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PRIMA AWP 2019 Priorities and Novelties
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What are the highlights for 2019 Calls

Enhance innovation potential in the Mediterranean Area

• Open the way to Living labs (open innovation model)

• Promote a multi-actor approach (H2020)

• Increase the number of Innovation Actions
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New areas and opportunities by:

- Water-Environment-Food Nexus.
- Capacity building
- Focus on impacts
Monitoring impacts KPIs

KPIs present in all type of Actions

KPI 1 Number of new modelling routines
KPI 2 Number of efficiency enhanced technologies for wastewater treatment
KPI 3 Number of new irrigation technologies and protocols

KPI 4 Number of new varieties/species adaptable to climate change;
KPI 5 Number of integrated solutions for pest and diseases management for plant and animal production systems;

KPI 6 Number of new food products with enhanced shelf-life, quality and healthy related beneficial properties;
KPI 7 Number of new varieties/species adaptable to climate change;
KPI 8 Number of innovative solutions aimed to improve quality control mechanisms and techniques throughout supply chains;
KPI 9 Number of business models for quality and sustainability

KPI Improved capacity of R&I organisations

KPI New practices for R&I organisations

KPI Start-ups created adopting organisational and technological innovation

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**PRIMA implementation Programme Structure**
SRIA Priorities in PRIMA AWP 2018

- Priority 1 Water resources availability and quality within catchments and aquifers
- Priority 2 Sustainable, integrated water management
- Priority 3 Irrigation technologies and practices
- Priority 4 Use of alternative water resources

- Priority 1 Adaptation of agriculture to climate change
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Indicative PRIMA Call 2019 Content

Section 1, four Calls

THEMATIC AREAS

1. Thematic area water management
2. Thematic area farming system
3. Thematic area food value chain
4. Thematic area Nexus

Section 2, a single multi-topic Call

THEMATIC AREA:
Agro-Food value chain, Farming systems, Management of water

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Type of Actions

RIA Research and Innovation Action

IA Innovation Action

CSA Coordination and Support Action, NO links with TRLs

RIA* Research and Innovation Actions

* Analogous to RIA, According to National Regulations
Strategic Priorities Allocation of Topics in 2019 Calls

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Total Budget for 2019 Calls

- 28 M Euro Section 1 Call
- 35 M Euro Section 2 Calls
- 63 M Euro

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Section 1 Calls Budget/Type of Action

- **IA, 12,800,000.00, 46%**
- **CSA, 1,100,000.00, 4%**
- **RIA, 14,100,000.00, 50%**

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Section 1 Calls Budget/Thematic Area

Total Budget for PRIMA Section 1 Calls: **28 M Euro**
N. of expected grants: **18**

**INDICATIVE EU CONTRIBUTION (IN €)**
- Section 1 Call 1: 6,400,000.00
- Section 1 Call 2: 10,900,000.00
- Section 1 Call 3: 6,400,000.00
- Section 1 Call nexus: 4,300,000.00
Section 2 Calls Budget/Thematic Area

- **Water management, 12,062,000**
- **Farming System, 12,720,000**
- **Food Value Chain, 11,066,000**

Total Budget for PRIMA Section 2 Calls: **35 M**
N. of expected grants: **35**

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Calendar 2019 Calls Section 1 and Section 2

Call launch: Mid-December 2018 - Open for proposals

- Call closure: Submission of proposals → 7-8 weeks 2019
- Evaluation process: Two Stage process around 2.5 months after both stages proposal submission deadline
- Announcement: tentative December 2019
- Signature of grant agreements: (max 8 months after the proposal submission deadline)

For more information (topics, timing FAQs) go to PRIMA website and see i.e. PRIMA AWP2019 & Guide for Applicants 2019 (Section 1, and Section 2 Calls)
THANK YOU FOR YOUR ATTENTION

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