

EEA AND NORWAY GRANTS

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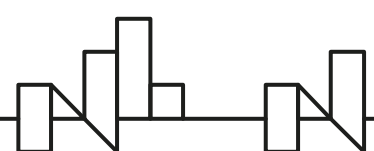
The EEA and Norway Grants: contribution to **reduce social and economic disparities** in Europe and **strengthen bilateral relations** between the Donor states and the Beneficiary states.

The origin of the Grants is the EEA agreement articles 115-117 and Protocol 38.

Current funding period €3.268 billion

15 beneficiary states

Financial Mechanism Office (EFTA) –
a secretariat for the Donor states.



We work through funding periods

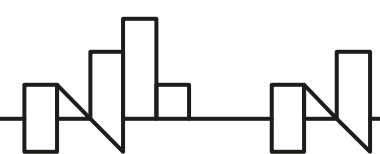
2004-2009 = €1.3 billion

2009-2014 = €1.8 billion

2014-2021 = €2.8 billion

The current funding period

2021-2028 = €3.2 billion





European green transition



Democracy, rule of law, and human rights



Social inclusion and resilience

Reduce
economic and social
disparities

Strengthen
bilateral
relations

EEA Grants and Norway Grants 2021-2028

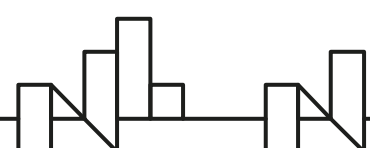
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Programme areas

Green Transition	10
Green Business and Innovation	12
Research and Innovation	14
Education and Training	16
Culture	18
Local Development, Good Governance and Inclusion	20
Roma Inclusion and Empowerment	22
Public Health	24
Disaster Prevention and Preparedness	26
Domestic and Gender-Based Violence	28
Access to Justice	30
Correctional Services	32
Serious and Organised Crime	34
Asylum, Migration and Integration	36
Institutional Cooperation and Capacity Building	38

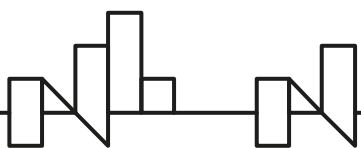
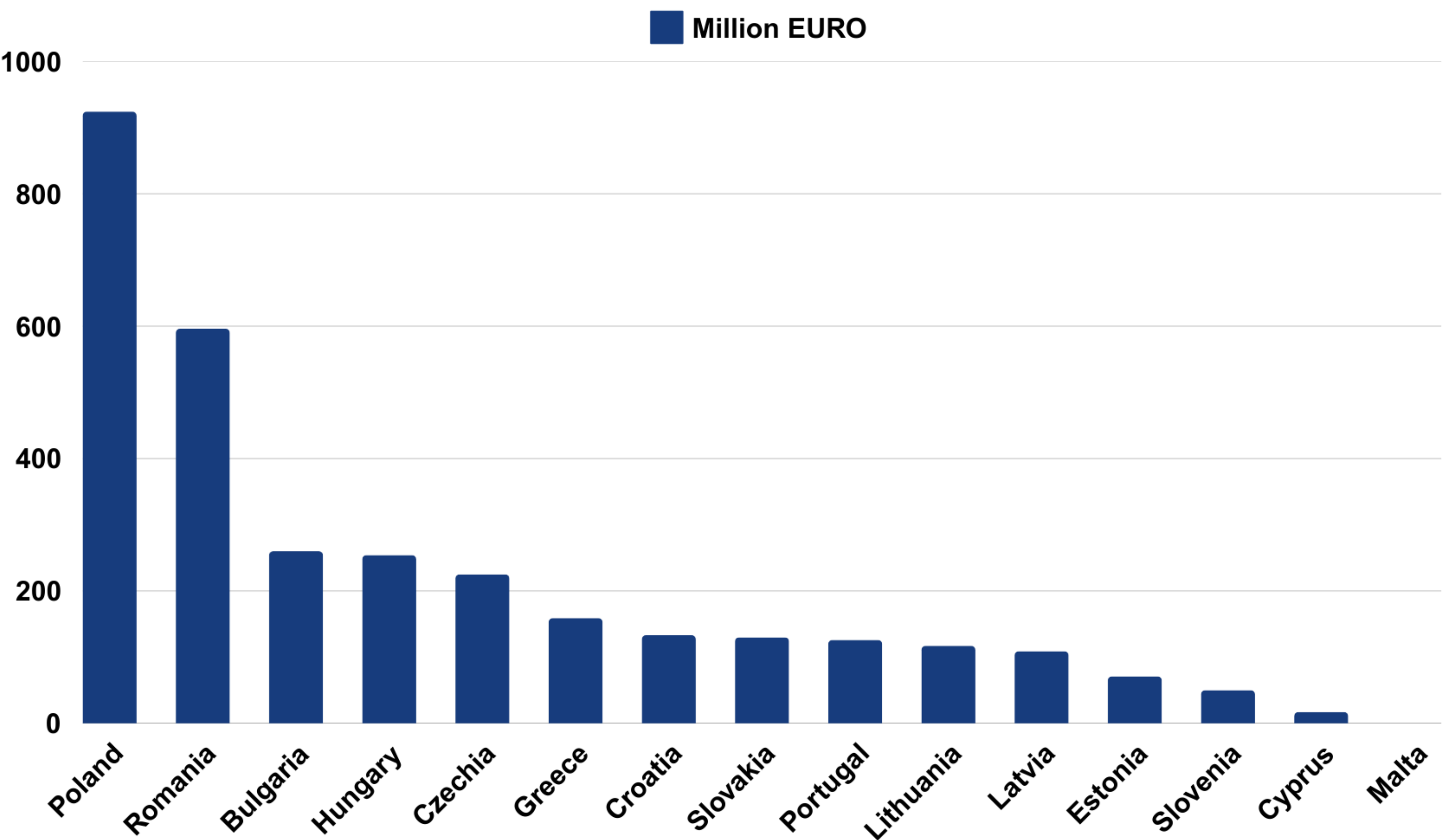
Funds

Fund for Civil Society	42
Fund for Capacity Building and Cooperation with International Partner Organisations and Institutions	44
Fund for Social Dialogue and Decent Work (Norway Grants)	46



Allocation per country – 2021 -2028

Including 10% to the Civil Society Fund

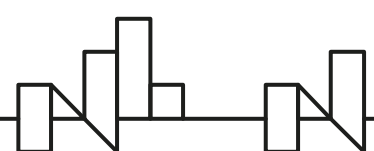


The EEA and Norway Grants funds

EEA Civil Society Fund – Supports democracy, human rights, and civic engagement, focusing on media literacy, anti-discrimination, gender equality, and climate action.

Fund for Capacity Building and Cooperation with International Partner Organisations and Institutions – Strengthens democracy, rule of law, and human rights through international partnerships, ensuring alignment with EU and global standards.

Fund for Social Dialogue and Decent Work (Norway Grants) – Promotes fair working conditions, workers' rights, and social dialogue, addressing challenges from digitalization and new work models.

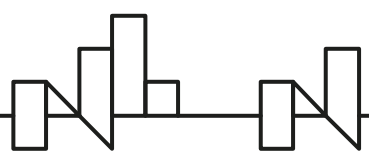


Ukraine – EEA and Norway Grants responsive funding

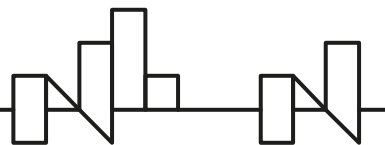
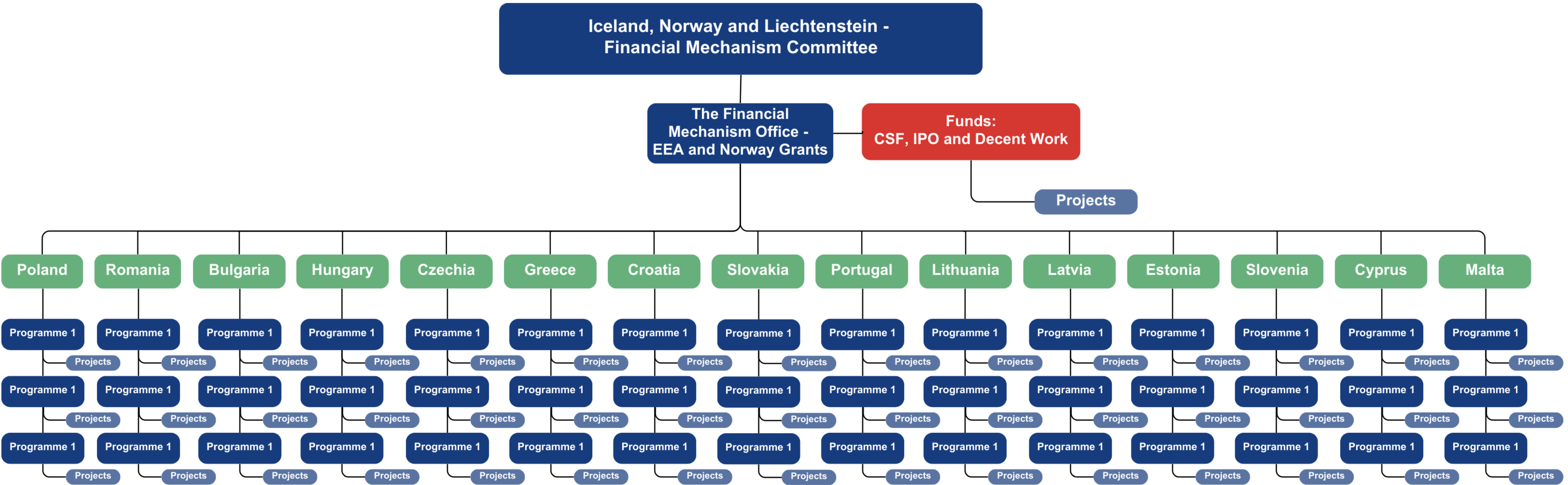
€183 million allocated (€100M from EEA Grants, €83M from Norway Grants).

Supports projects addressing **needs in Beneficiary States** affected by the invasion.

Funding distributed across **various programme areas and funds** for targeted impact.



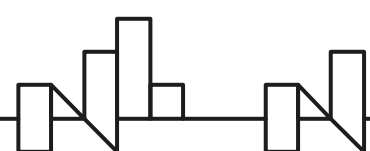
From Donor states to projects



Who can apply?

Only entities from the Beneficiary States can apply for funding. Entities from the Donor States can be partners

- National and local authorities
- Civil society organisations
- Private and public enterprises
- Research and educational institutions
- Social partners



Project examples

Decent Housing and Social Services

Location: Cluj, Romania

Planned Results:

- Provide housing for 34 families
- Offer social services to 840 at-risk children and youth
- Improve social integration of Roma communities

Grant: €4,271,498

Donor Partner: City of Bergen

Understanding Climate Change in the Arctic

Location: Sopot, Poland

Planned Results:

- Improve understanding of Arctic climate change
- Increase trans-disciplinary Arctic research

Grant: €1,472,697

Donor Partner: Geological Survey of Norway, NORD University

BlendVET – Vocational Education and Training

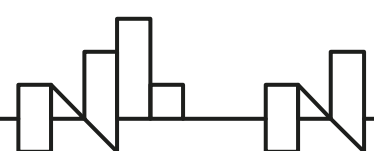
Location: Ljubljana, Slovenia

Planned Results:

- Enhance digital competencies through XR
- Develop innovative teaching methods
- Foster collaboration between education and industry

Grant: €702,596

Donor Partner: NTNU Norway



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