Fraunhofer-Gesellschaft – Experiences and cooperation in H2020

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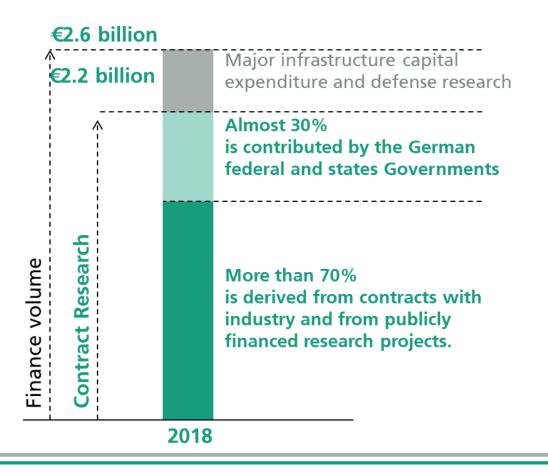
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Joseph von Fraunhofer



The Fraunhofer-Gesellschaft

Discovery of the »Fraunhofer lines« in the solar spectrum

Researcher

Research and development on behalf of industry and government

New methods for processing lenses

Inventor

mp3 music format, white LED, high-resolution thermal camera

Director and partner in a glassworks

Entrepreneur

Research volume: approx. €2.6 billion annually

PARTICIPATION OF FRAUNHOFER IN H2020



TOP15 Participants in Horizon 2020

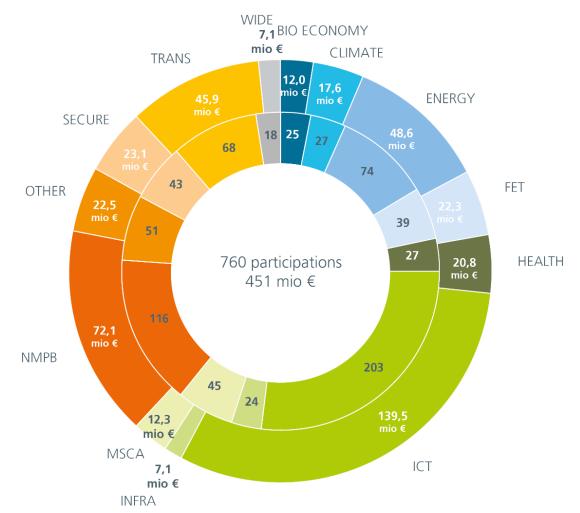
	Name / Country		Agreed Funding (mio €)	Total Participations	Individual Projects	Coordina- tions (*)
1	CNRS	FR	789	1036	658	35
2	HELMHOLTZ-GEMEINSCHAFT (without DLR)	DE	497	813	277	62
3	FRAUNHOFER-GESELLSCHAFT	DE	451	760	48	103
4	CEA	FR	421	502	82	80
5	UNIVERSITY OF OXFORD	GB	375	515	351	11
6	MAX-PLANCK-GESELLSCHAFT	DE	356	457	328	12
7	UNIVERSITY OF CAMBRIDGE	GB	336	520	397	8
8	UNIVERSITY COLLEGE LONDON	GB	304	483	286	25
9	TECHNISCHE HOCHSCHULE ZÜRICH	СН	252	358	192	8
10	KOBENHAVNS UNIVERSITET	DK	234	469	354	4
11	CSIC	ES	229	509	264	31
12	KATHOLIEKE UNIVERSITEIT LEUVEN	BE	227	409	210	24
13	IMPERIAL COLLEGE LONDON	GB	224	369	209	15
14	ECOLE POLYTECHNIQUE FEDERALE DE LAUSANNE	СН	218	316	182	12
15	TECHNISCHE UNIVERSITEIT DELFT	NL	207	330	146	24

Contractually assured funding as well as signed agreements in Horizon 2020 since the start of the program (2014)

* "Coordinations" does not take into account measures for funding individual beneficiaries (e.g. European Research Council and Marie Skłodowska-Curie -Actions)



Participations of Fraunhofer ordered by topic



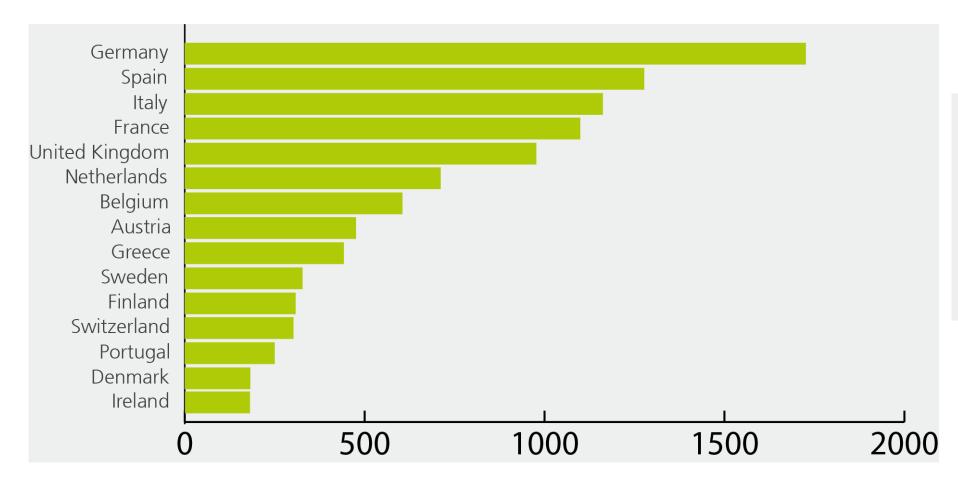
BIO ECONOMY	Bio-based economy
CLIMATE	Climate action, Environment, Resource Efficiency and Raw Materials
ENERGY	Secure, clean and efficient energy
FET	Future and Emerging Technologies
HEALTH	Health, demographic change and wellbeing
ICT	Information and Communication Technologies
INFRA	Research Infrastructures
MSCA	Marie Skłodowska-Curie - Actions
NMPB	Nanotechnologies, Advanced Materials, Biotechnology, and Advanced Manufacturing and Processing
OTHER	European Research Council ERC;
	Access to risk finance; Innovation in SME;
	Reflective societies - cultural heritage and European identity; Science with and for society; space
SECURE	Secure societies - Protecting freedom and security of Europe and its citizens
TRANS	Smart, Green And Integrated Transport
WIDE	Spreading excellence and widening participation

Inner circle: Number of agreements; Outer Circle: Agreed funding of the EU

Additional topics were combined under the topic OTHER such as SPACE with 13 participations and 5.6 Mio € agreed funding



Cooperations with partners from different countries



- Cooperations with partners from 69 different countries
- Strong cooperation with partners from Western Europe
- Most partners are from Germany
- Strongest collaboration with a country outside EU: Switzerland



Motivation to engage in H2020 projects





Strategic Aspects

Visibility

- Reputation
- International Dissemination
 - Setting Standards

Business Development

- New Markets
- Business Areas

EU Research

New Competencies

- Comparison
- Familiarizing with new topics
- Expansion of research fields

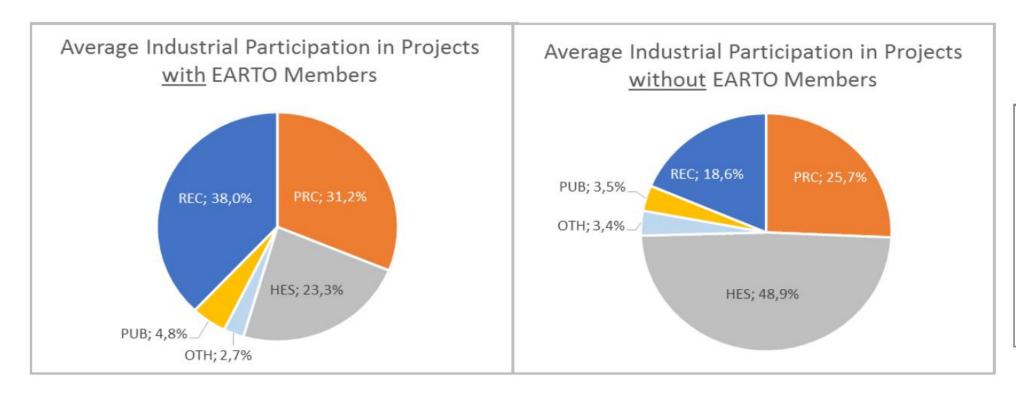
Networking

- New Contacts
- International partnerships
- EU- Partners



EU-projects leading to successful collaboration

Example: Industrial participation and RTO cooperation



HES: Higher or Secondary Education

OTH: Others

PRC: Private for

Profit

PUB: Public

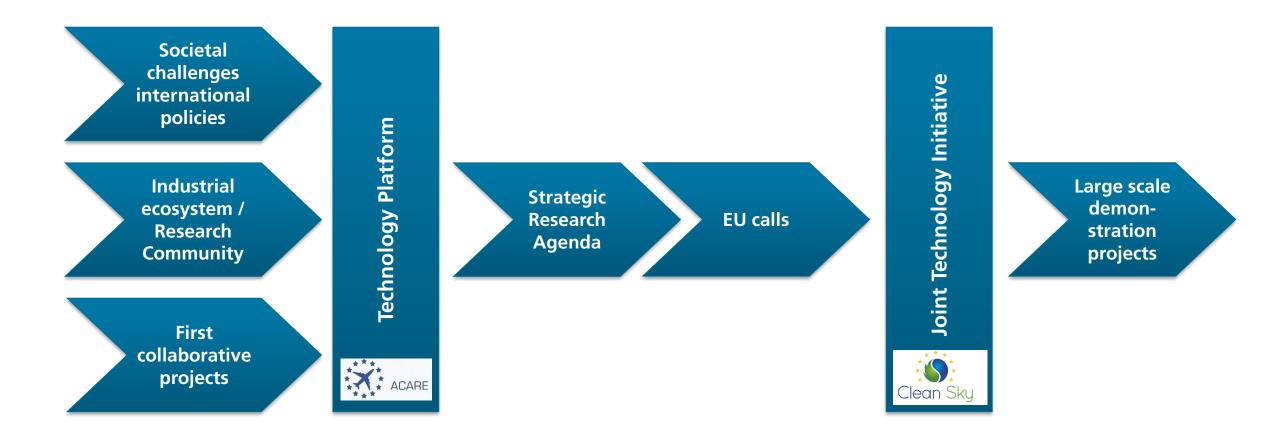
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REC: Research Organisation

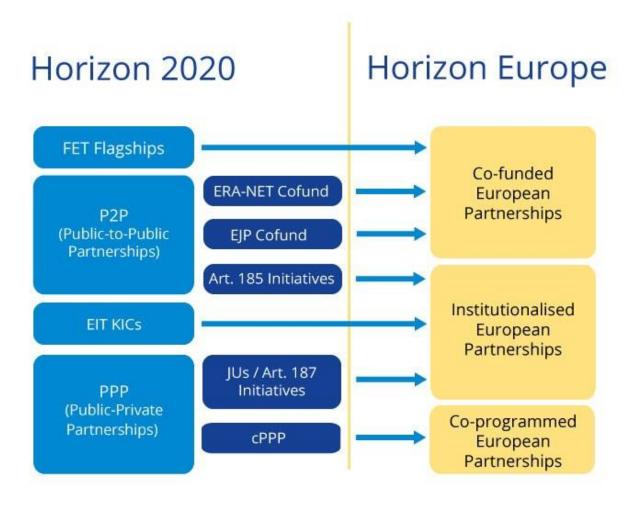


Succesful collaboration leading to EU-projects

Example: European Partnerships



Partnerships are more important than ever



https://www.era-learn.eu/partnerships-in-a-nutshell/r-i-partnerships/transition-to-horizon-europe

Thank you for your attention!

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