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Enhancing innovation, entrepreneurship and business investment in Small and Medium Enterprises by promoting competitiveness and business growth.



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Enterprises and entrepreneurs strategic partner for innovation and growth.

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Territorial: Portuguese mainland

Sectorial:

Are eligible projects in all economic activities, with special focus in those ones that produce tradable products and services, oriented for the international market, or contribute for their value chain and are not services related to the general economic interest.

According to the Portuguese Economic Activities Classification (CAE), are excluded of all calls for proposals, attending that they do not produce tradable products and services, the enterprises of the following activities:

- **Financial and assurance** – divisions 64 to 66;
- **Public Administration and Defence** – division 84;
- **Lottery and other gambles** – division 95.

Restrictions:

- Primary agricultural production, fisheries and aquaculture (except R&D Voucher)
- Other sectors with European restrictions
- The calls can exclude other activities.
- Projects related with concession contracts with the State are not eligible.

Typologies – PT2020	Goals
R&D	Intensifying the effort to R&D and the creation of new knowledge Promoting the relationship between enterprises and Science Institutions
Innovation & Entrepreneurship	To encourage productive innovation investment Promoting qualified entrepreneurship Expand activities with high technological content or with international dynamic demands
Qualification and Internationalization SME's	To promote the competitiveness of SME's, Increasing the productivity of SME's Developing the active presence of SME's in the global market

R&D

Typologies	Investment	Financial support/Grant
Enterprise R&D	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Individual and co-promoted R&D projects led by companies: R&D activities expenses, hiring of HR, Protection of Intellectual and Industrial Property expenses, Technical Assistance	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Non Refundable (up to 1 million €)• 25% to 80% co-funding (depending on type of R&D, company size or project)

R&D

Typologies	Investment	Financial support/Grant
R&D Teams	<ul style="list-style-type: none">The R & D Teams aims to increase the intensity of R & D in companies and their economic value; increase projects and activities of cooperation between companies and other entities of the R & I system; develop new products and services, especially in activities of greater technological and knowledge intensity; strengthen the actions of economic valuation of R & D projects successfully; and increase national participation in international R & I programs and initiatives.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Non Refundable – 50% for SME and 15% Non SME (only co-promotion projects)

R&D

Typologies	Investment	Financial support/Grant
IP Protection	<ul style="list-style-type: none">The IP Protection supports projects that, following supported R & D projects, aim to promote the registration of industrial property rights in the form of registration of patents, utility models, models, national, European and international.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Non Refundable – 50% (40% Lisbon Region)
R&D Voucher	<ul style="list-style-type: none">The R & D Voucher is intended for projects of the acquisition of services in activities of research and technological development and transfer of technology.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Maximum support of €15.000(Rate 75% or 40% Lisbon Region)

Innovation & Entrepreneurship

Typologies	Investment	Financial support/Grant
StartUP Voucher	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Support for the development of business projects, by young people with ages between 18 and 35 years.• 12 months maximum duration, taking into account the stages of business project's development and the company's set up: <p>Stage 1: development of the idea, of the knowledge and/or application development of R & D results, in the production of new products and services;</p> <p>Stage 2: development of the technology and of the business model;</p> <p>Stage 3: development of the business plan and set up of the company.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Monthly grant (€ 691,70) per young entrepreneur (1 ou 2 per team);• Mentoring;• Follow-up by a business incubator;• Mid-term evaluation Awards for the projects that achieve a positive, according to the purposes of each stage (€ 1500 + € 1500 per business project);• Achievement award of 2.000€ per business project, for the new company's equity.

Innovation & Entrepreneurship

Typologies	Investment	Financial support/Grant
StartUP Visa	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Promote foreign investment, boosting the dynamics on the creation of companies, attracting sustainable specialization and internationalization profile in the Portuguese economy• Support program for foreign entrepreneurs who intend to develop an entrepreneurial and/or innovative business in Portugal, viewing to allow the granting of visas or residence authorization	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Access to visa or residence authorization aiming the creation of an innovative based company in Portugal• Access and support from certified incubators to the development of the entrepreneurial and/ or innovative project• 12 months incubation contract for mentoring and support services on the development of the innovative project

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Incubation Voucher	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Support for company / startup participation for 12 months in incubation programs in accredited incubators (list available on www.iapmei.pt)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Non-refundable grant - Maximum support of €7.500 (Rate 75% or 40% Lisbon Region (with €5.000 limit))

Innovation & Entrepreneurship

Typologies	Investment	Financial support/Grant
Innovation in production for Non-SME	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Investment on the creation of a new establishment• Increase of production capacity• Diversification of production• Fundamental change in the overall production process, in: Construction, Productive equipment, Transf. Technology, Engineering	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Refundable assistance (0% Interest, 2 years grace period + 6 years repayment) 30% to 75% co-financing (depending on the size of the company, location, type of project, nature of the entrepreneur)
Innovation in production for SME		<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Maximum 40% in Lisbon Region• Conversion of refundable assistance to Non-refundable/GRANT, up to 60% (depending on the evaluation of results – degree of achievement)

Qualification and Internationalization SME's

Typologies	Investment	Financial support/Grant
<p>Qualification of SME's (in Organizational and management innovation; Digital Economy and ICT; Brands and design; PI; Quality; Transfer of Knowledge; Distribution and logistics; Eco-innovation).</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Nonproductive equipment, software, industrial property protection and specialized consulting in project intervention domains	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Non refundable 40% in Lisbon Region• 45% remaining regions

Qualification and Internationalization SME's

Typologies	Investment	Financial support/Grant
Modernization of commerce Voucher	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Acquisition of support services in areas such as Organizational innovation and management; Creation of marks and design; Quality; Digital economy and ICT	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Non Refundable grant - Maximum support of €5.000 (Rate 75% or 40% Lisbon Region)
Circular economy Voucher	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Acquisition of consulting services to implement solutions aligned with the Circular Economy national strategy	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Non Refundable grant Maximum support of €7.500 (Rate 75% or 40% Lisbon Region)
Industry 4.0 Voucher	<ul style="list-style-type: none">acquisition of consulting services to identify a strategy conducive to the adoption of technologies and processes associated with Industry 4.0	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Non Refundable grant - Maximum support of €7.500 (Rate 75% or 40% Lisbon Region)

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The electronic portal “[Portugal 2020](#)” provides orientation and documents, like regulation, information, announcements of calls for proposals, selection criteria for eligibility of the projects based on objective and measurable parameters and indicators, etc.

Applications can only be submitted if a call is open. After filling the electronic form, the application can be submitted in the period defined in the call.



Open Calls:

www.iapmei.pt