



**EuroHPC**  
Joint Undertaking

# EuroHPC JU Access Opportunities

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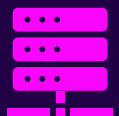
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# OVERVIEW



**INFRASTRUCTURE PROCUREMENT**



**SUPERCOMPUTERS, AI FACTORIES,  
QUANTUM COMPUTERS**



**INFRASTRUCTURE ACCESS**



**ACCESS CALLS**



**PEER-REVIEW PROCESS**

# EUROHPC JU ACCESS CALLS

## ELIGIBILITY

### WHO IS ELIGIBLE?



#### INDUSTRY TRACK OR INDUSTRIAL INNOVATION PROPOSALS:

**Principal Investigator/Project Lead  
MUST be affiliated with an industry  
organization; commercial company,  
SME or startup**

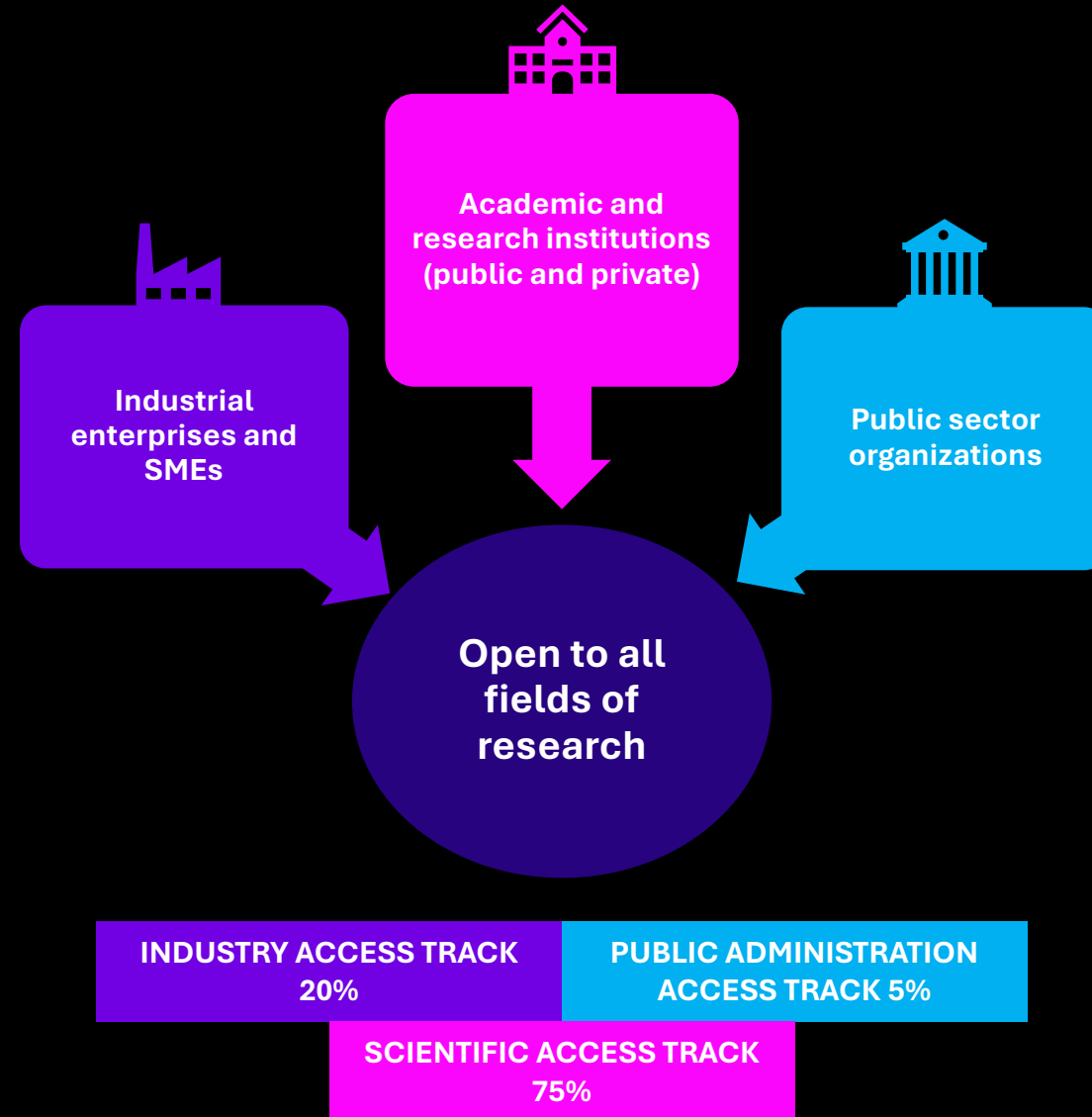
Principal Investigator/Project Lead and Team Members whose organization is:

- Established or located in a Member State or in a third country associated to **Horizon 2020** for accessing the supercomputers acquired by the EuroHPC Joint Undertaking established by Regulation (EU) 2018/1488.
- Established or located in a Member State or in a third country associated to the **Digital Europe Programme** or to **Horizon Europe** for accessing the supercomputers acquired by the EuroHPC Joint Undertaking after 2020.

*Principal Investigators/Project Leads that have an employment contract in the organisation at the time of proposal submission and valid for at least 3 months after the end of the allocation period.*

# EUROHPC JU ACCESS MODES

## ELIGIBILITY





## TRADITIONAL HPC

### PREPARATORY ACTIVITIES

BENCHMARK ACCESS

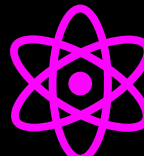
DEVELOPMENT ACCESS

### PRODUCTION ACTIVITIES

EXTREME SCALE ACCESS

REGULAR ACCESS

# ACCESS CALLS



QUANTUM ACCESS



## ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE

### SCIENCE

AI FOR SCIENCE &  
COLLABORATIVE EU PROJECTS  
ACCESS

### INDUSTRIAL INNOVATION

LARGE SCALE ACCESS

PLAYGROUND ACCESS

FAST LANE ACCESS

# THE PEER-REVIEW PROCESS

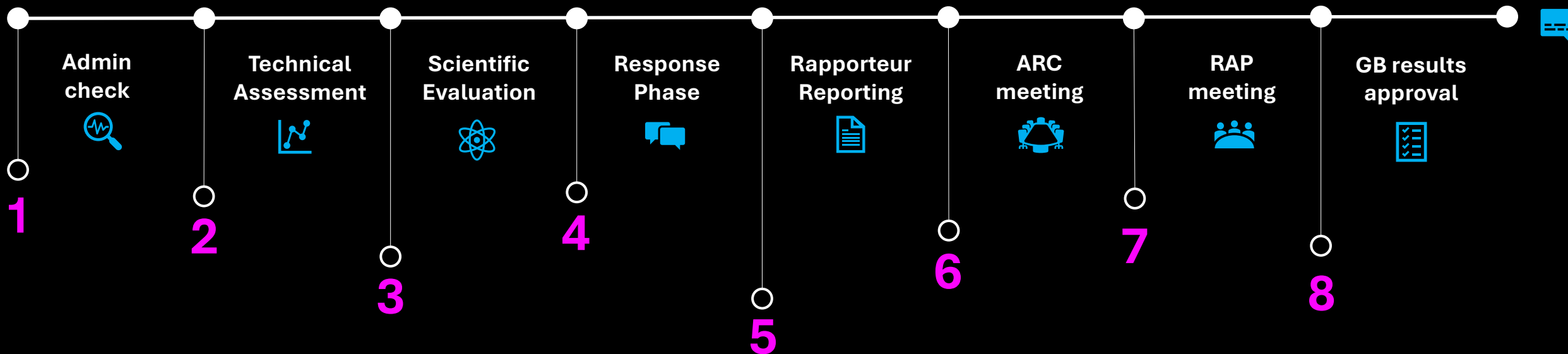
## TRADITIONAL HPC ACCESS CALLS

EXTREME SCALE ACCESS

REGULAR ACCESS

REGULAR ACCESS

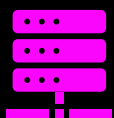
BENCHMARK &  
DEVELOPMENT  
ACCESS





## Extreme Scale Access

Designed for high-impact, high-gain research applications requesting extremely large allocations.



Access offered on the JU **pre-exascale** and **exascale supercomputers**

Resources thresholds (node hours):

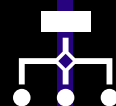
CPU partitions – 130K /5.5M

GPU partitions – 160K/2.7M



Evaluation duration: **6 months**

**Allocation duration**  
12 months



### Access tracks selection:

Scientific

Industrial

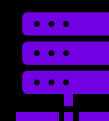
Public Administration

### Proposal preparation:

**Benchmark & Development**  
**Access** for code scalability and code development



Evaluation duration: **4 months**



Access offered on the JU **petascale, pre-exascale** and **exascale supercomputers**

Resources thresholds (node hours):

CPU partitions – 60K /1.7M

GPU partitions – 20K/220K



## Regular Access

Designed for research applications requesting large allocations.

# THE PEER-REVIEW PROCESS

## AI FACTORY ACCESS CALLS



- For AI workflows focused on **scientific applications**
- 6 cut-offs per year
- Allocations for 6 months

AI FOR SCIENCE AND COLLABORATIVE EU PROJECTS

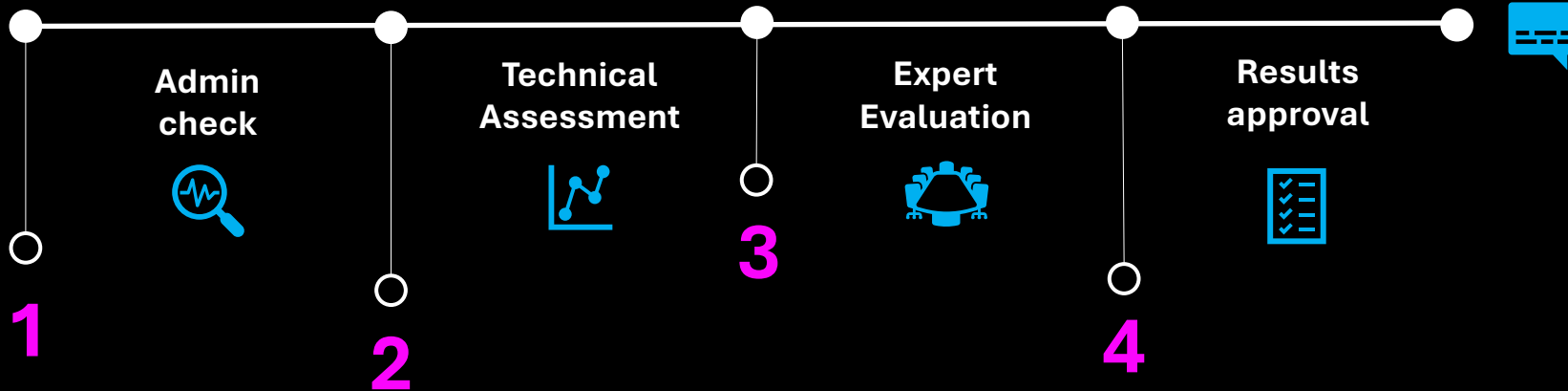
LARGE SCALE ACCESS



- For large AI applications focused on **industrial innovation**
- 2 cut-off dates per month
- Allocations 3,6 or 12 months

**FAST LANE & PLAYGROUND ACCESS**

- For benchmarking, testing and allocations up to 50k GPU hours for **industrial applications**
- Allocations 1,2 or 3 months

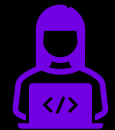


# NEW ACCESS CALL

## QUANTUM ACCESS

**PILOT STAGE** – providing quick preliminary access to the EuroHPC JU Quantum infrastructure

For collecting performance data, testing a method, code and algorithm development, workflow development or quantum computing trainings



Evaluations based on **technical feasibility**



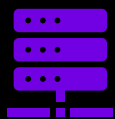
Emulator  
benchmark



Allocation duration **3 or 6 months**



**SUMMER OPENING HOURS!**



Allocation ranges  
(min and max QPU minutes)



**Monthly cut-off dates**

# TIMELINE

## ALL ACCESS CALLS AND CUT-OFFS



### UPCOMING SUBMISSION DEADLINES CALLS FOR TRADITIONAL HPC:

**EXTREME SCALE ACCESS – 19 October 2026**

**REGULAR ACCESS – 4 September 2026**

**BENCHMARK ACCESS – 1 June 2026**

**DEVELOPMENT ACCESS – 1 June 2026**

### EVALUATION AND RESULTS PERIOD:

#### EXTREME SCALE ACCESS

Evaluation meetings – mid September

Results communication – early October

#### REGULAR ACCESS

Evaluation meetings – end June

Results communication – mid July

**BENCHMARK ACCESS – 2 weeks after cut-off date**

**DEVELOPMENT ACCESS – 2 weeks after cut-off date**

### EVALUATION AND RESULTS PERIOD:

#### AI FOR SCIENCE ACCESS

Results communication – early June

#### LARGE SCALE ACCESS

Results communication – end May

**PLAYGROUND ACCESS – 2 days after submission**

**FAST LANE ACCESS – 4 days after submission**

### UPCOMING SUBMISSION DEADLINES

#### AI FACTORY ACCESS CALLS:

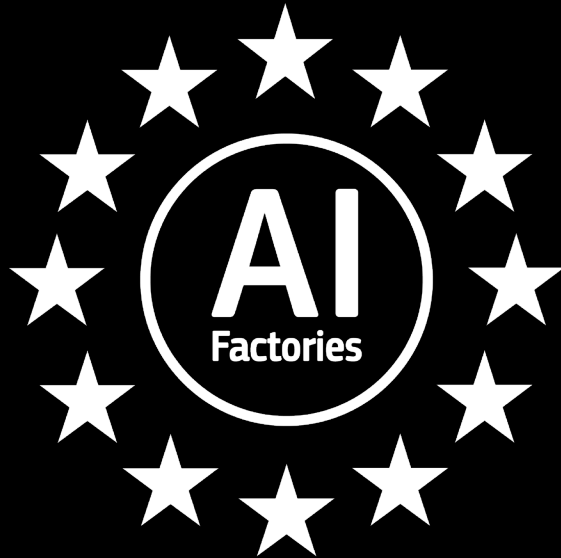
**AI FOR SCIENCE AND COLLABORATIVE EU PROJECTS ACCESS – 30 June 2026**

**LARGE SCALE ACCESS – 29 May 2026**

**PLAYGROUND ACCESS – continuously open**

**FAST LANE ACCESS – continuously open**

# SUPPORT SERVICES AND RELATED PROJECTS

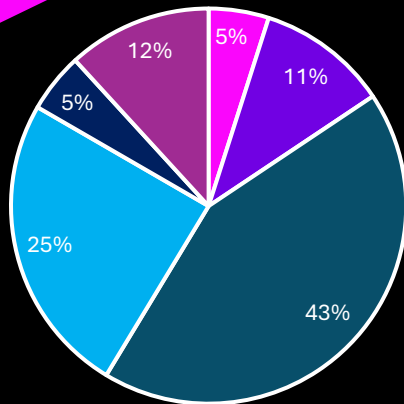


# ALL ACCESS CALLS

## CONSOLIDATED STATISTICS

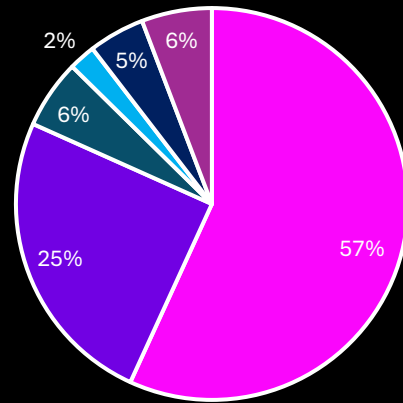
**ALL ACCESS CALLS - AWARDED PROJECTS SHARES**

**AWARDED OVER 3,000 PROJECTS**



- Extreme Scale Access
- Regular Access
- Development Access
- Benchmark Access
- AI and Data-Intensive Applications & AI for Science Access
- AI for Industrial Innovation

**ALL ACCESS CALLS - AWARDED RESOURCES SHARES**



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**AWARDED OVER 177 M NODE HOURS**

**AWARDED PROPOSALS AND RESOURCES PER ACCESS CALL**

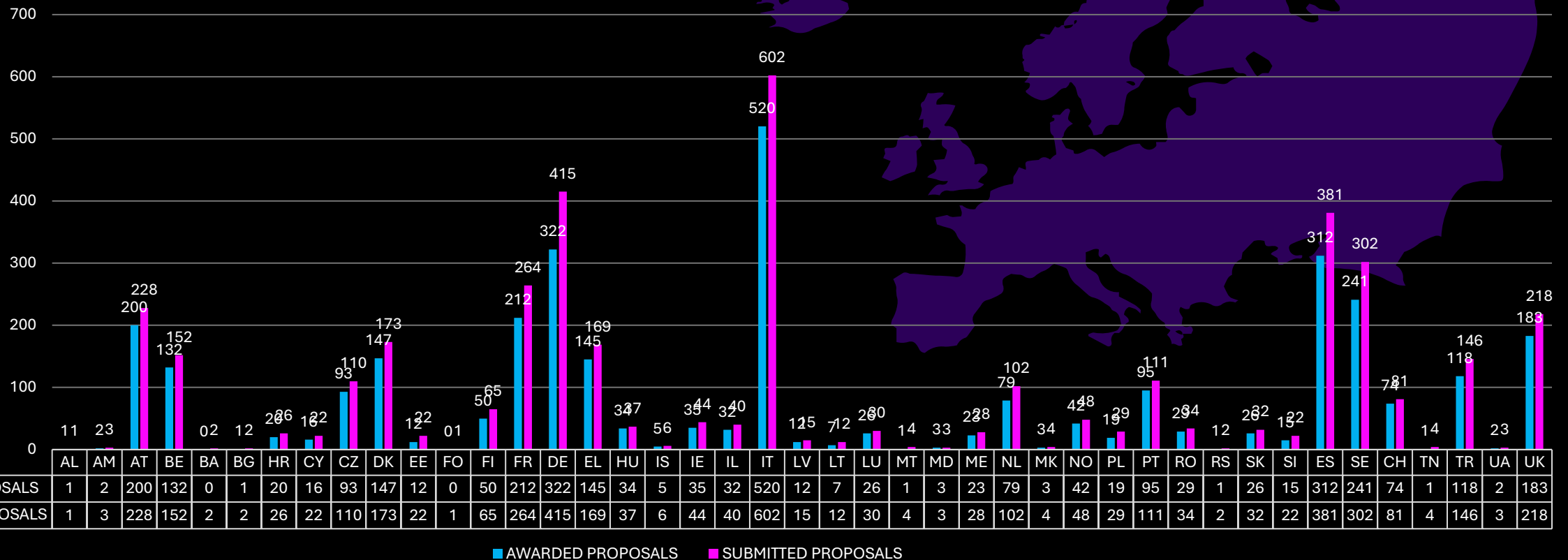
ACCESS CALL	PROPOSALS AWARDED	NODE HOURS AWARDED
EXTREME SCALE ACCESS (Dec 2022 - Oct 2025)	162	100,856,071
REGULAR ACCESS (Dec 2021 - Sep 2025)	352	44,124,393
DEVELOPMENT ACCESS (Jan 2022 - Mar 2026)	1,416	10,062,463
BENCHMARK ACCESS (Jan 2022 - Mar 2026)	812	3,907,467
AI and Data-Intensive Applications Access (Apr 2024 - Apr 2025)	79	3,266,600
AI for Science and Collaborative EU Projects Access (Jun 2025 - Feb 2026)	81	4,951,919
Playground Access (Apr 2025 - Apr 2026)	186	203,125
Fast Lane Access (Apr 2025 - Apr 2026)	158	1,320,698
Large Scale Access (Apr 2025 - Apr 2026)	44	8,767,405
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>3,290</b>	<b>177,460,141</b>

# ALL ACCESS CALLS

## CONSOLIDATED STATISTICS

Italy 16%, Germany 10% & Spain 9% awarded projects

ALL ACCESS CALLS - PI affiliation countries distribution - awarded vs submitted proposals numbers





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