



European
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Horizon 2020 and support for SMEs

Horizon 2020 is the EU's largest research and innovation programme. Marine and maritime research is being implemented through a strategic and coordinated approach, including support for SMEs, across all challenges and priorities of Horizon 2020.

European Innovation Council (EIC)

The EIC pilot brings together the parts of Horizon 2020 that provide funding, advice and networking opportunities for those at the cutting edge of innovation.

Horizon 2020 SME Instrument

An Instrument dedicated to SMEs that supports ground-breaking innovative ideas for products, services or processes ready for global markets



Budget: **€1.6 billion**

Fast Track to Innovation (FTI)

The FTI funds relatively mature, ground-breaking technologies, concepts and business models that are close to market



Budget: **€300 million**

Future and Emerging Technologies (FET) Open

FET promotes collaborative, interdisciplinary research and innovation on future and emerging technologies



Budget: **€700 million**

Horizon 2020 SME Instrument

The prizes are awarded to whoever can most effectively meet a defined challenge, without prescribing how that challenge should be solved



Budget: **€40 million**

Horizon 2020 INNOSUP

Calls for proposals and tenders under Horizon 2020 INNOSUP are part of a broader effort to develop an ecosystem of innovation support for SMEs in Europe.

Call for Better Innovation Support to SMEs

Topic:

Cluster facilitated projects for new industrial value

Objective:

To develop new cross-sectoral industrial value chains across the EU by building on the innovation potential of SMEs

Budget:

€22.9 million

Find out more:

Visit the H2020 participant portal

Launch date:

5 November 2018 – 3 April 2019

