



Deadline	Wed 13 July 2022 16:29:59 CET (IOCB deadline Thu 7 Jul 2022)
Call name	Programme ZEMĚ, sub-program II – call for project proposals with implementation starting date in 2023
www	http://eagri.cz/public/web/mze/poradenstvi-a-vyzkum/vyzkum-a-vyvoj/narodni-agentura-pro-zemedelsky-vyzkum/program-zeme-1/verejna-soutez-vyhlasena-v-roce-2022/
Focused on	Research projects in applied research in agriculture and life science Sub-program II Support of state policy in the agricultural sector is focused on the particular research topics (in Czech only): http://eagri.cz/public/web/mze/poradenstvi-a-vyzkum/vyzkum-a-vyvoj/narodni-agentura-pro-zemedelsky-vyzkum/program-zeme-1/verejna-soutez-vyhlasena-v-roce-2022/vyzkumne-potreby-ministerstva/
PI	Senior or junior researcher with their team
Eligible organisation	Research organization, legal and natural person, organizational unit of the state. The main applicant (institution) must be a research organization. Sub-program II is intended for research organizations only.
Target group	Not specified. Researchers, postdoctoral students, students, technical and administrative staff, company employees according to the needs of the project,
Expected outputs	Minimum requirements for project results: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 publication result - Jimp (WoS: Article, Review, Letter) • 2 non-publication results of the following species: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ P - patent, ○ Z - pilot plant, proven technology, variety, breed, ○ F - utility model, industrial design, ○ G - prototype, functional sample, ○ H - results reflected in legal regulations and standards, results reflected in directives and regulations of a non-legislative nature binding within the competence of the relevant provider, ○ N - methodology, treatment procedure, specialized map with professional content, ○ R - software. At least one separate result with an exclusive dedication to the project.
Call opens	25 May 2022
IOCB deadline	Thu 7 Jul 2022
Final deadline	Wed 13 July 2022 16:29:59 CET
Evaluation results	22 Nov 2022
Signature of agreement	Before project starting date
Earliest date of implementation	01 Jan 2023 – 31 Mar 2023
Latest date of implementation	31 Dec 2025 for Sub-programme II
Sustainability	The implementation plan
Reporting	Interim report on the solution of the project (annually by January 30 of the following year) Final report on the solution of the project with the implementation plan (within 30 days after the end of the project)
Project duration (min-max)	2 – 3 years for Sub-programme II
Allocation for the call	254 M CZK: 254 M CZK for Subprogramme II (2023: 84 M CZK, 2024: 85 M CZK, 2025: 85 M CZK)
Project budget (min-max)	4 M CZK/year (The average estimate)
Success rate	Call 2021: 16.5 %
Eligible costs	Direct costs: personnel costs (including rewards), subcontracting costs (max. 20% of the total eligible costs), other direct costs (costs of materials and services, travel costs, costs of protection of intellectual property rights, repair and maintenance

	costs, purchase small property; tangible and intangible assets; depreciation costs for equipment) indirect costs: overheads - max. 25% of the sum of personnel and other direct costs) Any co-funding must be paid from the beneficiary's non-public resources.
Reimbursement	Subprogram II Total for the project max. 100%; Research organizations: 100%
Mode of funding	ex-ante
Language of application	Czech
Provider	National Agency for Agricultural Research (NAZV); Ministry of Agriculture http://eagri.cz/public/web/mze/poradenstvi-a-vyzkum/vyzkum-a-vyvoj/narodni-agentura-pro-zemedelsky-vyzkum/ Submission of project proposals - ISTA application: https://ista.tacr.cz/ Questions: https://helpdesk.tacr.cz/
Call identifier	NAZV ZEMĚ 2022
Call info	In 2022, projects can only be submitted to sub-program II: Sub-program II - Support of state policy in the agricultural sector – focuses on the selection of projects fulfilling the priorities and current needs of state administration in agriculture, food, forestry and water management and protection of agricultural land, including support for the implementation of the Common Agricultural Policy, including Common policy after 2013, EU Forestry Strategy and the creation of a new Common Agricultural Policy after 2020. This sub-program will further address the current needs of the Ministry of Agriculture. The main applicant (institution) must be a research organization. Sub-program II is intended for research organizations only.
Conditions / Restrictions	Project proposals can be submitted only electronically through the Information System of the Technology Agency of the Czech Republic ("ISTA") at https://ista.tacr.cz Projects cannot include basic research. The principal investigator (person responsible for the professional level of the project - the PI of the main applicant (institution)) must have a minimum time commitment for working on the project set to 0.2 FTE per year. The costs of subcontracting procured for the purposes of the project are limited to 20% of the total eligible costs of all project participants for the entire duration of the project. In order to ensure objective evaluation of the results achieved, at least one separate result with an exclusive dedication to the project must be produced within the project.
Proposal consists of	The electronic version of the project proposal must be completed via the ISTA application https://ista.tacr.cz/ . The application contains the following parts: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Project identification data (name, acronym, duration) ○ Project applicants (institutions) (information on research institutions) ○ Project presentation (description of the implementation phase of the project) ○ Research team (introduction of the research team) ○ Outputs and results of the project (list and description of project results in categories according to IS R & D & I) ○ Financial plan (project budget) ○ Additional information (list of excluded opponents) ○ Attachments for the project ○ Special authorizations (use of experimental animals, GMOs, clinical studies, etc.) ○ Documents to prove eligibility are sent through the applicant (institution)'s data box (provided by the project office). Submission of the proposal in the ISTA system will generate a "Confirmation of the submission ". This confirmation must be sent by the main applicant (institution) via data box to the provider's data box by Wed 13 Jul 2022 at 23:59:59 (this will be arranged by the Project office)
Evaluation criteria	The Provider will supply four opponent reviews in accordance with the internal methodological procedures for each project proposal. The following parameters will be evaluated:

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Quality of the research project (elaboration of the proposal, fulfillment of the program objectives, need, international overlap, feasibility, quality and contribution of the results) ○ Quality of the project and implementation team, technical background ○ Economy, efficiency and effectiveness of financial costs
Research areas	The program is aimed at supporting applied research projects in agriculture, food, water management and forestry, with expected results of high innovation potential, leading to strengthening the stability, volume and quality of production, applicable in new products, technologies and production processes.
Call workshop	8 June and 22 June 2022 10:00-11:30 via MS Teams http://eagri.cz/public/web/mze/poradenstvi-a-vyzkum/vyzkum-a-vyvoj/narodni-agentura-pro-zemedelsky-vyzkum/program-zeme-1/verejna-soutez-vyhlasena-v-roce-2022/informacni-seminare-pro-uchazece/) Frequently asked questions will be added
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