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Horizon Europe Partnership for the Assessment of Risk from Chemicals (PARC)

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- EU partnership for **regulatory** chemical risk assessment to protect better human health and the environment, thereby supporting the ambitions for a non-toxic environment

What?



- Carry out joint EU research and innovation activities to **support the EU** and national **risk assessment agencies**
- New **data, methods and skills** to address current, emerging and novel chemical safety challenges
- Responding to the **Green Deal** and **Sustainable Chemicals Policy Strategy**

Why?



- **No** open (external) calls for research projects, but **activities on in-house research** carried out by the partners
- **25** Member States
- **Common roadmap**: risk assessors and managers in consultation with all stakeholders (academia, industry, associations, etc..)
- **Horizon Europe** will provide the expected (50%) co-funding
- Close **cooperation** between EFSA and MSs

How?



Overarching objective

Consolidate and strengthen the EU's research and innovation capacity for chemical risk assessment to protect human health and the environment and contribute to a non-toxic environment and a circular economy.

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