

STATISTICS OF THE PORTUGUESE PARTICIPATION IN THE 7th FRAMEWORK PROGRAMME

This document summarizes the statistical information on the participation of Portuguese institutions in the 7th Framework Programme (FP7) of the European Union, which took place between 2007 and 2013¹. It complements the information about the investment of FCT on the National Scientific and Technological System, which is available in the other sections of Statistics.

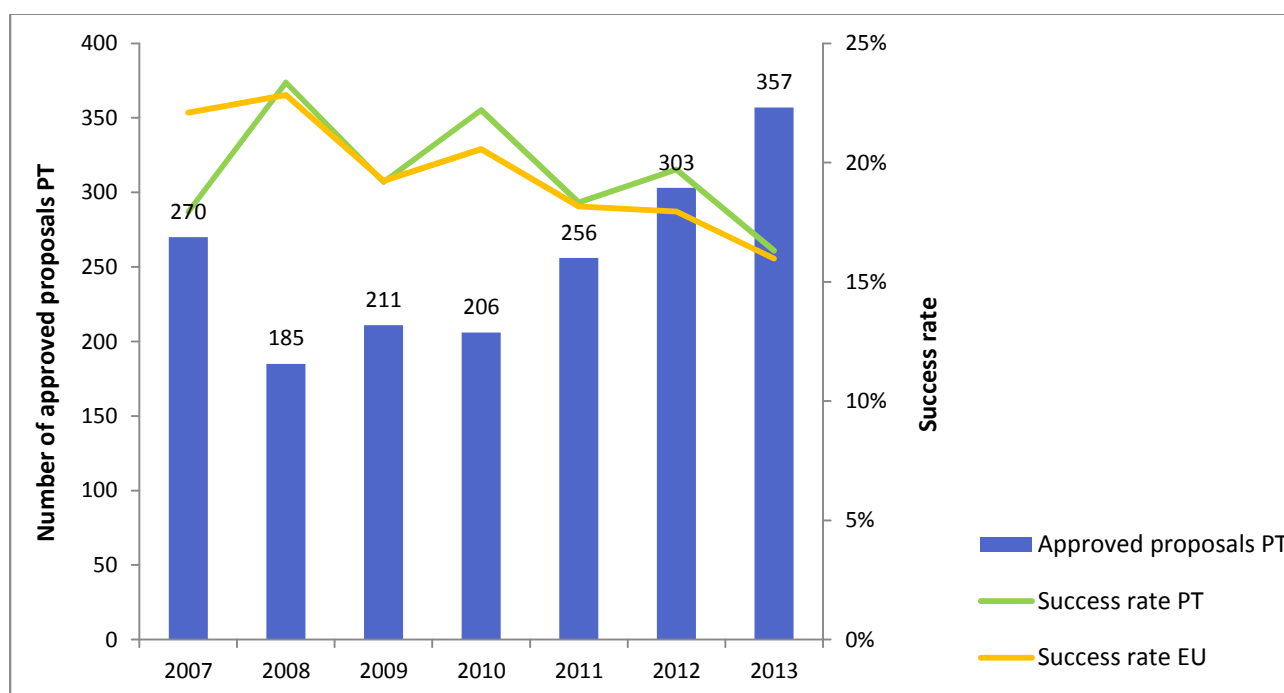
It is divided into three parts: (1) Portuguese participation in FP7, 2007-2013; (2) Participation and funding by region; (3) Participation and funding by programme.

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1. PORTUGUESE PARTICIPATION IN FP7, 2007-2013

National institutions and companies participated in 1788 FP7 projects. Of these, 364 (20.4%) have Portuguese coordination. These projects result from a total of 9449 proposals submitted, which represents a success rate of 18.9%, similar to the European Union (EU) average.

Evolution of the number of approved proposals and success rates

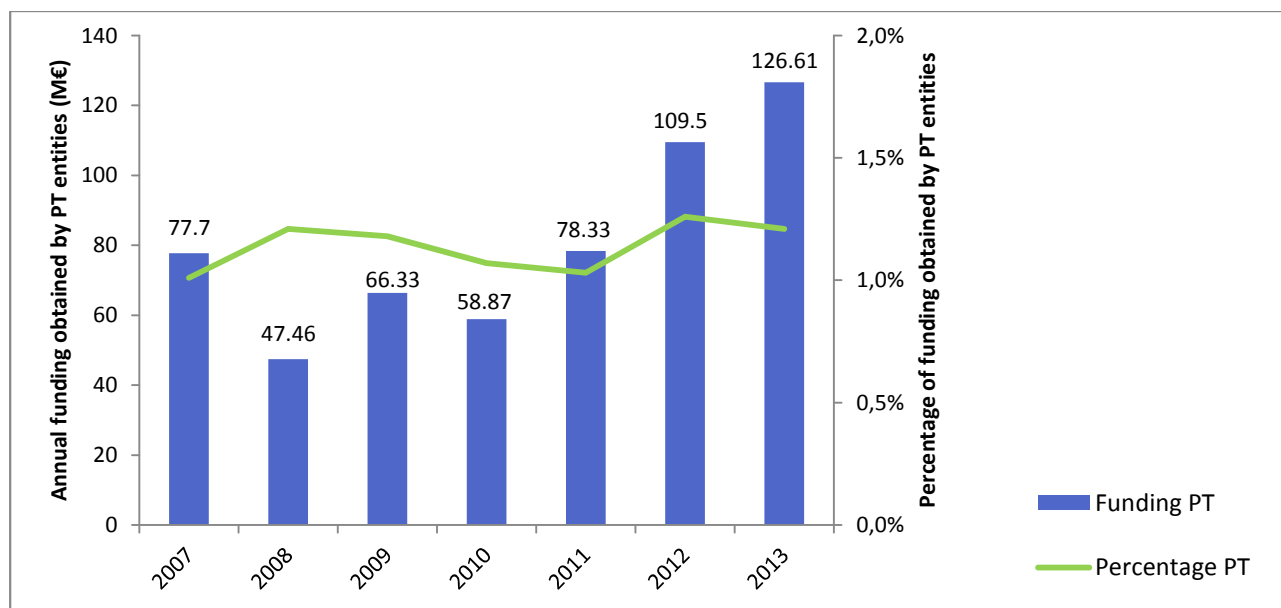


Graph I – Number of approved proposals and success rates

¹ Source: Gabinete de Promoção do Programa-Quadro, GPPQ/FCT/MEC
(http://www.gppq.fct.pt/_7pq/participacao_pt.php)

Evolution of annual funding secured (M€) and percentage of the total EU funding

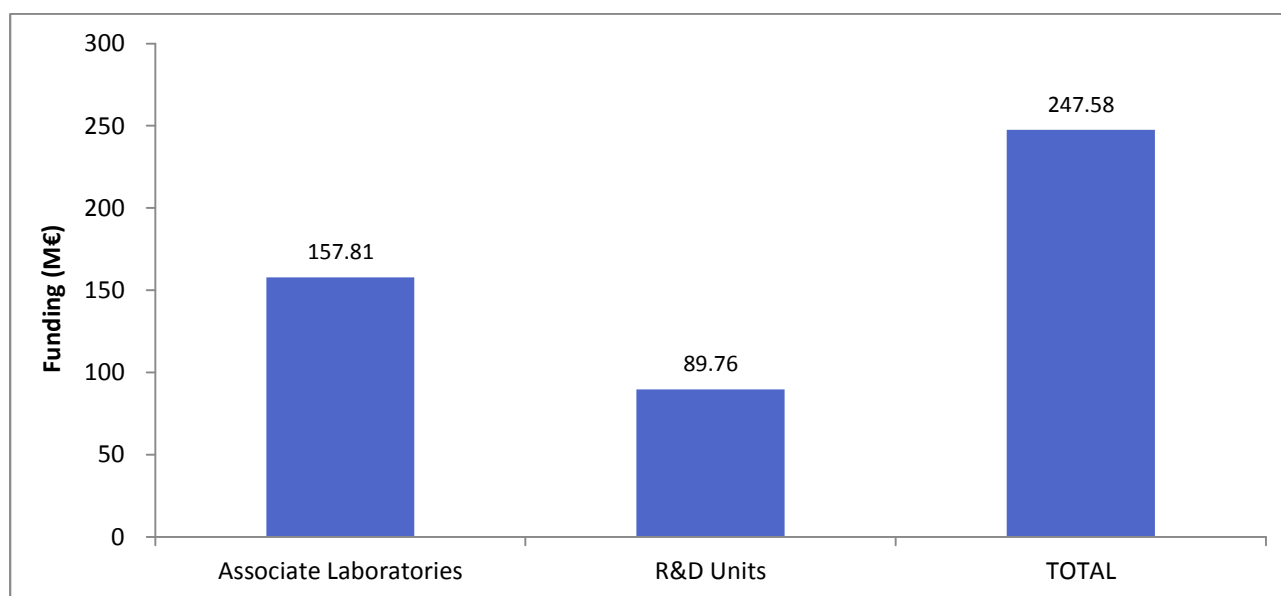
The 1788 projects approved between 2007 and 2013 correspond to a total funding of 564.81 M€, which represents 1.14% of the total amount allocated by the EU in the same period².



Graph II – Annual funding obtained (M€) and percentage of the total EU funding

Funding (M€) obtained by the R&D institutions supported by FCT (2007-2012)³

The R&D institutions funded by FCT obtained 247.58 M€ from 2007 to 2012, which corresponds to 56.2% of the total funding obtained by Portuguese institutions in the same period.



Graph III – Funding (M€) obtained by the R&D institutions supported by FCT (2007-2012)

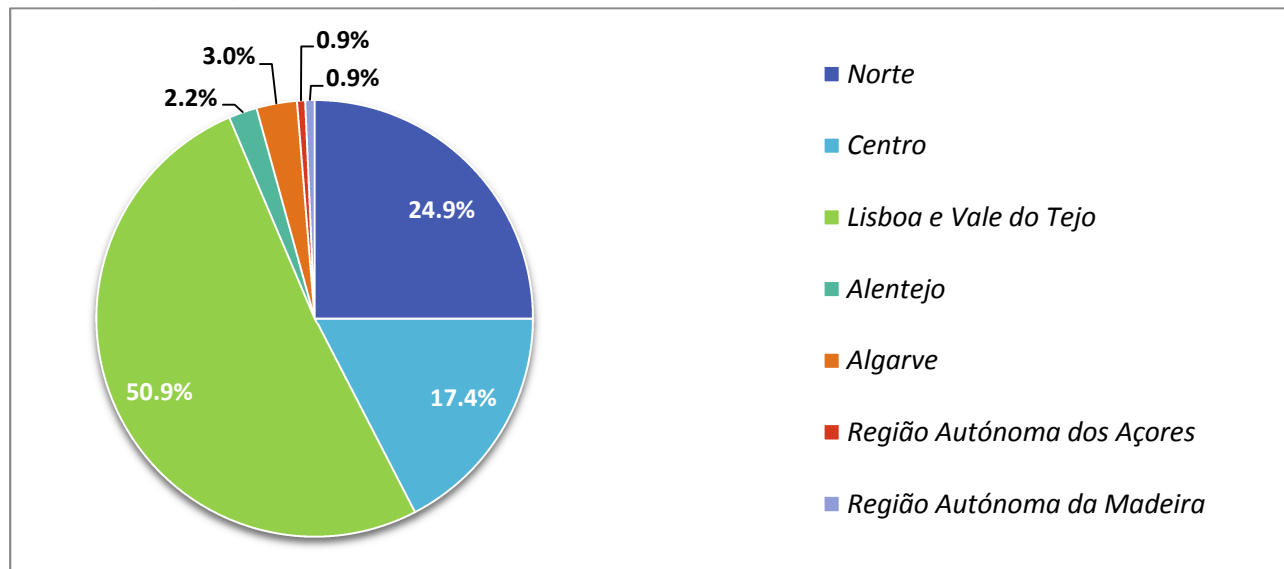
² Programmes Cooperation, Capacities, Ideas, People and EURATOM

³ 2013 data not available

2. PARTICIPATION AND FUNDING BY REGION

Participation by region

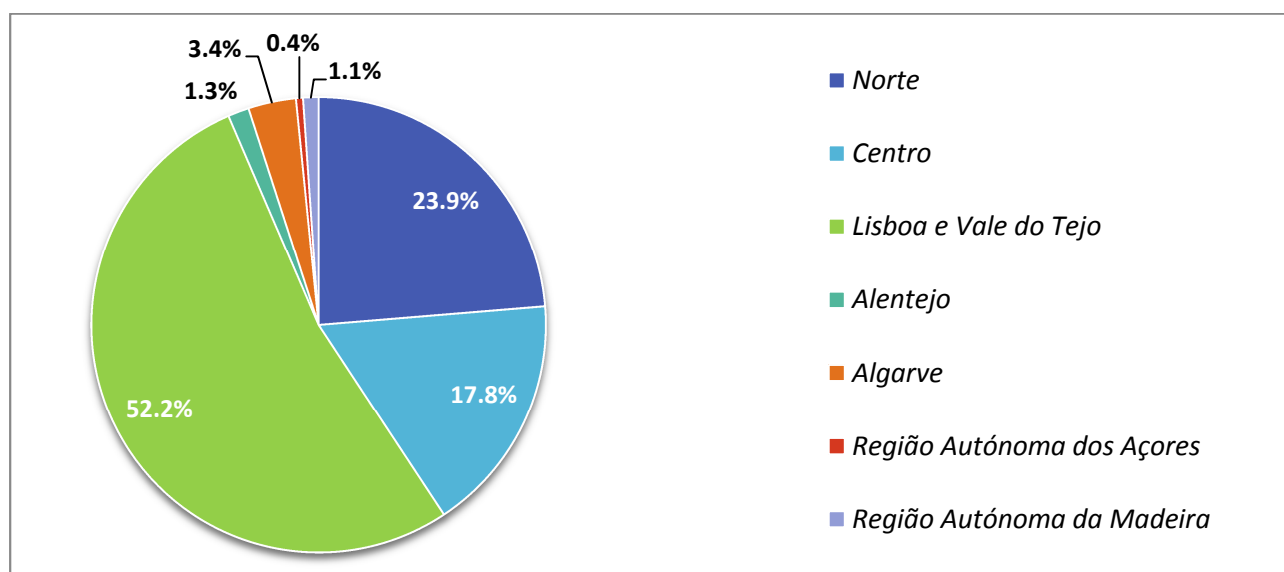
The participation by region is clearly dominated by *Lisboa e Vale do Tejo* (50.9%) followed by *Norte* (24.9%) and *Centro* (17.4%).



Graph IV – Participation by region

Funding by region

The regions of *Lisboa e Vale do Tejo*, *Norte* and *Centro* obtained more than 90% of the EU funding for Portugal. This distribution is very similar to that observed for the projects granted by the Foundation for Science and Technology (FCT).

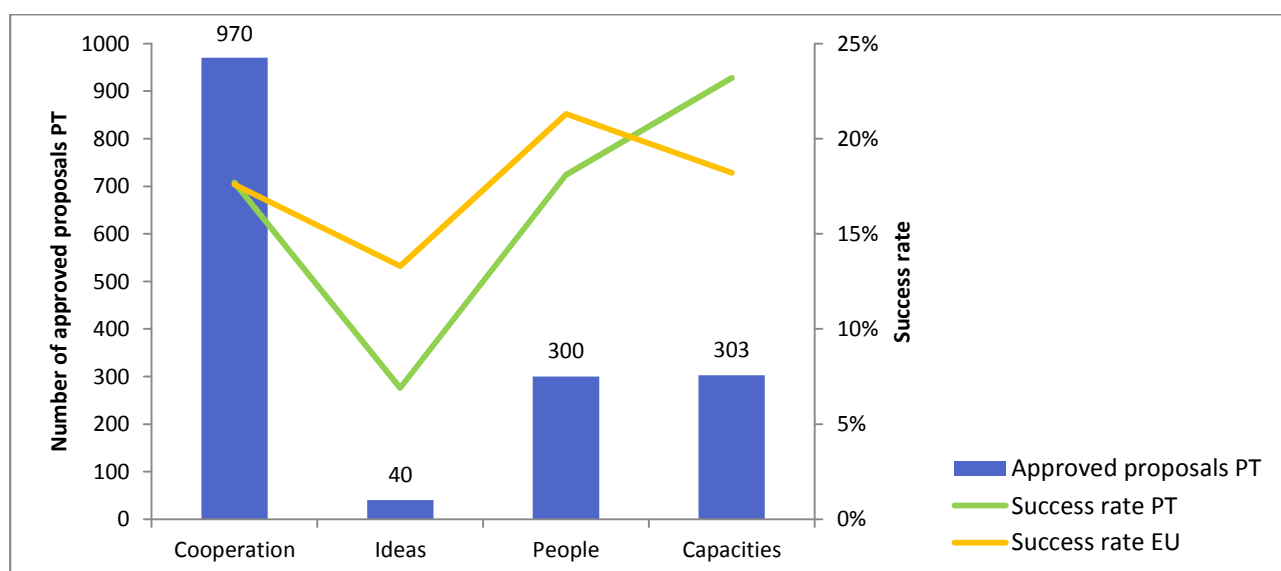


Graph V – Funding by region

3. PARTICIPATION AND FUNDING BY PROGRAMME

Summary of the Portuguese participation by programme

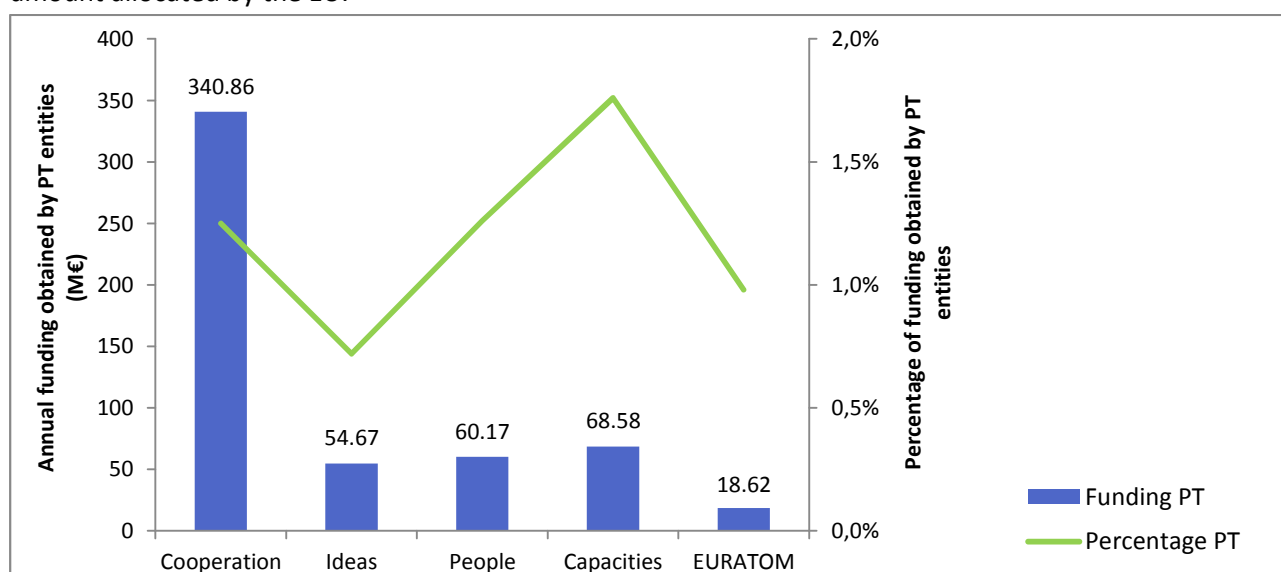
The success rate of proposals with Portuguese institutions was similar to the EU global success rate in the Cooperation Programme (17.7% *versus* 17.6%), significantly lower in the Ideas Programme (6.9% *versus* 13.3%) and significantly higher in the Capacities Programme (23.2% *versus* 18.2%). In the People Programme, the national success rate was 18.1% compared to 21.3% in the EU.



Graph VI – Summary of the Portuguese participation by programme

Funding obtained by program

In five programmes⁴, the national entities secured a total of 542.9 M€, which represents 1.2% of the total amount allocated by the EU.



Graph VII – Funding obtained by programme

⁴ Including EURATOM in addition to Cooperation, Ideas, People and Capacities.