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Bevorderen van bottom-up regionale innovatie in West Nederland
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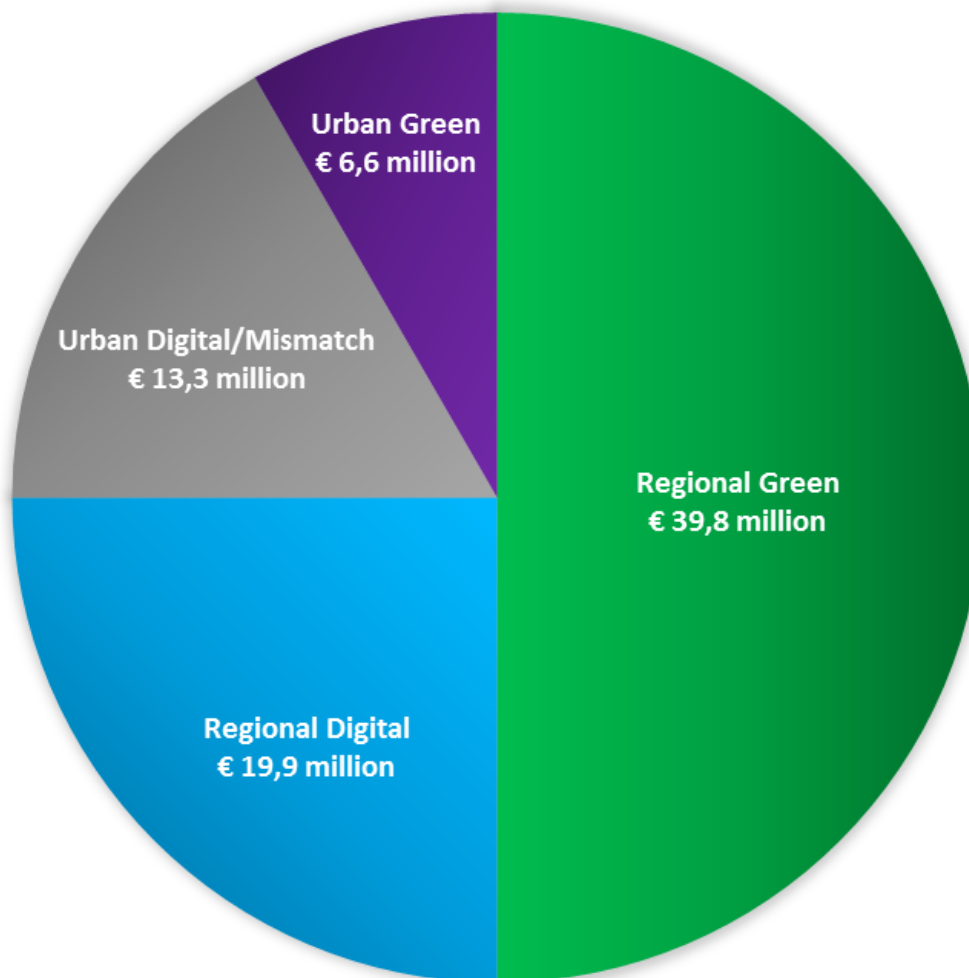
Objectives

- Accelerated recovery from the COVID-19 crisis through additional investments in the transition to a green, digital and resilient economy (in West Netherlands)
- Regional: Green and Digital
Urban: Digital/Mismatch and Green
- Focus: further development; 2^e Valley of Death





Budget Allocation



Projected Results

- Indirect support to 250 companies through projects.
- Direct support to 70 companies.
- € 20 million private financing.
- 65 megawatt in renewable energy or residual heat.

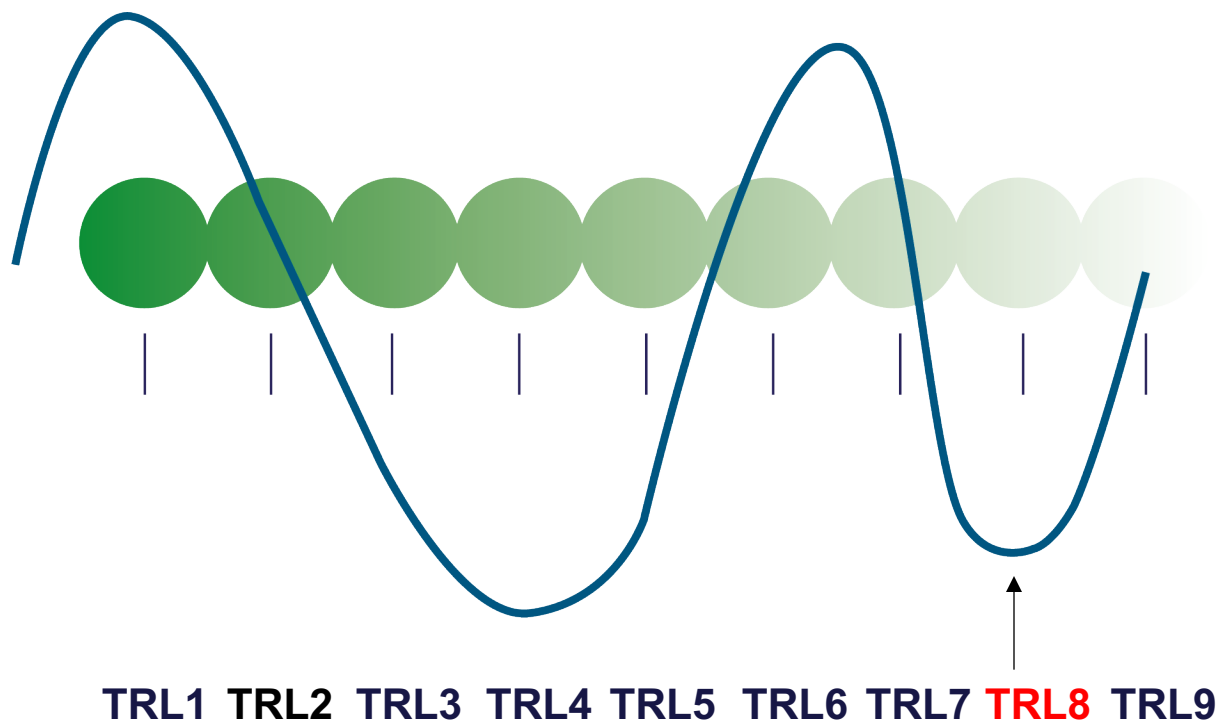
Green: Climate neutral; fossil free; Low Carbon; circular

Digital: Key technologies; skills





Valleys of Death





Grant Conditions

1. Minimum total costs: € 200.000
2. Maximum contribution (€ and %) differ per aid scheme
3. Eligible costs: labour costs; third party costs; depreciations;
4. three types of labour costs
 - Gross salary + flat rate,
 - **IKS (a specific Dutch unit cost system)**
 - European rates used in projects supported by other EU funds
5. Entrepreneurs without wage: € 39/hour.





Grant Conditions

6. Must comply with state aid regulations
7. Costs are finalized and paid no later than 31-12-2023.
8. Co-financing: % depends on aid scheme
9. Ineligible costs very limited
10. Affiliated parties at cost price.





Target Audience

- No limitations in types of applicants
- No limitations for number of participants per project
 - Consortium
 - Individual entrepreneurs
 - Municipality; province; housing corporation; energy corporation
 - Further Development in 2 Valley of Death (SME)

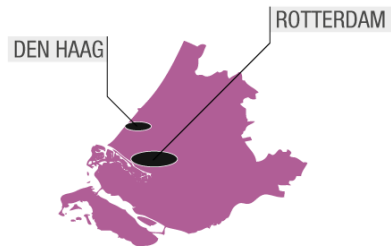




Where to Submit?

- Regional Green and Digital: G4 P4
- Urban Digital/Mismatch: G4
- Urban Green: within the allocated ITI area's of G4

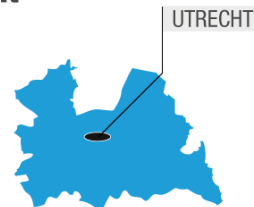
Zuid-Holland



Noord-Holland



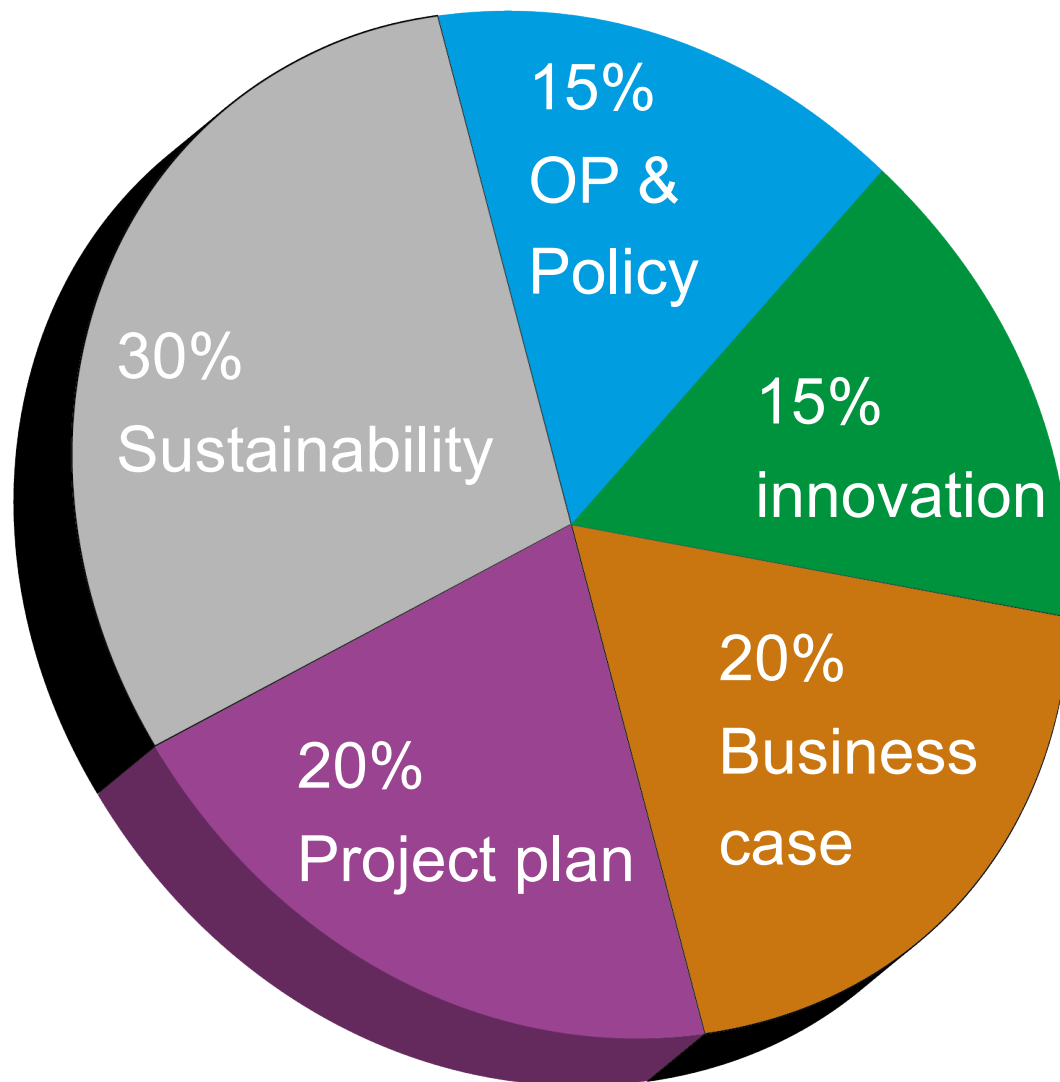
Utrecht



Flevoland



Assessment framework Regional





Sustainability reviewed as contribution to:

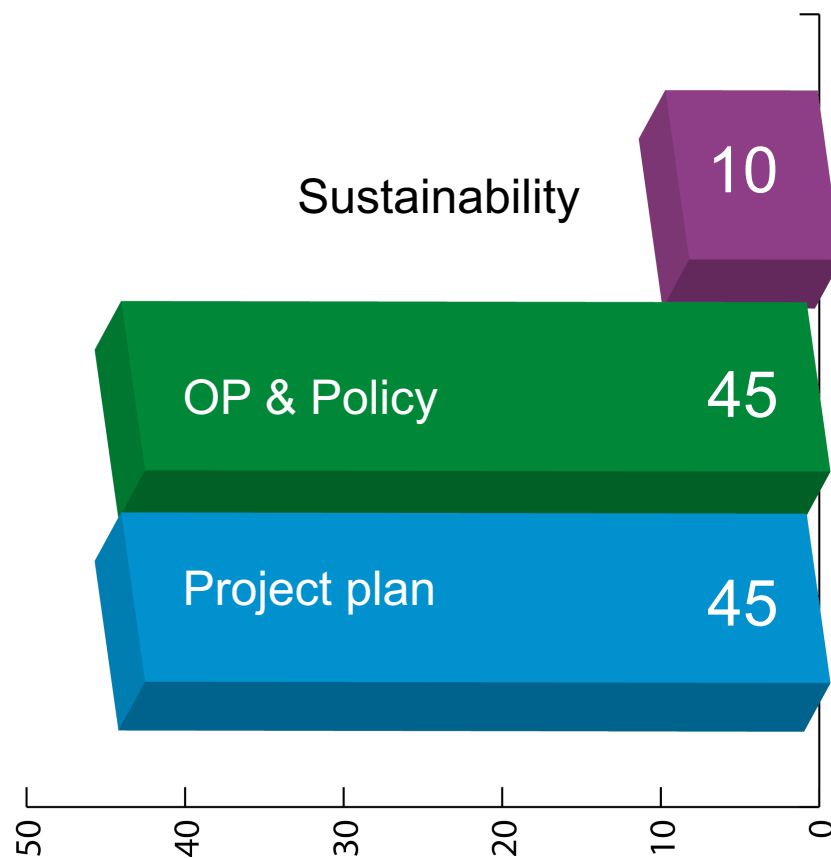
- A) Low carbon electricity system
- B) Low Carbon built environment
- C) Net climate neutral and circular products
- D) Emission-free mobility
- E) Digitization of processes
- F) Qualified human capital for transitions A through E





Assessment Framework Urban

Three criteria



Application Procedure

How do I submit?

- Online through www.efro-webportal.nl
- Web portal opens at 15 February 2021; 10:00 AM.
- **Prepare you application “offline” in advance.**
- **Choose the correct Subsidy scheme**
- For example:
Amsterdam regionaal breed - Digitaal en Groen (P6.SA.R1)



Application Procedure

How does the application work?

- Online registration and choice for correct call for proposals
- Work flow with various fixed components
- Set of questions regarding the proposal
- Statement of budget global costs partners; financing; indicators
- Mandatory attachments
- Mandatory formats





Warning / pitfalls

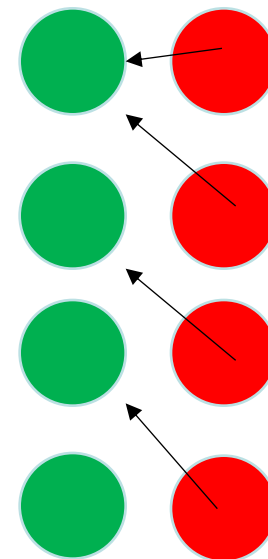
- **Closed** financing
- Choose relevant indicators
- Use the correct format for calculating funding gap
- Separate questions for financial instruments
- Replenishment of existing financial instruments: apply



Review Procedure

Four steps

1. **Application Complete**
2. **Policy Assessment**
3. **70 points Independent experts?**
4. **Technical Assessment**





State Aid

Additional points of attention

1. Aid percentage higher than usual
2. Within the possibilities of permissible state aid
3. Calculate the maximum possible grant





Example 1: calculate maximum support

1. Call: max. 60% and € 1 million contribution.
2. Application € 1,2 million eligible costs
Four project partners: university, Midcap, Two SME.
3. Max. contribution: € 720.000 (60% of € 1,2 million).

However, is that possible through permissible aid?

University: 400k Total eligible costs

Midcap: 200k Total eligible costs

SME: Each 300k Total eligible costs

All costs are economic and regard experimental research
(art 25 GBER)





Example 1: calculate maximum support

- a. Every partner 25% (experimental research)
- b. They are all eligible for het collaboration bonus 15% (art 25 section 6 sub b)
- c. No increment for the university (large corporation)
- d. Midcap eligible for 10% increment (art 25 section 6 sub a)
- e. The SME both eligible for 20% increment (art 25 section 6 sub b).

Result:

University receives max 40% of 400: 160

Midcap receives max 50% of 200: 100

The two SME receive 60% of 600: 360

Conclusion: Maximum contribution € 620.000





Aid Schemes

On **15 February** at **10.00 AM** 15 calls open up

1. First Come First Serve
2. Drawing of lots in case of exceedance
3. New submission when rejected
4. Most calls have maximum contribution
5. Prevailing policy differs per call
6. Sometimes limited range for call





	Overzicht openstellingen REACT EU - 15 februari 2021	subs %	Bedrag Max.
1	REACT Amsterdam regionaal breed - Digitaal en Groen (P6.SA.R1)	60	1,5
2	REACT Amsterdam stedelijk breed - Mismatch arbeidsmarkt in G4 en Groen/Duurzaam binnen GTI-gebieden (P6.SA.G1)	70	1,5
3	REACT Rotterdam regionaal breed - Digitaal en Groen (P6.SR.R1)	60	geen
4	REACT Rotterdam-Provincie Z-H regionaal Haven Industrieel Cluster - Groen (P6.SR.R2)	60	2
5	REACT Rotterdam regionaal Walstroom - Groen (P6.SR.R3)	60	geen
6	REACT Rotterdam stedelijk breed – Mismatch arbeidsmarkt in G4 en Groen/Duurzaam binnen GTI-gebieden (P6.SR.G1)	70	geen
7	REACT Den Haag regionaal breed - Digitaal en Groen (P6.SDH.R1)	60	geen
8	REACT Den Haag stedelijk breed - Mismatch arbeidsmarkt in G4 en Groen/Duurzaam binnen GTI-gebieden (P6.SDH.G1)	70	geen
9	REACT Stad Utrecht en Provincie Utrecht breed - Digitaal en Groen (P6.SU.R1)	60	geen
10	REACT Stad Utrecht stedelijk breed - Mismatch arbeidsmarkt in G4 en Groen/Duurzaam binnen GTI-gebieden (P6.SU.G1)	70	geen
11	REACT Zuid-Holland regionaal breed - Digitaal en Groen (P6.PZH.R1)	50	1,5
12	REACT Zuid-Holland regionaal Warmtenetten - Groen (P6.PZH.R2)	60	1,5
13	REACT Noord-Holland regionaal breed - Digitaal en Groen (P6.PNH.R1)	60	1
14	REACT Noord-Holland Financieel Instrument regionaal breed - Digitaal en Groen (P6.PNH.R2)	60	geen
15	REACT Flevoland regionaal breed - Digitaal en Groen (P6.PF.R1)	60	1

Genoemde bedragen in mln euro's



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