

Europa Media Trainings

Project management and reporting of lump sum projects

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Grant Agreement preparation *Things to keep in mind!*

Grant Agreement Lump Sum grants

- Specific applicable rules are highlighted in purple
- Text in grey indicates that text which is used in other EU programmes is not applicable for this programme.

Project: [insert number] — [insert acronym] — [insert call identifier]

EU Grants: [PROGR Lump Sum MGA - Multi & Mono]: V1.0 - 01.06.2021

ARTICLE 4 - DURATION AND STARTING DATE

The duration and the starting date of the action are set out in the Data Sheet (see Point 1).

CHAPTER 3 GRANT

ARTICLE 5 - GRANT

5.1 Form of grant

The grant is an action grant¹² which takes the form of a lump sum grant for the completion of work packages.

5.2 Maximum grant amount

The maximum grant amount is set out in the Data Sheet (see Point 3) and in the estimated budget (Annex 2).

[OPTION for programmes with contingency reserve: [OPTION if selected for the call: The maximum grant amount can be raised at the end of the action, by activating the contingency reserve set out in the Data Sheet (see Point 3).]]

5.3 Funding rate

Not applicable





[insert programme name (acronym)]

Model Grant Agreement

Lump Sum Grants

(PROGR Lump Sum MGA- Multi & Mono)

Version 2.0 01 March 2023

Disclaimer

This document is aimed at assisting applicants. It shows the full range of provisions that may be applied to this type of agreement, and is provided for information purposes only. The legally binding agreement will be that which is signed by the parties in the system.

Grant Agreement Preparation Some facts...

- Lump sum follows the standard process to prepare the grant agreement
- Based on a specific Model Grant agreement for lump sum grants
- Fully electronic process via F&T Portal with ECAS account and password
- **Time-bound process:** max. 3 months for GAP from the date of inviting applicants until signing it (check your invitation letter for deadlines)
- No negotiation applies to lump sum : the GA will be prepared based on the submitted proposal, however some changes might be necessary:
 - Consider all EC and ESR comments and suggested changes
 - Correcting obvious errors and inconsistencies
 - Other changes necessary to comply with the rules
 - Adjustment of the lump sum amount!
 - Consider ethics and security reviews if applicable
 - Consider all PO suggestions and feedback during GA data preparation



Lump Sum GAP Modification requests...

Lump Sum distribution

- Evaluators will check whether the resources proposed and split of lump sum shares are reasonable
- If needed, they can make **recommendations on changes to the detailed budget table**, therefore the lump sum amount and the lump sum breakdown will be modified during the GA preparation
- Evaluators can also recommend to decrease the lump sum amount for a WP and/or a beneficiary OR to reallocate lump sum shares among WPs and/or beneficiaries

Further breakdown of Work Packages

 Further breakdown of horizontal WPs during the GA preparation is possible, but it requires prior agreement with your PO

Please note: Following the recommendations of the evaluators, the requested grant amount might be decreased, however the requested grant amount can not be increased!





Evolution of your LS budget

From the detailed budget table to LS budget in Part A

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9	GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS	This workbook enables you to present the detailed estimation of costs of your lump sum project and to calculate the lump sum breakdown per beneficiary and per work package. It must be uploaded as an additional document at the 'Proposal forms' step of proposal submission. This is mandatory. If you do not upload the Excel workbook, the proposal submission will be blocked. Comprehensive guidance and background on lump sum funding under Horizon Europe is available on the Funding & Tenders Portal. To get started, we recommend to read the guide <u>Lump sum funding – what do I need to know</u> . This includes details on how to complete this Excel workbook. The weblinks are provided in column E.							
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3 - Budget

No	Name of Beneficiary	Country	Role	Requested grant amount	
1	Geonardo Environmental TechnologiesItd	HU	Coordinator	213 375.00	
2	International Iniziative For A Sustainable Built Environment Italia Research And Development Srl	п	Partner	585 312.50	
3	Felicity-tools Informatikai Szolgaltato Kft	HU	Partner	333 187.50	
4	Centro De Investigaciones Estrategicas Y De Desarrollo Economico Y Social De Malaga Ciedes	ES	Partner	244 042.50	
5	Hochschule Fur Angewandte Wissenschaften Munchen	DE	Partner	550 000.00	
6	Ceske Vysoke Uceni Technicke V Praze	cz	Partner	362 187.50	
7	University College Cork - National University Of Ireland, Cork	IE	Partner	299 375.00	
8	Comune Di Torino	п	Partner	160 312.50	
9	Envirobat-bdm	FR	Partner	350 325.00	
10	Granlund Oy	FI	Partner	257 550.00	
	Total				



Evolution of your LS budget

Lump sum budget in the GA

Project: [insert number] - [insert acronym] - [insert call identifier]

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ANNEX 2

ESTIMATED BUDGET

ANNEX 2 XXX LUMP SUM MGA -- MULTI & MOND

ESTIMATED BUDGET (LUMP SUM BREAKDOWN) FOR THE ACTION

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- The breakdown of lump sum shares will be part of your GA – Annex 2. The submitted, detailed lump sum budget table is not part of your GA.
- Once the lump sum is fixed in the GA, **it will not be questioned,** during the implementation of the project.

	Estimated EU contribution											
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Prefinancing and Interim payments



Payments in Lump sum projects

Almost the same, except...

Pre-financing

- One pre-financing
- 5% contribution to the Mutual Insurance Mechanism will be deducted from the pre-financing
- Coordinator distributes the amount based on the provisions of the Consortium Agreement

Interim payment(s)

- One or more, depending on the duration of the project and the number of periods set in your GA
- EC will pay the shares of the lump sum, defined in your lump sum budget for the work packages completed and approved in the reporting period.

Payment of the balance

- Payment of the balance from the EC
- Partial payment for partially completed work packages possible
- Amount retained for the Mutual Insurance Mechanism





Consortium Agreement for Lump sum projects - Tips

Action implementation Non-compliance Art 11 (old 7)

SECTION 2 RULES FOR CARRYING OUT THE ACTION

ARTICLE 11 — PROPER IMPLEMENTATION OF THE ACTION

11.1 Obligation to properly implement the action

The beneficiaries must implement the action as described in Annex 1 and in compliance with the provisions of the Agreement, the call conditions and all legal obligations under applicable EU, international and national law.

11.2 Consequences of non-compliance

If a beneficiary breaches any of its obligations under this Article, the grant may be reduced (see Article 28).

Such breaches may also lead to other measures described in Chapter 5.

Consortium Agreement

How to make sure that one non-performing partner does not fail the project and makes all other partners work a lot more?



DESCA for lump sum Where should we be stricter?

- Section 1 Definitions
- Section 2 Purpose
- Section 3 Entry into force, duration and termination
- Section 4 Responsibilities of Parties
- Section 5 Liability towards each other
- Section 6 Governance structure
- Section 7 Financial provisions
- Section 8 Results
- Section 9 Access Rights
- Section 10 Non-disclosure of information
- Section 11 Miscellaneous
- Section 12 Signatures
- Attachment 1 Background included
- Attachment 2 Accession document
- Attachment 3 List of Third Parties for simplified transfer according to Section 8.3.2
- (Option) Attachment 4 Identified Affiliated Entities according to Section 9.5
- (Option) Attachement 5 NDA for External Expert Advisory Board agreed under Section 6
- Module GOV SP/LP
- Module IPR SC Specific Software provisions

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DESCA for lump sum Where should we be stricter?

- The consortium agreement needs to address additional aspects for a lump sum grant.
- This relates mainly to the financial liability of the consortium members. For example, in case of non-delivery of a work package, and subsequent non-payment of the corresponding lump sum share, each partner involved is liable for their share in this work package, irrespective of whether or not they completed their individual tasks.

How to handle such scenarios in our CA?

- **Section 4** Responsibilities of Parties
- Section 5 Liability towards each other
- Section 6 Governance structure
- Section 7 Financial provisions

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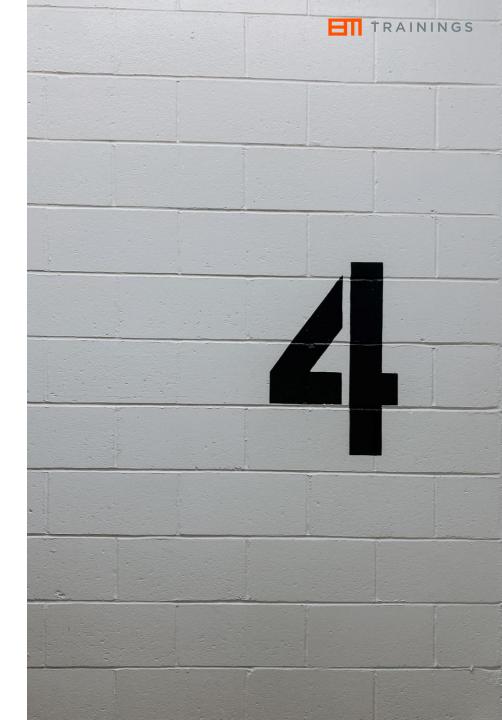
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Responsibilities of Parties Section 4 – LS additions

4.1 General

- Each Party undertakes to take part in the efficient implementation of the Project, and to cooperate, perform and fulfil, promptly and on time, all of its obligations under the Grant Agreement and this Consortium Agreement as may be reasonably required from it and in a manner of good faith as prescribed by Belgian law.
- Each Party undertakes to notify promptly the Granting Authority, the Coordinator and the other Parties, in accordance with the governance structure of the Project, of any significant information, fact, problem or delay likely to affect the Project and the completion of a Work Package.
- (....)





Responsibilities of Parties Section 4 – LS additions

4.2 Breach

- (...) Considering the form of the grant awarded by the Funding Authority (lump sum), should a Party fail to implement its part of the Project, whether in whole or in part, whether itself or by involving a third party in the Project, such failure leading to the non-completion of one or several Work packages of the Project, said Party shall be considered in breach of this Consortium Agreement.
- If such breach is not substantial but is not remedied within that period or is not capable of remedy, the General Assembly may decide on the following consequences:
 - The Coordinator may be assigned to require fulfilling new reporting tasks or work plan related requirements from the declared Party and withhold any interim payment from the declared Party until the requirements are met.
- If such breach is substantial and is not remedied within that period or is not capable of remedy, the General Assembly may decide to declare the Party to be a Defaulting Party and to decide on the consequences thereof which may include termination of its participation.



Responsibilities of Parties Section 4 – LS additions

4.3 Involvement of third parties

• Considering the form of the grant awarded by the Funding Authority (lump sum), should such third party fail to implement its part of the Project on behalf of the Party it's legally bound to therefore and should such failure lead to the non-completion of one or several Work packages of the Project, said Party shall be considered responsible and liable towards the others for such failure of its third party.



Liability towards each other Section 5 – LS additions

5.2 Limitations of contractual liability

Considering the form of the grant awarded by the Funding Authority (lump sum), a Party declared as a Defaulting Party in accordance with the appropriate provisions of this Consortium Agreement shall be liable to any other Party for loss of part of said grant.

For any remaining contractual liability, a Party's aggregate liability towards the other Parties collectively shall be limited to once the Party's share of the total costs of the Project as identified in Annex 2 of the Grant Agreement provided such damage was not caused by a wilful act or gross negligence.



Governance structure Section 6 – LS additions

6.1 General structure

The organisational structure of the consortium shall comprise the following Consortium Bodies: **The General Assembly** is the decision-making body of the consortium. The Coordinator is the legal entity acting as the intermediary between the Parties and the Granting Authority. The Coordinator shall, in addition to its responsibilities as a Party, perform the tasks assigned to it as described in the Grant Agreement and this Consortium Agreement. (.....)

6.3 Operational procedures for the General Assembly

- (....) Monitoring and coordination of the work in and between WPs;
- Management of the resources and budget redistribution in order to meet schedules and goals and deliver in due time deliverables and milestones;
- Monitoring and evaluation of performance of the Parties;
- At the request of the concerned Work Package Leader(s), handle any disagreement that may arise among the Parties in the implementation of the Project.





Financial provisions Section 7 – LS additions

7.1.3 Funding Principles

Considering the form of the grant awarded by the Funding Authority (lump sum), the following apply:

- Each Party shall be funded in accordance with the Consortium Plan and only for the lump sum shares relating to the Work package(s) duly accepted by the Funding Authority
- A Party that performs less or more tasks than allocated to it will be funded in accordance with the budget planned for the concerned completed tasks. Such deviations will be approved previously by the Executive Board/General Assembly.
- The Coordinator shall only transfer to the concerned Parties the amount pertaining to their share of the grant without undue delay after having itself received such amount(s) from the Funding Authority, being recalled that:
 - Interim payments made by the Funding Authority may only include lump sums for Work Packages that have been fully completed and accepted by the Funding Authority; and
 - The payment of the balance (i.e. final payment) made by the Funding Authority may exceptionally include payment of proportional shares of lump sums for partially completed Work packages.
 - Should such payment of the balance include payment of proportional shares of lump sums for partially completed Work packages, this payment will be distributed among the Parties involved in the considered Work package(s), proportionally to their performance and actual contribution.



Financial provisions

7.2.2 Payment schedule - examples

The amount of the pre-financing will be defined in Art. 22.1 of the GA by the Granting Authority. It will be 85% of the maximum EC contribution. 5% of the maximum grant amount, will be transferred directly by the Granting Authority to the Mutual Insurance Mechanism. So, the actual transfer will be 80%. After receiving the Pre-financing from the Granting Authority, the Coordinator will transfer the Funding to the Parties in separate instalments as agreed below:

- 60 % On receipt of the pre-financing
- **40** % Later, after the Coordinator has received and assessed the technical and financial input for the first internal report (for the period M1-M9) from Parties and if the reported data proves the demand for payment.

The transfer of the initial pre-financing, the additional pre-financings (if any) and interim payments to Parties will be handled in accordance with Article 22.1. and Article 7 of the Grant Agreement following this payment schedule:

Funding of costs included in the Consortium Plan will be paid by the Coordinator to the Parties after receipt of payments from the Granting Authority in separate instalments as agreed below:

- **75** % On receipt of the pre-financing
- **Remaining 25 % of the pre-financing:** At the end of month 18 of the project, upon achievement of the Milestone M4 e-solutions running.

Internal reporting

To monitor the technical implementation

Based on the CA at the kick off meeting you would need to discuss the internal monitoring and reporting procedures.

Internal reporting:

- Allows a good overview of the work that's been done
- Alerts if a partner is underperforming
- Highlights issues that may hinder the implementation of the project activities



Amendments vs Deviations

What can be changed?



Amendment and deviations in lump sum projects

What can be changed?

Amendments:

Lump sum grant can be amended, using the same procedure and conditions as for all other Horizon Europe grants.

Can be changed eg.:

- Changes in the work plan;
- Adding or removing beneficiaries;
- Transfer of tasks between beneficiaries;
- Changing project duration or reporting periods;
- Changes of lump sum shares;

Can not be changed eg.:

• Lump sum work packages that have already been paid

Deviations:

Can also be described in the Periodic Technical Report Part B Section 5.2 – **Simplified procedure applies**.

5.5 Budget flexibility

Budget flexibility does not apply; changes to the estimated budget (lump sum breakdown) always require an amendment (see Article 39).

Amendments for transfers between work packages are moreover possible only if:

- the work packages concerned are not already completed (and declared in a financial statement) and
- the transfers are justified by the technical implementation of the action.

¹³ See Article 125 EU Financial Regulation 2018/1046.

¹² For the definition, see Article 180(2)(a) EU Financial Regulation 2018/1046: 'action grant' means an EU grant to finance "an action intended to help achieve a Union policy objective".



Reporting obligations

of the lump sum projects

Continuous reporting

As it is in any other Horizon Europe grants

Periodic reporting

Consist of Technical report and Status of Work Packages

Process:

- Consortium will prepare a detailed Technical report.
- The coordinator declares work packages as Completed or Not Completed. This should be justified by the periodic technical report. Partially completed – possible only at the last reporting period.
- The project officer will assess the technical report and the status for each work packages declared
- There is no reporting of actual costs or of resources.



Periodic report module

Action grants vs Lump sum grants

Technical part

- Part A (structured information entered through the continuous reporting module)
 - Project summary
 - Deliverables, milestones, risks, etc.
 - Answers to the impact questionnaire
- **Part B** (narrative part submitted in a PDF through the **periodic reporting** module)
 - Explanation of the work carried out by the beneficiaries and overview of progress
 - Explanations on deviations from DoA

Financial part



Report generated automatically based on the information entered through the **periodic reporting** module.

Activated at the end of reporting periods

Must be submitted within 60 days following the end of each reporting period

Periodic reporting module

Functionalities

- At the end of each reporting period, each beneficiary will receive a notification to complete:
- Their contribution to the **Technical Part** (this is common for all beneficiaries in the project)
- Their contribution to the **Status of Work Packages** (this is common for all beneficiaries in the project)
- They can see the read-only **Status** of Work Packages and the Periodic Report composition task, which need to be completed by the Coordinator.



Status of the Work Packages

Periodic reporting

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- The Coordinator declares the status of the work packages as Completed or Not Completed
- An incomplete work package can be completed and paid in any of the subsequent reporting period.
- Partially Completed status with % of completion can only be used <u>at the</u> <u>final reporting period</u>



Declaring WPs as complete

Completed vs. Partially completed

Completed WP

- Completion of the work packages are based on the completion of the activities and not on a successful outcomes!
- While a work package can normally only be declared as completed when all the work has been carried out as described, it can also be declared as completed if some elements are missing, as long as:
 - all essential tasks have been completed, and/or
 - equivalent tasks have been carried out, and/or
 - when deviations have been duly justified.

Deviations compared to GA

- If the deviation happened because of technical reasons:
 - you can report the deviation in the Section 5 of the technical report. If duly justified, the deviation can be accepted with the technical report.
 - alternatively, you can introduce an amendment to address the situation, with the aim of making the completion of the WP feasible. For example, you can propose a feasible alternative to the initial WP description, based on equivalent work that can be carried out.





Declaring WPs as complete

Completed vs. Partially completed

Partially completed WP

- At the end of the last reporting period, you have the possibility to declare a work package as partially completed.
- In this case, you need to indicate a percentage of completion.
- You should declare WP as partially completed if essential parts have not been carried out and not been replaced with equivalent work.
- This needs to be explained and justified in the final technical report.
- The percentage of completion declared should correspond to the share of activities described in the grant agreement that have been carried out.



Technical report

Periodic reporting

- You must use the standard technical periodic report template available directly in the Grant Management System.
- The technical report should detail who did what (at the level of the participating organisations, not at the level of individual staff), indicating the contributions from beneficiaries, affiliated entities, associated partners, and subcontractors.
- The technical report should focus on the completion of work packages, in particular, when you declare a WP as completed, the report must explain and justify this.
- In the last reporting period, when you declare a WP partially completed, report must explain and justify.

Horizon Europe Technical Report

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3. EXPLOITATION PRIMARILY IN NON-ASSOCIATED THIRD COUNTRIES (IF APPLICABLE)

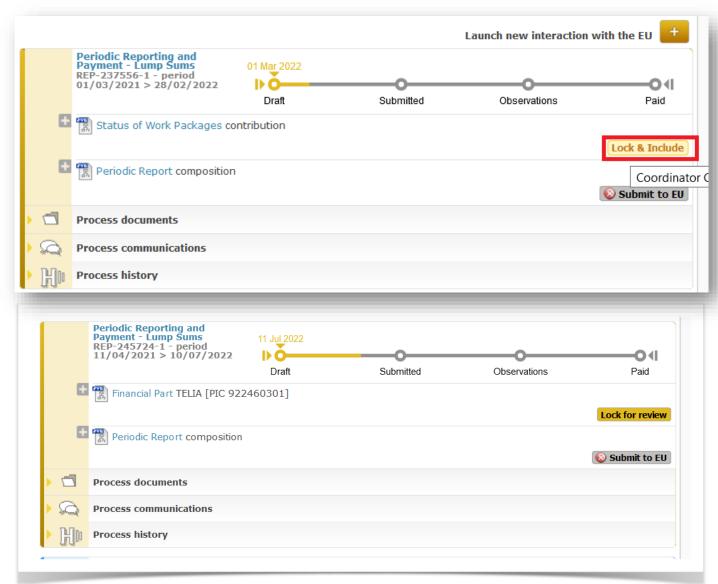
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5. DEVIATIONS FROM ANNEX 1 (IF APPLICABLE)

Financial statement

Consolidated statement for the consortium

- The Locking & Including of the Status of Work packages by the Coordinator will generate automatically the consolidated financial statement for all beneficiaries
- Financial Statement is created based on the completed work packages (at the final reporting, partially completed work packages as well) and the corresponding lump sum shares.
- Notification will be sent to the Coordinator that the Financial Statement is ready to be signed.

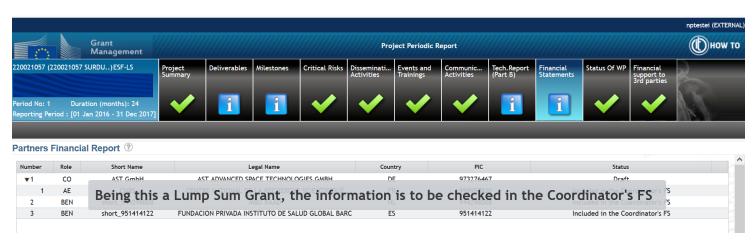


Financial statement

Consolidated statement for the consortium

- The financial statements of non-Coordinator beneficiaries are included in the financial statement of the Coordinator. Therefore, if a user clicks on a partner (other than the Coordinator) the following warning message will be displayed: "Being this a Lump Sum Grant, the information is to be checked in the Coordinator's FS".
- Coordinator signs the consolidated financial statement on behalf of the consortium

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2-DIACHEIRISI APOVLITON FOTISTIKON ILEKTRIKO	4.00 €		0.00 €
3-PROMOCIO ECONOMICA DE SABADELL SL-PES	10.00 €		0.00 €
TOTAL WP1	19.00 €	100.00	10.00 €
WP2			
1-TELIA FINLAND OYJ	5.00 €		2.80 €
2-DIACHEIRISI APOVLITON FOTISTIKON ILEKTRIKO	4.00 €		0.00 €
3-PROMOCIO ECONOMICA DE SABADELL SL-PES	4.00 €		0.00 €
TOTAL WP2	13.00 €	70.00	2.80 €
WP3			
1-TELIA FINLAND OYJ	10.00 €		6.00 €
2-DIACHEIRISI APOVLITON FOTISTIKON ILEKTRIKO	2.00 €		0.00 €
3-PROMOCIO ECONOMICA DE SABADELL SL-PES	6.00 €		0.00 €
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Assessment of the WPs by the PO

Completed vs. Partially completed

- The PO will assess the technical report and the status of work packages
- For each work package declared, the PO will assess and choose between 'completed' and 'not completed'.
- At the final report, the project officer can also choose 'partially completed' and enter the percentage of completion.
- The PO will reject a WP when a significant or essential part of the work has not been completed, and this deviation from the work plan is not justified or not acceptable.
- If the PO intends to reject a work package, you will have the opportunity to react to the observations of the PO.
- In this case, the PO will either send you a request for additional information or reject the technical report and ask you to justify the completion of the work package(s).



Payments in Lump sum projects

Almost the same, except...

Interim payment(s)

- One or more, depending on the duration of the project and the number of periods set in your GA
- EC will pay the shares of the lump sum, defined in your lump sum budget for the work packages completed and approved by the PO in the reporting period.
- There is no possibility for interim payment of partially completed work packages.
- If the WP is rejected, the lump sum share concerned will not paid at that interim payment. In this case, you should complete the work package and declare it again at the end of any subsequent reporting period.

Payment of the balance

- Partial payment for partially completed work packages possible if it is not possible to complete a work package by the end of the project due to technical reasons or force majeure.
- If you declare a work package incomplete at the end of the project due to other reasons, the work package may be rejected in full.
- Payment of the balance from the EC and the amount retained for the Mutual Insurance Mechanism







Keeping records

You need vs. You don't need, however.....

You need (e.g.)	You don't need
Technical documents	Time-sheets
Publications, prototypes, deliverables	Pay-slips or contracts
Documentation required by good research practices such	Depreciation policy
as lab books	Invoices
any document proving that the work was done as detailed in Annex 1	any documents proving the actual costs incurred
Same as for all Horizon Europe grants	

Source: EC slides: Lump Sum Funding in Horizon Europe: How does it work? How to write a proposal? (9 February 2023)

What if?

- lump sum project is not your only project
- if you have both a running action grant and a lump sum project and what if one of them is H2020 and the other one is Horizon Europe?
- What if you have colleagues who are working on both a lump sum project and an action grant?

Good questions, right?





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