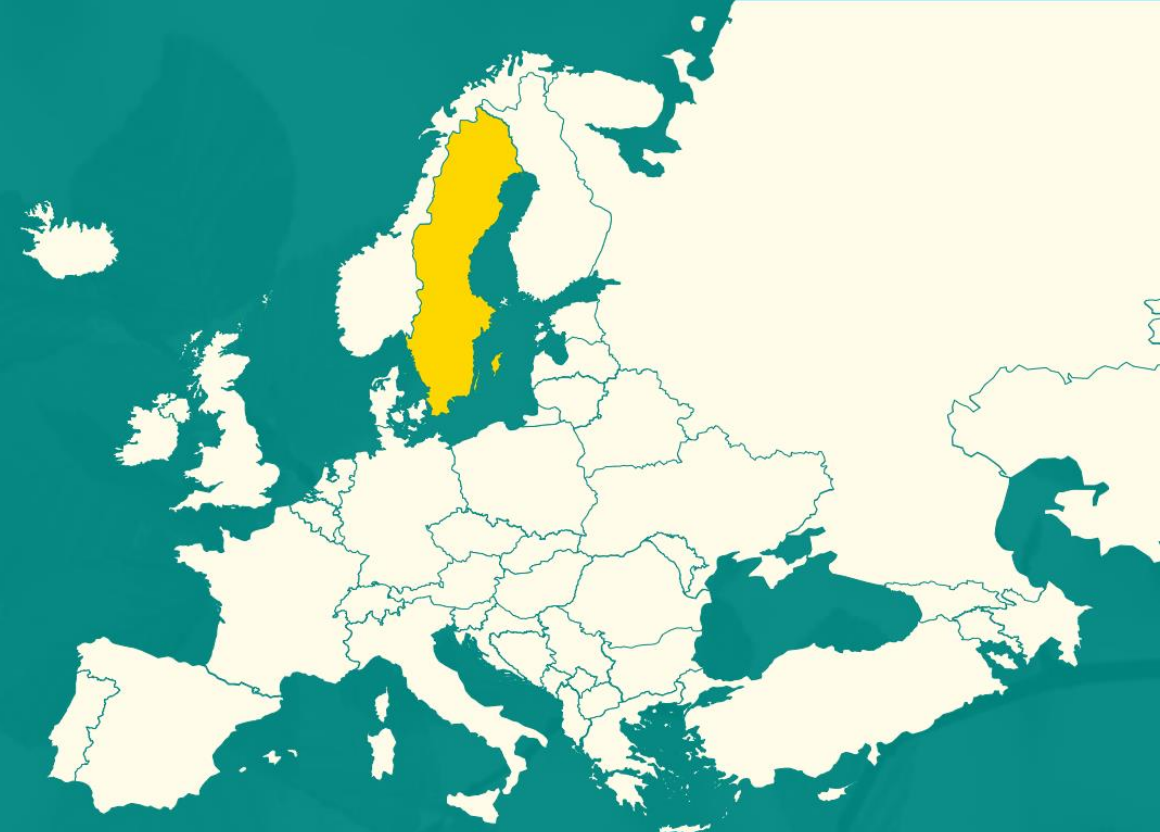


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# Funding outlook & national priorities

## Sweden

- ITEA 3 is a very important Eureka cluster for Vinnova. Working with ITEA is a part of our strategy to strengthen software-based innovation by international cooperation.
- We fund projects that focus on the needs of industry and that has a clear commercial potential for participating companies based on international cooperation. We expect clearly described KPIs.



### Strategic impact

- Projects financed within the call shall further Swedish competitiveness and preferably have good chances of impacting Swedish technological leadership and new business creation.
- Expected long term outcomes are, for example, industry leadership, state of the art solutions, enabling technologies, new business opportunities, new competence, and standardization that are relevant to the competitiveness and needs of Swedish industry.



- Since 2016 we have increased our budget for EUREKA Clusters by 150% and in 2021 the budget is €10 million.
- Vinnova – areas of particular interest

AI

Artificial  
intelligence



Smart cities



Next generation  
travel and transport



Circular and  
bio-based  
economy



Life Science



Connected  
industry and new  
materials

- Other considerations
  - Gender aspects are considered in the national evaluation
  - We also value societal benefits as well as environmental sustainability

- The Swedish consortium should be industry-driven with a good balance between large companies, SMEs and academia / research institutes.
- The effort from the participating companies must be at least 60 percent of the Swedish consortium's total work effort. At least one Swedish SME must participate in the project.
- Swedish SMEs must show that they:
  - Have an annual turnover of 1 million SEK according to the latest annual report
  - Have a minimum of three full time employees

### **Project example: IVVES**

*Verification and validation of mission critical software intensive systems*

Bombardier

ABB

Ekkono Solutions

ADDIVA

Prover Technologies

RISE (Research Institutes of Sweden)

- Funding rates
  - Maximum 50% from Vinnova to Swedish SMEs
  - Maximum 30% from Vinnova to large companies
  - Up to 100% from Vinnova to universities and research institutes
- The maximum funding from Vinnova is 50% of total budget of the eligible costs for all the participating Swedish organisations.

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# Q&A Session

