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National Specification for R&D Call 1

Türkiye Bilimsel ve Teknolojik Arastırma Kurumu TÜBİTAK

TUBITAK is the leading agency for the management, funding and conduct of research in Turkey. It was established in 1963 with the mission of advancing science and technology, conducting research and supporting Turkish researchers. TUBITAK runs several research grant programs specifically designed to support basic research, applied research and experimental development projects undertaken by universities, private firms or other public organizations. In addition to providing scholarships to both undergraduate and graduate students, TUBITAK publishes academic journals, popular science magazines and books. Moreover TUBITAK operates research institutes, of which main tasks include carrying out advanced research projects and providing technological assistance to industry. TUBITAK is also the national coordinating body of the EU Framework Programmes.

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Participation in ECO-INNOVERA call 1

Topics	Comments	
1 Paradigm Change	NO	
2 Industrial	YES	
3 Recycling	YES	
Type of R&D		
Fundamental research	NO	
Industrial research	YES	
Experimental Developpement	YES	
Eligible applicants		
Public research labs	NO	Universities and research organizations may participate in the projects as subcontractor.
Large Enterprises	YES	
SMEs	YES	
Non profit organisations	NO	
Budget		
Up to € 1 million		TUBITAK does not have a maximum funding per grant



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Other specification

- TÜBİTAK shall provide grant(s) for the project costs of Turkish participant(s).
 - Only projects which are compatible with TÜBİTAK funding criteria are eligible for funding.
 - TÜBİTAK shall consider projects about new product development, development of new techniques and new production technologies to increase the quality or standard of products, or to lower costs as eligible for funding.
 - All applications from Turkey should be simultaneously submitted online to TÜBİTAK via the PRODİS application (eteydeb.tubitak.gov.tr).
 - Submitted projects shall be evaluated at the national scale according to the three criteria listed below and a support decision shall be made accordingly.
 - Project's industrial R&D content, technology level and innovative aspect
 - Project plan and suitability of organization's infrastructure
 - Potential economic and social benefits of project outcomes.
 - 60% (for large firms) – 75% (for SME's) of project expenditures deemed eligible in the monitoring phase are granted to the beneficiary. This grant is exempt from taxation according to Law no:5746.
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