



CORDIS

Community Research and
Development Information Service



This guide introduces the most significant CORDIS services

CORDIS is an **interactive information portal** devoted to European research and innovation. Its multilingual content and web facilities keep you up to date with the latest news, progress and initiatives in EU-funded research.

CORDIS is **free of charge** and offers access to European Union research and development activities, finding a potential partner, and previous and ongoing projects and their outcomes.

CORDIS will **assist you** whether you are a researcher, a citizen, an entrepreneur, a policymaker, a government agency, a non-profit organisation, a journalist or a key player in the R & D and innovation fields.

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The seventh framework programme

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FP7 (2007–13)

FP7 is the abbreviation for the ‘Seventh framework programme of the European Community for research, technological development and demonstration activities’. This is the EU’s main instrument for research funding and it runs from 2007 to 2013.

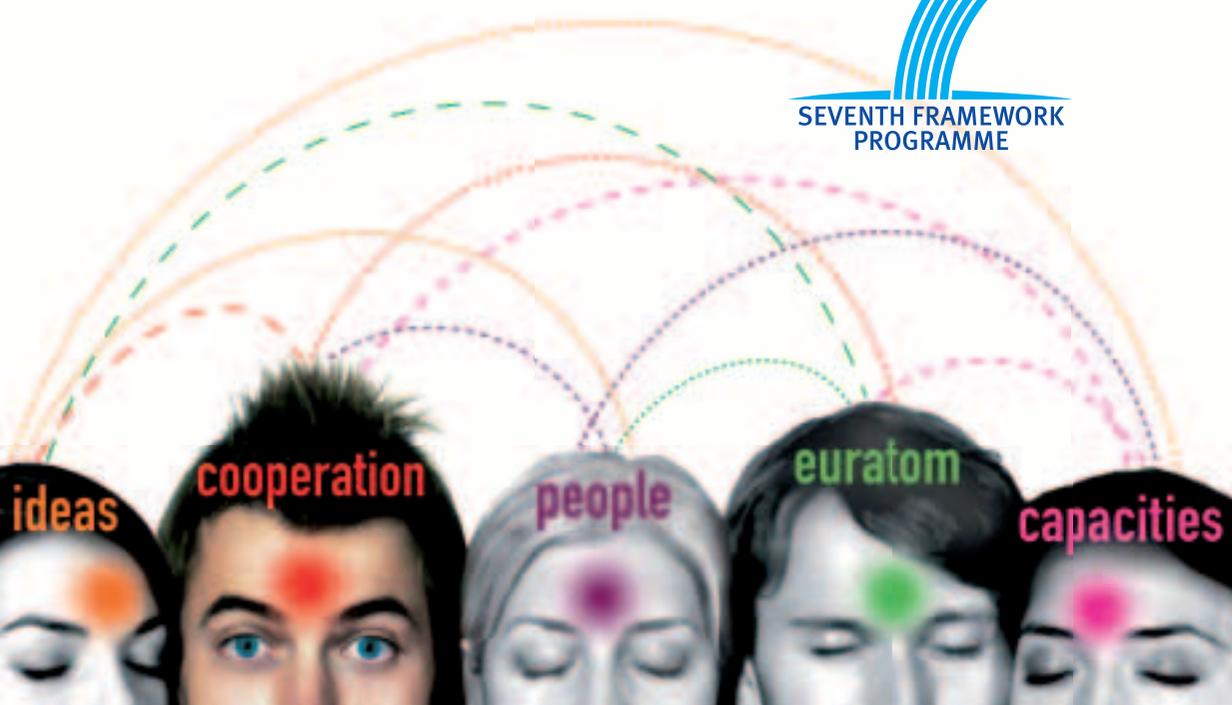
FP7 is also designed to meet European needs concerning employment, competitiveness and quality of life.

With a budget of EUR 53.2 billion over its seven-year lifespan, it represents the largest amount of funding ever allocated to these programmes.

Find out more about FP7 at: cordis.europa.eu/fp7

Publication of FP7 calls for proposals: ec.europa.eu/fp7calls

Information on EU research is also available at: ec.europa.eu/research





The projects

cordis.europa.eu/projects

CORDIS is the **primary repository** for EU-funded R & D projects covering a myriad of science, technology, and research-related fields and topics. Dating from before 1990 to the present, they relate not only to the seventh framework programme (FP7), but also to previous framework programmes.

Project details are published on CORDIS after they are made available to CORDIS by the Commission service responsible.

This service uses the breadth of the CORDIS repository as a base to bring together a wide variety of information related to individual projects, including:

- project details, descriptions, funding, programmes;
- project results, documents, reports, summaries;
- project participants;
- links;
- publications;
- multimedia.

The service unlocks content, harmonises the presentation of project information, and makes it easier for users to find out more about a project.

Projects Service at: cordis.europa.eu/projects



The results

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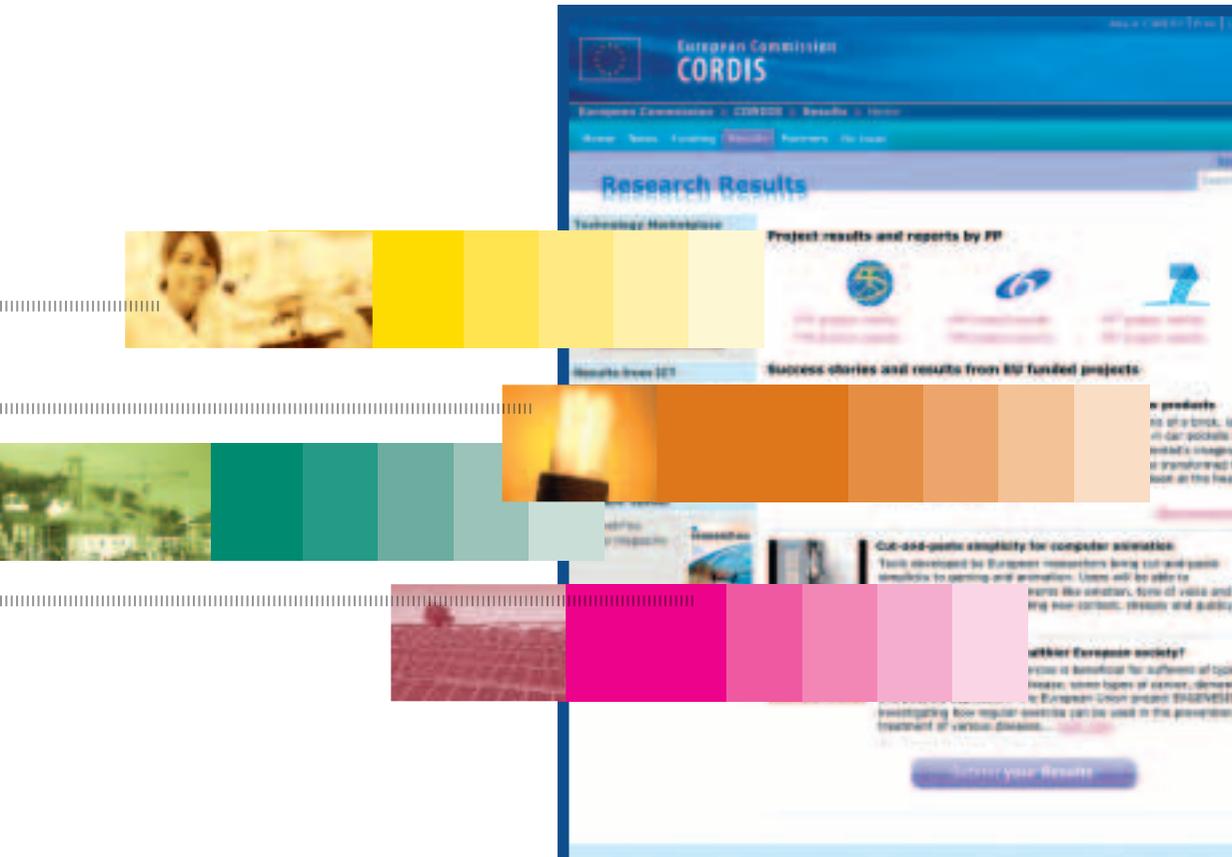
CORDIS is the single and common European Commission website for the dissemination of the research results of EU-funded projects. The CORDIS Results Service provides information concerning the actual outcome of R & D projects as provided to CORDIS by the Commission services.

The CORDIS website provides a simple way to find the results from each of the EU-funded research projects. The CORDIS search facility helps you to easily browse through the rich information available on CORDIS.

For each **FP6 project**, you can find the available final publishable activity reports.

For **FP7 projects**, the original publishable summaries as well as the periodic and final reports are made available to the public.

CORDIS prepares a rewritten multilingual summary for each result for the attention of wider audiences.





The marketplace

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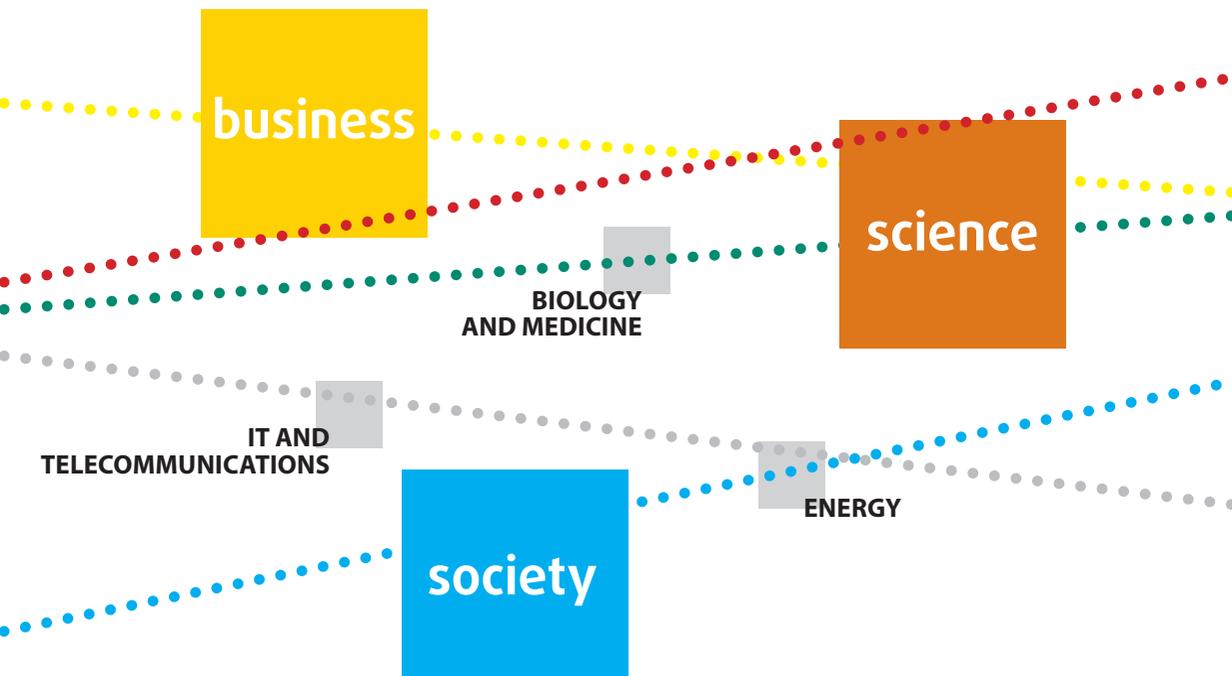
CORDIS **addresses the needs of the different target audiences** interested in EU research by providing global, easily understandable information.

To facilitate the exploitation of EU research results, businesses, entrepreneurs, policymakers, journalists and the public at large can find:

- technology offers pointing out the benefits of EU-funded research to European citizens; and
- success and feature stories.

All of them are based on the latest available results from EU-funded projects that provide opportunities for enhanced performance in the following domains:

- Biology and medicine
- Energy
- Environment
- IT and telecommunications
- Industrial technologies



The magazines

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*research*eu results magazine* features highlights from the latest technology offers and project news from the world of European research and development. Published 10 times a year in English, it provides regular updates on the research conducted by EU-funded projects, with a specific emphasis on the market-ready, exploitable technologies they have developed.

*research*eu focus* is a magazine where each issue covers a specific topic of interest to researchers, policymakers and other stakeholders in the research field. It features articles on EU policies, initiatives, programmes and projects related to research and technological development and their exploitation for the benefit of citizens. It is published by CORDIS at irregular intervals, usually in English. Exceptionally, it may be available in other European languages as well.

*research*eu results magazine* and *research*eu focus* are distributed free of charge.

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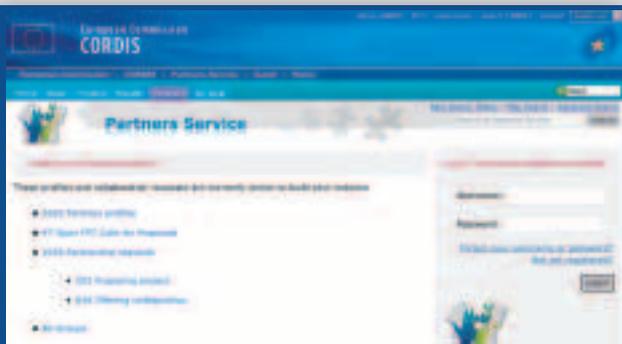
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CORDIS Partners Service is an interactive platform and a service with easy search and filtering facilities to find the collaborators best matching your needs.

Successful projects depend on interaction and cooperation between partners. Bringing together profile information, scientific publications, news from CORDIS and elsewhere, the CORDIS Partners Service helps you save time and energy ... while reaching and connecting thousands of your peers across Europe and beyond.

FIND PARTNERS AND BUILD PROJECTS:

- connect your project idea to open calls and create partnership requests;
- offer your expertise;
- find the best matches with the help of the built-in search function;
- create, join and participate in networks and interest groups;
- get recommended and find connections.



INTERACT AND PERFORM:

- manage your discussion space (groups and projects);
- share documents through the library;
- arrange meetings with the calendar;
- post blogs;
- stay connected via RSS and e-mail notifications;
- export and import your data for reuse;
- recommend projects and profiles, and much more.

Take the next step, and see what CORDIS and the Partners Service have to offer:

cordis.europa.eu/partners

The network of NCPs

cordis.europa.eu/fp7/get-support_en.html

CORDIS provides access to the network of **national contact points** (NCPs). These are specialised structures at national or local level offering personalised guidance on:

- relevant thematic priorities and instruments;
- administrative procedures and contractual issues;
- further assistance in partner search;
- training and assistance on proposal writing;
- local contacts for technology transfer.

Find other useful links to FP7 support services at:
cordis.europa.eu/fp7/get-support_en.html





CORDIS News

cordis.europa.eu/news

CORDIS News is a daily multilingual service that keeps you abreast of the latest news in the world of European research, including funding opportunities and a wide range of events.

Like most of the information on CORDIS, you can receive the latest updates without even having to visit our homepage. You can receive items via e-mail, integrate them into a page with other news streams, use an RSS reader, or even read them on your smartphone.

Contribute with CORDIS Wire

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Publish your press release, news, event or project outcome on CORDIS.

CORDIS Wire can take your message directly to R & D communities across Europe and beyond. This interactive service provides a platform for:

- promotion of activities and dissemination of information;
- dialogue and networking at European level;
- visibility for news, success stories, events and reports.



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Find out what is happening near you

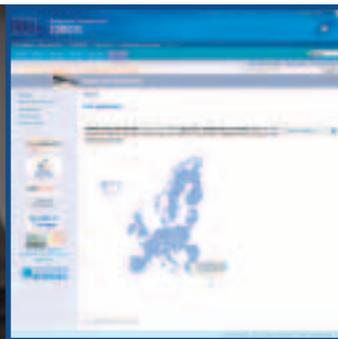
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The **CORDIS National R & D Service** outlines the national policies and frameworks in which research is undertaken in each of the EU Member States and candidate countries, as well as the latest national news and achievements in the field of R & D.

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The key objective of the **Regional Service** is to provide a regional window of information on R & D activities, focusing predominantly on local and region-based actors (SMEs, universities, subnational government agencies, etc.).

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