



EU Funding Facts & Figures

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**The Synergies between Research and Innovation Funding:
Stairway to Excellence (S2E)**

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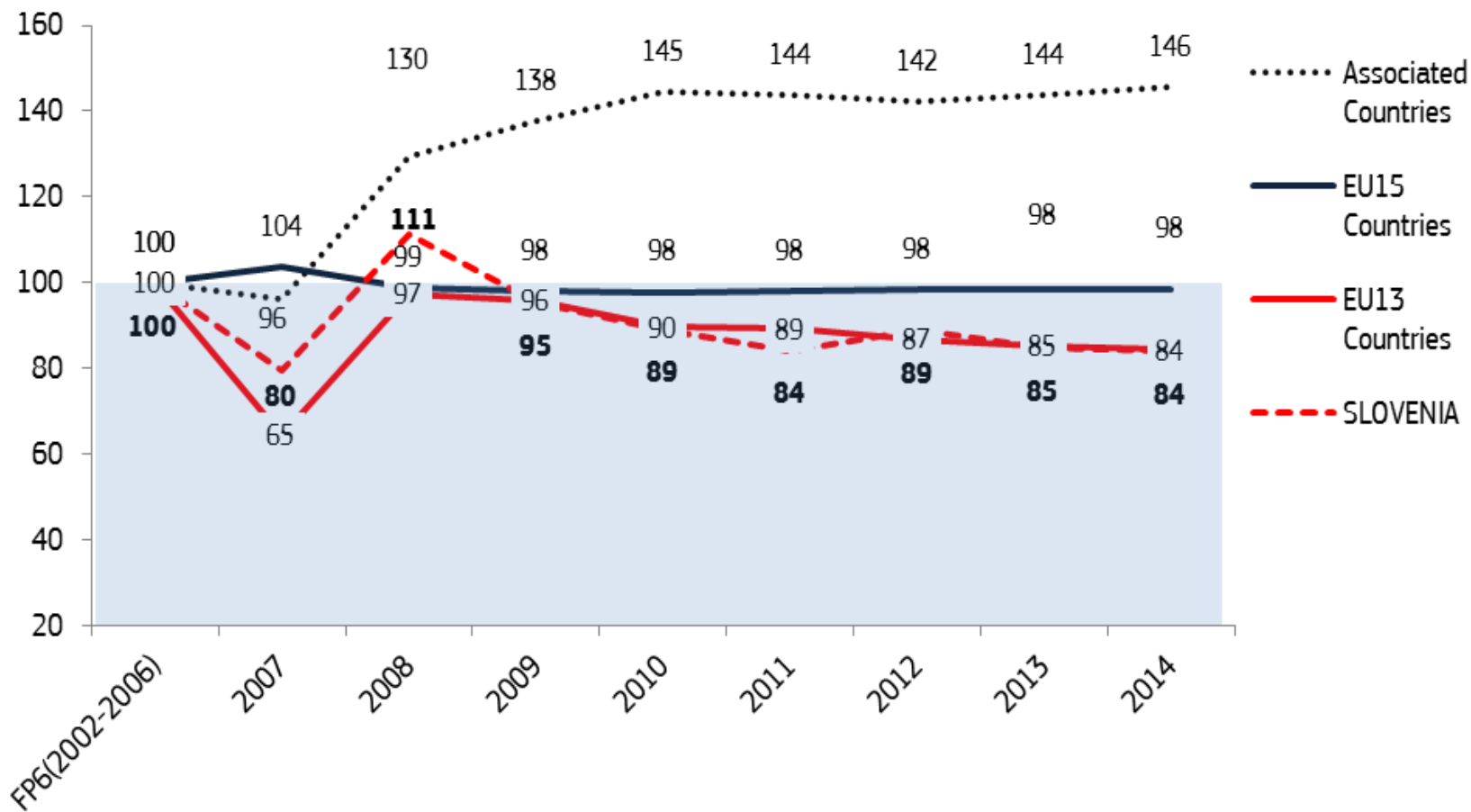
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Main characteristics in terms of EU funding absorption

- The level of R&D expenditure based on GDP in Slovenia (2.59%) is higher than the averages of EU13 (1.05%) and EU15 (2.09%). [1.98% in BES, 0.34% in GOV, 0.27% in HES]
- The FP7 financial contribution per inhabitant (83.5€) is notably higher than the EU13 average (17.8€) but still remains below the EU15 average (95.2€) [914 participations & 55 project coordinations].
- Slovenian share of FP7 budget decreased compared to the share of FP6.
- Total RTDI SF allocated to projects was 949.86 M€ (for 2007-2013), corresponding to 464.4€/inhabitant.

Evolution of the share of EU FP contribution



The FP specialisation profile

□ *Specialisation areas and FP*

- The nine specialisation areas chosen in the RIS3 strategy are partially aligned with the FP7 specialisation profile.
- In terms of funding, ~80% of the FP7 funding can be estimated as being aligned to specialisation areas

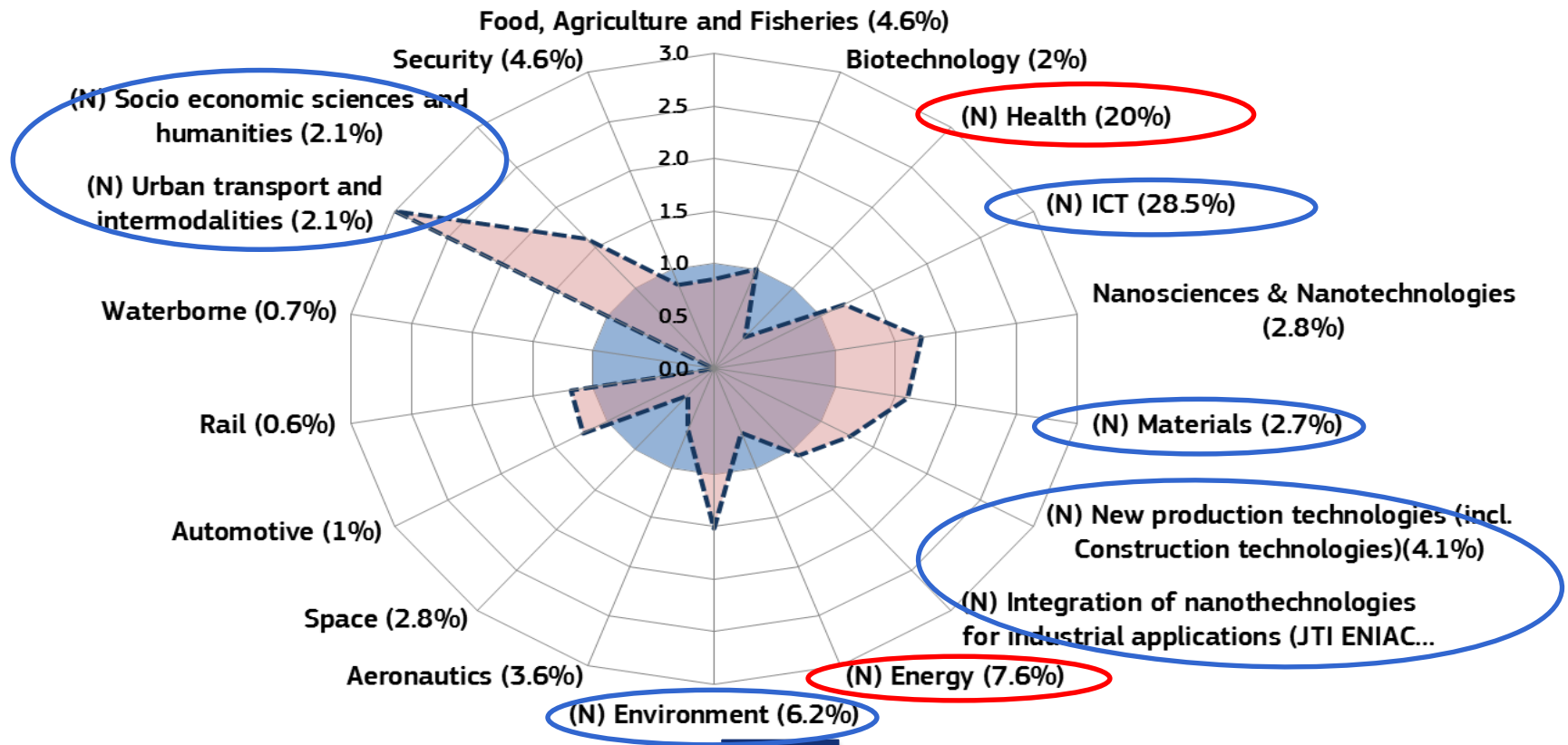
Slovenia – FP7 thematic profile

■ Framework programme 7 (% of FP7 budget dedicated to cooperation programme in the area)

(N): National smart specialisation area chosen

■ SLOVENIA

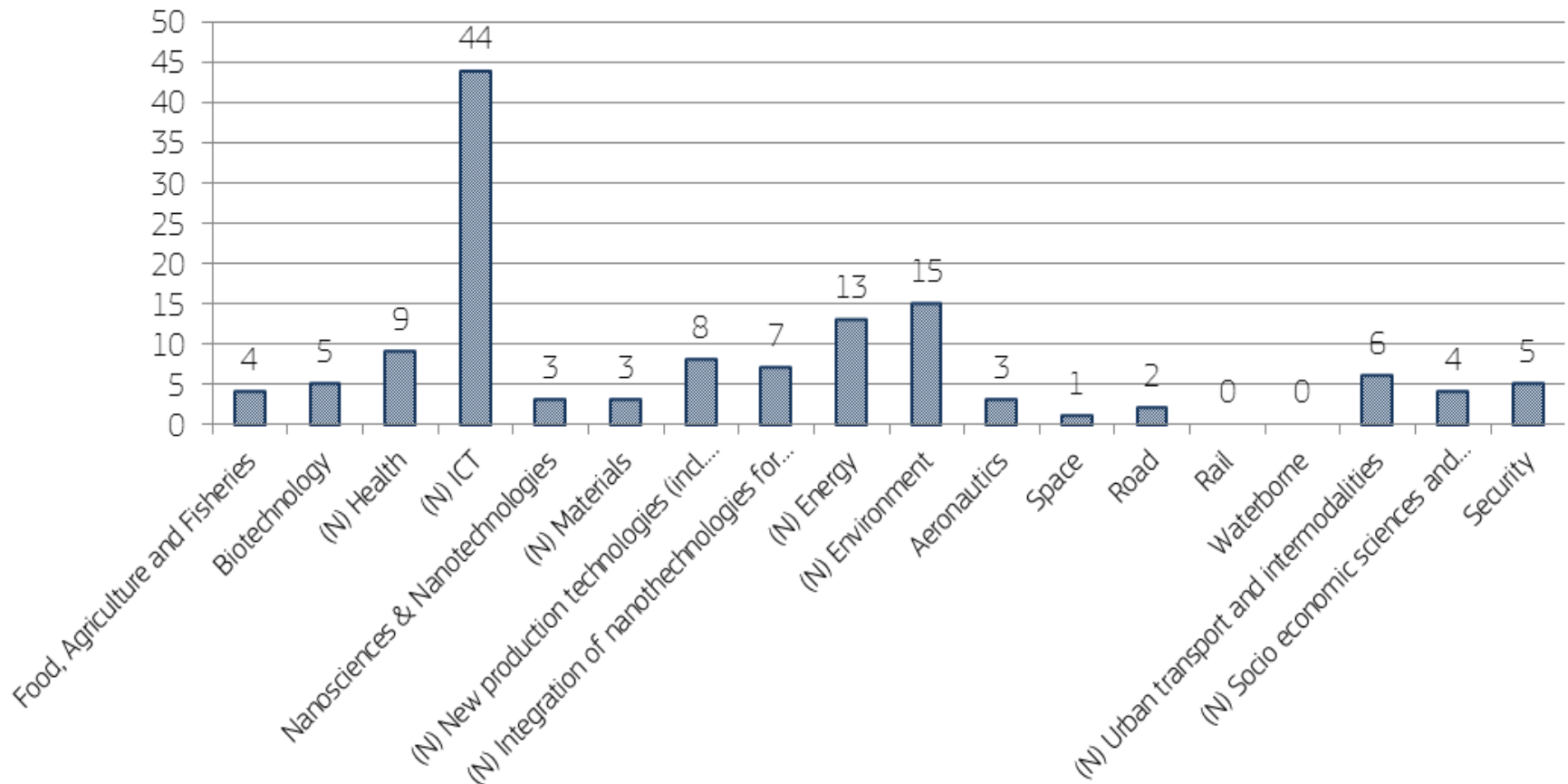
Research organisations: 37.9% (26.9% in FP7)
Private commercial: 30.2% (24.7% in FP7)
Higher education: 24.5% (43.5% in FP7)



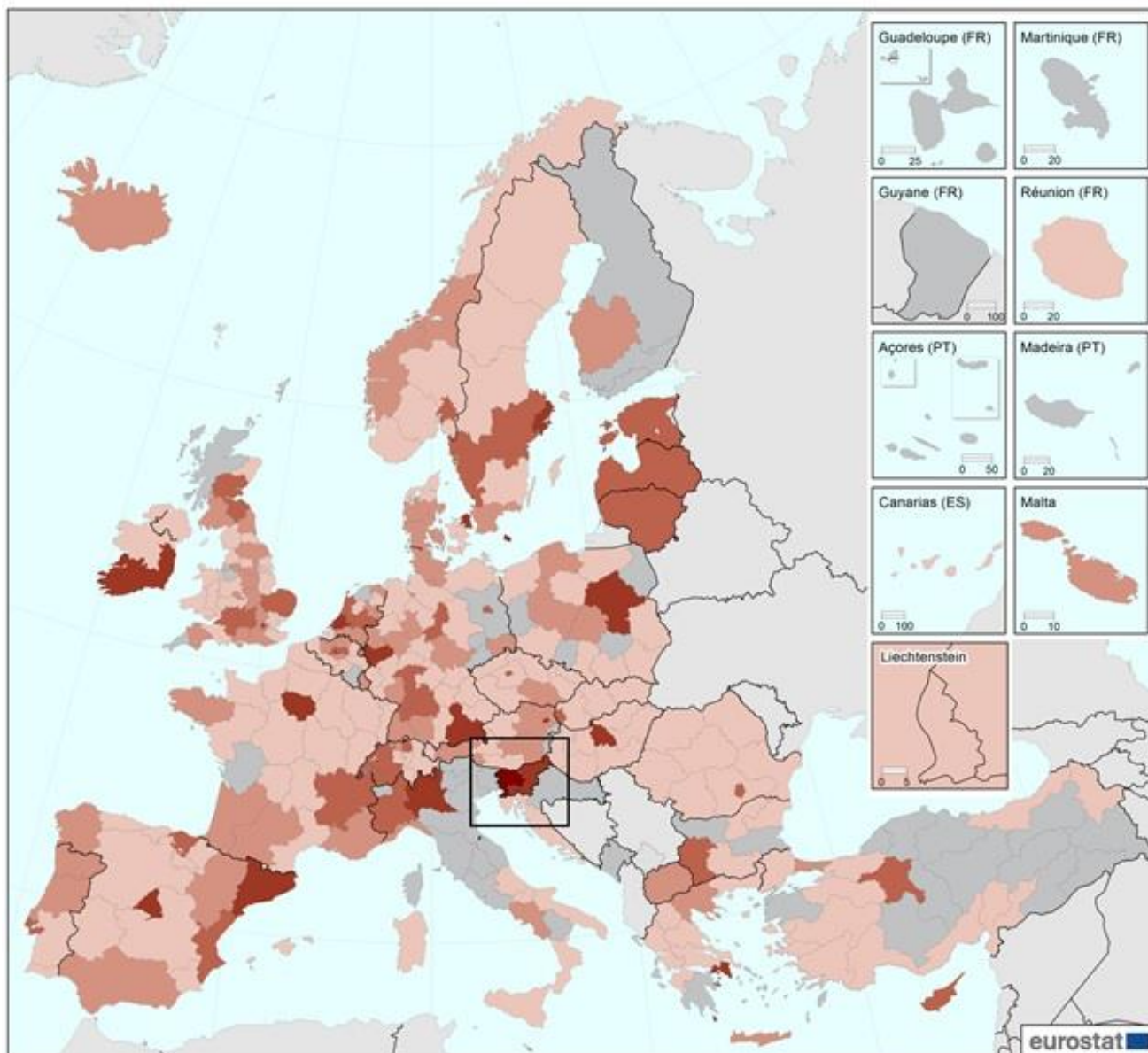
The EU funding users profile

Number of SMEs in FP7 research themes for Slovenia

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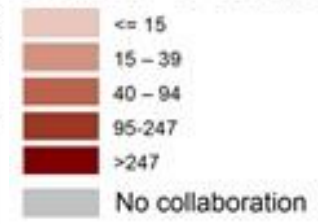


- Total 130 SMEs corresponding to 21.5% of all SI participants (FP7 average is 10.9%)
- 23.7% of financial contribution allocated to SMEs (FP7 average is 9.1%)

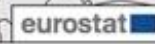


NUTS2 Code	Name	# of Collab.
FR10	Île de France	247
ES30	Comunidad de Madrid	165
ITE4	Lazio	159
AT13	Wien	152
UKI1	Inner London	148
BE10	Région de Bruxelles-Capitale / Brussels Hoofdstede	146
EL30	Attiki	139
NL33	Zuid-Holland	138
FI18	Etelä-Suomi	130
ES51	Cataluña	121

Number of collaborations



Source: JRC/IPTS calculated using the FP7 contracts



Main characteristics in terms of SF

- In terms of funding absorption, Slovenia accessed the big part of the envelope dedicated to research and innovation in two national OPs.
 - 994.2M€ (55.8% of total) in *the Regional Development Potential OP* was earmarked for R&I (854.5M€ absorbed, corresponding to 85.9%)
 - 153.5M€ (20.3% of total) in *the Human Resources Development OP* was earmarked for R&I (95.3M€ absorbed, 62.1%)
- However, there are variations in terms of what was originally programmed in the OP and what has finally been allocated among the priorities.



Priorities 2007-2013	Allocated (M€)	Absorption
R&TD activities in research centres (01)	18.8	140.1 %
R&TD infrastructure ...(02)	94.6	48.6 %
Technology transfer... (03)	201.2	167.8 %
Assistance to R&TD, particularly in SMEs (04)	141.1	94.4 %
Advanced support services for firms(05)	0	n/a
Assistance to SMEs ...(06)	55.6	102.6 %
Investment in firms linked to R&I (07)	199.1	43.1%
Other investment in firms (08)	135.1	94.6 %
Other measures ... (09)	148.7	27.2 %
Total R&I activities in OP	994.2	85.9 %
Total OP	1 783.3	97.8 %
Developing human potential in R&I (74) (Human Resources OP)	153.5	62.1%



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Thank you!



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