The PRIMA programme is supported under Horizon 2020, the European Union’s Framework Programme for Research and Innovation.
PRIMA: an Introduction
PRIMA can currently count on the participation of **19 Participating States**, including: Algeria, Cyprus, Croatia, Egypt, France, Germany, Greece, Israel, Italy, Jordan, Lebanon, Luxembourg, Malta, Morocco, Portugal, Slovenia, Spain, Tunisia, Turkey.
The Strategic Research and Innovation Agenda

- sets the technical and scientific basis of the PRIMA Programme
- is the output of a process encompassing the collection of inputs from a wide range of sources, workshops, events involving experts and stakeholders from all sectors of society
- identifies three thematic areas to address
Three Main Thematic Areas

- **MANAGEMENT OF WATER**
  Integrated and sustainable management of water for arid and semi-arid Mediterranean areas

- **FARMING SYSTEMS**
  Sustainable farming systems under Mediterranean environmental constraints

- **AGRO-FOOD VALUE CHAIN**
  Sustainable Mediterranean agro-food value chain for regional and local development
# Management of water

**Management of water**
Integrated and sustainable management of water for arid and semi-arid Mediterranean areas

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- Soil Sustainability
- Food Security

Cross-cutting technologies and approaches
- Digital Revolution
- Socio-economic Research and Stakeholders Involvement
- Capacity Building
PRIMA impacts

**Economic Impacts**
- Increase in production and efficiency
- Access to new markets
- Large-scale aggregate economic impacts

**Social Impacts**
- Political stability and reduced migration

**Environmental Impacts**
- Biodiversity conservation
- Sustainable farming practices
Links with SDGs

https://sustainabledevelopment.un.org/?menu=1300
PRIMA programme structure and technical aspects
PRIMA Annual Work Plan

• The PRIMA programme is implemented by the PRIMA Foundation on the basis of Annual Work plans, based on:

The priorities described in the PRIMA Strategic Research and Innovation Agenda (SRIA)

The work of the Scientific Advisory Committee

The General Assembly
# PRIMA Programme Structure

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Transnational calls for proposals

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**Proposal evaluation and selection**
- PRIMA-IS

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- EU

**Projects monitored by**
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**Rules for participation**
- PRIMA-IS
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- PRIMA-IS
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Technology Readiness Levels (TRLs)

0: IDEA
   Unproven concept, no testing has been performed

1: BASIC RESEARCH
   You can now describe the need(s) but have no evidence

2: TECHNOLOGY FORMULATION
   Concept and application have been formulated

3: NEEDS VALIDATION
   You have an initial ‘offering’; stakeholders like your software

4: SMALL SCALE PROTOTYPE
   Built in a laboratory environment (“ugly” prototype)

5: LARGE SCALE PROTOTYPE
   Tested in intended environment

6: PROTOTYPE SYSTEM
   Tested in intended environment close to expected performance

7: DEMONSTRATION SYSTEM
   Operating in operational environment at pre-commercial scale

8: FIRST OF A KIND COMMERCIAL SYSTEM
   All technical processes and systems to support commercial activity in early state

9: FULL COMMERCIAL APPLICATION
   Technology on ‘general availability’ for all consumers

Technology Readiness Levels as adapted by the CloudWATCH2 project
PRIMA AWP / Calls for Proposals 2020

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PRIMA Annual Work Plan 2020

Priorities

**Thematic area 1 Water management**

1.2 Sustainable, integrated water management
1.3 Irrigation technologies and practices

**Thematic area 2 Farming system**

2.2 Developing sustainable and productive agro-ecosystems
2.4 Developing farming systems able to generate income, to create employment and to contribute to a balanced territorial development

**Thematic Area 3 Agri-food value chain**

3.1 Valorising food products from traditional Mediterranean diet
3.4 Implications of dietary shifts and sustainable diets for the Mediterranean populations and food industry

**Nexus theme**

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Water: Topic 1.1.1-2020 (IA) Implementing sustainable, integrated management of water resources in the Mediterranean, under climate change conditions.

Integration of Climate Change Adaptation and IWRM
Testing innovative demonstration cases to improve water use efficiency and water accounting

Improved water allocation by policy makers at the basin scale and beyond

Reliable water accounting to maximise economic and social welfare without compromising ecosystems

Optimising farm irrigation management under water scarcity

Calibration and validation of models and of current remote sensing techniques

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Farming subtopic A) 1.2.1 (RIA) Conservation and valorisation of local Animal Genetic Resources

Inventory and **genetic and/or genomic characterisation of local breeds**, well adapted to the Mediterranean environment

Deciphering the **links** between **genetic, genomic** and the phenotypic adaptive traits to **increase the resilience**

Characterize the final products of local breeds and **promote - high quality products /consumers**

Establishment of **networks or platforms** around the Mediterranean basin for genetic conservation and the promotion of adapted breeds

This topic is exclusively restricted to the Mediterranean local breeds

Develop and make available decision-making tools for the end users to select the most appropriate breeds according to the specificities of the production environment

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Projects should capitalize on what has been done in the past and propose alternatives feed resources based on local agricultural production.

Project can use/propose new crops or species when well adapted to the local conditions.

Evaluate the impact of using alternative animal feeds on animal productivity, health, welfare and on the quality of the product.

Analyse the socio-economic impact of the proposed alternatives animal feeds and promotion of the adoption of these new feeds by the farms.

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Agro-food Topic 1.3.1 (IA) Valorising the health benefits of Traditional Mediterranean food products

Nutritional value of the developed food products should be at the centre of the process of valorisation of Mediterranean food product.

Focus on food technologies to preserve the healthiness and quality of these products.

Optimized eco-friendly food processing technologies and tools to preserve the original nutritional value and enrich the valuable bioactive contents.

- Development of new value-added foods products/forms from traditional Mediterranean diet with proven health benefits.
- Development of efficient national/regional nutritional strategies.

Develop innovative food products based on consumer-centred re-design of traditional Mediterranean recipes and ingredients, to satisfy consumers’ demands in terms of healthiness, convenience, ease of preparation, acceptability, and use of ingredients exploiting the local biodiversity also as an element of cultural identity.

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- Proposals should **test good practices** for resource allocation and assess the economic, environmental and social implications of various choices.

- Projects should **propose concrete site-specific solutions** to potential barriers for successful application, including the cost of transfer of research results to stakeholders (e.g., farmers), and social and behavioural barriers.

- Conditions and opportunities for **effective engagement of the private sector** should be analysed and the ways to promote market sustainable solutions should be demonstrated.

- Proposals should **ensure the involvement of a critical mass of stakeholders** involved from policy makers, public authorities, farmers and other end users through a multiactor approach.

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## PRIMA Annual Work Plan 2020
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Rules for participation

• at least three independent legal entities established in three different Participating States:

• at least one must be established in an EU Member State participating to PRIMA: Cyprus, Croatia, France, Germany, Greece, Italy, Luxembourg, Malta, Portugal, Slovenia, Spain;

• at least one must be established in a Non EU country participating to PRIMA: Algeria, Egypt, Israel, Jordan, Lebanon, Morocco, Tunisia, Turkey.
**Evaluation Criteria**

- **H2020 CRITERIA:**
  - EXCELLENCE / 5 points
  - IMPACT / 5 points
  - QUALITY AND EFFICIENCY OF THE IMPLEMENTATION (Only for step 2) / 5 points

- For IA the criteria “impact” has a weight of 1.5

- **Thresholds:**
  - Step 1: 4 points for each criteria
  - Step 2: 3 points for each criteria and at least 10/15 in total

- Step 1:
  - Excellence: 4 points
  - Impact: 4 points

- Step 2:
  - Excellence: 3 points
  - Impact: 3 points
  - Implementation: 3 points
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<td>The extent to which the outputs of the project would contribute to one or several of the <strong>expected impacts mentioned</strong> in this document under the relevant topic.</td>
<td>Quality and effectiveness of the work plan, including extent to which the resources assigned to work packages are in line with their objectives and deliverables;</td>
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<td>Soundness of the concept, and credibility of the proposed methodology;</td>
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<td>Appropriateness of the management structures and procedures, including <strong>risk and innovation management</strong>;</td>
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<td>Fit with the scope and objectives of the PRIMA programme and the call topic description; Extent that the proposed work is beyond the state of the art, and demonstrates innovation potential (e.g. ground-breaking objectives, novel concepts and approaches, new products, services or business and organizational models)</td>
<td>Any substantial impacts, <strong>even if not mentioned</strong> in this document, that would enhance innovation capacity, create <strong>new market</strong> opportunities, strengthen <strong>competitiveness</strong> and growth of companies, address issues related to <strong>climate change</strong> or the environment, or bring other important benefits for society;</td>
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Each proposal is evaluated by 3 independent experts and ranked by consensus by the evaluation panel during a physical meeting.
Grant Agreement/Consortium Agreement

• Consortium Agreement: Participants in projects resulting from the PRIMA Calls for Proposals will be required to conclude a consortium agreement prior to the conclusion of the PRIMA grant agreement.

• Section 1
  
  • Grant Agreement: PRIMA MGA (multi-beneficiary), based on Horizon 2020

• Section 2
  
  • Grant Agreement: Each beneficiary of the consortium sign a national contract with his/her National Funding Body
How to submit a project proposal
Practical aspects
PRIMA Website

On the website you will find all relevant updates, documents and information on the programme, including.

CALL SECTION
- Information and guidelines for each call
- Templates
- Link to submission website (one link per call)

PARTNERING TOOL
Applicants can post and read offers to look for partners

EXPERT REGISTRATION TOOL
To register as expert to take part in the evaluation of the proposals submitted to PRIMA calls

http://prima-med.org/
General Information

PRIMA Objectives

The overall objective of the PRIMA programme is to build research and innovation capacities and to develop knowledge and common innovative solutions for agro-food systems, to make them sustainable, and for Integrated water provision and management in the Mediterranean area, to make those systems and that provision and management more climate resilient, efficient, cost-effective and environmentally and socially sustainable, and to contribute to solving water scarcity, food security, nutrition, health, well-being and migration problems upstream.

The scope of research and innovation is complex, multidisciplinary and requires a multi-actor and cross-border approach. The scale of the research and innovation necessary to address the challenges in the Mediterranean area is immense due to the systemic character of the major bottlenecks.

A collaborative approach among PRIMA Participating States (PS) can help to increase the required scale and scope, by pooling financial and intellectual resources.
### Call: Section 1 – Management of Water 2018

**Thematic Area:** Management of water  
**Topic:** Water reuse and water desalination for agricultural and food production  
**Type of Action:** Research and Innovation Action (RIA)  
**Total Indicative Amount Allocated to this Call:** EUR 6.8 million  
**Opening Date:** 8 February 2018  
**Deadline Stages:**  
- Stage 1 Pre-proposals: 17th April, 2018 (17:00h CET)  
- Stage 2 Full proposals: 15th September, 2018 (17:00h CET)  
**Status:** Open

### Call: Section 1 – Farming Systems 2018

**Thematic Area:** Farming systems  
**Topic:** Improving the sustainability of Mediterranean agro-ecosystems  
**Type of Action:** EU Research and Innovation action  
**Total Indicative Amount Allocated to this Call:** EUR 4.5 million  
**Opening Date:** 8 February 2018  
**Deadline Stages:**  
- Stage 1 Pre-proposals: 17th April, 2018 (17:00h CET)  
- Stage 2 Full proposals: 15th September, 2018 (17:00h CET)  
**Status:** Open

### Call: Section 1 – Agro-food Value Chain 2018

**Thematic Area:** Agro-Food value chain  
**Topic:** Implementing innovation in Mediterranean Agro-food chains by smallholders and SMEs  
**Type of Action:** Innovation action (IA)  
**Total Indicative Amount Allocated to this Call:** EUR 0.8 million  
**Opening Date:** 8 February 2018  
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Call: Section 2 – Multi-topic 2018

Thematic area 1: Sustainable water management for arid and semi-arid Mediterranean area

Topic 1.1.1: Water resources availability and quality within catchments and aquifers
Topic 1.1.2: Sustainable, integrated water management.
Topic 1.1.3: Irrigation technologies and practices.

Thematic area 2: Sustainable farming systems under Mediterranean environmental constraints

Topic 1.2.1: Adaptation of Agriculture to Climate Change

Full call text

To access to the Electronic submission website
Access to the submission and evaluation system ANR

Call: Section 2 – Multi-topic 2018

THEMATIC AREA: Agro-Food value chain, Farming systems, Management of water
TOPIC: Transnational call funded by Participating States
TYPE OF ACTION: Research and Innovation Action (RIA)
TOTAL INDICATIVE AMOUNT ALLOCATED: EUR 30 million

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Click here to select your topic.
Guidelines, call text, national regulations, templates.... are also available in the section Reference documents of the PRIMA website.
### Reference Documents

This page includes PRIMA reference documents grouped by categories and will be updated when needed. Just click on a document to download it.

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What is needed to submit a proposal?

- Have an eligible consortium
- Submit all the required documents:
  - Part I: Administrative data
  - Part II. Technical annex
  - Budget:
- Fulfil in the submission website all the administrative data.
Content and structure of the pre-proposal

The pre-proposal must be submitted online on the evaluation system (ANR). The link will be announced on the PRIMA website in the corresponding section of the calls and will be open 1 month before the deadline for submission.

Main administrative data have to be fill directly online (details in Annex of the guidelines for applicants: how to use the website with screenshots....)

Submit the pdf of the pre proposal following the template (available on prima website)

PART I

Title of Proposal

Acronym

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   - List of participants:

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* Please use the same participant numbering as that used in the Electronic Submission Site. One PI per team/lab or institution.
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Questions to be answered by the coordinator:

Project submitted in previous EU calls?
Verification of the financial capacity (only for private entities)
Total budget requested to PRIMA (on the submission website **each partner must give the total cost of the project and the requested amount to PRIMA**)
Etc....
1. Excellence
   1.1 Objectives
   1.2 Relation to call and/or topic
   1.3 Concept and methodology
      (a) Concept
      (b) Methodology
   1.4 Ambition

2. Impact
   2.1 Expected impacts
   2.2 Measures to maximise impact
      a) Dissemination and exploitation of results
      b) Communication activities

3 Implementation
   3.1 Work plan — Work packages, deliverables
   3.2 Management structure, milestones and procedures
   3.3 Consortium as a whole
   3.4 Resources to be committed

4: Members of the consortium
   4.1. Participants (applicants)
   4.2. Third parties involved in the project (including use of third party resources)

Section 5: Ethics and Security
PRIMA AWP / Previous Calls for Proposals 2018-2019 statistics
STATISTIQUES 2018-2019 CALLS

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Budget Per Section

S1 € 45,446K
S2 € 57,603K

PRIMA - Promoting Research and Innovation in the Mediterranean Area
Dashboard PRIMA 2018-2019

83 Projects

Success Rates

- 2018:
  - Food: 15
  - Farming: 26
  - Water: 15
  - Nexus: 21
  - Food: 7
  - Farming: 6
  - Water: 7

- 2019:
  - Food: 15
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742 Partners
- 40% SEMC

103M
- ~35%

Coordination
- 77 EU
- 6 SEMC

30% SEMC
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