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Solve your business challenges and shift to the next level  
with the help of HPC!

**SMEs, submit the proposal to the first FFplus**  
**OPEN CALL FOR BUSINESS**  
**EXPERIMENTS!**

## **WHY SHOULD SMEs Apply to the FFplus Open Call?**

- **Address Specific Business Challenges:** Solve pressing business issues with the help of HPC.  
**Develop and Optimize Solutions:** Create or enhance innovative, advanced solutions, products, or processes.
- **Acquire New Know-How:** Adapt to and implement state-of-the-art technologies such as HPC, HPDA, and AI.
- **Achieve Clear Business Benefits:** Experience benefits like reduced time-to-market, higher ROI, and lower R&D and production costs.

# WHICH SMES can apply to the FFplus Open Call?

The call targets the highest quality experiments involving innovative, agile SMEs and with work plans built around innovation targets arising from the use of advanced HPC services. Proposals are sought that address business challenges from European SMEs from varied application domains, whereby SMEs whose adoption of advanced HPC services will create the highest business impact will be prioritized. Only organisations with head offices based in an EU Member State or in associated countries that are eligible to receive funding from the Digital Europe Programme are eligible to receive funding.

## KEY DETAILS

- **Submission Deadline:** 4th September 2024, at 17:00 Brussels local time
- **Indicative Timetable:** The new experiments commence at the beginning of January 2025. The maximum duration of the experiments is 15 months.
- **Funding for Open Call:** The indicative total funding budget is EUR 4 million. The maximum funding request per proposal is EUR 200,000.



Proposal submission is exclusively in electronic form using the proposal submission tool accessible via the FFplus website [HERE](#). Proposals must be submitted in English.

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