

# Los Clusters EUREKA

Cooperación tecnológica internacional: oportunidades de financiación  
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# Eureka

The world's biggest public network - over 45 countries also including Canada, Chile, Israel, Singapore, South Africa and South Korea

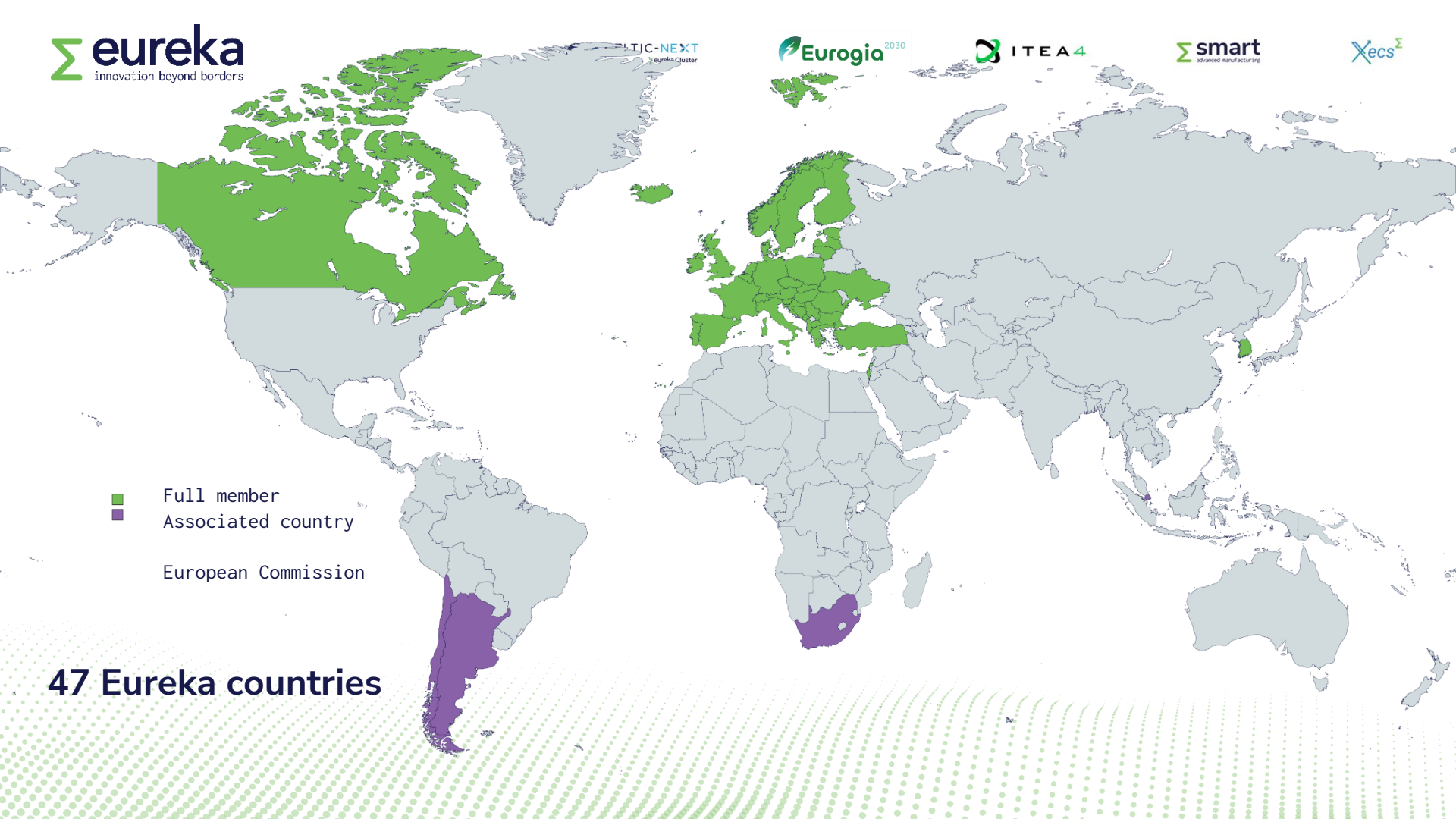
International RD&I collaboration enables Eureka countries to tackle global challenge and increase competitiveness

A transnational network facilitating the coordination of national priorities on innovation and providing access to national funding

More on: [www.eurekanetwork.org/](http://www.eurekanetwork.org/)

- Full member
- Associated country
- European Commission

**47 Eureka countries**



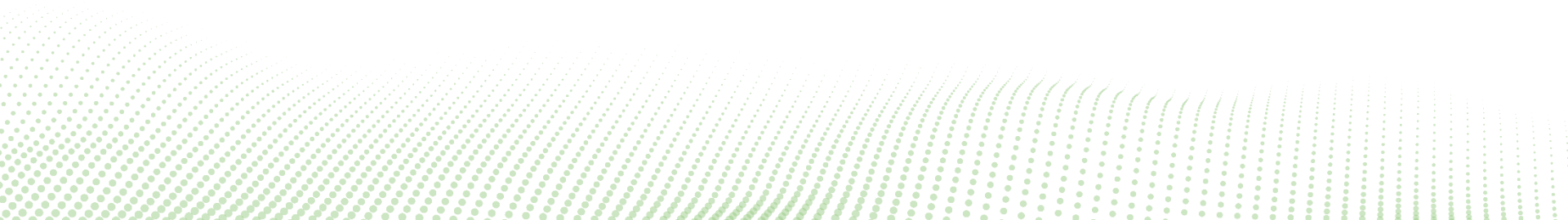
**Network projects** flexibility for international partners

**Globalstars** flexibility for international partners (non-Eureka countries)

EU Partnership on Innovative SMEs / **Eurostars** innovative SMEs aim higher

EU Partnership on Innovative SMEs / **Innowwide** supports research and business ventures in new markets

**Investment readiness** drives companies towards private investment



# The Eureka clusters



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Next-generation  
communications



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Software innovation



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Sustainable energy  
solutions



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Advanced  
Manufacturing



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Electronic  
Components and  
Systems and  
applications

## Cluster projects are...



Industry-driven  
supported by Public  
Authorities



Open to global  
cooperation



Covering the full  
value chain to create  
innovative solutions



Bottom-up



Helping SMEs to scale  
up in consortia with  
large industry



Close to the market

# Clusters offer



Opportunities to fund transnational RD&I consortia



Access to the best companies and knowledge institutes



Projects initiated by industry in line with national priorities



Global and trusted cooperation in the communities



Support of experts with an industrial viewpoint

*“Are you looking to collaborate on an international and industry-driven RD&I project that covers a whole value chain?”*



# A typical Eureka Clusters project

3-5 countries



usual duration

36 months

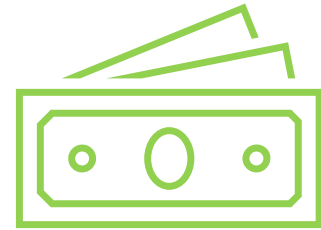


3-14 participants



usual project cost

2-20 Mio €





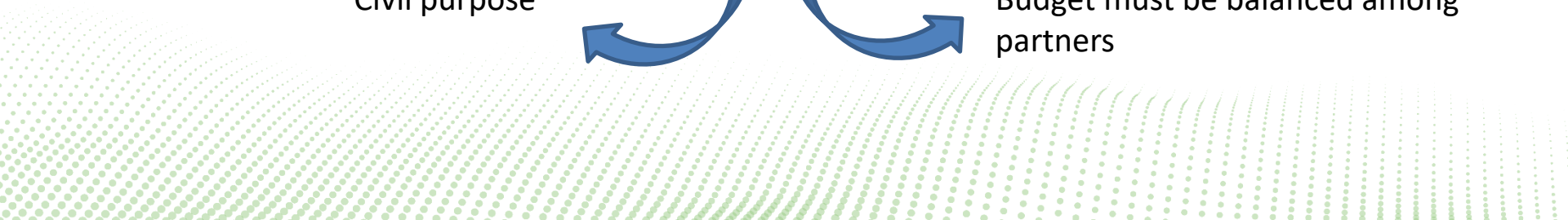
Consortium comprised of at least 2 industrial companies from 2 different EUREKA participating countries

Innovative and market oriented

## Eligibility criteria

Civil purpose

Budget must be balanced among partners



## 2 stage procedure

SMART Call will follow a 2-stage procedure, each of them having the following characteristics:

- **Project Outline (PO):** the intention of this short document (approx. 15 pages) is to provide an overview of the project, its main objectives, partnership and impact. Those POs positively evaluated are invited to the second stage.
- **Full Project Proposal (FPP):** describes the project implementation plan in detail, the advance beyond the state of the art and the exploitation and financial plan.

# Evaluation



- **Rationale of the project**
  - One-page description
  - Problem statement and market value chain
  - Project innovations and technology value chain
- **Technology**
  - State-of-the-art analysis
  - Technological Innovation regarding the SoA
  - Expected Project Outputs and quantified KPIs
- **Targeted impact**
  - Market analysis
  - Consortium market access
  - Impact of the project on the overall goals of SMART
  - Impact on sustainability
- **Consortium overview**
  - Cooperation added value: business level
  - Cooperation added value: technology level
  - Is gender balance considered?
- **Implementation**
  - Project structure and main milestones
  - Work-Package descriptions
  - Deliverables
  - Milestones
- **Writing quality**
  - Readability
  - Focus and conciseness

## Next deadlines



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FPP: 3rd of May 2024



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FPP: 2nd of March 2024



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FPP: 19th of February 2024



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PO: 22th of January 2024  
FPP: 22th of April 2024



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PO: 18th of January 2024  
FPP: 18th of April 2024

## Why to participate in Clusters

To take advantage  
of **trans-national  
RD&I cooperation**

To benefit from the  
**Cluster  
communities along  
the whole value-  
chain**

To boost your  
**competitiveness,  
accelerate growth,  
shorten time to  
market and access  
new markets**

To access expertise  
and get professional  
guidance **coaching  
and mentoring**

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