FWF Board Meeting, Nov 25-27 2019

Programme	Number of applications/projects[1]				EURO (million)[1]		
	Decisions issued	Average time until decision (months)	Approved projects	Approval rate (%)	Total funding requested	Total funding approved	Approval rate[2] (%)
Stand-Alone Projects	207	5.5	62	30.0	78.42	22.25	28.4
International programmes[3]	125	7.1	34	27.2	36.93	9.30	25.2
Special Research Programmes (SFB)[4,5] - New Applications	16	13.8	4	25.0	69.41	17.31	24.9
Special Research Programmes (SFB)[5] - Extensions	1	5.7	1	100.0	3.95	3.21	81.2
Research Groups[4]	39	13.8	3	7.7	55.05	4.23	7.7
Doctoral Programmes (DK) - Extensions	3	4.7	2	66.7	9.05	6.02	66.5
Erwin Schrödinger Programme	15	3.8	7	46.7	2.12	1.09	51.6
Lise Meitner Programme	28	4.0	10	35.7	4.51	1.55	34.3
Career development for women in science	65	5.9	19	29.2	17.81	5.10	28.7
Clinical Research	5	4.8	4	80.0	1.52	1.16	76.1
Programme for Arts-based Research (PEEK)	55	7.0	10	18.2	20.78	3.97	19.1
Science Communication Programme (WissKomm)	29	2.4	6	20.7	1.42	0.27	19.1
Stand-Alone Publications	10	3.0	8	80.0	0.15	0.13	82.8
Total new grants	598	6.3	170	28.4	301.12	75.58	25.1
Supplementary grants						2.45	
Total grants						78.03	

[1] For programmes with small numbers of applications, approval rates may show high levels of fluctuation between the five decision-making meetings held each year. Due to the decision-making procedures for matching funds with the Austrian provincial governments and in international programmes the overall values for the year may deviate from the cumulative values for the individual board meetings. The figure includes decisions regarding applications, either rejections or approvals. The figure does not include a) withdrawal of submissions, b) submissions cancelled by the FWF Board, c) submissions that need to be reevaluated, and d) additional individual applications decided upon at the board meeting.

[2] Approval rate calculated on the basis of unrounded figures.

[3] Preliminary decisions made by the FWF Board subject to approval of funding by international partner organisations. Approvals are not communicated to applicants until those organisations have issued their approval.

[4] Figures refer to concept proposals and approved full applications.

[5] Approved full applications as well as extensions refer to overall projects, each of which consists of multiple sub-projects.