

Danish public grants

Grant giver	Instrument	Limits	OH	Co-financing	Eligible costs	Notes	Link
DFF	Individual postdoctoral fellowship.	No upper limit.	44%		VIP- and TAP-salary (both permanent and non-permanent staff), equipment and running costs. Use cost-prices for permanent staff. No technical and administrative assistance in FNU and FSS postdoc.	If applied for TAP-salary (only relevant for FTP) and usage of existing infrastructure, these posts have to be specifically explained in the project description.	
	Research project 1.	1,8 Mkr., 3 years	44%				
	Research project 2.	1,8-4,5 Mkr., 4 years	44%				
	Research project 3.	4,5-8,3 Mkr., 5 years only FTP and FSE)	44%				Information
	Sapere Aude, step 1.	Up to 0,5 Mkr.	44%		VIP- and TAP-salary (both permanent and non-permanent staff), equipment and running costs. Use cost-prices for permanent staff.	If applied for TAP-salary and usage of existing infrastructure, these posts have to be specifically explained in the project description. Public funds may not be used to support AU's contribution, but can be included as part of the total budget under "funding from other sources".	
	Sapere Aude, step 2.	4,9 Mkr., 4 years	44%				
	Sapere Aude, step 3.	8,3 Mkr., 5 years	44%				
	YDUN	4,5 Mkr., 4 years	44%				
MOBILEX.	2,5 Mkr., 2 years	44%					
DSF	Centre.	30 Mkr, 5-7 years	44%	A maximum of 10 % can be demanded from public contributors. A considerable co-financing is expected from other participants.	VIP- and TAP-salary (both permanent and non-permanent staff), equipment and running costs. Use cost-prices for permanent staff.	If applied for TAP-salary and usage of existing infrastructure, these posts have to be specifically explained in the project description. Other public financed activities (like EU-grant, Industrial PhD's and Danish Council for Independent Research grants) can not be part of the projects cofinancing. Basic funds and contract funds are allowed though.	Information
	Alliances.	15-20 Mkr, 5 years	44%				
	Projects.	10 Mkr+, 3-5 years	44%				
	SPIR.	60 Mkr, 5-7 years	44%	Same as above, with an extra emphasis on co-financing of innovation activities.			
HTF	Projects.	5-30 Mkr, 2-4 years	44%		VIP and TAP-salary (both permanent and non-permanent staff), workload reduction, equipment and running costs.	Public grants may not be used to support AU's contribution.	Information
	Platforms.	30-150 Mkr, 3-5 years	44%	A sixth of the total expenses from the public part, a third from private contributors.			
	Industrial PostDoc.	1-3 years	44%		Salary + 150,000 DKK/year for project related running expenses.		
DG (DNRF)	Centres of Excellence.	60-120 Mkr., 6+4 years	44%	As a general rule, a considerable co-financing from the university is expected. When making the contract, the framework of the co-financing and subsequent embedment will be negotiated.	Salary for PhD, PostDoc, visiting researchers and unnamed TAP, as well as running costs and equipment.	As a general rule, this grant does not cover salary for permanent staff, but it's possible to apply for a supplement for the center leader	Information
EUDP	Projects.	No set limits. Will typically cover 2-3 years.	44%	15%	VIP- and TAP salary, equipment and running costs, as well as foreign services, consulting services (excl. VAT; see the section on VAT and tax), reporting, communication and capital expenditures.	Is not applicable for funding of normal IT-equipment, office supplies etc.. There may be joint financing of projects from EUDP and other subsidy schemes, including EU grants. Important is that the total percentage subsidies is upheld - this is max. 85% for universities.	Information (Danish)
GUDP	Network.	0,25-2 Mkr, 2 years	44%	50%			
	Small projects.	0,25-2 Mkr, 4 years	44%	Research: 0%. Development: 0%. Demonstration: 30%			
	Big projects.	2-15 Mkr, 4 years	44%	Research: 0%. Development: 0%. Demonstration: 30%	VIP- and TAP salary for participants. External support (counselling and analysis). Other activities (materials, meetings, travels). Strictly necessary apparatus and other equipment. Other expenses (communication).	Study fees are not covered. No official demand for co-financing, but we advise to have 10%. As a general rule, project activities can only be co-financed by other national, public funds up to the maximal grant percentage for the type of activity and business applied for. Development and demonstration projects, which are covered by the specified categories (agricultural funds) by appendix 1 of the EC Treaty, can receive other public financing up to a 100% of the eligible expenses.	Information (Danish)
DANIDA	Projects.	5-10 Mkr, 3-5 years	44%	A maximum of 10 % can be demanded from public contributors. A considerable co-financing is expected from other participants, especially from innovation activities.	VIP- and TAP salary, visiting researchers, equipment, auditing and running costs (including expenses for dialogue- and cooperation travelling, meetings, information etc.).	Management is expected to be covered by the overhead.	Information
The Danish Council for Technology and Innovation (RTI)	Innovation Consortia.	2-4 years. No upper limit. (normally 6-10 Mkr). Overall, RTI will support with up to 50%	44%	10%	VIP- and TAP salary, travel- and subsistence costs, consulting services (market priced) as well as coverage of dissemination and knowledge transfer.		Information
	The Industrial PhD Programme.	14,500 DKK/month for the company in salary contribution. 360,000 (natural sciences)/225,000 (humanities) DKK (incl. OH) to the University					Information

Private grants							
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Carlsbergfondet (The Carlsberg Foundation)	PostDoc/projects.		0%		Fixed contribution for running expenses of 1500/3000 DKK/month for theoretical/experimental projects.	Does not support TAP-personnel	Information
	Apparatus.		0%	A considerable co-funding by the host institute is necessary.			
Villumfonden (The Villum Foundation)	PostDoc.	1-2 years.	5%	None (but obviously necessary, as the grant does not cover running expenses).	The grant always uses contractual/collectively agreed wages. Outgoing fellows also receive funds to various project-related costs for up to 50,000 DKK / year.		Information
	Projects.	2-6 Mkr, 3 years.	5%		VIP- and TAP salary, equipment and running costs. Unspecified OH up to 5% of the total budget. The grant allows for specific additional expenses within administration, if it is documentable that a project puts additional strain on the resources of the institute; this could be in regards to extra need for secretary hours, rent, IT-support, heating, fax, printers, etc. The additional OH can not exceed 25% of the total budget.	Does not support salary for permanent VIPs.	Information
	Young Investigator Programme (PostDoc-grant).	4 Mkr, 3 years.	5%		Salary for applicant, TAPs and junior PostDocs, equipment and running costs.	Cannot include PhD-fellowships.	Information
	Young Investigator Programme (Associate professor-grant)	7 Mkr, 5 years	5%	Salary for primary instigator.	Postdoc-, PhD- and TAP-salary, equipment and running costs.	Salary for the applicant is not covered by the grant.	
Lundbeck- Foundation	Projects	5 Mkr.	0%		PhD-fellowships (if they are a part of a bigger project) includes study fees. Project funding is given as salary for VIPs (i.e. PostDocs), TAPs, running costs and to a lesser degree, equipment relevant for the project.	Does not support salary for permanent VIPs.	Information
	Lundbeckfond Fellowship	10 Mkr, 5 years	0%			Primary investigator can apply for his/her own salary, if not already in a permanent position with the institution.	
TrygFonden (The Tryg Foundation)	Projects.	No set limits in amount or timeframe.	5%		VIP- and TAP salary, equipment, running costs and a fair amount for equipping a place to work for new employees.	Trygfonden prefers if the project also receives support from other grants or one of the Science Councils.	Information
Novo Nordisk Fonden (The Novo Nordisk Foundation)	Hallas Møller Fellowship	11 Mkr. 5 years (2.2 Mkr. pr. year)	0%		VIP- and TAP salary. Running costs up to 1,5 Mkr. a year.	2 fellowships are granted each year. An acceptance from the head of department is required.	Information
	Medical and natural science research - Denmark	300-700,000 DKK./year, 3 years	0%		VIP- and TAP salary, equipment and materials – including laboratory animals.	PhD salaries are not covered.	Information
	Exploratory pre seed grant	100-500,000 DKK., 4-12 months.	0%		Project related costs, including salaries.	Salary for the applicant, as well as travels and conference fees are NOT covered by the grant. .	Information
	Biotechnology-based synthesis and production research.	0,25-1 Mkr./year, 3 years.	0%		Project related costs, including salaries.	Salary for the applicant is not covered by the grant.	Information

European grants - Horizon 2020

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Priority I - Excellent Science							
Marie Skłodowska Curie Actions	European Training Networks (ETN)	Standard rates corrected by country. 4 years.	1200 EUR/researcher month				
	European Industrial Doctorates (EID)	Standard rates corrected by country. 4 years.	1200 EUR/researcher month				
	European Joint Doctorates (EJD)	Standard rates corrected by country. 4 years.	1200 EUR/researcher month		Salaries, mobility costs, travel costs, research costs and management costs.	The budget is calculated on the basis of the number of "man months" applied for.	Information
	European Fellowship	Standard rates corrected by country. 2 years.	To be completed when Guide for applicants is published				
	Global Fellowship	Standard rates corrected by country. 3 years.					
ERC	Starting Grant	1,5 M EUR, 5 years.	25%			If applied for TAP-salary and usage of existing infrastructure, these posts have to be specifically explained in the project description.	
	Consolidator Grant	2 M EUR, 5 years.	25%		VIP- and TAP salaries (both permanent- and non permanent staff), equipment and running costs. Use cost-prices for permanent staff.		Information
	Advanced Grant	2,5 M EUR, 5 years.	25%			Study fees and office PCs are probably not covered (to be confirmed when financial guidelines are published) .	
	Proof of Concept	0,15 M EUR, 18 months.	25%				
Future and Emerging Technologies (FET)	FET Open		25%			If applied for TAP-salary and usage of existing infrastructure, these posts have to be specifically explained in the project description.	
	FET Proactive	Varies from activity to activity	25%		VIP- and TAP salaries (both permanent- and non permanent staff), equipment and running costs. Use cost-prices for permanent staff.		Information
	FET Flagships		25%			Study fees and office PCs are probably not covered (to be confirmed when financial guidelines are published) .	
Research Infrastructures	Developing new world-class research infrastructures		25%			If applied for TAP-salary and usage of existing infrastructure, these posts have to be specifically explained in the project description.	
	Integrating and opening research infrastructures of European interest	Varies from activity to activity	25%		VIP- and TAP salaries (both permanent- and non permanent staff), equipment and running costs. Use cost-prices for permanent staff.		Information
	e-Infrastructures		25%				
	Support to innovation, human resources, policy and international cooperation		25%			Study fees and office PCs are probably not covered (to be confirmed when financial guidelines are published) .	
Priority II - Industrial Leadership							
Leadership in Enabling and Industrial Technologies (LEIT)	ICT		25%			If applied for TAP-salary and usage of existing infrastructure, these posts have to be specifically explained in the project description.	
	NMPB	Varies from activity to activity	25%		VIP- and TAP salaries (both permanent- and non permanent staff), equipment and running costs. Use cost-prices for permanent staff.		Information
	SPACE		25%			Study fees and office PCs are probably not covered (to be confirmed when financial guidelines are published) .	
Priority III - Societal Challenges							
Societal challenge 1-7	Health		25%			If applied for TAP-salary and usage of existing infrastructure, these posts have to be specifically explained in the project description.	
	Food Security and the Bioeconomy		25%				
	Energy		25%				
	Transport	Varies from activity to activity	25%		VIP- and TAP salaries (both permanent- and non permanent staff), equipment and running costs. Use cost-prices for permanent staff.		Information
	Climate		25%				
	Inclusive, Innovative and Reflective Societies		25%			Study fees and office PCs are probably not covered (to be confirmed when financial guidelines are published) .	
	Secure Societies		25%				