

## South Korea – Korea Agency for Infrastructure Technology Advancement [KAIA]

### a) National/Regional information and eligibility criteria

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<b>Funding commitment</b>	<p>EUR 600,000 (900,000,000 Korean Won)</p> <p>* Funding for 2024 (KRW 300 million for Korean Government’s Fiscal Year (FY) 2025) is confirmed, 2025 (FY2026) and 2026 (FY2027) may vary depending on the results of Korean government and National Assembly’s budget deliberation every year</p>
<b>Anticipated number of projects to be funded</b>	1-2
<b>Maximum funding per awarded project/per partner</b>	N/A
<b>Eligible types of organisations</b>	<p>In general, universities, research institutes, SME’s and large companies, non-profit organisations founded according to the civil law are eligible for funding. The complete eligibility criteria and definitions may be found in the National Research and Development Innovation Act and the relevant enforcement decree in the following website:</p> <p><a href="https://www.law.go.kr/LSW/eng/engMain.do?eventGubun=060124">https://www.law.go.kr/LSW/eng/engMain.do?eventGubun=060124</a></p>
<b>Eligible Call Modules</b>	Module 10 - Clean energy integration in the built environment
<b>Eligible types of RDI and TRL</b>	<p>Project start: TRL 3 or higher</p> <p>Project end: TRL 5 or higher</p>

<b>Submission of proposal /documentation at national/regional level</b>	<p>Official Submission to CETP :</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Submission deadline pre-proposals: November 21st, 2024 at 14:00 (CET) / 22:00 (Korea Standard Time)</li> <li>- Submission deadline full proposals: April 2nd, 2025 at 14:00 (CEST) / 21:00 (Korea Standard Time)</li> </ul> <p>Korean applicants will be invited to upload the International Application along with the standard required documents and evidences to the Korean national R&amp;D management system (IRIS): (<a href="https://pms.iris.go.kr">https://pms.iris.go.kr</a>)</p> <p>Submission deadline full proposals to Korean R&amp;D system (IRIS): April 2nd, 2025 at 21:00 (Korea Standard Time) - only for full proposal applicants</p>
<b>Additional eligibility criteria</b>	<p>Please check the Korean National R&amp;D Innovation Act and the relevant manual found at the following website:  <a href="http://www.kaia.re.kr/portal/bbs/list/B0000050.do?option1=2&amp;menuNo=200131">http://www.kaia.re.kr/portal/bbs/list/B0000050.do?option1=2&amp;menuNo=200131</a></p>
<b>Eligible costs</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Personnel costs</li> <li>- Operational costs (Research activities)</li> <li>- Indirect costs (according to the defined rate)</li> <li>- Others</li> </ul> <p>Cost items shall be allocated in compliance with the Korean National R&amp;D Innovation Act and the relevant manual found at the following website:  <a href="http://www.kaia.re.kr/portal/bbs/list/B0000050.do?option1=2&amp;menuNo=200131">http://www.kaia.re.kr/portal/bbs/list/B0000050.do?option1=2&amp;menuNo=200131</a></p>
<b>Information available at</b>	<p>KAIA website: <a href="https://www.kaia.re.kr">https://www.kaia.re.kr</a>  E-mail contact: <a href="mailto:global@kaia.re.kr">global@kaia.re.kr</a></p>
<b>Other</b>	<p>Korean applicants should begin their projects by September 2025, regardless of the start date of their consortium</p>

b) Funding rates

Maximum funding percentages:

	<b>Basic research</b>	<b>Industrial/Applied Research</b>	<b>Experimental development/innovation</b>
<b>Large Enterprises</b>	Up to 50%	Up to 50%	Up to 50%
<b>Medium Enterprises</b>	Up to 70%	Up to 70%	Up to 70%
<b>Small Enterprises</b>	Up to 75%	Up to 75%	Up to 75%
<b>Universities, public research organisations</b>	Up to 100%	Up to 100%	Up to 100%
<b>Public authorities</b>	Up to 100%	Up to 100%	Up to 100%
<b>Associations without economic activities, NGOs</b>	N/A	N/A	N/A