bio-economy 3. Secure, Clean and Efficient Energy 4. Smart, Green and Integrated Transport 5. Climate Action, Resource Efficiency and Raw Materials 6. Europe in a changing world: Inclusive, Innovative and Reflective Societies 7. Secure Societies – Protecting Freedom and Security of Europe and its Citizens	Science with & for Society
2. Future & Emerging Technologies	2. Access to Risk Finance		The European Institute of Innovation and Technology (EIT)
3. Marie Skłodowska Curie Actions	3. Innovation in SMEs		Euratom
4. Research Infrastructures		<p>Partnering: Public private partnerships Public public partnerships European Innovation partnerships</p>	



Proposal Evaluation

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Links to Horizon 2020

- › BMBF (German Federal Ministry of Education and Research)
- › KoWi (European Liaison Office of the German Research Organisations)
- › European Commission
- › Official Presentations

International Partners

- › EU Guidance Note: "International Cooperation and association" (Horizon Europe Programme Guide, p. 11ff.)