

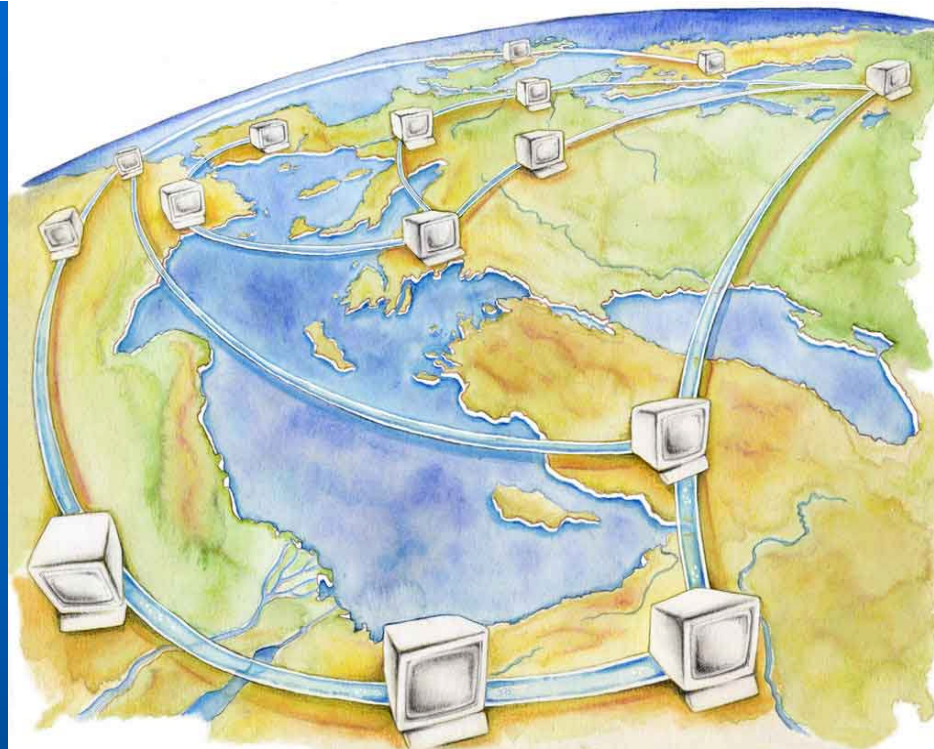
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**النظام المعلوماتي الأورومتوسطي
للمعرفة في مجال المياه**

**Overview of potential funding for
the water sector in the Med area**

**Jauad El Kharraz
Rome, 27/28 Sep'2010**

EURO-MEDITERRANEAN PARTNERSHIP





The ENPI CBC Mediterranean Sea Basin Programme



Eligible actors:

- public bodies and local, regional and central administrations
- universities
- non governmental organisations traders' associations
- organisations representing economic and social interests
- companies and other private organisations
- etc.

Funding:

The EU contribution will cover **maximum 90%** of the project total budget, while the remaining 10% will be provided by the

Who can participate?



1. **Cyprus:** the whole country
2. **Egypt:** Marsa Matruh, Al Iskandanyah, Al Buhayrah, Kafr ash Shaykh, Ad Daqahliyah, Dumyat, Ash, Sharquiyah, Al Isma'iliyah, Bur Sa'id, Shamal Sina'
3. **France:** Corse, Languedoc-Roussillon, Provence-Alpes-Côte d'Azur
4. **Greece:** Anatoliki Makedonia - Thraki, Kentriki Makedonia, Thessalia, Ipeiros, Ionia Nisia, Dytiki Ellada, Sterea Ellada, Peloponnisos, Attiki, Voreio Aigaio, Notio Aigaio, Kriti
5. **Israel:** the whole country
6. **Italy:** Basilicata, Calabria, Campania, Lazio, Liguria, Puglia, Sardegna, Sicilia, Toscana
7. **Jordan:** Irbid, Al-Balga, Madaba, Al-Karak, Al-Trafila, Al-Aqaba
8. **Lebanon:** the whole country
9. **Malta:** the whole country
10. **Morocco:** Oriental, Taza-Al Hoceima-Taounate, Tanger-Tétouan
11. **Palestinian Authority:** the whole country
12. **Portugal:** Algarve
13. **Spain:** Andalucía, Cataluña, Comunidad Valenciana, Murcia, Islas Baleares, Ceuta, Melilla
14. **Syria:** Latakia, Tartous
15. **Tunisia:** Médenine, Gabès, Sfax, Mahdia, Monastir, Sousse, Nabeul, Ben Arous, Tunis, Ariana, Bizerte, Béja, Jendouba

Notes: Algeria, Libya, the United Kingdom (Gibraltar) and the Region of Shamal Sina' (Egypt) do not participate for the moment in the Programme.

Turkey has requested to be excluded from the list of eligible countries.

At least 50% of the budgeted costs shall be dedicated to activities implemented in the Mediterranean Partner Countries.



What are the key priorities?

PRIORITIES	MEASURES	BUDGET ALLOCATION
1. Promotion of socio-economic development and enhancement of territories	1.1 Support to innovation and research in the process of local development of the Mediterranean Sea Basin countries	68.748.500 € 40%
	1.2 Strengthening economic clusters creating synergies among potentials of the Mediterranean Sea Basin countries	
	1.3 Strengthening the strategies of territorial planning by integrating the different levels, and promotion of socio-economic development	
2. Promotion of environmental sustainability at the basin level	2.1 Prevention and reduction of risk factors for the environment and enhancement of natural common heritage	51.561.375 € 30%
	2.2 Diffusion of renewable energies and improvement in energy effectiveness to contribute addressing climate change	
3. Promotion of better conditions and modalities for ensuring the mobility of persons, goods and capitals	3.1 Support to people flows among territories as a means of cultural, social and economic enrichment	17.187.125 € 10%
	3.2 Improvement of conditions and modalities of circulation of goods and capitals among the territories	
4. Promotion of cultural dialogue and local governance	4.1 Support to mobility, exchanges, training and professionalism of young people	34.374.250 € 20%
	4.2 Support to the artistic creativity in all its expressions to encourage dialogue among communities	
	4.3 Improvement of governance processes at local level	



Types of projects and partners

Strategic Projects

- **Actions will be concentrated on subjects which will be chosen by the Joint Monitoring Committee; this typology will have to contribute to implement the principles of the Programme and to produce** relevant effects from a quantitative and qualitative point of view.
- **Projects will be selected through call for proposals, with a two step procedure:**
 - 1) *concept note*; 2) detailed project.

	Minimum threshold	Maximum threshold
Financial dimension for each project	2.000.000 €	5.000.000 €
Minimum number of countries represented within the partnership proposing the project	4 of which at least one EU Mediterranean country and one Mediterranean partner country	

ENPI CBC-MED: Call for proposals for Strategic Projects



- **Overall budget: € 37.000.000**
- **Indicative launch date: December 2010**
- **Programme website: www.enpicbcmed.eu**
- **Geographical area: focusing on regions bordering the Mediterranean see from countries who signed a cooperation agreement for this program: Jordan, Syria, Tunisia, Egypt, Israel, Lebanon, Palestine (+Italy, Cyprus, Malta, Greece, France, Spain)**
- **Typical project budget: 500 000 to 2 millions Euros with at least 3 countries**
- **Priority 2 d). Water management with attention on:**
 - ❑ **Quantity and quality of supply, with a focus on alternative water supplies and wastewater re-use and/or**
 - ❑ **Efficient use of water resources, with a focus on agricultural use.**



Types of projects and partners

Standard Projects (32 M EUR)

- Proposed by local actors through cross-border partnerships.
- The activities are selected through calls for proposals launched within the Programme.

	Minimum threshold	Maximum threshold
Financial dimension for each project	500.000 €* 500.000 €	2.000.000 €
Minimum number of countries represented within the partnership proposing the project	3 of which at least one EU Mediterranean country and one Mediterranean partner country	

- ❖ The 50% of the total budget allocated for the priority 4 “Promotion of cultural dialogue and local governance” could be assigned to finance project proposals with a minimum ceiling of 200.000 €.

ENPI CBC-MED: Call for proposals for Standard Projects



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1. Health

2. FAB

3. ICT

4. NMP

5. Energy

6. Environment

7. Transport

8. SSH

9. Space

10. Security

1.
Climate change,
pollution
and risks

2.
Sustainable
management
of resources

3.
Environmental
technologies



Theme “Environment” (including Climate Change)

Introduction of activities in FP7 on:

- Environment and Health research
- Activity on Environmental Technologies
- Sustainable Development including Sustainable Consumption and Production
- Earth Observation activities



Funding Schemes

Specified for each topic

- **Collaborative research:**
 - large scale integrating projects (4-7 mio. €)
 - small- or medium-scale focused research projects (max. 3.5 mio. €/ max. 2 mio. € in 6.4.2)
- **Specific International Cooperation Actions (SICA)**
- **Network of Excellence (4-7 mio. €)**
- **Coordination and support actions:**
 - coordinating type (incl. ERA-NETs – max. 2 mio. €)
 - supporting type
- **Research for the benefit of specific groups (CSO - max. 2 mio. €)**

FP7 approach



FP 7 projects should integrate when relevant:

- Policy relevance/ Emerging policy needs
- Socio-economic dimension of the topic
- Third country participation
- SME participation
- Dissemination activities (science-society, research-policy)



Key Funding Criteria

Relevance of the
**SCIENCE AND
TECHNOLOGY**
to EU challenges

Relevance of the
IMPACT
To EU challenges

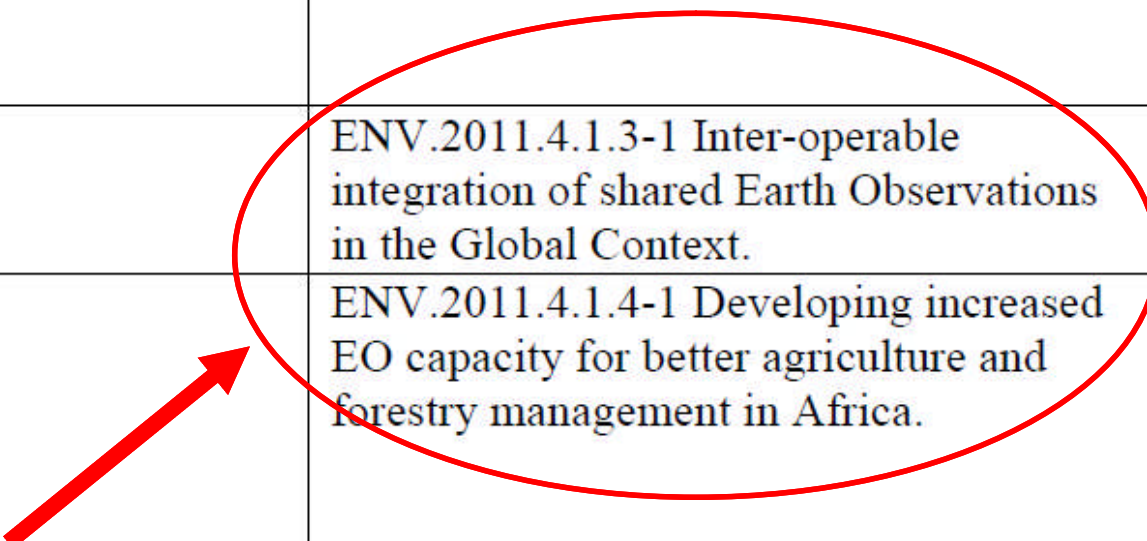
IMPLEMENTATION
Quality and
Efficiency

Call identifier: FP7-ENV-2011 / Deadline1: 16 November 2010

ACTIVITY 6.4. EARTH OBSERVATION AND ASSESSMENT TOOLS FOR SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT

Sub-activity 6.4.1. Earth and ocean observation systems and monitoring methods for the environment and sustainable development (EUR 20 000 000)

4.1.1.	ENV.2011.4.1.1-1 Integration and optimisation of information for building a Global Carbon Observing System.	<i>Collaborative Project (large scale integrating project) – for specific cooperation actions (SICA) dedicated to international cooperation partner countries</i>
4.1.2.	Not open in this Call.	
4.1.3.	ENV.2011.4.1.3-1 Inter-operable integration of shared Earth Observations in the Global Context.	<i>Collaborative Project (large scale integrating project)</i>
4.1.4.	ENV.2011.4.1.4-1 Developing increased EO capacity for better agriculture and forestry management in Africa.	<i>Collaborative Project (small or medium-scale focused research project) for specific cooperation actions (SICA) dedicated to international cooperation partner countries</i>



**Call title: Reinforcing cooperation with Europe's neighbours in the context of the ERA –
Activity ERA-WIDE**

- Call identifier: FP7-INCO-2011-6
- Date of publication: 20/07/2010
- Deadline¹: 15/03/2011, at 17.00.00, Brussels local time
- Indicative budget^{2,3}: EUR 15.00 MILLION

Activities called:

Activity/ Area	Funding schemes	Indicative amount
<u>INCO-6 Reinforcing cooperation with Europe's neighbours in the context of the ERA</u>		
INCO.2011-6.1 Eastern Europe and South Caucasus: Moldova, Georgia, Ukraine, Belarus, Armenia, Azerbaijan	Coordination and Support Action (supporting action)	EUR 6.00 million
INCO.2011-6.2 Mediterranean Countries: Morocco, Algeria, Tunisia, Libya, Egypt, Jordan, Palestinian-administered Areas, Lebanon, Syria	Coordination and Support Action (supporting action)	EUR 9.00 million



What is GEOSS?

GEOSS

Common Infrastructure

[GEO Portal](#)[Component Registry](#)[Standards Registry](#)[Best Practices Wiki](#)[Task Force](#)

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GEO BON

2009-2011 Work Plan

Transverse Activities

Call for Proposals: Earth Observations in Decision Support Projects

The Group on Earth Observations has issued a Call for Proposals (CFP) inviting organizations to propose or participate in projects that apply Earth observations to decision support activities. Managed by the Capacity Building and User Interface committees, this CFP seeks to promote the practical application of Earth observations for improved decision making and to highlight specific examples of how Earth observations can benefit society.

Key aim of the CFP are to support end users in developing countries committed to applying Earth observations and to demonstrate the benefits of Earth observation applications to end users in these countries. The CFP also seeks to identify individuals and organizations interested in serving as advisors to project teams.

This CFP seeks to identify projects for the following GEO Societal Benefit Areas:

- Agriculture (including forests)
- Health (including air quality)
- Energy
- Water

Funding for the selected projects will not be directly available from GEO; instead, GEO will attempt to match projects, particularly those focused on developing countries, with resource-providing organizations. GEO will also connect project teams with organizations and advisors who can provide expertise on Earth observations, GEOSS, applications, and project development.

The schedule for the Call for Proposals is:

GEO CFP Released:	February 13, 2009
Brief Concept Proposals Due:	June 15, 2009
Full Proposals Due:	May 15, 2010
Selections Announced:	October 1, 2010 - <i>deadline extended!</i>
Kick-off Meeting:	to be announced

The Full text of the Call for Proposals and related information documents are available below:

- [The Call for Proposals document](#)
- [Frequently Asked Questions](#)
- [Information sheet on Societal Benefit Areas](#)
- [CFP powerpoint presentation](#)

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please also visit the GEO [key documents page](#).



Other programmes? What projects?

- **Sustainable Water Management and De-Pollution of the Mediterranean – Supporting Mechanism: SWM-DM (15.000.000 Euros):** sustainable water management policies, water scarcity, desertification processes, in connection with climate change.
- **African Water Facility**
 - ❑ **Geo: only North Africa**
 - ❑ **Budget: up to 2MEuro**
 - ❑ **Request from Ministries**
 - ❑ **Priority on Monitoring and Evaluation**



<u>Donor</u>	<u>Programme or topics</u>
<u>Global Environment Facility (GEF)</u>	Through the Sustainable MED program is a 5 year program aimed at enhancing and accelerating the implementation of trans-boundary pollution reduction, improving water resources management, and developing biodiversity conservation measures in priority hotspots and sensitive areas in selected Mediterranean basin countries
<u>African Water Facility</u>	Possibility to fund Egypt & Morocco: Submitted projects are eligible between the floor of € 50,000 and the ceiling of €5,000,000.
<u>SDC</u>	Possibility of funding a regional project
<u>EC National Programmes</u>	?
	?
<u>What other possibilities? (USAID, EIB, World Bank, Bilateral/NIP, etc).</u>	?