



# UCPM full-scale exercises Call for proposals 2019

**Training and exercises team  
DG ECHO A2**



## Pillars of the UCPM

### Prevention

Risk assessment

Disaster data

Hazard mapping

### Preparedness

Training

Exercises

Exchange of Experts

Voluntary Pool

### Response

Coordination

Deployment

Transport

# Exercising under the UCPM

## *Annual work programme 2019*

- **Action 2.2 (grants)**

  - Full-scale exercises (FSX)

  - EDREX

  - Plug-in exercises (PIX)

  - Host nation support exercises (HNSX)

- **Action 4.7 (procurements)**

  - MODEX

*Exercising activities are linked to the training programme*

# Purpose of Modules exercises

To design, plan and conduct exercises for the personnel and equipment of registered civil protection Modules/TAST, other response capacities of the Voluntary Pool and EUCPT

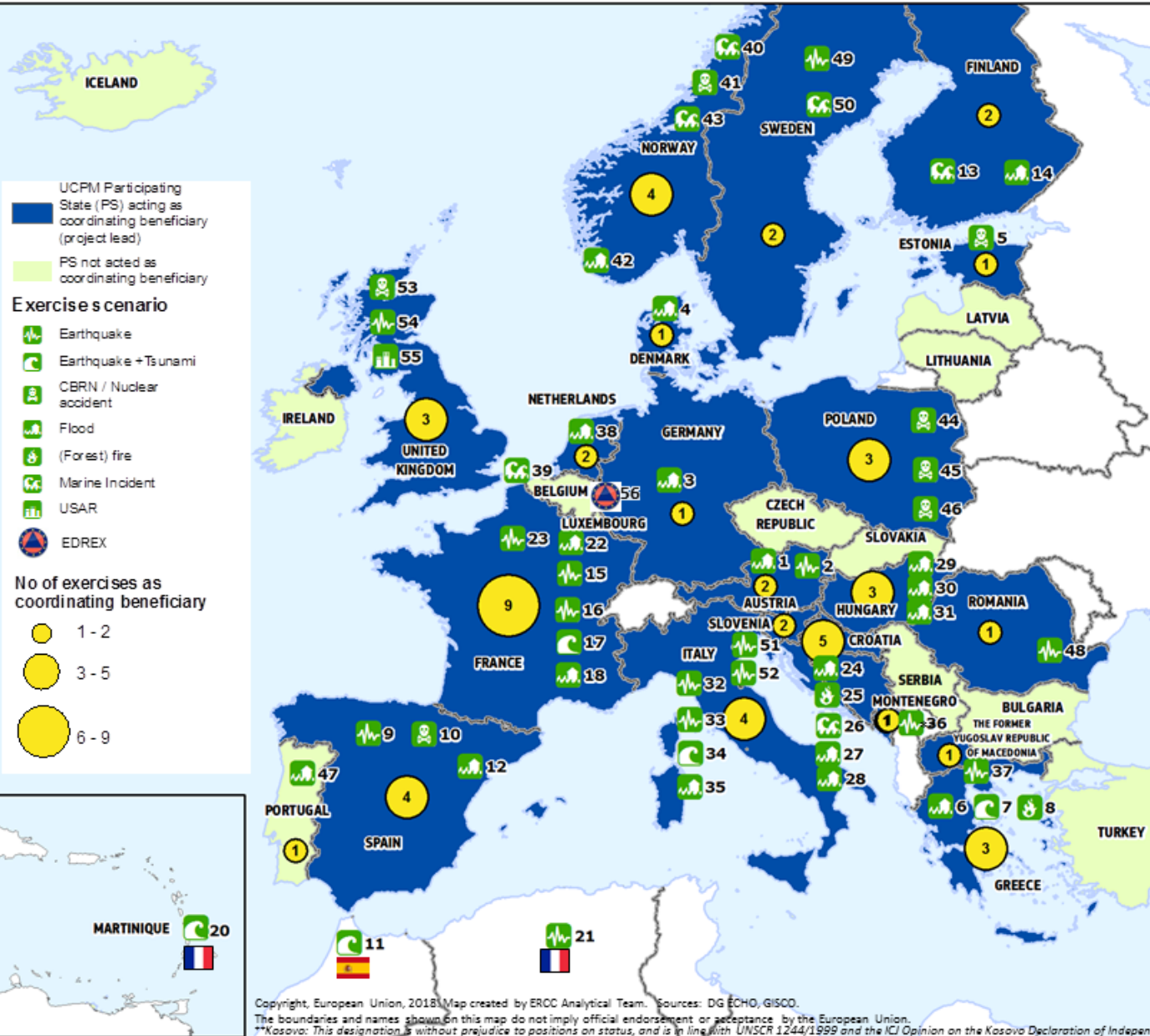


# MODEX call for tenders

*Something about the call*

*And that's it, the next slide is for full-scale*





No	Budget year	Name	No	Budget year	Name
1	2011	EUTARANIS	30	2007	EU HUNEX Decathlon
2	2018	IRONORE	31	2015	EU Urban Water Aid Italy
3	2007	EU ex ALBIS	32	2007	ERIMES
4	2012	TRIPLEX*	33	2008	EU TEREX
5	2009	EU CREMEX	34	2011	TWIST
6	2008	EVROS	35	2015	NEIFLEX
7	2008	POSEIDON	36	2014	IPA MNEQuake
8	2012	EU PROMETHEUS	37	2015	IPA CAMPEX
9	2008	EU SISMICAEX	38	2008	EU Floodex
10	2012	CURIEX	39	2015	MIRGEX
11	2014	WESTUNAMI*	40	2010	SkagEx11
12	2017	RIWATEREX	41	2013	HarBourEx
13	2011	BALEX DELTA	42	2015	TRIPLEX*
14	2012	EU CoordEx	43	2016	SCOPE
15	2008	EU Command Post*	44	2010	EU CARPATHEX
16	2009	EU RICHTER	45	2016	EU-CHEM-REACT
17	2011	EU Command Post*	46	2018	EU-CHEM-REACT 2
18	2014	EU SEQUANA	47	2017	Cascade 19
19	2015	EU MEFF*	48	2008	EU Danubius
20	2013	EU Richter	49	2007	SweNorEx*
21	2016	EU-AL SEIMEEX*	50	2016	BALEX DELTA
22	2017	EU Command Post*	51	2011	IPA SI-QUAKE
23	2017	CAUCASE	52	2018	SIQUAKE
24	2013	MURA	53	2007	Exercise Torch
25	2016	SVAROG	54	2008	ORION
26	2016	Adriatic	55	2014	EU IS
27	2012	IPA CRO - FLOODS	56	2015	EDREX*
28	2016	IPA FLOODS - CRO			No coordinating beneficiary
29	2007	EU HUROMEX			

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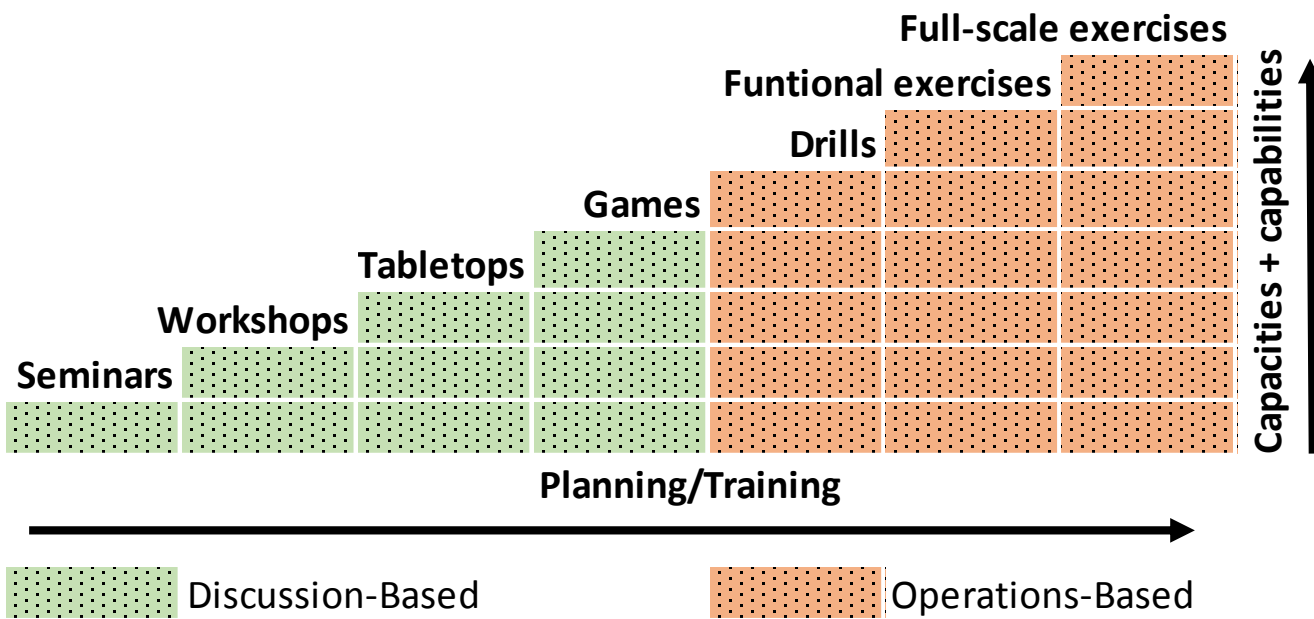
\* Scenario outside EU

# What is the Commission funding in this call?

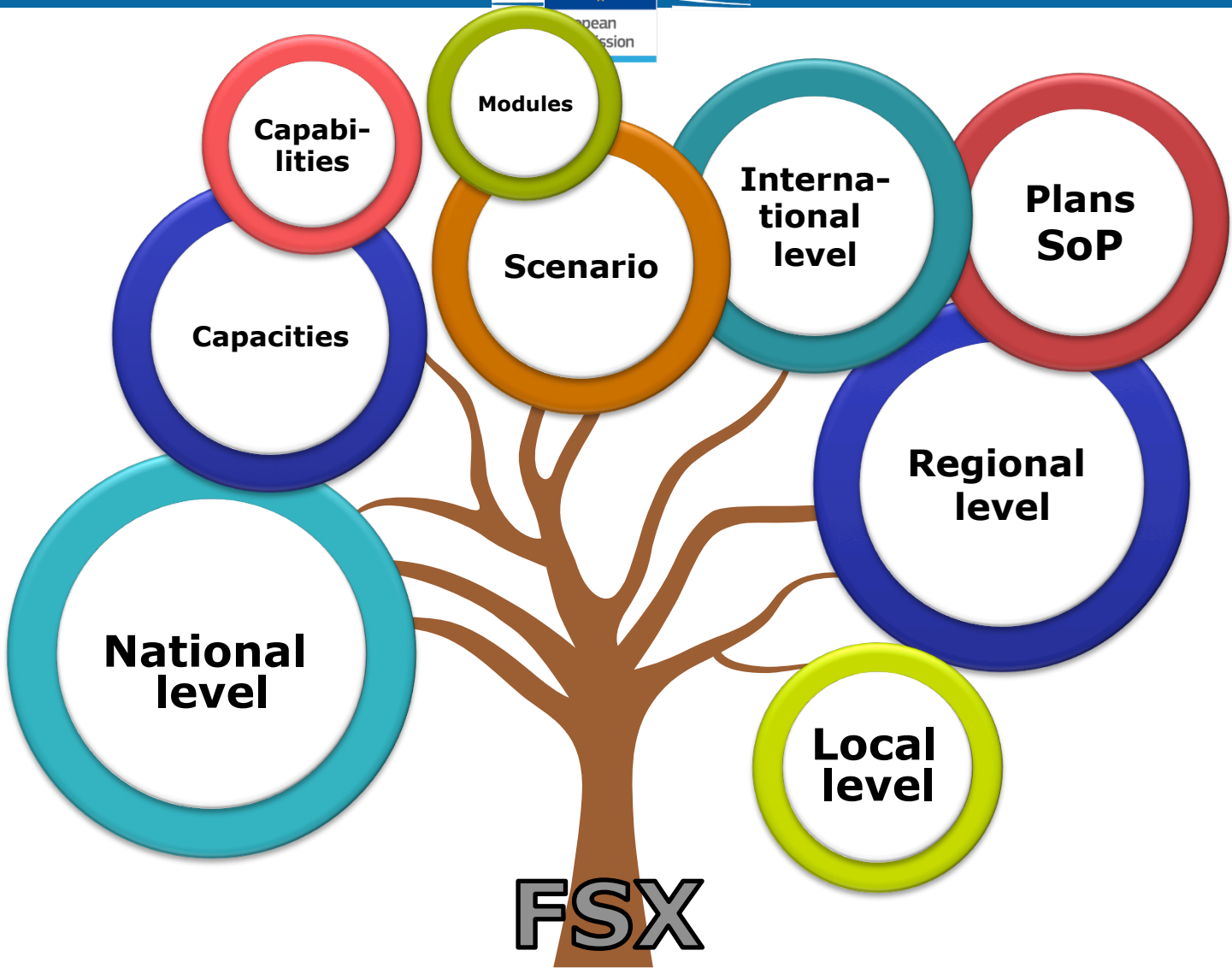
- *Full-scale exercise projects*
- *planning, preparing, implementing and conducting different civil protection activities including a full-scale exercise in a multinational scenario as main event of the project.*
- *Topics: all types of disasters calling for the activation of the Mechanism [...]*

# What is a full-scale exercise?

## Types of exercises

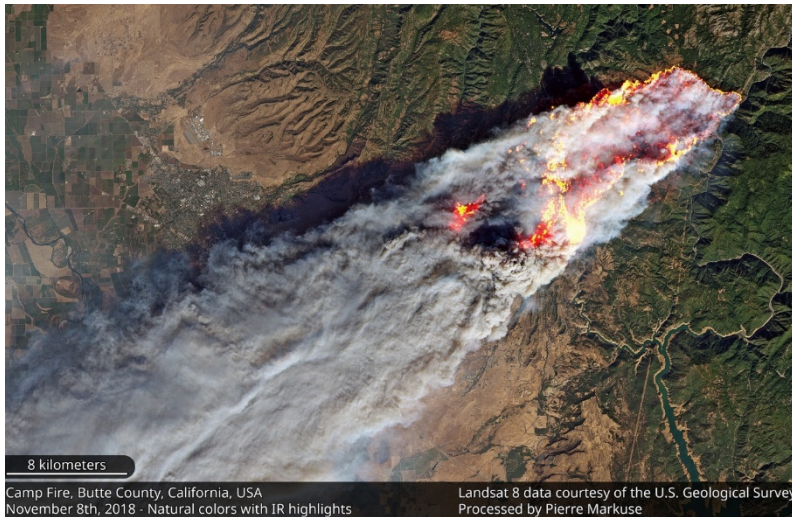






# What ingredients should include a FSX under UCPM?

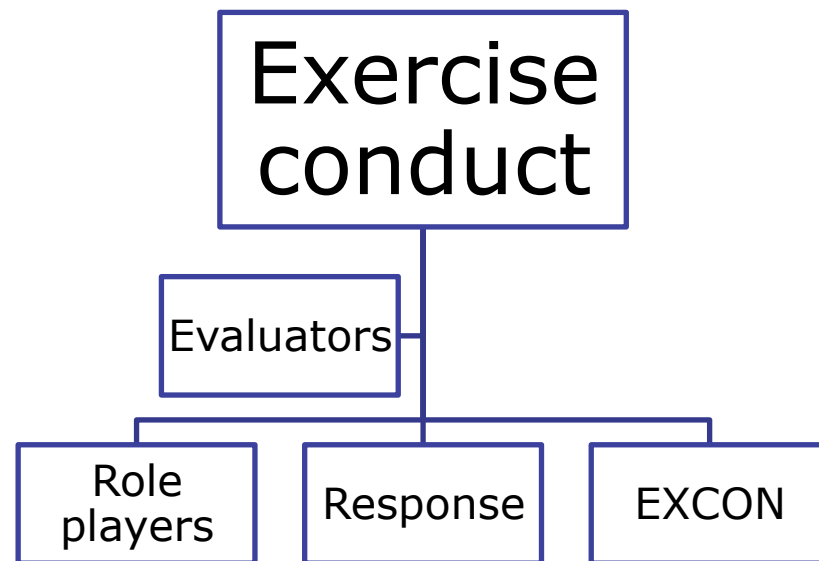
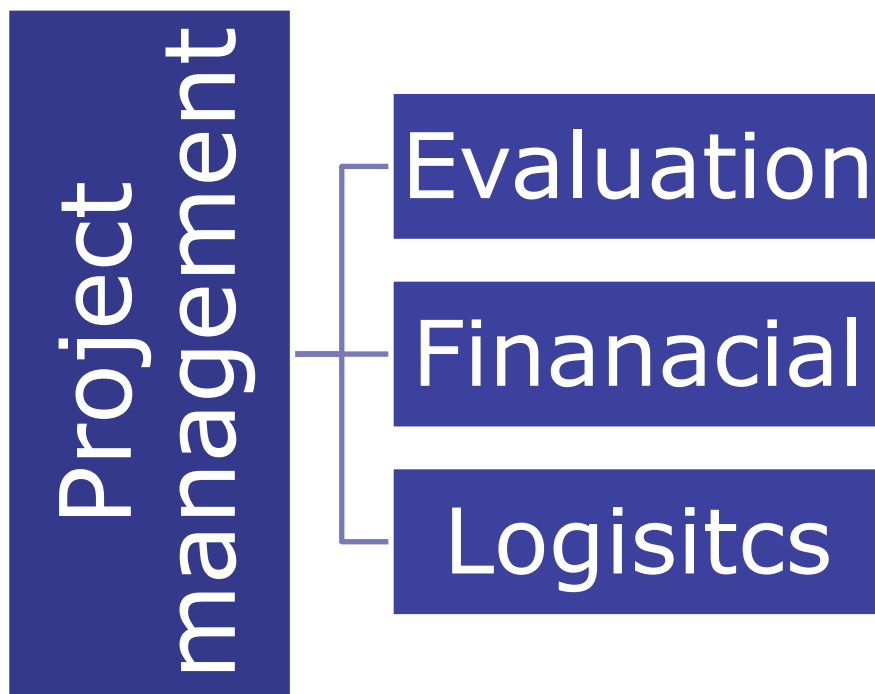
*Realistic and challenging scenario*



**RISK  
ASSESSMENT**

# What ingredients should include a FSX under UCPM?

*Management structures*



# What ingredients should include a FSX under UCPM?

## *Activation of the Mechanism*





# What ingredients should include a FSX under UCPM?

*International environment*

- **Deployment of a EUCP Team**
- **International teams/modules**





# What ingredients should include a FSX under UCPM?

*Relevant national operational structures*





# What ingredients should include a FSX under UCPM?

*The implementation of EU Host Nation Support guidelines*



## ANNEX 7 TERMS OF REFERENCE FOR HOST NATION SUPPORT (HNS) CELL

### HNS Cell Tasks

HNS cell represents the direct link between the Local Emergency Management Agency (LEMA) and the international teams for the duration of their mission in the country and is designed to:

- ensure the better use of the capabilities of the teams from their arrival;
- integrate teams' operations with the ongoing response effort;
- support the teams in all logistic needs including fuel, transport, food and accommodation;
- assist the teams in all contacts/relations with population and/or administrations;
- facilitate the liaison between the teams and local/national operational centres.

HNS cell has to be considered apart from the local incident commander and it is not responsible for:

- operational coordination of the team;
- technical advise during the rescue/relief operations.



# What ingredients should include a FSX under UCPM?

## *EU observers programme*

- **Enhanced in 2009**
- **People trained in the UCPM**
- **More standardized feedback**



# What ingredients should include a FSX under UCPM?

*Evaluation and lessons learned*



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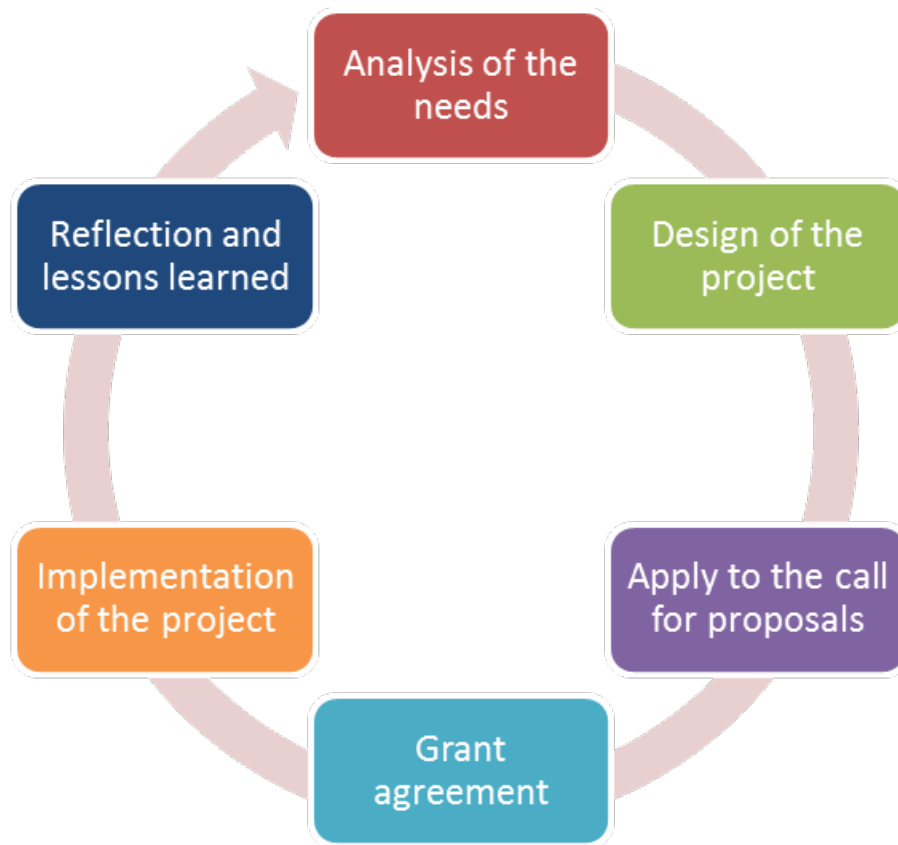
*EU Visibility*



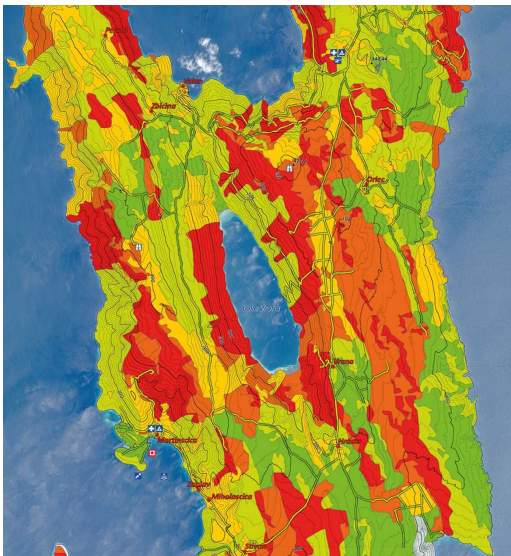
Co-funded by  
European Union  
Civil Protection

To be used in every communication activity  
(conferences, seminars, presentations,  
brochure, leaflets, posters, social media, etc.)

# The FSX projects management cycle



# Analysis of needs



**RISK  
ASSESSMENT**

**Why?**

**What?**

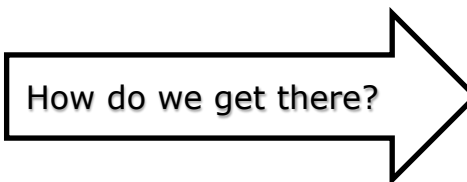
**Where?**

**When?**

# Design of the FSX

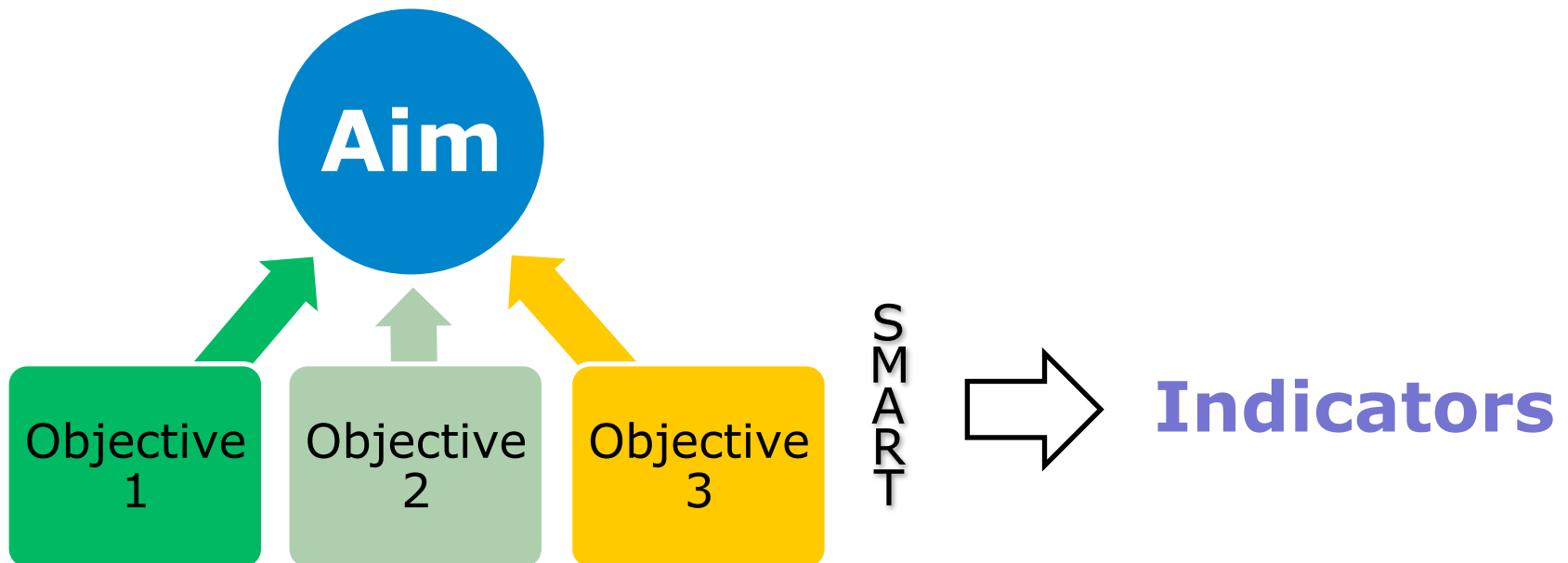
## Current

- **Response**
- **Capacities**
- **Capabilities**



## Desired

- **Response**
- **Capacities**
- **Capabilities**



# What is new in the next call?

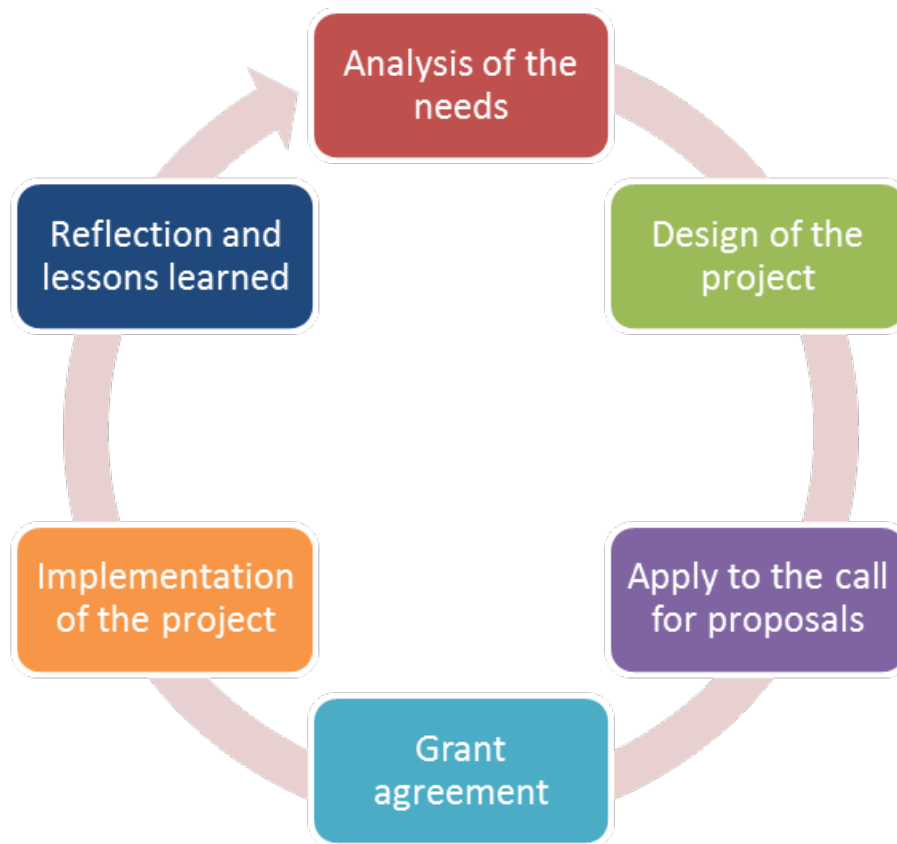
*Eligibility criteria revised to improve the EU dimension of exercises*

*Common workflow: minimum milestones established*

*Enhanced EU Observers programme*

*A common deliverable: exercise manual (template)*

# The FSX projects management cycle





# CALL for Proposals for Full Scale Exercises (UCPM-2019-EX-AG)

## 1. Timetable

	Stages	Date and time or indicative period
a)	Publication of the call	27/02/2019
b)	Deadline for submitting applications	15/05/2019 – 17:00 CET
c)	Evaluation period	June - July 2019
d)	Information to applicants	July - September 2019
e)	Signature of Grant Agreements	September - November 2019
f)	Starting date of the actions	1 January 2020



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## 2. Budget

**The total available budget is EUR 4 000 000.**

This budget is divided between

- Internal budget item: EUR **3 000 000** for exercises benefitting Participating States in the UCPM.
- External budget item: EUR **1 000 000** for exercises covering:
  - **IPA II** beneficiaries not participating in the mechanism: Albania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Kosovo<sup>11</sup>.
  - **European Neighbourhood Policy countries:** Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Georgia, Moldova and Ukraine.
  - **Algeria, Egypt, Israel, Jordan, Lebanon, Libya, Morocco, Palestine and Tunisia.**



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- The **EU contribution** per exercise project is limited to a **maximum of EUR 1 000 000**.
- The **EU co-funding rate** in the framework of this Call amounts up to **85%** of the total eligible costs per exercise project.
- The beneficiaries need to guarantee that the **remaining 15%** of the total eligible cost per exercise project come from sources other than the EU grant. The applicants are thus encouraged to look for other possible local, national or international, private and public sources other than the Union.
- Maximum project duration: **24 months** (extensions will be possible only exceptionally, for duly justified reasons and with our agreement).

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## 3. Award criteria

The award criteria are divided into four dimensions. The total amount of points a proposal can get is **100** of which **63** points is the minimum threshold.

Admissible and eligible applications will be evaluated and ranked against of the following award criteria:

- Relevant elements of the exercise project: max 25 points with a threshold of 15
- Methodology: max 30 points with a threshold of 20
- Cost effectiveness: max 15 points with a threshold of 8
- European dimension: max 30 points with a threshold of 20

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- ❖ Applications must be submitted electronically via the Participant Portal Electronic Submission System and using the forms provided.
- ❖ Paper submissions are no longer possible.

## Priorities



Union Civil Protection Mechanism exercises



Preparedness in Civil Protection and marine Pollution



Prevention in civil protection and marine pollution

Feb 27, 2018

## Union Civil Protection Mechanism Exercises

ID: UCPM-2018-EX-AG

Type of action:

UCPM-INT-AG UCPM Internal Action Grant, UCPM-EXT-AG UCPM External Action Grant

Opening: 27 February 2018

Deadline: 15 May 2018 17:00:00 Brussels time

Closed

Union Civil Protection Mechanism

 Union Civil Protection Mechanism Website

- The Call for proposals document outlines the:
  - objectives and expected results of the programme as outlined in the WP 2019,
  - timetable, budget available and types of activities that can be financed,
  - eligibility, exclusion, selection and award criteria, and
  - recommendations for the preparation of the proposal.

The Guide for applicants outlines the :

- procedures to register and submit proposals online,
- explanation on the Part A and B - the Technical Submission Template presenting the details of the action,
- evaluation process of the proposals, and
- overview of the cost eligibility criteria.

## Topic conditions and documents

Please read carefully all provisions below before the preparation of your application.

**List of countries and applicable rules for funding:** Described in Chapter 7.1 of the [Call document \(UCPM Exercise\)](#)

**Eligibility and admissibility conditions:** Described in Chapter 7.1 [Call document \(UCPM Exercise\)](#)

**Evaluation criteria and procedure, scoring and threshold:** Described in Chapter 8. of the [Call document \(UCPM Exercise\)](#)

**For submission and evaluation process,** please [read carefully the Guide for applicants](#) and Chapter 12. [Call document \(UCPM Exercise\)](#)

**Proposal page limits and layout:** Please refer to [Part B of the standard proposal template.](#)

**Indicative timetable for evaluation and grant agreement:** described in Chapter 5 of the [Call document \(UCPM Exercise\)](#)

**Provisions, proposal templates and evaluation forms for the type(s) of action(s) under this topic:**

UCPM Internal Action Grant (UCPM-INT-AG):

Standard proposal template

Involvement of the Competent National Civil Protection Authority / Marine Pollution Authority

Model Grant Agreement - Multi-Beneficiary

UCPM External Action Grant (UCPM-EXT-AG):

Standard proposal template

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**Additional documents:**

Annual work programme 2018

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### Additional documents

- Call Document
- Model Grant Agreement en



You can send your questions in writing to:  
[ECHO-CIVIL-PROTECTION-CALLS@ec.europa.eu](mailto:ECHO-CIVIL-PROTECTION-CALLS@ec.europa.eu)

**Asking for clarification has no impact on the final award decision.**

For questions on the Participant Portal Submission System, please contact the  
[IT helpdesk](#)





# Gracias

