

First results of the INSPIRE research on OI in SMEs across Europe

Below an overview of the INSPIRE portfolio of OI:

First Round Cases		High-tech											LMT											Total per region	
Lifetime Stage	Manufacturing (Science-based)				Services (S&T-based)				Manufacturing & Services			Manufacturing (Scale-intensive)				Services (IT-based & Interactive)				Manufacturing & Services					
	Early stage	Est	Mat	All	Early stage	Est	Mat	All	Early stage	Est	Mat	All	Early stage	Est	Mat	All	Early stage	Est	Mat	All	Early stage	Est	Mat	All	
Eastern Europe	4	10	0	14	1	2	0	3	4	5	0	9	3	3	2	8	0	2	0	2	0	5	0	5	41
France & Germany	5	9	0	14	4	9	1	14	1	0	0	1	1	3	1	5	2	5	0	7	1	0	1	2	43
Scandinavia	10	16	5	31	20	24	3	47	0	0	0	0	2	4	3	9	3	3	0	6	0	0	0	0	93
Small Developed Countries	1	2	5	8	2	7	8	17	0	0	0	0	0	3	7	10	1	1	1	3	0	0	0	0	38
Southern Europe	1	9	5	15	2	5	1	8	0	0	0	0	5	8	5	18	3	3	2	8	0	0	0	0	49
UK & Ireland	4	10	2	16	9	4	0	13	0	0	0	0	3	2	3	8	5	2	0	7	0	0	0	0	44
Total per sector	25	56	17	98	38	51	13	102	5	5	0	10	14	23	21	58	14	16	3	33	1	5	1	7	308

Table 1: Regional distribution of SMEs OI projects

Sector	High-tech			LMT			Stats		
Manufacturing	98	32%	58	19%	156	51%	100%		
Services	102	33%	33	11%					
Manufacturing & Services	10	3%	7	2%					
Lifetime Stage	High-tech			LMT				97	31%
Early Stage	68	22%	29	9%					
Established	112	36%	44	14%					
Mature	30	10%	25	8%	55	18%			
SUMs	210	68%	98	32%	308				

Table 2: Sectoral and Lifetime stage distribution of SMEs OI projects