

Euratom Research and Training Programme in safety of the reactor systems: Overview status, vision and future perspectives

Roger Garbil, Euratom Research Unit, DG RTD, European Commission, roger.garbil@ec.europa.eu

Content

- 1. EU Multi-Financial Framework Programme (MFF) 2021-27, Horizon Europe and Euratom Research and Training (2021-25)
- 2. Overview Status and Vision

#EU60

3. Future Perspectives











9th European Commission Conference on EURATOM Research and Training in Safety of Reactor Systems Pitesti, Romania, 4-7 June 2019

How to say Yes in Europe!





ICN PITESTI



EU Decision Making Process (timeline)





Multi-Financial Framework Budget Proposal (MFF 2021-27)

ALIGNED TO POLITICAL PRIORITIES



Simplification,

transparency

and

flexibility

https://ec.europa.eu/commission/ publications/factsheets-long-termbudget-proposals_en



FP9 (2021-27) Horizon Europe Budget: €100 billion*



€ billion In current prices
Open Science
Global Challenges & Ind. Competitiveness
Open Innovation

Strengthening ERA

Euratom

* This envelope includes EUR 3.5 billion allocated under the InvestEU Fund.

Research and Innovation (including Horizon Europe, ITER and Euratom) - legal texts and factsheets <u>https://ec.europa.eu/commission/publications/research-and-innovation-including-horizon-europe-iter-and-euratom-legal-texts-and-factsheets_en</u>



Research Framework Programmes Budgets

Research Framework Programme	Total EU funding (EUR billion)	Total EURATOM funding (EUR billion)	EURATOM funding (EUR million) for fission (indirect actions) fusion (indirect actions) JRC (direct actions)	ITER funding for its construction (EUR billion)
FP4 (1994-1998)	11.88	1.23	170 - 794 - 271	-
FP5 (1998–2002)	13.70	1.26	191 - 788 - 281	
FP6 (2002–2006)	17.88	1.35	209 - 824 - 319	-
FP7 (2007–2013)	50.52	2007-11 = 1.45	287 - 654* - 514	(2007-2020 = 6.6 cap) 2007-11 = 1.3
		2012-13 = 0.55	118 - 197* - 233	2007-11 = 1.3 2012-13 = 1.3 (+)
FP8 Horizon 2020 (2014-2020)	86	2014-18 = 1.79	355 - 710* - 724	2014-20 = 2.7
		2019-20 = 0.771	152 - 350* - 269	
FP9 Horizon Europe (2021-2027) (Commission proposal)	100	2021-25 = 1.674 (2021-27 = 2.4)	330 - 724* - 620 * Excludes ITER construction	2021-27 = 6.1



H2020 EURATOM Fission RTD Calls 2014-2017



A total of 47 projects co-funded within two 2-years' calls in addition to JHR (EUR 15 million) and InnovFin (EUR 20 million)



EU/EURATOM Fission RTD Work Programmes

25%	Geological disposalDecommissioning	Geological disposalDecommissioning					
40% 25 3 5 5 2	 Reactor systems Safety of existing nuclear ins Advanced nuclear systems for Partitioning, Transmutation at Cross-cutting aspects (e.g. for Other applications (e.g. coget) 	stallation (Gen II-III) or increased safety (Gen-IV) and closed fuel cycle uels, materials, simulation, nuclear data) eneration, support to Research Reactors)					
20%	Radiation protection	Grand Total:					
7	Non-power applications	Euratom Fission RTD ~ 50 Mi€ / Year					
15%	Research infrastructures	Euratom Fission JRC ~ 50 Mi€ / Year					
6 5 4	Training and mobility Cross-cutting INCO	Total ~ 10 % EU Public&Private Fission R&D					

romania2019.eu

EU/EURATOM Research and Training







9th European Commission Conference on EURATOM Research and Training in Safety of Reactor Systems Pitesti, Romania, 4-7 June 2019

EU Nuclear Electricity Generation (PINC 2017) and 2050 strategy



Other important aspects with respect to HR requirements for nuclear experts at a European scale are the experts employed by the regulatory bodies, their technical support organizations, and in nuclear research, education, and training.



PINC - EU Nuclear Illustrative Programme

https://ec.europa.eu/energy/en/news/commission-presents-nuclear-illustrative-programme 2050 Long-term strategy

https://ec.europa.eu/energy/en/topics/energy-strategy-and-energy-union/2050-long-term-strategy



9th European Commission Conference on EURATOM Research and Training in Safety of Reactor Systems Pitesti, Romania, 4-7 June 2019

Global Perspectives



This map is without prejudice to the status of or sovereignty over any territory, to the delimitation of international frontiers and boundaries, and to the name of any territory, city or area.



Qth European Commission Conference on EURATOM Research and Training in Safety of Reactor Systems Pitesti, Romania, 4-7 June 2019

	2015	2020	2025	2030	2040	2050			
	Generation II–III Light W	ater Reactor life exten	sion						
Gen-II-III	Plant lifetime managen	nent	Lo	ong Term Operation					
LWR		New build Generation - III+							
NUGENIA		Decomm	issioning and disma	ntling (NPP, research re	eactors, fuel cycle fa	cilities)			
MELODI	EU/MS R&D EJP CON	CERT, MELODI, ALLIAI	NCE, NERIS, EURAD	OS, EURAMED					
	EU/MS R&D, IGDTP	EJP FI	FR	SE Geolo	ogical UK	Disposal DE			
	Performance and agein	g for long term operati	on						
Cross-cutting	Structural integrity, comp	Structural integrity, component ageing phenomena, instrumentation, onsite monitoring							
Technology	High reliability compon	ents	-						
R&D -	Advanced manufacturing	Advanced manufacturing, assembly process, accident tolerant fuel, qualification and control, EERA JPNM advanced material, surface engineering							
Sharing capabilities,	High reliability and opti	nized functionalities o	f systems						
methods, tools, innovation,	Digital system, I&C, cybersecurity, system resilience under severe accident								
transfer of knowledge	Research infrastructure	Research infrastructure, modelling and numerical simulation, transfer of knowledge							
, and a set of the set	Irradiation and hot labs, characterisation capabilities, physical modelling, multi-physics and multi-scale simulation, severe accident calculation code, education and training								
Methodologies	Nuclear security and safe	guards by design and d	uring operation						
Gen-II-III-IV	Harmonisation of licensin	g, codes, standards, nev	w build LWR		FNR	Other			
Cogeneration	Small and modular conce	pts, construction technic	ques LWR	HTR FNR					
	Flexible operations potential, and to ensure a stable electricity generation with renewable energy mix sources								

	2015	2020	2025	2030	2040	2050		
ASTRID-	Reference technology	SNETP – ESNII, Euroj	pean Sustainable Nucle	ear Industrial Initiative				
-Like SFR Prototype	Preliminary, conceptual, basic design, safety analysis reports, and supporting R&D							
MYRRHA	Supporting infrastruct	ure						
Flexible	Preliminary,	conceptual, basic and	d detailed design,	Ope	ration of an Accelerator	Driven System		
Facility	safety analysis re	ports, licensing and p	prototype construction		600 MeV - 100 MV	Vth		
ALFRED	Short -term alternative	technology						
LFR Demonstrator	Prelim safety anal	inary, conceptual, ba ysis reports, licensing	sic and detailed design g and prototype constr	, uction				
ALLEGRO	Longer-term alternative	e technology						
GFR Demonstrator		Preliminary, co safety analysis repo	nceptual, basic and deta orts, licensing and prototy	ailed design, /pe construction				
HTR	New applications of nu	Iclear technology (SN	ETP – NC2I, heat, coge	neration, hydrogen and	synthetic hydrocarbon	fuel, desalination)		
Heat	Preliminary, co	nceptual, basic and d	etailed design,	Commiss	ioning and Operations			

Fusion Roadmap







	2015	2020	2025	2030	2040	2050			
Stable and	Implementing latest sa	Implementing latest safety regulatory, low carbon energy, energy union and multi-financial frameworks							
predictable - Investment Conditions	EU/Euratom/MS incenti	ves towards technology n	eutral investments in	all low carbon technologies	s, R&D, infrastructures, c	entres of excellence			
	EIB loans, H2020 Innov	/Fin risk sharing financial	facility, Euratom loan	s, MS Contract for Differen	ce, ETS innovation fund,	mission innovation			
ergy Climate competitive	Legal frameworks Joint	Legal frameworks Joint Undertaking, ERIC, Belgian AISBL non-profit association, international Public/Private partnerships and consortia							
ustainable Security of supply	Cohesion policy ERDF	structural funds, EFSI Eu	ropean fund for strate	egic investments					
A fit for purpose system for E&T of scientists and engineers Transfer of knowledge,	Filling the skills, comp	etences and knowledge	gap						
	Meeting the skill/compe	etencies gaps, strengtheni	ng and developing e	xisting skills/competencies	e.g. STEM, MSc, PhD, F	ission, Fusion, Energy			
	Fostering involvement	t, access to research inf	rastructures and up	-take by the labour marke	ət				
	Promoting mobility, life-long learning, workforce training, industry involvement and partnerships (EU/MS, JRC, ERC, EIT, MSCA, ERASMUS+,								
	Planning and enabling	skills development							
	Sector skills assessme	ents (e.g. ECTS, ECVET, I	EUROPASS,) and ob	oservatories (e.g. EHRO-N)	, online information, platf	orms and other tools			
apabilities,	Supporting creating or networking training institutions into interdisciplinary and multi-company training providers								
mobility, credit system	ETKM, competence buil	ding, hands-on training, m	nanagement, ENEN,	FuseNET, higher educatior	n, research organisations	, industry			
International cooperation	Nuclear safety, securit	y and safeguards, multi-	disciplinary R&D o	n waste and geological di	sposal, reactor systems	s, and radiation protecti			
	EU/MS international coo	operation, including DEVC	O, ESARDA and stra	ategic partnerships (e.g. CN	N, JP, IN, KR, RU, USA)				
	Promoting synergies an	d coherent identification o	f R&D priorities toge	ther with OECD/NEA, GIF ,	IAEA				

Key Enabling Conditions

Promoting EU technology and innovation platforms, and other EU stakeholder fora (ENEF, ENSREG, WENRA, HERCA, ETSON, FORATOM, etc.)

Let's Capitalise ... All initiatives FP7, ETPs, ERA, INCO, H2020

- Under Euratom, EC should promote and facilitate EU Nuclear safety R&D in MS, collab. IAEA, OECD/NEA, GIF
- ETPs are industry led to promote R&D and demonstration of EU fission technologies
- **EU fora** supporting nuclear policy, promoting stakeholders • dialogue and safety improvements
- ENEF from 2007 and WG Transparency, risks and opportunities
- **ENSREG** from 2007, stress tests peer reviews ٠
- SNETP composed of NUGENIA, ESNII and NC2I pillars
- SET-Plan Key action n.10 on nuclear fission and fusion
- **IGDTP** on geological disposal, EURAD
- **MELODI** with NERIS-TP, EURADOS and Alliance, CONCERT

Pitesti, Romania, 4-7 June 2019

- **ENEN** European Nuclear Education Network
- **INCO** structured dialogue on R&D policy and priorities





olutions for radioactive v



European Group of Ethics EGE Opinion 27 dated 16/01/2013



On January 16, 2013, the EGE adopted Opinion 27 an "Ethical framework for assessing research, production, and use of Energy". The EGE recommends to achieve equilibrium between four criteria - access rights, security of supply, safety, and sustainability - in light of social, environmental and economic concerns.



2013 Symposium Proceedings https://publications.europa.eu/en/publicatio n-detail/-/publication/e92b20be-9163-4aeeb469-87828b10c0f1/language-en





10-Apr-13



9th European Commission Conference on EURATOM Research and Training in Safety of Reactor Systems Pitesti, Romania, 4-7 June 2019

Thank You!



