EuroHPC JOINT UNDERTAKING
DECISION OF THE GOVERNING BOARD OF THE EuroHPC JOINT UNDERTAKING No 60/2026

Approving the proposals selected for funding pursuant to the evaluation of the Call for Proposal for the Extreme Scale Access Call (Eight cut-off)

THE GOVERNING BOARD OF THE EuroHPC JOINT UNDERTAKING,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EU) 2021/1173 of 13 July 2021 on establishing the European High Performance Computing Joint Undertaking and repealing Regulation (EU) 2018/1488, as last amended by Council Regulation (EU) 2026/150 of 16 January 2026 on amending Regulation (EU) 2021/1173 on establishing the European High Performance Computing Joint Undertaking (hereinafter, "the JU Regulation"), in particular Article 38(1) thereof,

Having regard to Regulation (EU) 2018/1488 and, in particular to Article 13 thereof,

Having regard to Regulation (EU) 2021/1173 and, in particular to Article 17 thereof,

Having Regard to the Governing Board Decision No 18/2021 of 1 October 2021 on the Access Policy to the Union's share on the access time to the pre-exascale and petascale supercomputers,

Having regard to the Governing Board Decision No 66/2025 of 13 January 2026 on Revision of the Access Policy of the EuroHPC Joint Undertaking Supercomputers (Amendment No 5),

Having regard to Governing Board Decision No 25/2022 of 20 September 2022 approving the Call for Proposal and Terms of Reference for the Extreme Scale Access Call.

WHEREAS

(1) The Governing Board shall define the access rights to the Union's share of access time to the EuroHPC pre-exascale supercomputers and high-end supercomputers and to the Union's share of access time of these supercomputers.

(2) Pursuant to the Decision No 25/2022 of 20 September 2022, the Governing Board of EuroHPC Joint Undertaking approved the call for Proposal and Terms of Reference for the Extreme Scale Access Call.

(3) The call for proposals was opened on 6 March 2026 providing deadline of the eight cut-off date on 4 May 2026.

(4) By 4th May 2026, 60 proposals were submitted and 53 were administratively accepted in response to the call requesting access to seven systems of the EuroHPC Joint Undertaking: Leonardo Booster, Leonardo DCGP, LUMI-C, LUMI-G, MareNostrum 5 ACC, MareNostrum 5 GPP and JUPITER Booster. From the total 53 proposals administratively accepted, 45 were submitted to the Scientific Access Track and 8 to the Industry Access Track.

(5) The evaluation was performed following the Access Policy guidelines and the Terms of Reference approved by the Governing Board by Decision No 66/2025 of 13 January 2026 on Revision of the Access Policy of the EuroHPC Joint Undertaking Supercomputers (Amendment No 5) and Decision No 25/2022 of 20 September 2022, respectively.

(6) The evaluation of the proposals for this call was carried out according to the rules and procedures of Horizon 2020 and HE. The proposals were verified for compliance with the admissibility requirements and eligibility conditions of the call. As a result of the evaluation, 35 applications were ranked above threshold.

(7) The Governing Board is requested to approve the ranking of applications to receive extreme scale access time to EuroHPC supercomputers on the basis of the eight Extreme Scale Access Cut-Off Evaluation Report.

(8) The Executive Director has submitted to the Governing Board for approval the ranked and awarded list of applications attached as Annex 1.

(9) The Governing Board took note and acknowledged the Report of the Executive Director on the outcome of the call, which includes the Extreme Scale Access Cut-Off Evaluation Report with its annexes.

(10) The Executive Director is required to implement the decision of the Governing Board.

(11) The Governing Board reviewed and approved the proposals selected for funding pursuant to the evaluation of the call for proposals for the Extreme Scale Access Call and the Governing Board

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

With regards to the call for proposal for the Extreme Scale Access Call (eight cut-off), the Governing Board approves the ranking list of applications selected to receive access time to EuroHPC supercomputers, included in Annex I.

Article 2

The Executive Director shall inform the applicants, by email, of the result of the evaluation. The successful applicants shall be contacted by the technical teams of the assigned supercomputer centre to begin the onboarding procedure. The applicants will be requested to sign an Acceptable User Policy before accessing the system.

Article 3

This Decision shall enter into force on the date of its adoption.

Done at Luxembourg, on 19 October 2026.

For the Governing Board

Rafal Duczmal
The Chair

Annex 1: Extreme Scale Access 8th Cut-Off Allocation Results – Awarded Projects

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EXTREME SCALE ACCESS – May 2026 cut-off allocation results - awarded projects (node hours)

Proposal ID	Access Track	Country	Leonardo Booster	Leonardo DCGP	LUMI-C	LUMI-G	MareNostrum 5 ACC	MareNostrum 5 GPP	JUPITER Booster
EHPC-EXT-2026E01-034	Scientific	DE	0	0	269,269	0	0	0	0
EHPC-EXT-2026E01-035	Scientific	IE	0	500,000	0	0	0	0	0
EHPC-EXT-2026E01-075	Scientific	FR	0	0	0	0	0	1,000,000	0
EHPC-EXT-2026E01-080	Industry	SE	0	0	0	0	0	0	266,112
EHPC-EXT-2026E01-111	Scientific	CH	0	0	0	0	0	912,120	0
EHPC-EXT-2026E01-117	Scientific	DE	329,972	0	0	0	0	0	0
EHPC-EXT-2026E01-120	Scientific	CY	0	0	618,762	0	0	0	0
EHPC-EXT-2026E01-135	Scientific	UK	0	0	263,986	0	0	0	0
EHPC-EXT-2026E01-139	Industry	UK	0	0	0	0	0	370,000	0
EHPC-EXT-2026E01-150	Scientific	NO	0	0	858,550	0	0	0	0
EHPC-EXT-2026E01-151	Scientific	UK	446,785	0	0	0	0	0	0
EHPC-EXT-2026E01-156	Industry	FI	0	0	0	0	0	261,120	358,400
EHPC-EXT-2026E01-157	Scientific	UK	0	0	0	0	0	246,960	0
EHPC-EXT-2026E01-171	Scientific	CY	0	0	0	0	310,105	0	0
EHPC-EXT-2026E01-175	Scientific	DE	0	0	0	0	0	298,905	0
EHPC-EXT-2026E01-177	Scientific	DK	0	0	0	300,000	0	0	0
EHPC-EXT-2026E01-186	Scientific	IT	0	591,160	0	0	0	0	0
EHPC-EXT-2026E01-187	Scientific	DE	0	0	0	200,000	0	0	0
EHPC-EXT-2026E01-191	Industry	IT	0	0	0	0	0	0	300,000
EHPC-EXT-2026E01-193	Industry	TR	0	0	0	0	0	0	345,500
EHPC-EXT-2026E01-194	Scientific	SK	0	483,840	0	0	0	0	0
EHPC-EXT-2026E01-198	Scientific	FR	0	0	0	180,000	0	0	0
EHPC-EXT-2026E01-203	Scientific	NL	0	0	320,312	0	0	0	0
EHPC-EXT-2026E01-204	Scientific	UK	0	0	0	0	150,000	0	0

EHPC-EXT-2026E01-210	Industry	DE	0	0	0	420,000	0	0	0
EHPC-EXT-2026E01-211	Scientific	DE	0	0	0	0	0	0	400,783
EHPC-EXT-2026E01-217	Scientific	DE	0	0	0	0	23,735	500,000	0
EHPC-EXT-2026E01-218	Scientific	IT	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,000,000
EHPC-EXT-2026E01-222	Scientific	DK	0	0	164,160	0	0	0	0
EHPC-EXT-2026E01-229	Scientific	IT	247,843	0	0	0	0	0	120,060
EHPC-EXT-2026E01-237	Scientific	IT	368,640	0	0	0	0	0	0
EHPC-EXT-2026E01-241	Scientific	DE	381,760	0	0	0	0	0	0
EHPC-EXT-2026E01-247	Scientific	DE	0	0	0	0	0	148,200	0
EHPC-EXT-2026E01-248	Scientific	FR	0	0	0	0	0	530,000	0
EHPC-EXT-2026E01-251	Scientific	DE	0	0	0	678,459	0	0	0
		Total	**1,775,000**	**1,575,000**	**2,495,039**	**1,778,459**	**483,840**	**4,267,305**	**2,790,855**