

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	278	7.0	73	26.3	107.52	28.23	26.3
International Programmes ³	138	8.5	38	27.5	42.67	11.24	26.3
Erwin Schrödinger Programme	23	5.3	9	39.1	2.94	1.24	42.1
Lise Meitner Programme	1	10.2	1	na	0.18	0.18	na
Elise Richter Programme	2	6.8	0	na	0.69	0.00	na
ESPRIT	64	5.0	16	25.0	19.06	4.77	25.0
Clinical Research	26	6.4	5	19.2	8.15	1.09	13.3
Programme for Arts-based Research (PEEK)	64	8.9	13	20.3	25.95	4.99	19.2
Stand-Alone Publications	18	6.6	11	61.1	0.32	0.16	50.2
Total new grants	614		166	27.0	207.47	51.90	25.0
Supplementary grants						0.04	
Total grants						51.94	

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.

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.

Rejected applications

Programme	Number of applications							EURO (million)						
	Applications	Reasons for rejection ¹						Funding requested	Reasons for rejection ¹					
		C1	C2	C3	C4	C5	n.a.		C1	C2	C3	C4	C5	n.a.
Stand-Alone Projects	205	3	19	79	95	9		79.07	0.84	7.88	29.83	37.55	2.97	
International Programmes	100	6	2	48	42	2		31.09	2.21	0.58	15.62	12.13	0.55	
Erwin Schrödinger Programme	14		2	4	8			1.70		0.23	0.52	0.96		
Lise Meitner Programme														
Elise Richter Programme	2			2				0.69			0.69			
ESPRIT	48	1	2	18	24	3		14.29	0.29	0.59	5.29	7.23	0.88	
Clinical Research	21			6	13	2		7.05			1.99	4.32	0.75	
Programme for Arts-based Research (PEEK)	51			20	29	2		20.89			8.37	11.76	0.76	
Stand-Alone Publications	7			2	3	2		0.16			0.06	0.07	0.03	
Total	448	10	25	179	214	20		154.95	3.34	9.28	62.35	74.03	5.95	

¹ For definitions of reasons see here ([>> Link](#)) p. 7-8