

Finland – Innovaatorahoituskeskus Business Finland / BF

a) National/Regional information and eligibility criteria

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Funding commitment	5 000 000 €
Anticipated number of projects to be funded	5-10
Maximum funding per awarded project/per partner	N/A
Eligible types of organisations	Companies of any size (min 2 full time employees), universities, public research organisations Domicile in Finland
Eligible Call Modules	All modules
Eligible types of RDI and TRL	TRL 3-7
Submission of proposal /documentation at national/regional level	All companies applying for funding from Business Finland must submit an export potential assessment at the first stage. All partners applying for funding from Business Finland must submit a national funding proposal at full proposal stage.
Additional eligibility criteria	Business Finland R&D funding requirements: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Export potential sufficient (case by case assessment) - No financial and tax irregularities - No sanction listed owners - Public research organizations can't be the sole funded Finnish participant (i.e. a funded or self-funded Finnish company partner is required)

Eligible costs	<p>Standard Business Finland R&D funding requirements, i.e. project related costs that are needed to reach the project goals:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Wages - Indirect employee costs (as stated in funding terms and conditions) - Overheads (as stated in funding terms and conditions) - Travel costs - Equipment and materials - Third party services
Information available at	https://www.businessfinland.fi/suomalaisille-asiakkaille/palvelut/rahoitus/rahoituksen-ohjeet-ehdot-lomakkeet
Other	

b) Funding rates

Maximum funding percentages:

	Basic research	Industrial/Applied Research	Experimental development/innovation
Large Enterprises	-	40 %	40 %
Medium Enterprises	-	50 %	50 %
Small Enterprises	-	50 %	50 %
Universities, public research organisations	-	80 %	80 %
Public authorities	-	-	-
Associations without economic activities, NGOs	-	-	-