

**Programming Period:** 2008 to 2021

**Instrument/Program level:** National

**Program level area:** GERMANY

**Name of the instrument/Program:** KMU-Innovativ

**Instrument/Program website:** <https://www.bmbf.de/de/kmu-innovativ-561.html>

**Instrument/Program eligible areas:** GERMANY

**Managing authority:**

Federal Ministry of Education and Research (BMBF)

**Objectives:**

Supporting cutting-edge research in German SMEs

**Eligible thematics in line with ERC sectors:** Life Sciences; Physical Sciences and Engineering; Social Sciences and Humanities

**Eligible thematics in line with S3:** Advanced Manufacturing; Automotive; Climate Change Mitigation; Green & Clean energy & technologies; ICTs (Digital technologies & user-friendly systems); Life Science & Biotechnology; Mechatronics; New and intelligent materials, nano and microtechnology; Photonics; Robotics; Secure technologies; Sustainable innovation & infrastructure

**Action typologies:** Development of new sustainable technologies, new products and services; Development of pilot programs & projects; Feasibility studies; Support for experimentation and user testing; Technological and commercial feasibility studies

**Beneficiaries:** SME

**Status of the eligible institutions:** Private

**Programme contribution maximum:** 100%

**Project duration maximum:** 12 months

**Events organized by this**

**Program:** <https://www.foerderinfo.bund.de/de/kmu-innovativ-761.php>

**Field:** Research, Innovation