



Matching funds



Budget guidelines

Total budget: $T = A + B + C = A + (B_i + B_a) + (C_i + C_a)$

- Matching funds:
 - RTD projets: matching funds to target $M = x \cdot T$ $x=55$ to 60%
 - NTD project: matching funds at minimum $M = x \cdot T$ $x \geq 25\%$
 - ED activities: matching fund up to about $M = x \cdot T$ $x \leq 10\%$

$$T = A + B + C = A + M$$

Requested Nano-Tera.ch funds: $A = (1-x) T$



Questions & Answers

- Can co-applicants possibly apply with less than matching funds guidance ?
 - Yes, criteria for matching funds has to satisfy the total budget only.
- What are the limits on Ca as matching funds, can these be cumulated ?
 - Yes, however Ca is aimed at bringing highly valuable synergy input to Nano-Tera.ch subject to strategic evaluation for project qualification.
- Who's evaluating RTD projects ?
 - The Executive Committee and the Swiss National Science Foundation
- Who's evaluating NTDs and EDs ?
 - The Executive Committee.
- Are Ci matching funds compulsory ?
 - No, but they are highly recommended.