

CALL FICHE

Call identifier:	FP7-NMP-2011-SME-5
Deadline:	1 st Stage: 4 November 2010 at 17:00H 2 nd Stage: 28 April 2011 at 17:00H
Program:	FP7

Topic		
Activity/ Area	Topics called	Funding Schemes
Ensuring the safety of Nanotechnology	NMP.2011.1.3-1 New methods for measuring, detection and identification of nanoparticles in products and/or in the environment	<i>SME-targeted Collaborative Projects</i>
Cross-cutting and enabling R&D	NMP.2011.1.4-3 Tools and methodologies for imaging structures and composition at the nanometre scale	
Enabling Research and Development	NMP.2011.2.1-1 Research and innovation for advanced multifunctional ceramic materials	
Integration of technologies for industrial applications	NMP.2011.4.0-3 Advanced textiles for the energy and environmental protection markets	

Submission stages:	2
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Consortium Agreement:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes / <input type="checkbox"/> No
Participants are required to conclude a consortium agreement.	

Participants:
For SME targeted Collaborative Projects the minimum conditions to participate are: at least 3 independent legal entities, each of which is established in a Member State or Associated Country, and no 2 of which are established in the same Member State or Associated Country. Please note that the financial resources mobilised within a project will be assessed during the evaluation against the real work to be carried out in the project.

Budget constraints:
SME-targeted Collaborative Projects will only be selected for funding on the condition that the estimated EU contribution going to SME(s) is 35% or more of the total estimated EU contribution. <i>This will be assessed at the end of the negotiation, before signature of the grant agreement. Proposals not fulfilling this criterion will not be funded.</i>

Grant Information:Maximum Reimbursement Rates

The upper limits foreseen in the Rules for Participation (Article 33) for the Community financial contribution are summarised in the following table.

	Non-profit public bodies, secondary and higher education establishments, research organisations and SMEs	All other organisations
Research and technological development activities	75%	50% ⁵
Demonstration activities	50%	50%
Coordination and support actions	100%	100%
Management, audit certificates and other activities ⁶	100%	100%

⁴ As confirmed by Decision C(2009)4459 of 15 June 2009.

⁵ For security related research and technological development activities, (Chapter 10 of this work programme) the Community financial contribution may reach a maximum of 75% in the case of the development of capabilities in domains with very limited market size and a risk of 'market failure' and for accelerated equipment development in response to new threats. Further information is given in Chapter 10.

⁶ Including, inter alia training in actions that do not fall under the funding schemes for training and career development of researchers, coordination, networking and dissemination (as set out in Article 33(4) of the Rules for Participation).

Relevant documents:

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[Cooperation Work Programme 2011 - General Introduction](#)

[Cooperation Work Programme 2011 - General Annexes](#)

[Work Programme 2011 - Nanosciences, Nanotechnologies, Materials and New Production Technologies \(NMP\)](#)

[Guide for Applicants \(Annexes\) - Collaborative projects \(CP\)](#)

[Guide for Applicants \(Common part\) - Collaborative projects \(CP\)](#)

[FP7 factsheets](#)

Other recommendations:**Required documents to apply:**

The eligibility criteria apply to both first and second stage proposals. At stage 1, part B will be used to check the number of eligible participants. At stage 2, part A will be used alone to determine these eligibility conditions.

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Indicative timetable

Evaluation Stage 1 proposals: November/December 2010; Evaluation stage 2 proposals: May-June 2011. Evaluation results: estimated to be available within two months after the call deadline.

Exploitation remarks

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