



TAILOR-MADE ACTIVITIES: OUTCOME OF THE 2026 SUBMISSION EXERCISE



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TAILOR-MADE ACTIVITIES PROPOSALS 2026



15 April: submission deadline



27 proposals received



28 countries involved (incl. IPA)



Duration: 12 – 14* months



Total budget requested via new proposals: 6.1 M



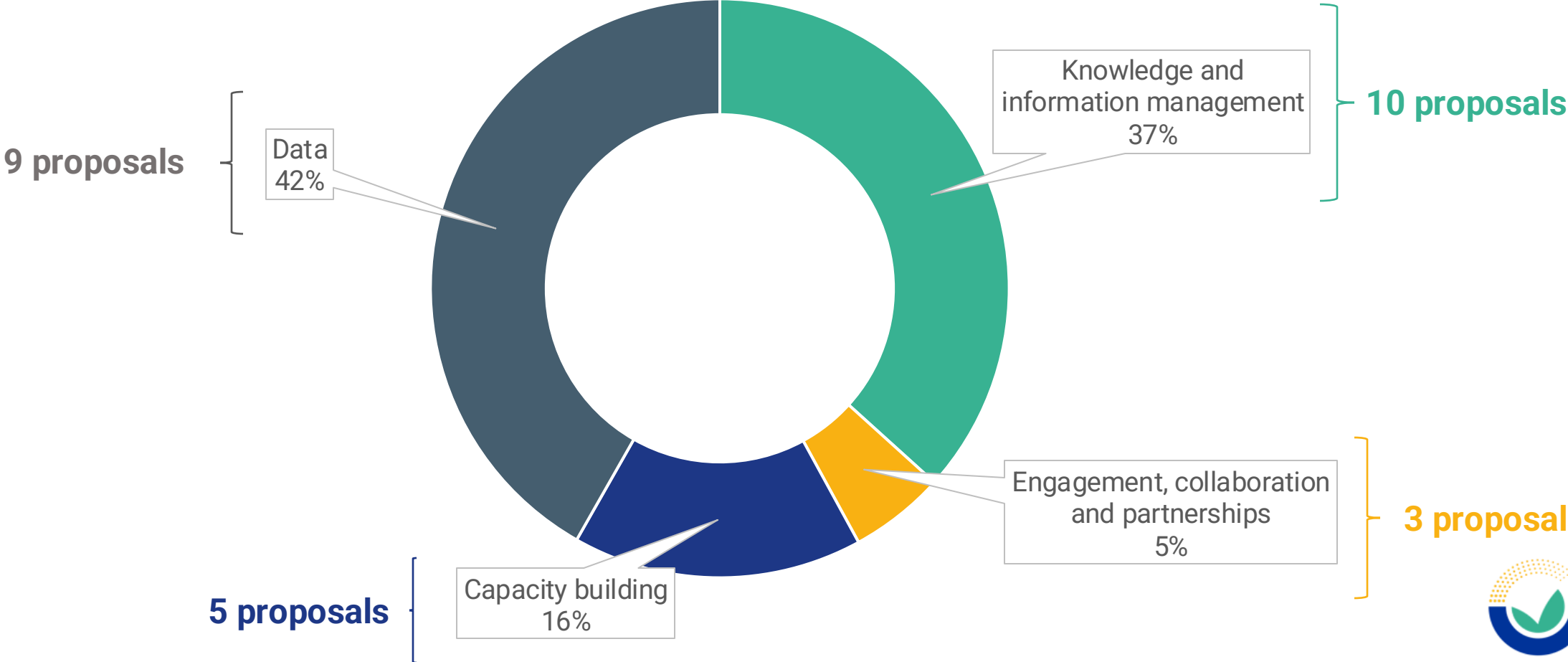
Demanded budget varies: 30K – 497K

Most used keywords in proposals

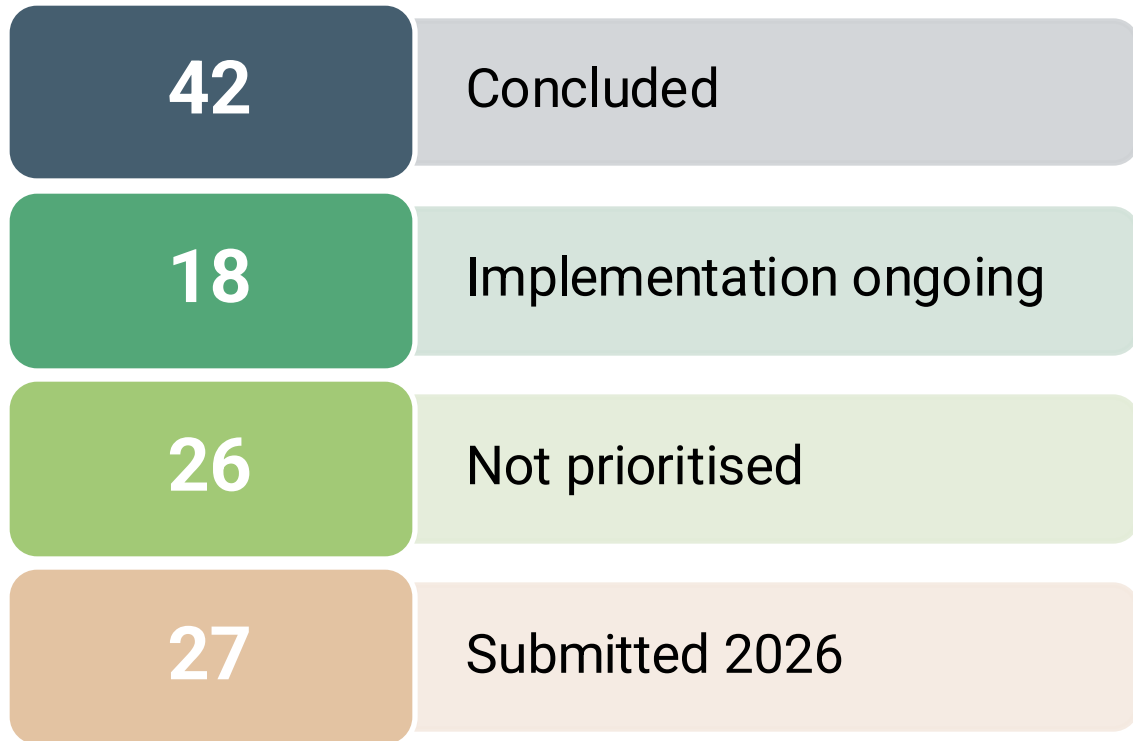


TMA PROPOSALS AND BUDGET DEMAND PER AREA

Budget demand per area



TMA 2023 – 2026 (JUNE) OVERVIEW



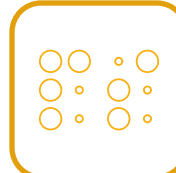
What's behind the numbers?



2022: testing the new framework – first batch of TMA in early 2023



2023 to 2026 - in total **74** TMA proposals received



"Big" proposals divided into separate TMAs

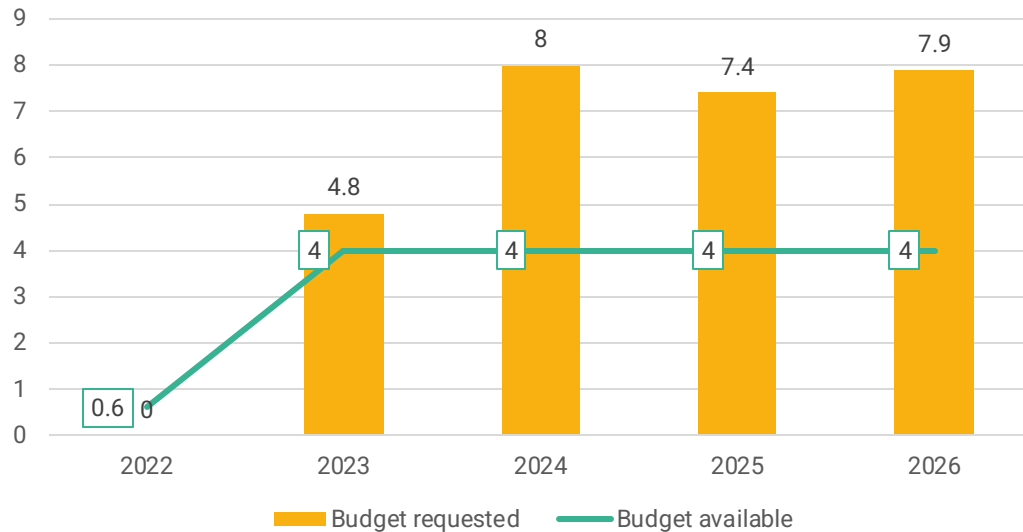


Multiannual activities (e.g. MSCC)



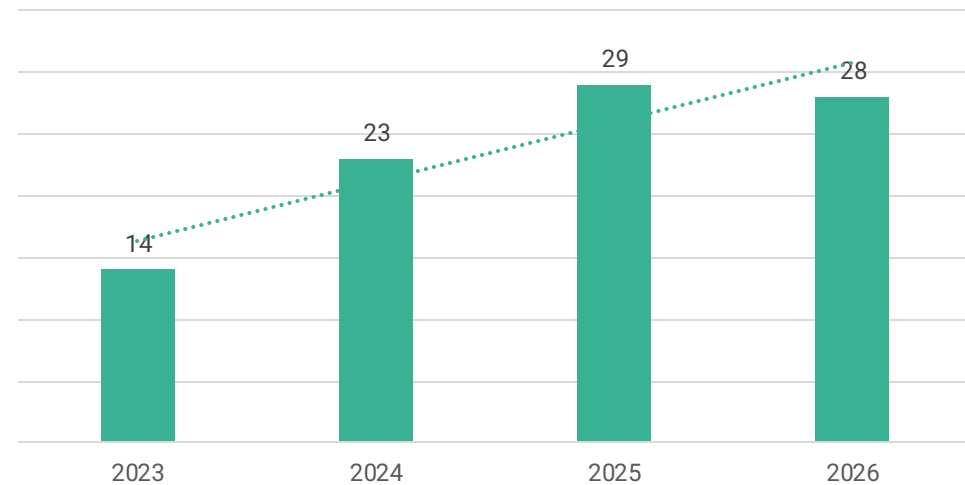
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Budget overview TMA (M, Euros)



- ✓ Budget demand includes MSCC activities
- ✓ Budget for activities prioritised in 2026 (4M) will be committed in 2027

Number of unique proponents (leading country & participating countries)

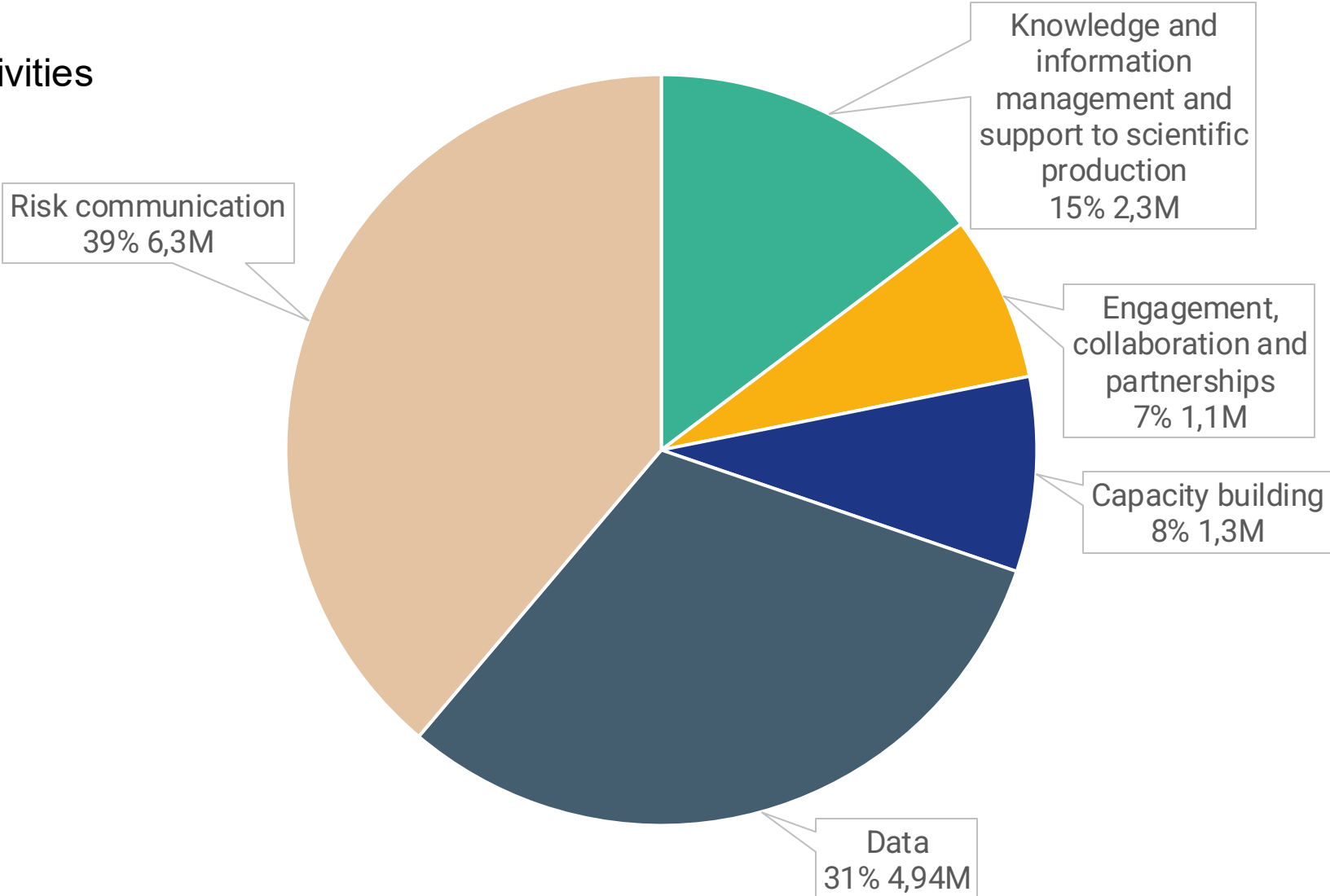


- ✓ Proponents + IPA + 3rd countries
- ✓ Increased TMA interest and networking led to successful partnerships
- ✓ Top proposal achieved in 2026 (15 countries): SURVYE (surveillance of *Yersinia enterocolitica*)
- ✓ Several 2026 proposals seeking partners

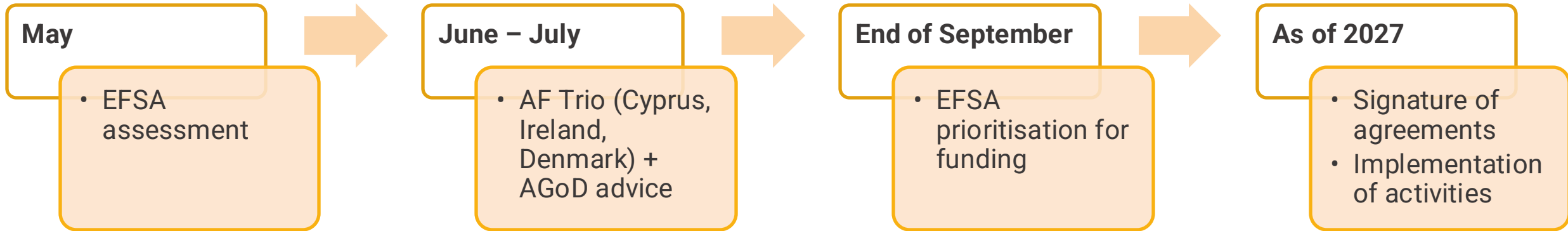


TOTAL BUDGET INVESTMENT PER AREA 2023 – 2026

Only already prioritized activities



TMA PROPOSALS ASSESSMENT AND ADVICE



EFSA scientific assessment – soon to be finished

Alignment between AGoD and AF Trio on proposals to be advised by each group – done

EFSA assessment shared with AGoD & AF Trio ahead of advice kick-off – coming soon

ACTION: join TMA proposals as partners / observers and work on the topics of common interest despite outcome of EFSA prioritisation: ASAP



OVERVIEW TAILOR-MADE ACTIVITIES ENDING IN 2026

June

- MSCC25

August

- Use of inter- and intrasectoral WGS comparisons for mapping sources and spread of Salmonella Enteritidis
- Development and implementation of a tool for Data Capture @ Point of Sampling (Lead)

September

- Building confidence and advancing integration of NAM data in risk assessment and risk management decision-making – A platform for dialogue and consensus

October

- Filling food consumption data gaps from Sweden and Denmark



OVERVIEW TAILOR-MADE ACTIVITIES ENDING IN 2027

January

- One Health approach to investigate Botulinum neurotoxin-producing bacteria contamination levels from farm to fork

March

- Data Mapping tool Y2

June

- Cross member state collaboration and development for improved outbreak investigation, preparedness and sharing of Whole Genome Sequences in the EU

August

- FLARE – Framework to quantify Likelihood and Availability to assess potential Risks in e-Commerce

October

- Large Language Models analysis for automatic FoodEx2 codification

November

- Machine Learning-Driven Risk Ranking Framework for Virulence & Resistance Traits: An E. coli Case Study

December

- Training on tools and methods for risk assessment



OVERVIEW TAILOR-MADE ACTIVITIES ENDING IN 2028

February

- Enacting CHANGE: Co-creating system-level strategies for effective use of NAMs in regulatory toxicology
- MedFoodNet: research-to-practice network for enhanced food safety communication in the Mediterranean Region

March

- European Excellence Label (Croatia)
- From Wild Waters to Human Health: a pilot study to address the knowledge gap on zoonotic helminths in freshwater fish (EURO-PAR-FISH)

April

- Monitoring and assessing the potential impact of the introduction of the invasive weed teosinte on maize cultivation in the EU
- Commercially available seaweed products on the European market -Insights in prevalence, content of contaminants and implications for food safety



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ANNEX I: TMA PROPOSALS 2026 (1/3)

Title of proposal – Area 1: Knowledge and information management and support to scientific production	Budget	Country involved/partners search
Strategies (surveys and tools) to optimize surveillance of <i>Yersinia enterocolitica</i> pathogenic to humans for improving risk assessment. (SURVYE)	€ 339 300	France, Austria, Belgium, Croatia, Czech Republic, Estonia, Finland, Germany, Ireland, Latvia, Netherlands, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden
Artificial Intelligence supporting systematic literature reviews	€ 304 400	Poland, Ireland, Spain
K2SEA: Vitamin K in seafood - Closing data gaps for European food composition databases and dietary exposure assessment	€ 175 900	Norway, Denmark
Trendy seafood put to the test: A roadmap to mitigate parasite exposure risk in freshly prepared fish on EU markets	€ 200 000	Norway, Italy, Spain
EuroSafePrep - European Guidelines for Safe Food Preparation for Catering Professionals	€ 460 150	Austria, Denmark, Estonia, Greece, Ireland, Poland, Portugal, Romania
Dietary Food-Group Substitution as a Strategy to Reduce Contaminant Exposure: The Impact of Replacing Rice with Barley on Inorganic Arsenic Intake	€ 110 000	Norway
Caeca-net: a European microbiome databank	€ 159 500	Ireland, Netherlands, Norway, Spain
Safety of wild boar meat supplied directly from hunters to final consumer, local retail establishments and restaurants	€ 52 500	Norway, Sweden
Potential of wastewater surveillance in the realm of EFSA risk assessment – POWER	€ 340 000	Austria, Greece, Belgium, Denmark, Finland
Identifying the Risks for the Welfare of Animals at Transport by Sea in Europe	€ 131 700	Estonia, Iceland, Italy, Portugal



ANNEX I: TMA PROPOSALS 2026 (2/3)

Title of proposal – Area 2: Engagement, collaboration and partnerships	Budget	Country involved/partners search
C. elegans as a model for testing (epi)-genotoxic effects: A pilot project for supporting new testing strategies ELEGANTOX	€ 160 600	Germany, Netherlands, Norway
Co-creation as an entry point for exploring early-phase challenges in integrated risk–benefit–sustainability assessments in food systems	€ 140 000	Norway
Nordic Food Risk Assessment Network (NFRAN)	€ 30 000	Denmark, Estonia, Finland, Norway, Sweden

Title of proposal – Area 3: Capacity building	Budget	Country involved/partners search
Listeria shelf-life E-learning for producers of ready-to-eat foods (LiSLE)	€ 322 000	Netherlands/Ireland/Italy/France/Norway
Development of a pilot animal welfare checklist for the stunning of Ruminants and preliminary collection of data in EU and IPA countries	€ 191 500	Italy, Croatia, Albania, Kosovo, Monenegro
Capacity Building for Mosquito-Borne Disease Preparedness in Northern Europe (CAPTURE-MOSQUITO)	€ 165 000	Latvia, Estonia, Lithuania, Poland, Denmark, Sweden, Finland, +1 Partner TBD, +2 Hosting Countries TBD
Enhancing National Expertise in Latvia and other Baltic and Nordic countries on Plants and Products Obtained with New Genomic techniques	€ 225 000	Latvia, Lithuania, Estonia, Norway, Finland, Poland, France
Integrating Social Science into Official Controls: A Food Safety Culture Project	€ 100 000	Ireland, + 1 Partner TBD

ANNEX I: TMA PROPOSALS 2026 (3/3)

Title of proposal – Area 4: Data	Budget	Country involved/partners search
Explainable AI to identify holistic drivers in mycotoxin control through atoxigenic mode (W1_XAI-for-Mycotoxins)	€ 298 301	Denmark, Netherlands
Implementation of a Data Mapping Tool - Year 3	€ 497 000	Sweden, Germany, Denmark, Finland
Pilot Deployment and Harmonisation of the COHESIVE Platform for One Health Genomic Surveillance in EU Member States	€ 420 000	Italy, Portugal +looking for 3 partners
Feed Data Grow	€ 132 675	Germany, Austria Croatia, Hungary, Italy, Norway + looking for 2 partners
Updating country-specific food composition databases for soluble fibre, insoluble fibre and phytates to facilitate estimates of dietary intakes and key sources of these plant-based components in European countries	€ 316 000	Croatia, Denmark, Ireland, Spain
Zoonosis Sample data for Monitoring, Action and Response in The EU Member States (ZooSMART)	€ 296 580	Germany, Netherlands, Belgium, + looking for 1 partner
EU-TRACEdoc Hub Feasibility and Sandbox Based POC for Harmonised Food Traceability Documentation	€ 216 305	Belgium, Germany, Netherlands, Estonia, Latvia
CRY-RISK - Integrated Risk Analysis of Bacillus Thuringiensis spores and crystal insecticidal proteins in Food and Environmental contexts	€ 215 000	Austria, France, Germany, Ireland, Norway, Spain
Data Flow Mapping Exercise by EFSA	€ 195 000	Romania, Germany, Spain, Austria, Netherlands, Croatia, Italy, Denmark