

# > EUREKA

Innovation across borders

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# The Eureka Initiative is...

- industry-led, applied, close-to-market R&D with tangible results and visible benefits
- Intergovernmental (43 Ministries + EU Commission)
- Nationally financed

# Unique selling points of Eureka

- Projects with two partners are eligible;
- The objectives of the projects are set by the project partners (bottom-up);
- Project administration is low;
- Eureka accesses all available national funding instruments and provides guidance to the most appropriate ones.

## Bi-lateral Call CZ - CH

- Bilateral call for project outlines is launched on September 16, and closes on December 31, 2014;
- Main purpose is to assist potential applicants in a EUREKA program to submit a competitive application;
- Outlines will be evaluated and given feedback by MEYS and SERI on a continuous basis and within short time.
- Well defined outlines will be directed to the full application (EUREKA or Eurostars). Other outlines may be re-submitted.

# Funding in Switzerland

- **Project grant Eureka projects**

*Funding for the Swiss part of a project (example CTI project)*

- up to 50% of eligible costs;
- Academic partner and company share costs 50:50;
- Academic partner is funded up to 100% and gets additional 10% of funding as cash contribution from company. Company get right to exploit results.

- **Project grant Eurostars projects**

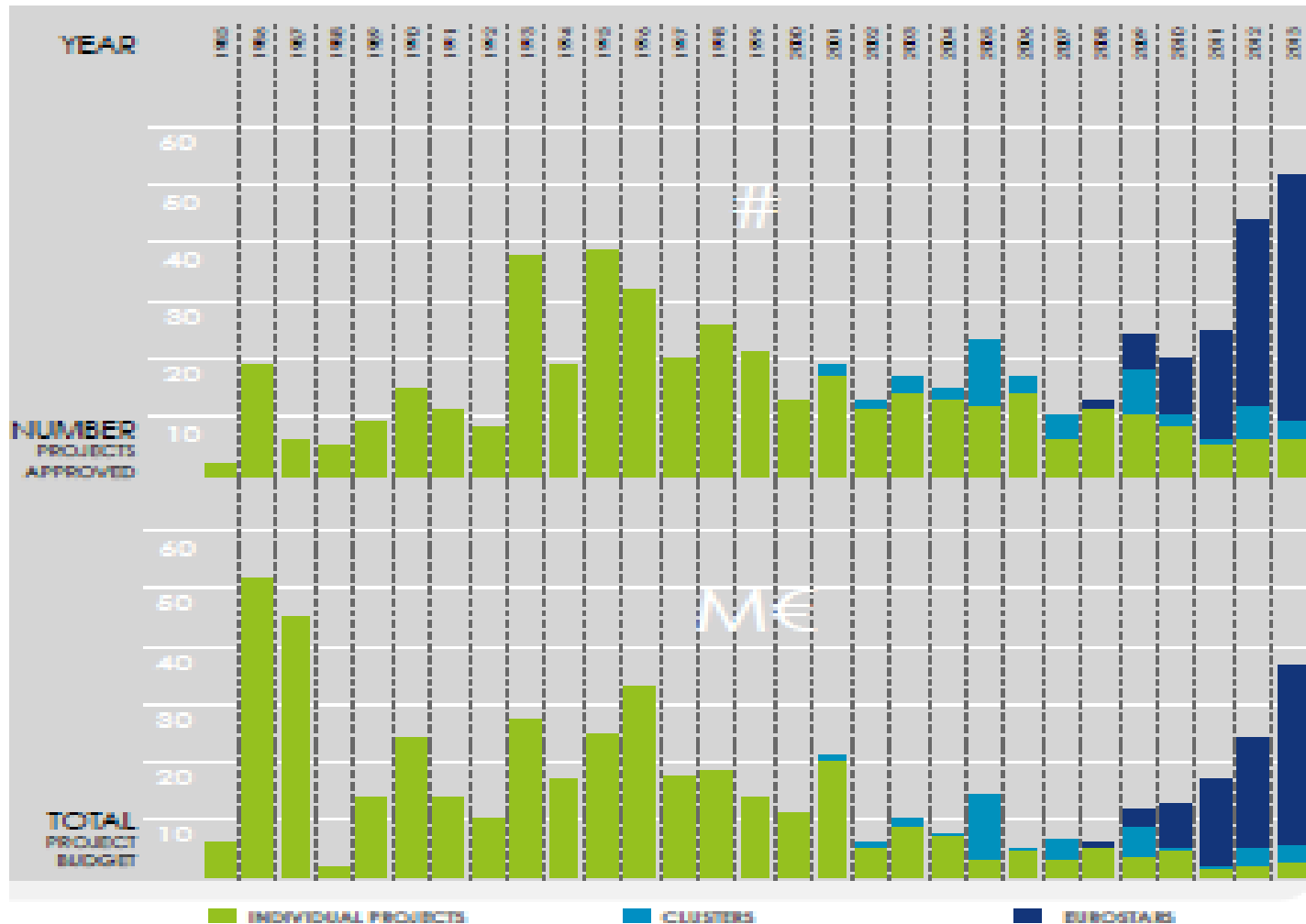
*Funding for the Swiss part of a project*

- 50% of eligible costs for SME, universities and R&D institutions
- 25% of eligible costs for large companies
- Maximum funding to the Swiss part of a project is 500'000 Euro

# Project examples CZ - CH

	Eureka individual	Eurostars
<b>Technology sector</b>	Communication	Medical Technology
<b>Project description</b>	Development of Paragliding Fabric	Assessment of flow analytics for smart cities
<b>Countries</b>	CZ (1 partner): 48.9 % CH (1 partner): 27.5 % FR (1 partner): 23.6 %	CH (1 partner): 60.81% CZ(2 partners): 39.19%
<b>Type of partners</b>	2 SME (CH and 1 CZ) 1 Large Company (FR)	1 SME (CZ) 1 R&D performing SME (CZ) 1 R&D performing SME (CH)
<b>Duration</b>	36 months	18 months
<b>Project Budget</b>	0.840 M€	0.978 M€

# CH Project Portfolio





# Contact Switzerland

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