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SUPPORT FOR BUSINESSES

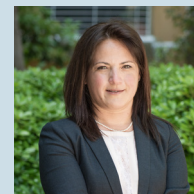
EU Business Enhance Schemes
Malta Enterprise Support Measures

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About us

At **EMCS Funding & Policy Advisory**, we help **SMEs, start-ups, public entities, and NGOs** unlock funding opportunities through **EU grants** and **Malta Enterprise support schemes**. With decades of experience and a proven success rate, our team guides you through the full journey from identifying the right scheme to securing funds and managing your project.



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Business reports for SMEs

Enhancing competitiveness and developing efficient processes

Investment

This scheme will facilitate access to external consultancy services to develop a business plan or a process and systems review

✓ Business Plan

Addressing investment initiatives to enhance SME competitiveness

✓ Process and Systems Review

Addressing the SME's potential to become more efficient

Investment

The scheme will facilitate access to investments in tangible and intangible assets, focusing on:

- > expansion
- > diversification
- > innovation
- > initial investments



SME Enhance

(including Start-Ups)

Supporting enterprises to improve their productivity

✓ Equipment and machinery

✓ Ancillary items (capped at 10%)

✓ Lease of private operational premises for 2 years (capped at 10%)

✓ 7% flat rate for indirect costs

Access €4,000 lump sum
(in cash grants)

Access: up to
€128,400
(in cash grants)

co-financing up to 50%
 for Start-Ups up to 60%
 investments in Gozo +10%



Digitalise your SME

(including Start-Ups)

Enhance and invest in digital technology to improve efficiency, productivity and customer experience

Investment

This scheme is intended to support digitalisation initiatives to achieve and drive digital transformation, through investment in hardware, software and digital solutions

- ✓ **Digital solutions such as:**
Artificial Intelligence, Internet of Things, Commercial off-the-shelf and custom software, Big data analysis, Quantum Technology, Hardware, Analytical tools, Cyber security systems, Cloud computing, Routers, switches and wifi equipment

- ✓ **7% flat rate for indirect costs**

Access: up to
€128,400
(in cash grants)

co-financing up to 50%
 for Start-Ups up to 60%
 investments in Gozo +10%

Business Development

Facilitating value-added projects, including new business initiatives, start-up, expansions and transformation activities that shall contribute to the regional development of Malta

Investment

Leading to new business opportunities, creation of skilled and highly-skilled employment, increased competitiveness and widening market reach

- ✓ **Wage costs**
- ✓ **Lease and Rental of Industrial and non-residential properties**
- ✓ **Shared industrial or business facilities**
- ✓ **Advisory Services**
- ✓ **Tangible Assets**
- ✓ **Intangible Assets**
- ✓ **Digital Technologies**
- ✓ **Construction, and related services**
- ✓ **Relocation of employees**

Access: up to
€300,000
(in cash grants / tax credits)

Co-financing rates:
 up to 75%

Green Mobility

Facilitating the green transition in the transport of goods and people

Investment

Investments in recharging infrastructure required for vehicles which are an integral part of the business activity and for leasing clean or zero-emission vehicles

- ✓ Support for Charging Infrastructure
- ✓ Support for the leasing of Commercial vehicles



Smart & Sustainability Investment Grant

Supporting businesses in their investments to incentivise the adoption of twin transition paths for growth

Investment

Support investments that lead to more sustainable processes expected to enhance competitiveness through the optimisation of the use of resources in their activities

- ✓ Waste minimisation
- ✓ Sustainable materials
- ✓ Energy efficiency
- ✓ Water efficiency
- ✓ Sustainable digitalisation

Co-financing rates (charging infrastructure): up to 55%

Co-financing rates (lease of commercial vehicles): up to 60%
 (in cash grants / tax credits)

Access: up to
€100,000
 (in cash grants)

Co-financing rates: up to 50%
 Investment in Gozo: up to 20%

INVEST – Support for Initial Investment Projects

Sustaining Malta's industrial and economic development

Investment

Facilitating initial investments by encouraging the setting up of new establishments, the extension of the capacity of existing establishments and the diversification of existing businesses

- ✓ **Tangible Assets**
- ✓ **Motor Vehicles**
- ✓ **Lease of tangible assets (plant or machinery)**
- ✓ **Land and buildings**
- ✓ **Intangible Assets**

Co-financing rates: up to 35%
(in cash grants / tax credits)



Let's Talk

How can we help?

Businesses can access support measures, both nationally funded and EU funded, to enhance sustainable growth and competitiveness of SMEs, digitalisation of enterprises and support a green transition. Through our expertise in funding and specific programme requirements we can support you to:

- ✓ **Identify the right funding source for project ideas**
- ✓ **Develop project ideas into funding proposals**
- ✓ **Apply on your behalf for funding opportunities**
- ✓ **Provide project management support**



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