

Clean Sky 2 Info Day
11th Call for Proposals
[CfP11]

Synergies with ESIF
A challenge for complementary support

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Synergies in practice

- **We need synergies between EU programmes for:**
 - **Complementarity** between EU programmes: no overlap in funding
 - **Coherence:** alignment of strategic priorities in support of a common vision
- **Clean Sky** has developed a coherent and comprehensive policy strategy and a pilot action plan on synergies with Member States and regions
- Encouraging synergies with ESIF by allowing **complementary activities** to be proposed by applicants to the calls launched by Clean Sky 2.
- Encouraging the use of ESIF to build and enhance **local/regional capabilities and skills** in related fields.
- Making the cooperation with Member States/regions more effective, and **facilitating the synergies with ESIF**, Clean Sky 2 promotes the signing of Memoranda of Understanding (**MoU**).
- **MoU: an incentive tool** to exploit the national/regional capabilities and RIS3.





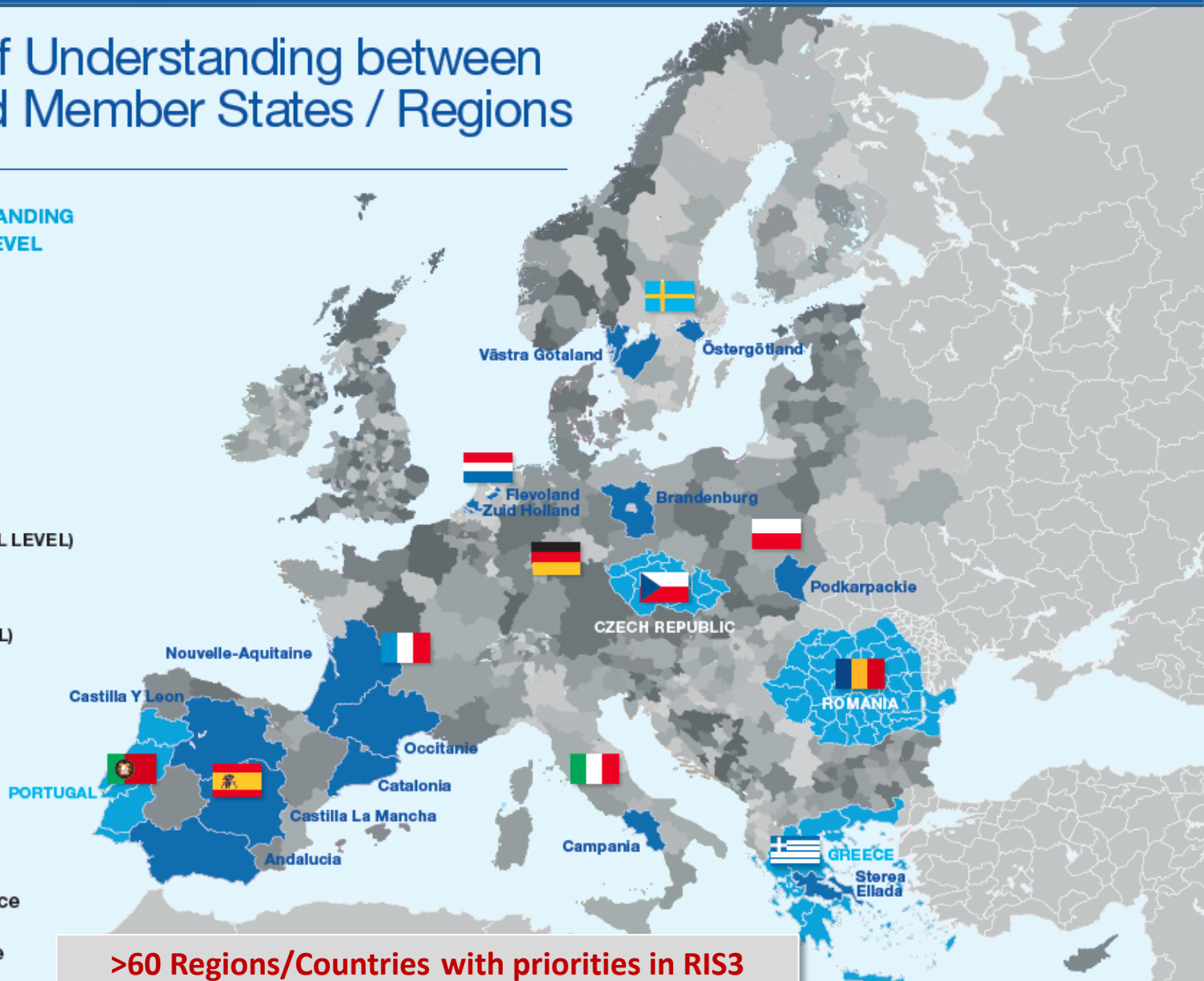
Clean Sky working with Member States and Regions

Memoranda of Understanding between Clean Sky and Member States / Regions

18 MEMORANDA OF UNDERSTANDING AT NATIONAL OR REGIONAL LEVEL

-  OCCITANIE (FR)
-  CATALONIA (ES)
-  CASTILLA LA MANCHA (ES)
-  VÄSTRA GÖTALAND (SE)
-  ÖSTERGÖTLAND (SE)
-  ROMANIA (NATIONAL LEVEL)
-  ANDALUCÍA (ES)
-  CAMPANIA (IT)
-  CZECH REPUBLIC (NATIONAL LEVEL)
-  ZUID-HOLLANDE (NL)
-  FLEVOLAND (NL)
-  PORTUGAL (NATIONAL LEVEL)
-  CASTILLA Y LEON (ES)
-  PODKARPACKIE (PL)
-  GREECE (NATIONAL LEVEL)
-  STEREA ELLADA (GR)
-  BRANDENBURG (DE)
-  NOUVELLE-AQUITAINE (FR)

-  Countries with a MoU in place
-  Regions with a MoU in place



>60 Regions/Countries with priorities in RIS3

Five Scenarios for Synergies with ESIF

- ✓ **Upstream support and capability building**
(infrastructures / test facilities / demos / pilot lines for use in CS2, enhancing of local capacities)
- ✓ **Parallel funding to complementary activities**
- ✓ **Sequential funding / downstream support (e.g. towards industrialization)**
- ✓ **Thematic calls**
- ✓ **Seal of Excellence type – the CSJU synergy label**

✓ **By January 2020**

18
MoUs

> 40
Pilot
projects

Over 40m€
funding

9
Synergy
Labels



SYNERGY LABEL

Certificate delivered by the Clean Sky 2 Joint Undertaking



Clean Sky working with Member States and Regions: best examples

- ❑ Clean Sky is working closely together with European regions to **support their RIS3 priorities** which are often closely linked to Clean Sky scope and objectives

- ❑ **National / Regional calls support complementary activities to Clean Sky programme**
 - Greece announced a funding scheme within the framework of the MoU, to support complementary activities to Clean Sky 2 calls, with a budget of € 2M
 - Occitanie call (Readynov) (FR): supported 8 pilot projects (~ € 4.5M) and the new call is open till 2021
 - Campania regional call (IT): supports 8 pilot projects with a budget > € 10M
 - Czech Republic national call funded 6 projects (~ € 4M)
 - Västra Götaland and Östergötland regions (SE) support 7 pilot projects (> € 6.5M) linked to Clean Sky activities. Aerospace Cluster Sweden (ACS) is also supported by regional funds
 - South Holland region supports the Composite Automation Development Center (CADC, budget > € 4.5M) that creates synergies with Clean Sky programme



ESIF: How does it work?

- Identify relevant **Operational Programme(s) & Managing Authorities**.
- Identify **open or planned calls / funding opportunities** under ESIF.
- **Contact Managing Authorities** for funding opportunities in R&I (not only calls specific to aeronautics, also calls for R&I or SMEs etc) and how you could link a proposal to an ongoing CSJU project or complementary activities proposed within a CfP.
- **Develop proposals by considering what you're already doing or planning to propose under CSJU calls:** funds under ESIF mostly to be spent **within OP's territory** , limited exceptions possible.



CfP applications: how to propose an ESIF WP



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⚠ Please indicate to which JU funded project/activities the proposed complementary activities are related to:

CSJU Call Identifier	
Project name/acronym and topic	
GAP ref. number	<i>(applicable to Partners)</i>
GAM ref. number and relevant WPs within Annex I	<i>(applicable to Core Partners)</i>

⚠ Please indicate whether the proposed ESIF WP(s) are already the object of a submission made / could be considered in the context of an ESIF call. In addition please indicate which is the competent Member State / Region or ESIF Managing Authority relevant for the ESIF WP(s) proposed.

ESIF Call Identifier	<i>(if applicable)</i>
Topic	<i>(if applicable)</i>
Proposal Number	<i>(if applicable)</i>
Proposal Name / Acronym	<i>(if applicable)</i>
ESIF Managing Authority or competent Member State / Region	<i>(Mandatory)</i>

Title of Proposal:

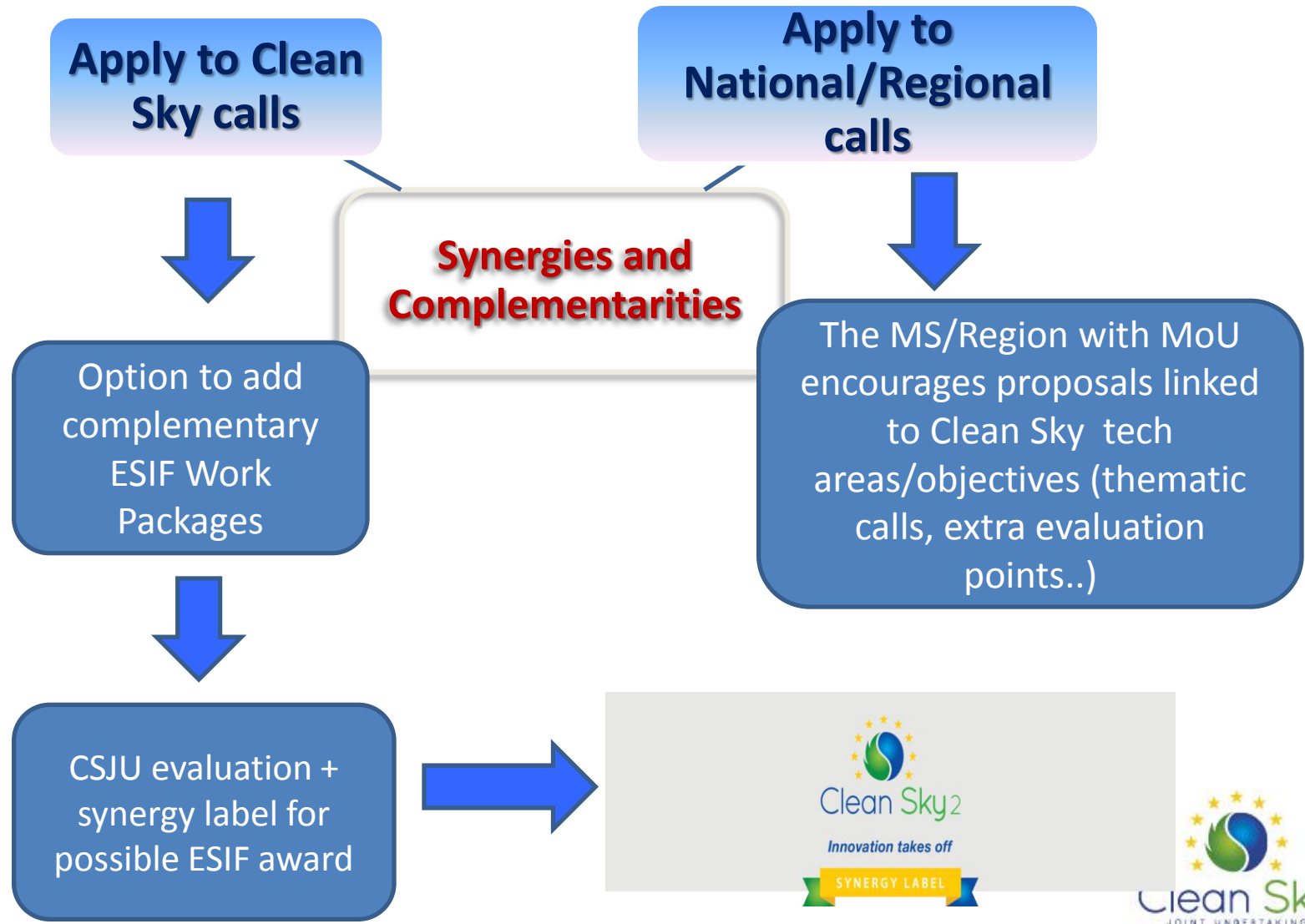
List of JU Leader/Partner/Core Partners proposing the ESIF complementary activities and of other legal entities (not active in CSJU) involved in the proposals: /s

No *	Participant Organisation Name	Country/Region
1 (Coordinator)		
2		
3		

* Please use the same participant numbering as the one used in the administrative proposal forms.

- Applicant to CS2JU calls may propose a complementary and separate set of activities which may be granted ESIF support **(the “ESIF WP”)**
- The ESIF WP may be added only to the **optional Template form in the Part C**
- Content: description of the WP activities with explanation of links/synergies plus description of resources and Total Eligible Costs and ESIF funding value (where applicable and the ESIF scheme is known at that stage)

How to put efficient synergies forward to Member States/regions



CfP application: ESIF WP (I)

- No change in the rules, the proposal shall meet the topic scope in full, the budget shall cover the full scope of the topic
- ESIF WP will be evaluated as a separate process - outside the CfP rules and evaluation. **No impact on the ESR and scores of the proposal.**
- Only those ESIF WP proposed by the **selected applicants** in the call will be evaluated. Some proposal in the **reserve list could be also considered.**
- **Reminder:** ESIF cannot be used to replace private contribution in JU co-funded action and no double funding of same costs items (!).



CfP application: ESIF WP (II)

The JU will

- Assess any proposed complementary activities in the ESIF WP via a **dedicated evaluation of the “CS2JU Synergy Label” with the submitted proposal and ITD/IADP area where appropriate** and make possible recommendations;
- Ask feedback from Leaders (TM) on the activities proposed and its “potential” of fitting as complementary within the Programme area and possible impact

ESIF managing authority

- May use the CS2JU evaluation and synergy label to fund those activities still based on their rules and funding schemes (submit the ESIF WP through the regional calls or other schemes).

Applicants are encouraged to

- Consider ESIF funding also *during JU project implementation* for amplification of scope/additional technical activities required etc. The JU may be asked to assess this proposed complement of activities and award a “synergy label” which may support your application for ESIF

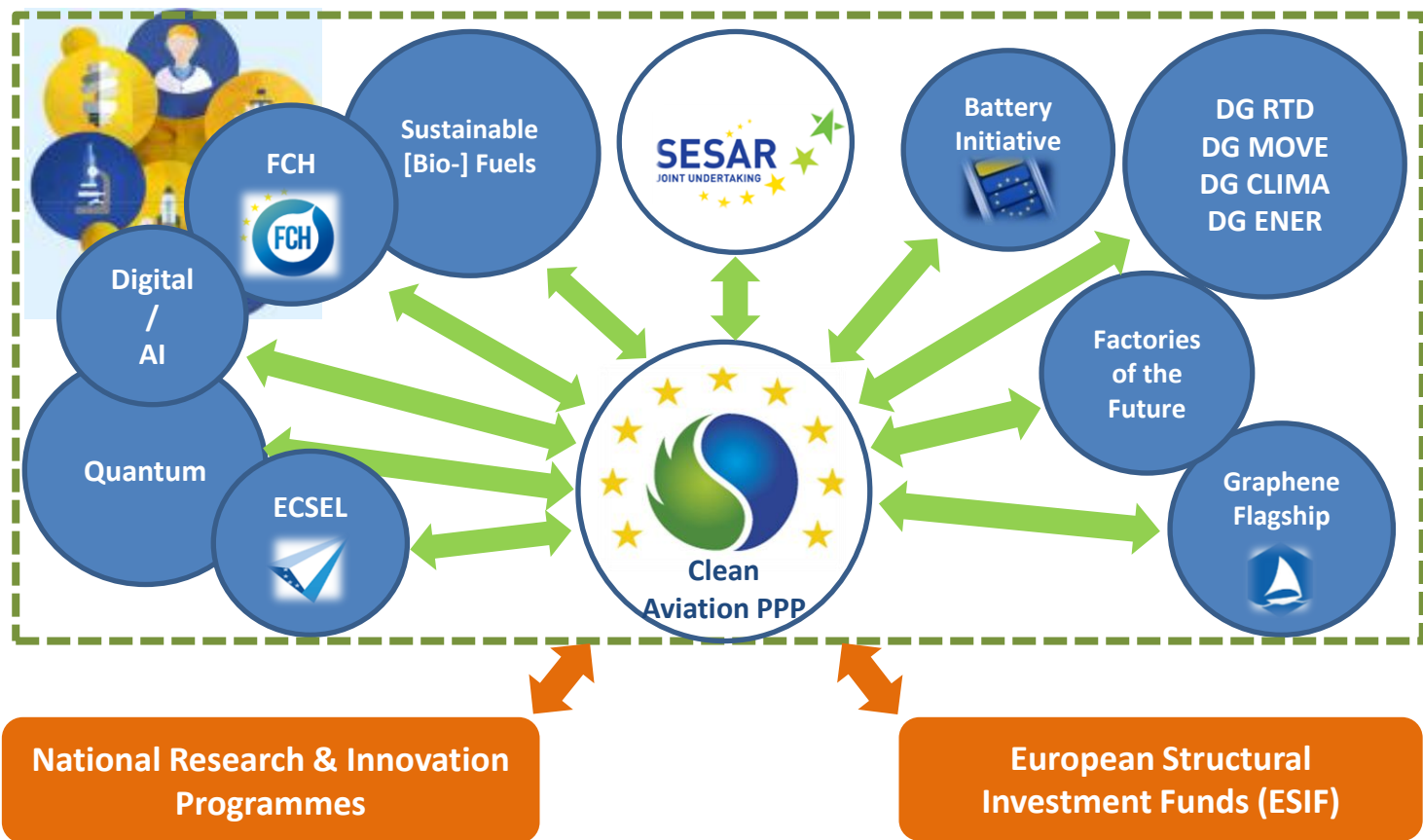


Recommendations for applicants

- **“Think strategically”** when designing proposals by considering different financial instruments to achieve synergies (also during project implementation for amplification, spin-off etc.)
- **Identify upfront the ESIF funding schemes** which may be used for requesting ESIF support to the complementary activities and their rules (eligibility, minimum requirements, funding rate, selection etc.)
- **Contact the Regions and Managing Authorities** in your MS/Region and encourage them to consider building synergies with the CSJU (a win-win strategy..).
- During the **design of RIS3 and ERDF** Operational Programmes in new MFF, you can propose structured **links with Joint Undertakings**.
- Encourage regional authorities to consider, when designing the OPs post-2020, the new proposed option to **transfer up to 5% of EU funds** under the OPs to EU Programmes such as Clean Sky.



An Innovation Architecture for a Clean Aviation PPP



Where to find more information

- Dedicated webpage on CSJU cooperation on synergies with MS/Regions with RIS3 mapping, regional statistics, how to engage in a cooperation: <http://www.cleansky.eu/structural-funds-and-regions>

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- The 2018 updated brochure ‘**Clean Sky working together with the Member States and Regions**’ has published.



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Any questions?

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Last deadline to submit your questions:
13th March 2020, 17:00 (Brussels time)

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