

ITEA PO Days 2026

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country information
webinar of Türkiye

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TÜBİTAK in the R&D and Innovation Ecosystem

- R&D infrastructure support in scientific and technological areas
- Establish research centers and institutes in strategic areas to strengthen the technological infrastructure of the country

Opportunities for the R&D and Innovation Ecosystem



Industrial Support



University Support



Human Resources for
R&D and innovation



Science and Society
Activities



International
Cooperation

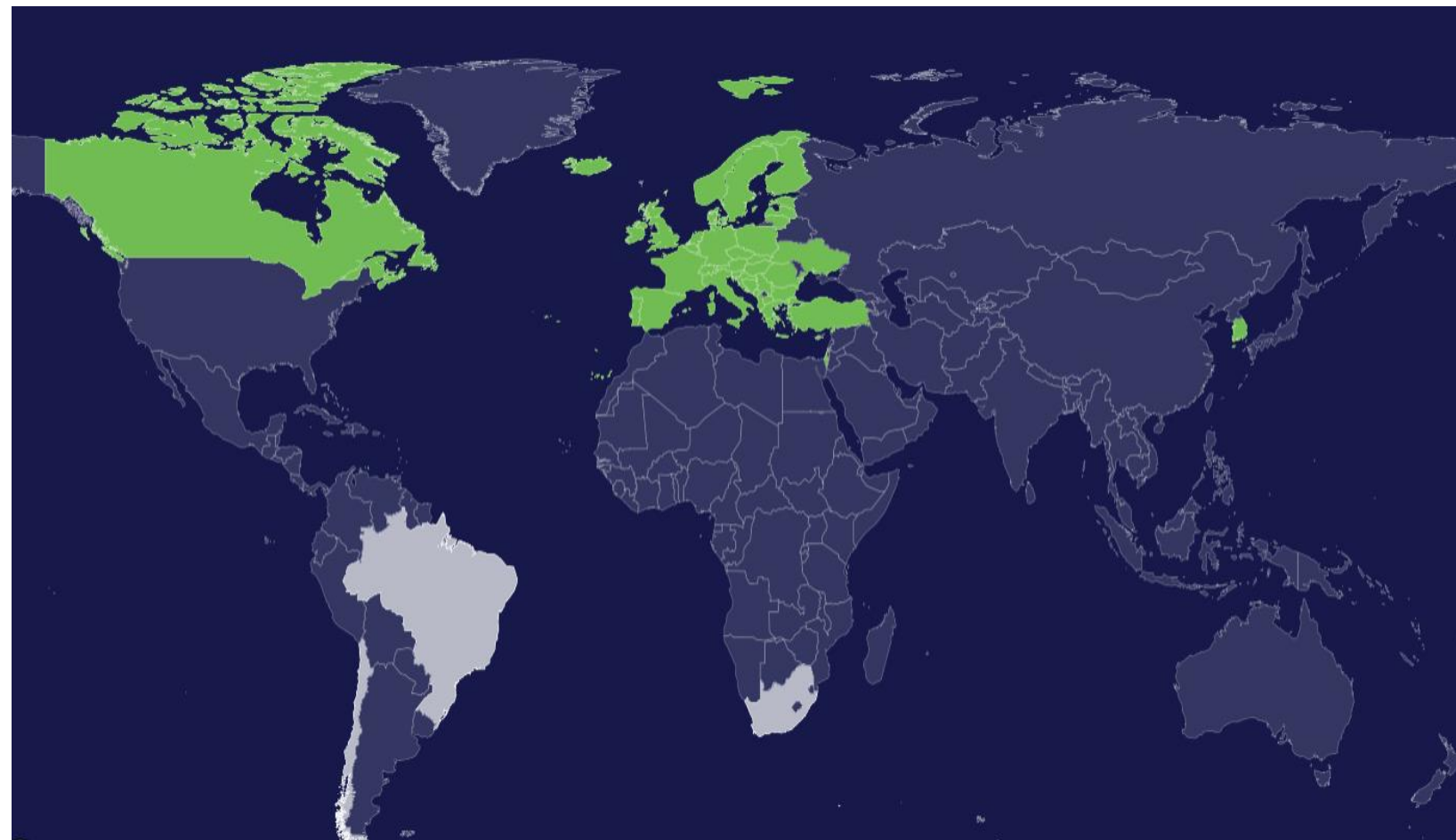


TÜBİTAK's 63rd Anniversary:
July 24, 2026-



Note: Compiled from the duties given in Article 41 of the
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EUREKA Network



- **Full Members – 48**
(47 countries + European Commission)
- **Associate Countries – 3**
(Chile, Brazil, South Africa)

1509 INTERNATIONAL INDUSTRIAL R&D PROJECTS GRANT PROGRAMME

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International Industrial
R&D Projects

Who can apply?

Capital Companies

Capital companies
resident in Türkiye
(SMEs and Large
Companies)

Funding Rules



Funding Duration

Determined according to the requirements of the international program (international call document)



Budget

- Single-partner projects: Up to TRY 25 million
- Collaborative projects: Up to TRY 80 million (Maximum budget per partner: TRY 25 million)



Support Rate

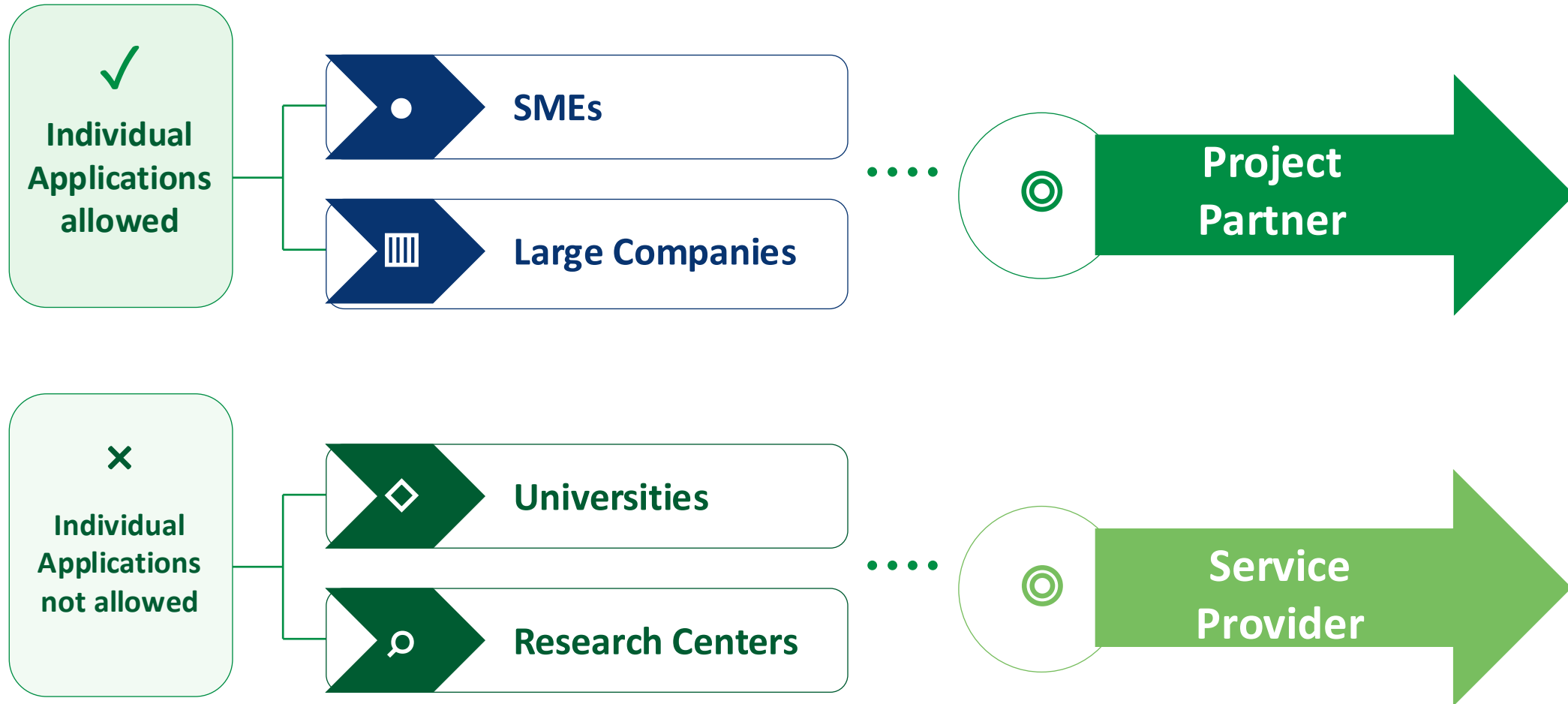
For the company's first five funded projects:
SMEs: 75% funding
Large enterprises: 60% funding*
For the company's sixth and subsequent funded projects:
SMEs: 60% funding
Large enterprises: 40% funding*



Application Period

Project applications can be submitted online at eteydeb.tubitak.gov.tr at any time in accordance with the evaluation calendar of the relevant international calls

Who can apply?



Funding outlook

For the company's
first five funded projects:

SMEs

75%

funding*

Large enterprises

60%

funding*

For the company's sixth
and subsequent funded
projects:

SMEs

60%

funding*

Large enterprises

40%

funding*



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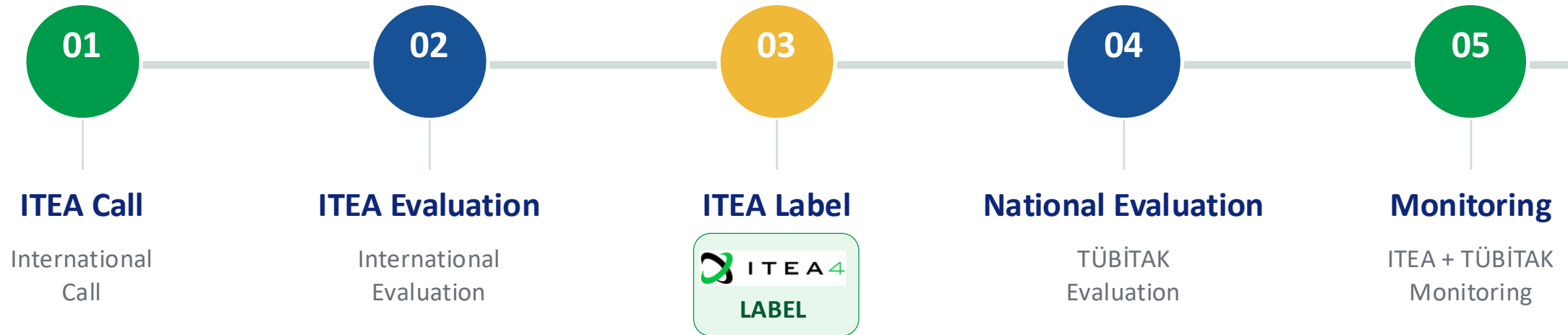
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All funding is provided as grants

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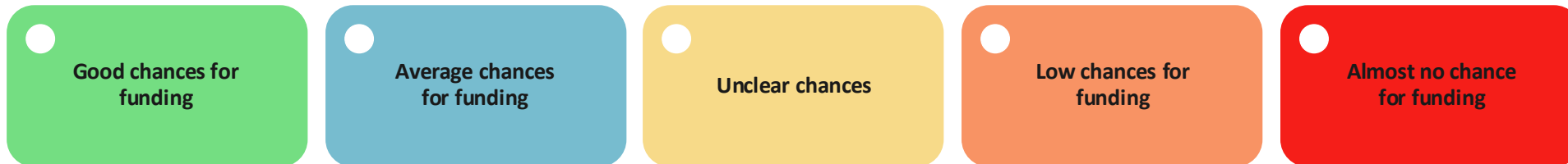
Online application tool: eteydeb.tubitak.gov.tr

Evaluation process



Evaluation status legend

Proposals are assigned a preliminary funding-chance status during both PO and FPP evaluations.



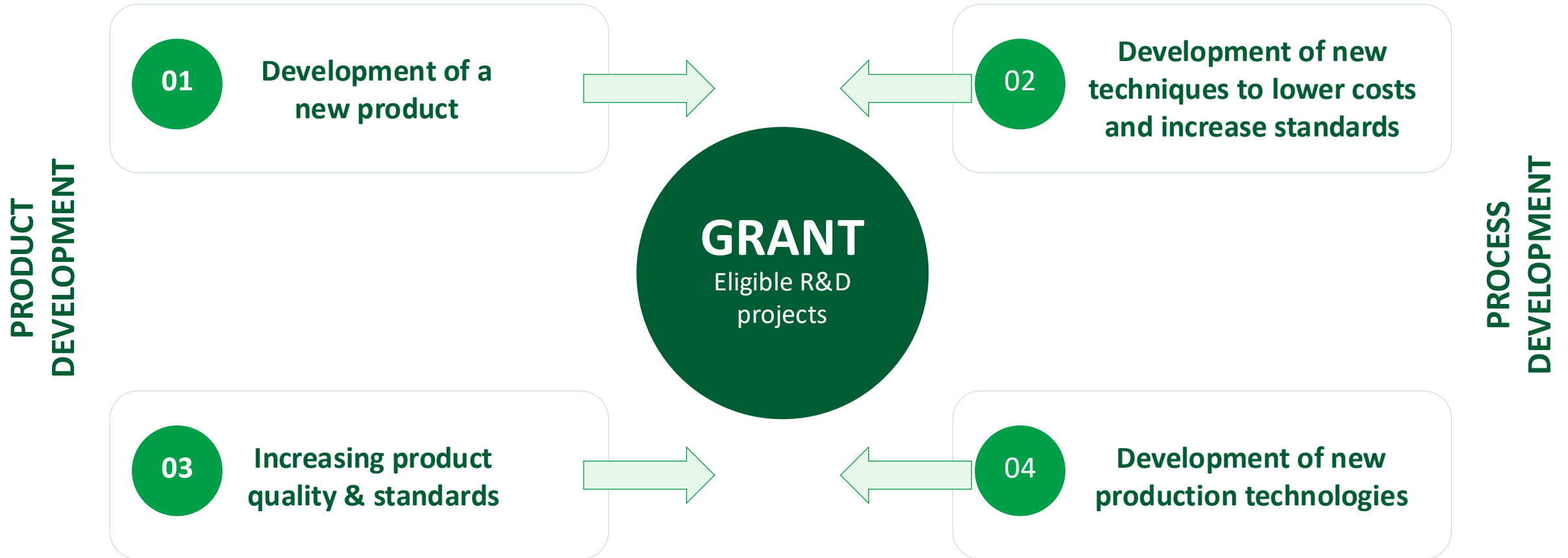
These statuses indicate the evaluation outlook; final national funding decisions are made through the national evaluation process.

Evaluation process



Application → Expert Review → Committee Evaluation → Grant Agreement

Which projects?



Critical success factor: Strong role of Turkish partners

Eligible activities



1- Conceptual development



2- Technological / technical and economic feasibility studies



3- Laboratory studies from conceptual development to design



4- Design and development



5- Prototype production



6- Establishment of pilot plant



7- Test run

Türkiye's priority areas

Digital Leadership

01

Quantum Technologies

02

**Artificial Intelligence
and Data Science**

03

**Cybersecurity and Secure
Digital Infrastructures**

04

**Next-Generation
Communication Technologies**

Technological Leap in Industry

05

**Robotics, Mechatronics
and Automation**

06

**Motor, Drive and Control
Systems Technologies**

07

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Medical Technologies

08

**Semiconductor and
Chip Technologies**

Green Transition

09

**Sectoral Green
Technologies**

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Agricultural Technologies

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Clean Energy

Turkish participation in ITEA

Participation of Türkiye in ITEA

Active in projects since 2004

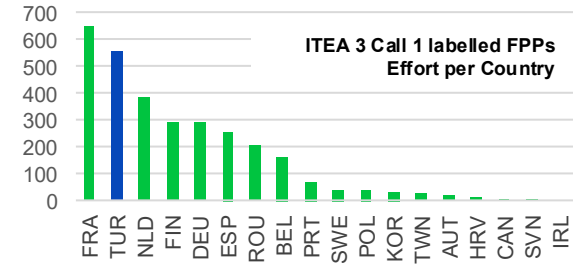
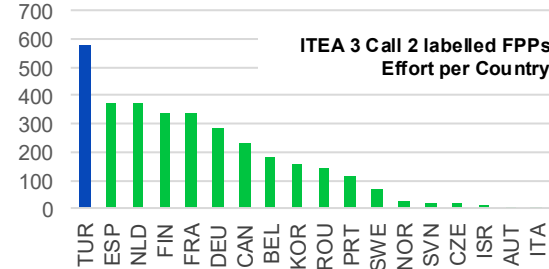
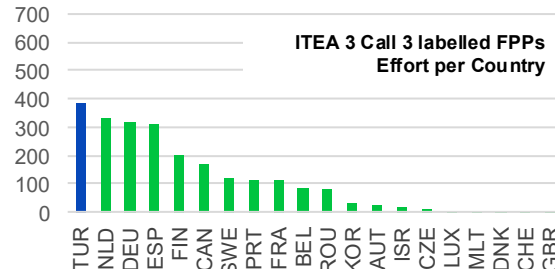
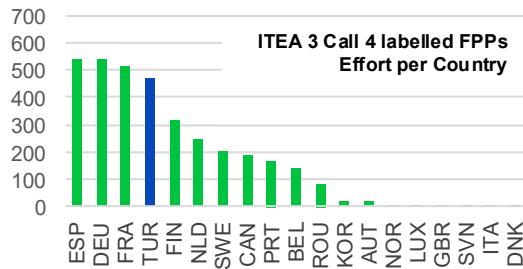
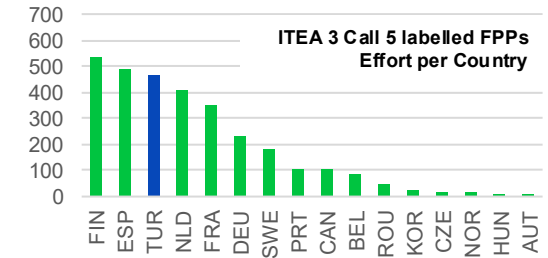
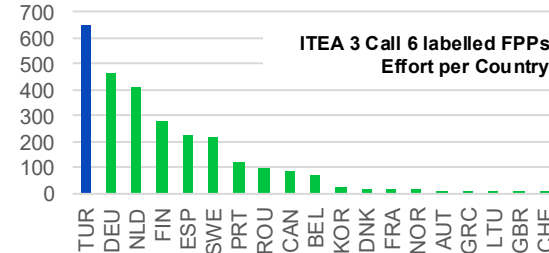
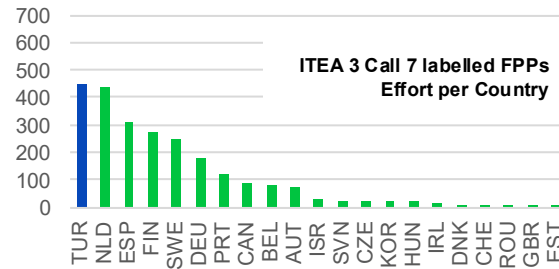
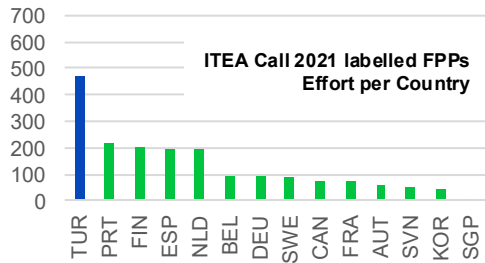
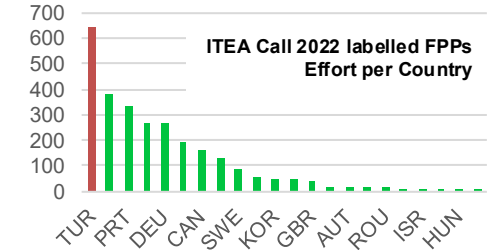
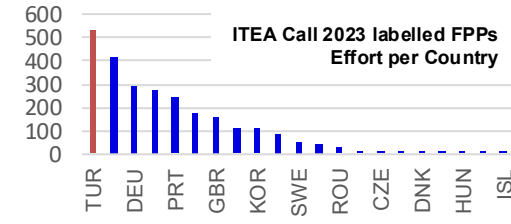
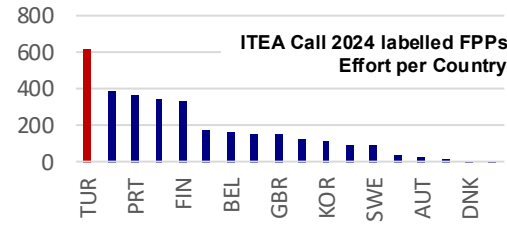
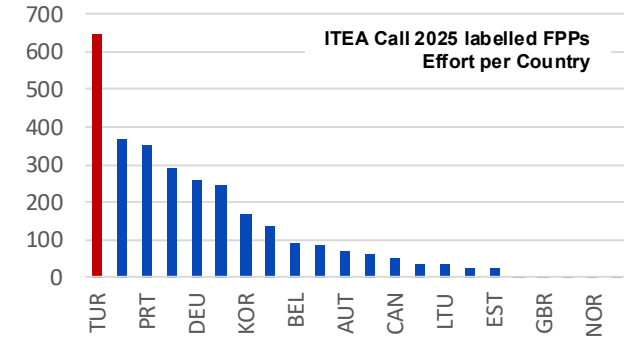
255 participating partners

154 ITEA projects with Turkish participation, of which 33 are or were led by Turkish company

19 awarded projects with Turkish participation

	Number of projects	Turkish effort in PY	Turkish costs in k€
Labelled	27*	768*	40.098*
Running	33	724	27.212
Completed	94	2062	81.961
Grand Total	154		

Participation of Türkiye in ITEA Effort per country – Labelled FPPs of ITEA 3 and ITEA 4



Participation of Türkiye in ITEA ITEA 3 and ITEA 4 Project Challenges



Smart city: 8 projects



Smart mobility: 7 projects



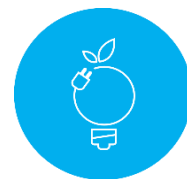
Smart communities: 10 projects



Smart industry: 21 projects



Smart health: 21 projects



Smart energy: 3 projects



Safety and security: 12 projects



Smart engineering: 24 projects

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