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The Innovation Procurement Is a tool to **promote innovation from the public sector** through the acquisition of **innovative solutions** or **first prototypes** that can be validated by entities of the Spanish public sector

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What is Innovation Procurement?

Innovation procurement refers to any procurement of **buying the process of innovation** – research and development services – with (partial) outcomes, or buying the outcomes of innovation. Innovation procurement can be addressed in two complementary ways: Public Procurement of Innovative solutions (PPI) and Pre-Commercial Procurement (PCP).

Since 2018, Spanish Center for Technological Development and Innovation (CDTI) has been promoting Innovation procurement under the **Pre-Commercial Procurement (PCP)** modality mainly. CDTI acquires R&D services to develop prototypes of initial products or services that address public needs.

A **Spanish Public Entity or Spanish Public Administration** acts as the contracting authority, being interested in the project and able to provide the real environment required to validate the developed technology.

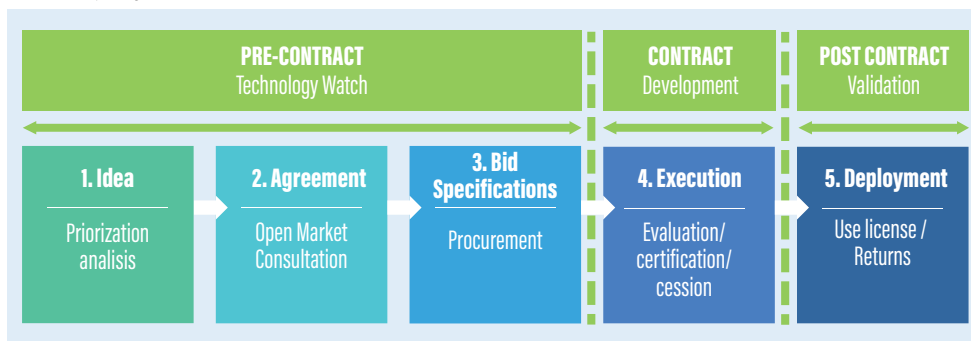
Co-financing is mainly provided through **European funds**.

Early Demand Map

CDTI continuously monitors the technological needs of Spanish Public Sector Entities to create an early demand map based on actual demand, fostering catalytic Innovation procurement.

CPI process at CDTI Innovation

- 1. Idea
- 2. Agreement
- 3. Bid Specifications
- 4. Execution
- 5. Deployment



Innovation Procurement in numbers

Finished CDTI PCP KPIs and outcomes:

CDTI PCPs Overall KPIs		1. Idea		2. Agreement		3. Bid Specifications		4. Execution		5. Deployment	
		Priorization analisis		Open Market Consultation		Procurement		Evaluation/ certification/ cession		Use license / Returns	
8	Initiatives managed	274	Innovative ideas received	8	Open Market Consultation procedures	43%	Participants in Joint Venture	74%	Satisfactory and Successful Phase 1	15	Cession Contracts
23	Contracts (Phase I)	223	Participant Companies	174	Innovative Proposals	29%	SMEs and Startups	100%	Satisfactory and Successful Phase 2	15	Use License Contracts
16	Contracts (Phase II y III)	10	Demanding Regions (NUTS)	455	Participants	31%	Subcontracting	94%	Satisfactory and Successful Phase 3		
4	Sector served					10,40 %	Royalties				
53,4 M€	Total Budget					49%	Successful bidder with previous participation OMC				

Actual CDTI PCPs in execution

CDTI PCPs Overall KPIs		1. Idea		2. Agreement		3. Bid Specifications		4. Execution		5. Deployment	
		Priorization analisis		Open Market Consultation		Procurement		Evaluation/ certification/ cession		Use license / Returns	
17	Initiatives managed	97	Innovative ideas received	16	Open Market Consultation procedures	80	Proposals	3	PCP initiatives in Phase 1		
34	Contracts	18	Ideas prioritized	60	Innovative Proposals	33%	Participans in Joint Venture	13	PCP initiatives in Phase 2		
9	ODS served	97	Public Authorities participants	16	Agreements	78%	Contracts awarded	1	PCP initiatives in Phase 3		
376 M€	Total Budget					22 M€	Executed				

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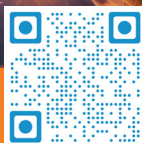
CDTI procures R&D services to develop prototypes of initial products or services that address public needs. Therefore, CDTI's PPI initiatives and challenges are aligned with the Sustainable Development Goals.



In 2015, the UN adopted the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development, an opportunity for countries and their societies to embark on a new path to improve the lives of all people, leaving no one behind. The agenda includes 17 Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), which establish that eradicating poverty must go hand in hand with strategies that promote economic growth and address a range of social needs such as education, healthcare, social protection, and employment opportunities, while also tackling climate change and protecting the environment.

The Sustainable Development Goals are universal and require action from all countries, both developed and developing, to build resilient infrastructure, promote inclusive and sustainable industrialization, and foster innovation.

Innovation Procurement at the Spanish Center for Technological Development and Innovation (CDTI)



Distributed Intelligent Computing (UMU)

Budget:
€5,9M + VAT

Location:
Murcia

Implementation period:
24 months

Results:
2 prototypes transferred to University of Murcia in 2023

Smart Campus: integration of intelligence solutions at both the network and intermediate node levels, as well as in the interconnections between subsystems, enabling distributed and coordinated management of information processing and, consequently, decision-making.



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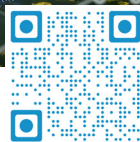
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Monitoring the Quality of Surface Waters (DUERO)



Budget:

€4,05M + VAT

Location:

Castilla y León

Implementation period:

24 months

Results:

**2 prototypes
transferred to the
Duero Hydrographic
Confederation in
2023**

Low-cost, high-efficiency surface water quality alert system for the Spanish part of the Duero River basin. Includes the development of innovative sensors, data acquisition and remote-control systems, communications with the Basin Control Center, autonomous power supply, and the external structure.



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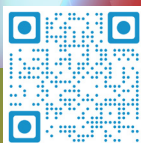
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DEL DUERO



Organ Preservation (PRESORG)

Budget:
€5,03M + VAT

Location:
Extremadura

Implementation period:
22 months

Results:
2 prototypes
transferred to the
Jesus Usón Minimally
Invasive Surgery
Centre in 2023

Innovative solutions for organ transplantation, capable of maintaining the organ's normal function, improving its hemodynamics, and reducing ischemia-reperfusion damage, creating an environment for the organ that is virtually identical to that of the body.



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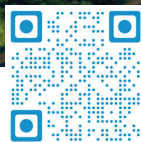
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Information System to Support Decision-Making in Water Management (SEGURA)



Budget:

€3,4M + VAT

Location:

Castilla y León

Implementation period:

21 months

Results:

**2 prototypes
transferred to the
Segura Hydrographic
Confederation in 2023**

Computer system for operation within the Segura Hydrographic Basin, based on a modular software platform that allows real-time optimization of water use and costs, including alert management and predictive models for decision-making through AI-based tools.



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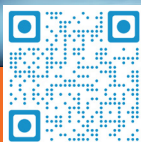
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Inspection of Bridges, Viaducts and Track Switches (ADIF)

Budget:
€5,86M + VAT

Location:
Andalucía

Implementation period:
22 months

Results:
**3 prototypes
transferred to ADIF
in 2023**

The objective of this initiative is to monitor the condition of railway infrastructure in two areas: bridges and viaducts on one hand, and turnout systems on the other, in order to optimize maintenance and minimize operational risks during service.



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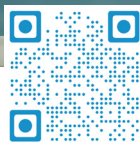
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Seawater Desalination (CABILDO)



Budget:
€11,49M + VAT

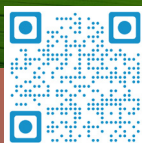
Location:
Canarias

Implementation period:
19 months

Results:
1 prototype
transferred to the
Cabildo of Gran
Canaria in 2023

Design, installation, testing, and real-world validation of a highly innovative desalination technology at a demonstrative scale, aimed at improving conventional seawater reverse osmosis desalination plants.





Rural Area Security (RURAL)

Budget:

€7,04M + VAT

Location:

Castilla la Mancha

Implementation period:

18 months

Results:

2 prototypes transferred to the Guardia Civil in 2023

Technologies to monitor large areas of land in rural zones, addressing specific scenarios such as theft of agricultural machinery or cultural assets, management of mass events, detection of marijuana plantations, and environmental crimes.



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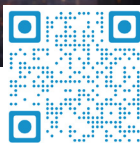
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U-Space Simulation Environment (GAIN)



Budget:

€10,9M + VAT

Location:

Galicia

Implementation period:

16 months

Results:

2 prototypes
transferred to the
Axencia Galega of
Innovation in 2023

U-Space simulation platform
to expand Rozas' capabilities
as a reference center for
the development and
experimentation of UAVs
(unmanned aerial vehicles).



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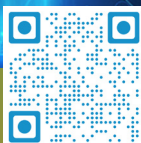
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Clinical Trials (INNOVATRIAL)

Budget:
€10,07M + VAT

Location:
Galicia

Implementation period:
30 months

Computer system providing an innovative, comprehensive solution for all actors and processes involved in clinical research, covering all types of studies—from treatment, prevention, and diagnosis to disease detection research, genetic studies, epidemiological studies, and preclinical and clinical trials—integrated with healthcare activities.



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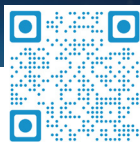
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Small Satellite Launcher (LAUNCHER)



Presupuesto:
€45M + VAT

Implementation period:
29 months

Development of a launcher prototype capable of placing satellites of at least 300 kg into low Earth orbit.



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Quantum Key Distribution System (QKD)

Budget:

€125M + VAT

Location:

Madrid

Implementation period:

24 months

Development of two experimental payload prototypes and their associated ground segments, which will constitute complete end-to-end quantum key generation and distribution (QKD) systems, with a view to future secure communication services by Public Administrations and other operators within the upcoming European Euro-QCI network.



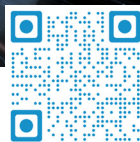
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Compact Linear Accelerator for Hadron Therapy (HADRONTHERAPY)



Budget:
€18M + VAT

Location:
Valencia

Implementation period:
55 months

Compact carbon ion injector for use in radiobiological studies of hadron therapy against cancer, offering a less aggressive and more targeted treatment. The project aims to develop a compact linear ion accelerator for subsequent use in hadron therapy. The challenge focuses on creating a demonstrator for the injection phase of a carbon ion accelerator (injector) based on a compact radio-frequency linear accelerator (LINAC) to verify that the associated technology and infrastructure are economically viable and sustainable.



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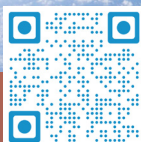
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Earth Observation. Onboard Processing in Satellites (RT2)

Budget:
€4,6M + VAT

Location:
Madrid

Implementation period:
22 months

Onboard data processing system for radar (SAR) and/or high-resolution optical satellites (V/ IR). AI-based techniques reduce transmitted data volume, improve latency, and accelerate satellite image-based decision-making.



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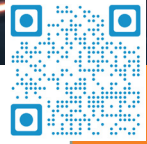
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Technologically Advanced Vehicles for the Transfer of Detainees, Prisoners and Convicts (PRISONERS)



Budget:

€6,01M + VAT

Location:

Andalucía

Implementation period:

24 months

Optimal, safe, comfortable, and environmentally sustainable prisoner transport compliant with road safety, penitentiary, human rights, and occupational safety regulations. Includes interior design, propulsion, integrated technology, and cybersecurity systems.



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Single-Use Bioreactor Platforms for the Production of Autologous Cell-Based Biopharmaceuticals (BIOREACTORS)

Budget:
€7,9M + VAT

Location:
Madrid

Implementation period:
24 months

Single-use bioreactor platform for the production of autologous cell-based biopharmaceuticals. Autologous cell-based therapies are a unique type of Personalized Medicine, as they require obtaining the patient's own cells, modifying them, and reinfusing them into the patient for treatment.



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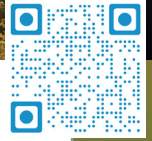
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Multi-Mission Autonomous Aerial Systems for Wildfire Suppression (FIRES)



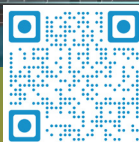
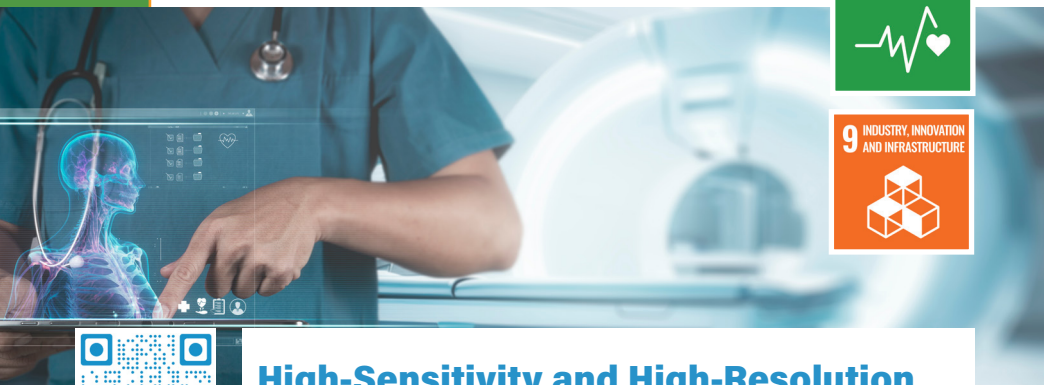
Budget:
€12M + VAT

Location:
Madrid

Implementation period:
36 months

New solutions for integrating autonomous aircraft into wildfire fighting, aimed at removing both technological and commercial access barriers, enabling their near-future deployment as optimal and operational solutions for intensive suppression of large wildfires. These solutions provide greater control over the fires while simultaneously offering inherent benefits, such as reduced risk to personnel and lower operational costs.

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High-Sensitivity and High-Resolution Positron Emission Tomography Scanner for Brain Use (PET)

Budget:
€9,2M + VAT

Location:
Basque Country and Valencia

Implementation period:
24 months

Development of a new PET scanner that improves the limited capabilities of existing whole-body systems for brain studies, in terms of specifications, and addresses the growing demand for neurological applications due to the increasing prevalence of age-related pathologies worldwide.



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Non-Invasive Technologies in Neuromodulation (NEURO)



Budget:
€20M + VAT

Location:
Madrid

Implementation period:
24 months

Technologies enabling interaction with the brain, providing non-invasive access to the central nervous system, and allowing the study and testing of drugs being developed for neurodegenerative diseases, while also supporting neurological rehabilitation.



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Backup Systems with Green Hydrogen-Based Generation and Storage, Integrable into the Hospital Smart Energy Management (H2 HOSPITALS)

Budget:
€6M + VAT

Location:
Catalonia

Implementation period:
24 months

Backup systems with green hydrogen-based generation and storage, integrable into the hospital's smart energy management. They should incorporate circularity measures, such as utilizing by-products from the electrolysis and fuel cell processes –oxygen and water, respectively– as well as residual heat from the electrolyzer and fuel cell, to maximize overall system performance (cost, efficiency, and emissions).



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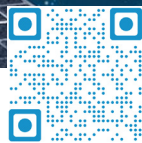
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Earth Observation: Maritime Surveillance and Rescue Applications (RT1)



Budget:
€5,3M + VAT

Location:
Murcia

Implementation period:
24 months

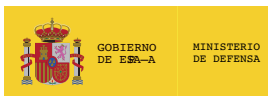
Application based on Artificial Intelligence algorithms that performs detection, identification, and classification of vessels from satellite images, providing a real-time decision support system.



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System and Material Validators for Fusion Energy (DONES)

Budget:
€40M + VAT

Location:
Andalucía

Implementation period:
40 months

Development of Integrated Technological Validators for Accelerator Systems (VATIAC) and Test Area Systems (VATIST), enabling long-term testing of critical systems and components for the future large-scale international scientific facility IFMIF-DONES. IFMIF-DONES will serve as a neutron source, essential for testing the most critical materials for future fusion facilities, making it unique in the world.



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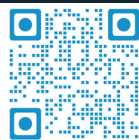
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Automation of Tasks and Processes in Surgical Robotics Systems (AUTOPILOT)



Budget:

€10M + VAT

Location:

Extremadura

Implementation period:

42 months

Development of innovative solutions for task and process automation in surgical robotics systems. Additionally, the project aims to develop a robotic platform for laparoscopic MIS Surgery, enabling surgeons to design personalized surgical plans before operations through training environments in the metaverse and to improve procedures through AI-driven automation of surgical tasks.



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Interstitial Pulmonary Evolutionary Simulation System Using Artificial Intelligence (SEPI-IA)

Budget:
€5M + VAT

Location:
Catalonia

Implementation period:
17 months

Software focused on creating intelligent algorithms for detecting critical elements, both for diagnosis and for developing a predictive model of the progression of Diffuse Interstitial Lung Diseases (DILDs). In this context, integrating the information detected, identified, and classified from chest HRCT images, along with other patient data (functional, clinical, etc.), will contextualize and improve the prognostic and therapeutic approach to these diseases.



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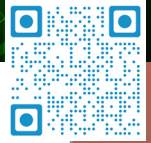


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Innovative Forensic Intelligence System for All Crime Scene Management and Subsequent Analysis Processes (FORENSIC)



Budget:

€24,45M + VAT

Location:

Andalucía

Implementation period:

36 months

Soluciones innovadoras en Innovative solutions in forensic research adapted to the crime scene environment, aimed at generating early information to feed an advanced forensic intelligence system throughout all crime scene management and subsequent analysis processes.



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Sensors and Vessel Detection Systems for Border Surveillance, Control of Illicit Trafficking and Irregular Immigration (INFRARED SENSOR)

Budget:
€21,21M + VAT

Location:
Andalucía

Implementation period:
36 months

Development of sensors and vessel detection systems (for safe interception) for border surveillance, illicit traffic control, and irregular migration monitoring.



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