



Obligatory scheme for applied research and development

Obligatory scheme length is limited to 20 pages

Project title	
Principal investigator	
Applicant organisation	
Statutory representative(s)	

1. Timeliness of the project and the applicability of the research results and implementation procedures

- Specify the timeliness of the project aims and objectives with regard to the application field of science and technology on an international scale
- Specify the timeliness of the suggested procedures and the application level of the expected results
- Specify the project aims and objectives and the feasibility of your aims and objectives
- Describe the suggested methodology for the project implementation, justify it and specify its ability to meet the set aims and objectives

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2. Original and innovative character of the project, the importance of the project's results for the given field of research and development and the utilisation rate

- Specify the originality of the project
- Specify project benefits to a progress of innovations (new products, improved products, new utility material, new technologies, new services, etc.)
- Describe the manner and extent of the utilisation of the declared project's results by the applicant/a user both in the Slovak Republic and abroad
- Specify economic benefits (enhancement of added value, resource savings, impact on unemployment rate, utilisation of domestic raw material, human resource development, environmental protection)

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3. The structure of the project, the quality of preparation, the logical interconnection of the implementation procedures

- Specify the timetable for the project implementation taking into account the logical interconnection of the implementation procedures and meeting of the declared aims and objectives
- Describe the adequacy and the implementation and research level of the project implementation methodology

- Explain the adequacy of the proposed project budget according to financial demands of accomplishing project goals
- Specify the feasibility of achieving the set aims and objectives and the implementation outputs in the case of using the described procedures

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4. Professional qualifications of the principal investigator (in the context of the data specified in the Application, Section VV-A4)

- Specify no more than 5 the most important outputs of the applied research the principal investigator over the last 5 years; indicate their importance at both the national and international levels
- Specify 3 the most important projects implemented by the principal investigator over the last 5 years, regarding to the importance of the project outputs in both national and international context
- Describe the personality of the principal investigator operating in the respective field of the applied research or experimental development and the implementation of research results
- Specify the level of recognition of the principal investigator in the application field of research (at the international, European and national levels)

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5. Professional qualifications of the research team

- Describe the competence of the participating research and implementing organisations with regard to the submitted project
- Describe the competence of individual researchers with regard to the project submitted (excluding the principal investigator)
- Describe the manner of co-operation of researchers and their potential contribution to the successful project implementation
- Describe technical and personnel infrastructure of the workplaces participating in the project implementation
- Specify the level of engagement of young researchers from the field of research and development up to 35 years old including postgraduate students in the project implementation

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