

**FP7 Cooperation Work Programme: Theme 7 – Transport  
(including Aeronautics)**

**Call Fiche**

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- **Date of publication:** 30 November 2007
- **Deadline:** 7 May 2008 at 17.00.00 (Brussels local time)
- **Total Indicative budget<sup>1</sup>: EUR 14 650 000**  
Additionally, EUR 350 000 are dedicated to the call for tender launched via topic TPT.2008.16.
- **Topics called:**

Activity/ Area	Topics called	Funding Schemes Collaborative Projects (CP), Coordination and Support actions (CSA), Research for the benefit of Civil Society Organisations (CSO), Specific International Cooperation Actions (SICA)
<b>Cross-cutting activities for PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION</b>		
	TPT.2008.1. Assessing disruptive effects of extreme weather events on operation and performance of EU transport system	CP (small or medium-scale focused research), CSA (supporting)
	TPT.2008.2 The climate-friendly travel choice in the city, region and world of tomorrow.	CP (small or medium-scale focused research)
	TPT.2008.3. Lead markets for zero greenhouse gas emission transport systems	CSA (supporting)
	TPT.2008.4. Impact assessment of transport research funding in Europe on the environment (air, water and soil).	CSA (supporting)
	TPT.2008.5. Techno-economic analysis per mode and combined to meet EU GHG emission reduction targets at time horizon 2020 and beyond.	CSA (supporting)
	TPT.2008.6. Optimisation and integration	CP (small or medium-scale

<sup>1</sup> Under the condition that the preliminary draft budget for 2008 is adopted without modifications by the budget authority.

	of R&D efforts for transport of passengers by “co-modality”	focused research),CSA (supporting)
	TPT.2008.7. Support to Small and Medium Enterprises	CSA (supporting)
	TPT 2008.8. Assessing, analysing and defining strategies for realising new Member and Associated States' potentials in transport research	CSA (supporting)
	TPT.2008.9. Prospective study on upcoming global competitors for European transport industry, targeting manufacturers and hi-tech service providers	CSA (supporting)
	TPT.2008.10. Exploring future technology paradigms beyond 2050	CSA (supporting)
	TPT.2008.11 Communication of Framework Programme's results for transport research	CSA (supporting), CSO
	TPT.2008.12 Raising Citizen Awareness of Research results for Climate-friendly Transport Systems	CSA (supporting), CSO
	TPT.2008.13 New mobility/organisational schemes: interconnection between short and long-distance transport networks	CP (small or medium-scale focused research),CSA (supporting)
	TPT.2008.14 Fostering coordination between national and European RTD strategies and programmes on climate-friendly transport and mobility	CSA (supporting)
	TPT.2008.15 Cross-fertilisation of Alternative Fuels Research across all transport modes	CSA (supporting), CSA (coordinating), SICA
<b>Call for tender</b>	TPT.2008.16 Studies supporting FP7 mid-term review and indicators' trends (time horizon 2020)	

- **Evaluation procedure:**

- The evaluation shall follow a single stage procedure
- Proposals may be evaluated remotely
- The evaluation criteria (including weights and thresholds) and sub-criteria, together with the eligibility, selection and award criteria for the different funding schemes are set out in Annex 2 to this work programme
- No hearings are foreseen.

- **Indicative evaluation and contractual timetable:**

- **Intended period for on-site (Brussels) evaluation / panel meetings:** starting on 26 May 2008 (one week)

The forms of grants which will be offered are specified in Annex 3 to the Cooperation work programme

The minimum number of participating legal entities required, for all funding schemes, is set out in the Rules for Participation and outlined below.

Funding scheme	Minimum conditions
<b>Collaborative project</b>	<b>At least 3 independent legal entities, each of which is established in a MS or AC, and no two of which are established in the same MS or AC.</b>
<b>Network of excellence</b>	<b>At least 3 independent legal entities, each of which is established in a MS or AC, and no two of which are established in the same MS or AC.</b>
<b>Co-ordination and support action (co-ordinating)</b>	<b>At least 3 independent legal entities, each of which is established in a MS or AC, and no two of which are established in the same MS or AC.</b>
<b>Co-ordination and support action (supporting)</b>	<b>At least 1 independent legal entity</b>
<b>Research for the benefit of specific groups, such as SMEs</b>	<b>At least 3 independent legal entities, each of which is established in a MS or AC, and no two of which are established in the same MS or AC.</b>
<b>Specific International Cooperation Actions</b>	<b>Collaborative projects dedicated to SICA must involve at least two participants from two different Member States or Associated countries and at least two partners from two different ICPCs<sup>2</sup>.</b>

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<sup>2</sup> With the exception of Brazil, China, India and Russia, for which the required two or more ICPC participants can be located in the same countries. However, in this case, at least two different participants must come from two different provinces, oblasts, republics or states within Brazil, China, India or Russia.