

Support to the implementation of an EU policy framework for CO2 transport and storage infrastructure

Horizon Europe

CODE	SCOPE
HORIZON-CL5-2027-02-D3-31	International
LOCATION	STATUS
Europe	Pending
PROGRAM	CURATED BY
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Financial Details

SUPPORT TYPE	MAXIMUM FUNDING RATE
Non-Refundable	100%
BUDGET	ELIGIBLE PROJECT VALUE
5M€	Up to 5M€

Dates & Deadlines

PUBLICATION DATE	OPENING DATE
September 25, 2026	December 3, 2026

Application Phases

- Phase 1: March 31, 2027 at 03:00 PM

Objectives

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This incentive aims to support stakeholders involved in the CO2 infrastructure network to effectively implement the forthcoming legislative framework for CO2 infrastructure within the European Union. Eligible entities include consortia of organizations engaged in CO2 infrastructure sectors, such as energy producers, technology providers, researchers, industry stakeholders, and public authorities. The objective is to address market structure, cross-border integration, interoperability, technical harmonization, investment incentives, third-party access, regulatory frameworks, tariff regulation, and ownership models, while accounting for current legislation and the challenges associated with repurposing existing infrastructure for CO2 and renewable gases. The initiative also seeks to advance the integration of renewable energy technologies, energy systems and storage, and foster the decarbonization of the energy system across the EU.

Funding

The total available budget for this call is EUR 5,000,000, with a maximum EU contribution per project around EUR 5,000,000. The funding rate for Coordination and Support Actions under Horizon Europe is up to 100% of eligible costs. Lump sum grant mechanisms apply, simplifying financial management and reporting.

Eligible Expenses

- Personnel Costs
- Travel costs
- Equipment costs
- Other goods, works and services costs
- Subcontracting
- Indirect Costs

Eligibility

Eligible Sectors

- Industry
- Energy & Environment
- Mobility & Transport

Company Typologies

- Micro
- Sme
- Small Mid-Cap
- Mid-Cap
- Large
- Private non-profit entities
- Public entities

Application Mode

- Consortium / Copromotion

Action Types

- Policy support
- Coordination and support actions

- Technical assistance
- Regulatory analysis
- Stakeholder engagement
- Legislative implementation studies

EU Programme Details

CALL ID

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CLUSTER

Cluster 5: Climate, Energy and Mobility

DESTINATION

Destination 3 : Sustainable, secure and competitive energy supply

SUBMISSION MODE

Single-stage

EU CONTRIBUTION

up to EUR 5,000,000 per project

EXPECTED PROJECTS

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FUNDING RATE RULE

100% for eligible direct costs under Horizon Europe Coordination and Support Actions (CSA) lump sum grant.

Official Links

Official Regulation:

<https://ec.europa.eu/info/funding-tenders/opportunities/portal/screen/opportunities/topic-details/HORIZON-CL5-2027-02-D3-31?order=DESC&pageNumber=1&pageSize=50&sortBy=relevance&keywords=HORIZON-CL5-2027-02-D3-31&isExactMatch=true&status=31094501,31094502,31094503>

Grantavia page: <https://grantavia.com/en/incentives/support-to-the-implementation-of-an-eu-policy-framework-for-co2-transport-and-storage-infrastructure>

Schedule a meeting: <https://calendly.com/sandra-cardoso-epsa/reuniao>