### **COST Info Day**

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## Key facts about COST

- A building block of Europe's research world for more than 45 years - intergovernmental organisation - 37 member states
- Supporting networks that span scientific disciplines, countries, sectors and multiple stakeholders
- Largest framework for transnational coordination in science and technology, involving half a million scientists over this period

## Key facts about COST

"Clear and long standing European added value"

- European at heart but with global reach
- Sharing, spreading, disseminating knowledge
- Boosting national research investments
- Providing equal opportunities and removing bottlenecks
- Customer-focused
- Flexible with light administration

# Key figures (2015)

300 COST Actions

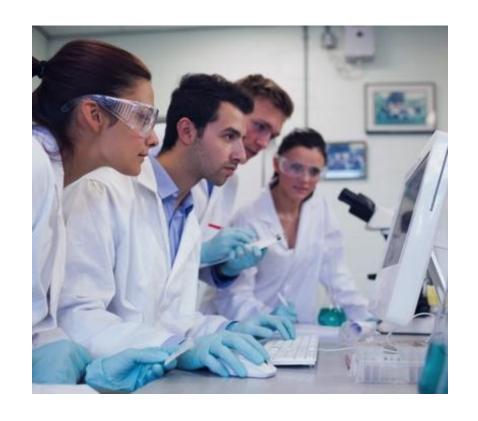
266 Training Schools

2962 Short term visits

45.000 Researchers involved

120.000 € Per COST Action

37 500.000 € Annual budget



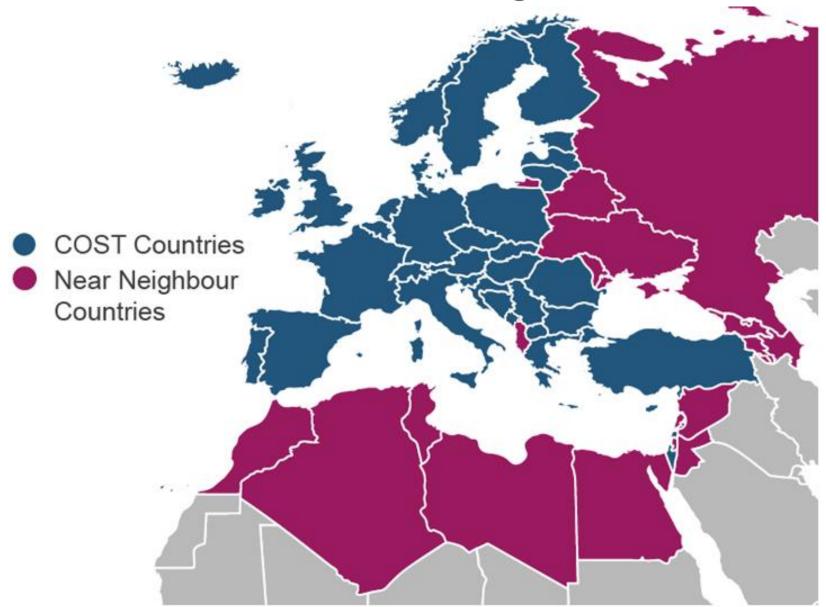
0.38% of H2020 budget

#### Enhance international cooperation

- Guiding principle: ascertained mutual benefit
- Continued tailored approach to Near Neighbour
  Countries
- Enabler for countries associated to Horizon 2020

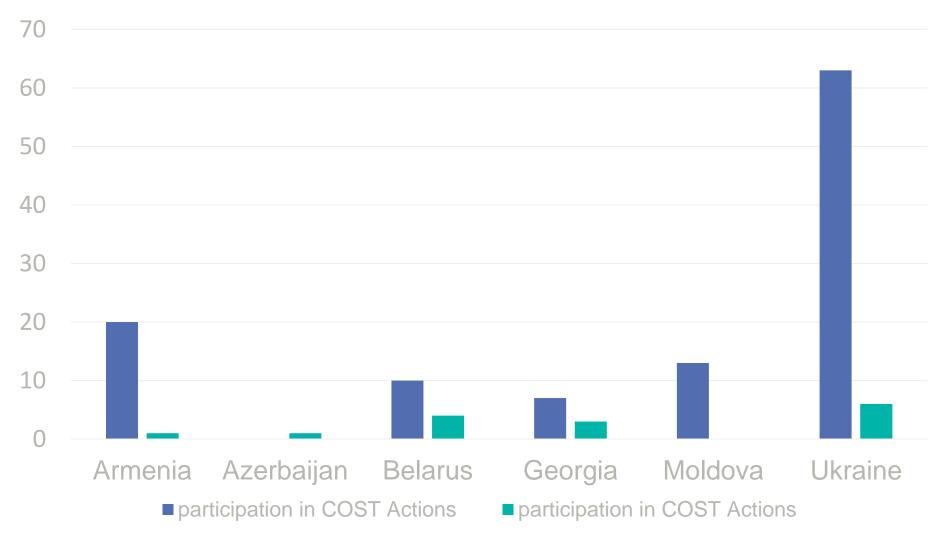


#### COST Full Members and Near Neighbour Countries





# Eastern Partnership Countries participation in COST Actions October 2016





Action	Domain	Institution
BM1304	BMBS	Institute of Neurology, Psychiatry & Narcology of the National Academy of Sciences
BM1307	BMBS	National Academy of Sciences of Ukraine- INSTITUTE of CELL BIOLOGY
CA15103	CA	Mechnikov National University, Odessa
CA15103	CA	Odessa I.I.Mechnikov National University
CA15110	CA	National Technical University of Ukraine Kiev Polytechnic Institute
CA15116	CA	Institute of experimental and clinical veterinary medicine
CA15124	CA	Institute of Molecular Biology and Genetics, NAS of Ukraine
CA15130	CA	Kharkov National University of Radioelectronics
CA15140	CA	V.N. Karazin Kharkiv National University
CA15206	CA	Ukrainian National Forestry University
CA15206	CA	Ukrainian Research Institute for Mountain Forestry
CA15207	CA	Faculty of History, Poltical Science and International Relations
CA15213	CA	Bogolyubov Institute for Theoretical Physics
CA15215	CA	Institute of Pig Breeding and Agoindustrial Production NAAS
CA15215	CA	National University of Life and Environmental Sciences
CA15216	CA	Ukrainian National Forestry University
CA15226	CA	Ukrainian Research Institute for Mountain Forestry
CA15226	CA	Ukrainian National Forestry University
CM1305	CMST	Taras Shevchenko National University of Kyiv

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CM1403	CMST	Palladin Institute of Biochemistry
ES1309	ESSEM	Scientific Centre for Aerospace Research of the Earth, Institute of Geological Science, NASU
ES1401	ESSEM	National Academy of Sciences of Ukraine
ES1402	ESSEM	Marine Hydrophysical Institute National Academy of Sciences
ES1403	ESSEM	Kiev National University of Construction and Architecture
ES1405	ESSEM	Odessa I.I.Mechnikov National University
FP1301	FPS	Ukrainian National Forestry University
FP1302	FPS	Institute of Forestry and Horticulture of Ukrainian National Forestry University
FP1303	FPS	National University of Forestry & Wood Technology
FP1401	FPS	Ukrainian Research Institute of Forestry & Forest Melioration
FP1401	FPS	National Forestry University of Ukraine
FP1401	FPS	Ukrainian Research Institute for Mountain Forestry after named P.S. Pasternak (Ivano-Frankivsk)
FP1402	FPS	Kharkiv National University
FP1402	FPS	Ukrainian National Forestry University
FP1403	FPS	Ukrainian National Forestry University
FP1403	FPS	Ukraine Research Institute for Mountain Forestry
FP1406	FPS	Ukrainian Research Institute of Forestry & Forest Melioration
FP1407	FPS	National University of Forestry & Wood Technology of Ukraine
IS1401	ISCH	Ivan Franko National University of L'viv
IS1403	ISCH	Odessa National University

IC1302	ICT	Kharkov National University of Radio & Electronics
IC1305	ICT	Lviv Polytechnic National University
IC1405	ICT	Chernivtsi National University
MP1208	MPNS	Kharkov National University
MP1302	MPNS	V.Lashkarev Institute of Semiconductor Physics of the NAS of Ukraine
MP1302	MPNS	Kyiv Taras Shevchenko National University
MP1303	MPNS	Institute of Physics, National Academy of Sciences of Ukraine
MP1303	MPNS	Donetsk Institute for Physics and Engineering
MP1305	MPNS	Taras Shevchenko National University of Kyiv
MP1307	MPNS	Taras Shevchenko National University of Kyiv
MP1402	MPNS	National Academy of Science of Ukraine, State Enterprise Research Institute of Microdevices
MP1403	MPNS	National Academy of Sciences of Ukraine
TD1401	TDP	Institute for Scintillation Materials of National Academy of Sciences of Ukraine
TD1402	TDP	Chuiko Institute of Surface Chemistry of the National Academy of Sciences
TU1208	TUD	Usikov Institute for Radiophysics and Electronics of the National Academy of Sciences of Ukraine
TU1301	TUD	Scientific Research Institute for Binders and Materials (SRIBM)
TU1404	TUD	Kiev (Kyiv) National University of Civil Engineering and Architecture



#### Action participations from Ukraine

- Various fields of science
- Forestry, Physics, Earth Sciences, ICT, Civil engineering, Social Sciences
- Mainly academic participation



#### Participation in an Action

- Based on ascertained Mutual Benefit
- In the proposal, as secondary proposer
- By contacting the Action Chair (Fast procedure)
- Support from COST: participation to meetings,
  STSM and training school



Thank you very much for your attention!

