

Call title: ICT call 8

- Call identifier: FP7-ICT-2011-8
- Date of publication⁶⁵: 26 July 2011
- Deadline⁶⁶: 17 January 2012, at 17:00.00 Brussels local time
- Indicative budget^{67, 68}: EUR 785.5 million
See indicative budget breakdown in section 7 of the ICT work programme.
- Topics called:

| Challenge | Objectives | Funding schemes |
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| Challenge 1: Pervasive and Trusted Network and Service Infrastructures | ICT 2011.1.1 Future Networks | IP/STREP, NOE, CSA |
| | ICT 2011.1.2 Cloud Computing, Internet of Services and Advanced Software Engineering | IP/STREP, CSA |
| | ICT 2011.1.4 Trustworthy ICT | IP/STREP, NoE, CSA |
| | ICT 2011.1.6 Future Internet Research and Experimentation (FIRE) (b), (c), (e) | IP, STREP, CSA |
| Challenge 3: Alternative Paths to Components and Systems | ICT 2011.3.1 Very advanced nanoelectronic components: design, engineering, technology and manufacturability | IP/STREP, CSA |
| | ICT 2011.3.2 Smart components and smart systems integration (b) | IP/STREP |
| | ICT 2011.3.5 Core and disruptive photonic technologies (a), (c), (d) | IP, STREP, ERANET Plus, CP-CSA |
| Challenge 4: Technologies for Digital Content and Languages | ICT 2011.4.4 Intelligent Information Management | IP/STREP, CSA |
| Challenge 6: ICT for a Low Carbon | ICT 2011.6.1 Smart | STREP, CSA |

⁶⁵ The Director-General responsible for the call may publish it up to one month prior to or after the envisaged date of publication

⁶⁶ The Director-General responsible may delay this deadline by up to two months

⁶⁷ The budget for this call is indicative. The final budget awarded to actions implemented through calls for proposals may vary:

- the final budget of the call may vary by up to 10% of the total value of the indicated budget for the call; and
- any repartition of the call budget may also vary by up to 10% of the total value of the indicated budget for the call.

⁶⁸ The budget amount for Call 8 is expected to be added from the 2012 budget for which a new financing decision to cover the budget of that year will be requested at the appropriate time.

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| Economy | energy grids | |
| | ICT 2011.6.3 ICT for efficient water resources management | STREP |
| | ICT 2011.6.7 Cooperative systems for energy efficient and sustainable mobility | IP/STREP, CSA |
| Challenge 8: ICT for Learning and Access to Cultural Resources | ICT 2011.8.1 Technology-Enhanced Learning | IP/STREP, NoE, CSA |
| Future and Emerging Technologies | ICT 2011.9.6 FET Proactive: Unconventional Computation (UCOMP) | STREP |
| | ICT 2011.9.7 FET Proactive: Dynamics of Multi-Level Complex Systems | IP/STREP, CSA |
| | ICT 2011.9.8 FET Proactive: Minimising Energy Consumption of Computing to the Limit (MINCON) | STREP |
| | ICT 2011.9.12 Coordinating Communities, Identifying new research topics for FET Proactive initiatives and Fostering Networking of National and Regional Research Programmes (a), (b), (c), (d) | CSA |
| | ICT-2011.9.14 'Science of Global Systems' | STREP |
| Horizontal Actions | ICT 2011.11.1 Pre-Commercial Procurement Actions | CSA, CP-CSA |

- Eligibility conditions:

The general eligibility criteria are set out in Annex 2 of this work programme, and in the guide for applicants⁶⁹. Please note that the completeness criterion also includes that part B of the proposal shall be readable, accessible and printable.

Only information provided in part A of the proposal will be used to determine whether the proposal is eligible with respect to budget thresholds and/or minimum number of eligible participants.

⁶⁹ For CP-CSA (Objectives 3.5), according to Annex 2, criteria for "all funding schemes", "collaborative projects" and "coordination and support actions" apply.