



**EuroHPC JOINT UNDERTAKING**  
**DECISION OF THE GOVERNING BOARD OF THE EuroHPC JOINT**  
**UNDERTAKING No 09/2023**

**Approving the proposals selected for funding pursuant to the evaluation of**  
**the Call for Proposal for the Extreme Scale Access Call**  
**(First cut-off)**

THE GOVERNING BOARD OF THE EuroHPC JOINT UNDERTAKING,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EU) 2021/1173 of 13 July 2021 on establishing the European High Performance Computing Joint Undertaking and repealing Regulation (EU) 2018/1488 , in particular Article 38.1 second paragraph.

Having regard to Regulation (EU) 2018/1488 and, in particular to Article 13 thereof.

Having regard to Decision of the Governing Board of the EuroHPC Joint Undertaking No 25/2021 of 12 November 2021, approving the amendment of the Access Policy to the Union's share on the access time to the pre-exascale and petascale supercomputer, and, in particular to Section 3.2 therein.

Having regard to Decision of the Governing Board of the EuroHPC Joint Undertaking No 25/2022, of 20 September 2022, approving the Call for Proposal and Terms of Reference for the Extreme Scale Access Call.

WHEREAS

- (1) The Governing Board shall define the access rights to the Union's share of access time to the EuroHPC pre-exascale supercomputers and petascale supercomputers and to the Union's share of access time of these supercomputers.
- (2) Pursuant to the Decision No 25/2022, of 20 September 2022, the Governing Board of EuroHPC Joint Undertaking approved the call for Proposal and Terms of Reference for the Extreme Scale Access Call.
- (3) The call for proposal was opened on 28 September 2022 providing as deadline of the first cut-off date, 15 December 2022.
- (4) By 15 December 2022, 40 proposals were submitted and 36 were administratively accepted in response to the call requesting access to the currently three operational systems of the EuroHPC Joint Undertaking: Leonardo Booster, Lumi-C and Lumi-G.

From the total 36 proposals administratively accepted, all of them were submitted to the Scientific Track.

- (5) The evaluation was performed following the Access Policy guidelines and the Terms of Reference approved by the Governing Board by Decision No 25/2021 of 12 November 2021 and Decision No 25/2022 of 20 September 2022, respectively.
- (6) The evaluation of the proposals for this call was carried out according to the rules and procedures of Horizon 2020. The proposals were verified for compliance with the admissibility requirements and eligibility conditions of the call. As a result of the evaluation, 34 applications were ranked above threshold but only 25 were retained to receive access time to EuroHPC supercomputers.
- (7) The Governing Board is requested to approve the ranking of applications to receive extreme scale access time to EuroHPC supercomputers on the basis of the first Extreme Scale Access Cut-Off Evaluation Report.
- (8) The Executive Director has submitted to the Governing Board for approval the ranked and awarded list of applications attached as Annex 1.
- (9) The Governing Board took note and acknowledged the Report of the Executive Director on the outcome of the call, which includes the Extreme Scale Access Cut-Off Evaluation Report with its annexes.
- (10) The Executive Director is required to implement the decision of the Governing Board.
- (11) The Governing Board reviewed and approved the proposals selected for funding pursuant to the evaluation of the call for proposal for the Extreme Scale Access Call and

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

#### *Article 1*

With regards to the call for proposal for the Extreme Scale Access Call, the Governing Board approves the ranking list of applications selected to receive access time to EuroHPC supercomputers, included in Annex I.

#### *Article 2*

The Executive Director shall inform the applicants, by email, of the result of the evaluation. The successful applicants shall be contacted by the technical teams of the assigned supercomputer centre to begin the onboarding procedure. The applicants will be requested to sign an Acceptable User Policy before accessing the system.

*Article 3*

This Decision shall enter into force on the date of its adoption.

Done at Luxembourg, on 5 May 2023.

For the Governing Board

[signed]

Herbert Zeisel

The Chair

Annex 1: 1st cut-off Extreme Scale Access Proposal Ranking

## Annex 1 – 4<sup>th</sup> cut-off Regular Access Proposal Ranking

### EXTREME SCALE ACCESS - December 2022 cut-off allocation results - awarded projects (million core hours)

Proposal ID	Track	Country	Leonardo Booster	LUMI-C	LUMI-G
EHPC-EXT-2022E01-007	Scientific	Spain	0	20.0	0
EHPC-EXT-2022E01-008	Scientific	Norway	0	167.0	0
EHPC-EXT-2022E01-012	Scientific	Italy	0	62.0	0
EHPC-EXT-2022E01-013	Scientific	Germany	0	0	67.6
EHPC-EXT-2022E01-014	Scientific	Spain	0	0	209.4
EHPC-EXT-2022E01-018	Scientific	Spain	21.4	0	0
EHPC-EXT-2022E01-022	Scientific	Italy	30.0	0	0
EHPC-EXT-2022E01-033	Scientific	Cyprus	61.1	0	0
EHPC-EXT-2022E01-041	Scientific	France	0	0	48.0
EHPC-EXT-2022E01-043	Scientific	France		0	15.0
EHPC-EXT-2022E01-045	Scientific	Norway	0	80.0	0
EHPC-EXT-2022E01-046	Scientific	Italy	0	50.0	0
EHPC-EXT-2022E01-048	Scientific	Switzerland	0	0	15.5
EHPC-EXT-2022E01-050	Scientific	Germany	0	0	55.0
EHPC-EXT-2022E01-053	Scientific	Germany	0	0	60.0
EHPC-EXT-2022E01-054	Scientific	Italy	22.6	0	0
EHPC-EXT-2022E01-055	Scientific	Germany	22.1	0	0
EHPC-EXT-2022E01-059	Scientific	Sweden	0	80.0	64.0
EHPC-EXT-2022E01-064	Scientific	Italy	21.2	0	0
EHPC-EXT-2022E01-072	Scientific	Germany	0	100.0	0
EHPC-EXT-2022E01-076	Scientific	Switzerland	0	0	80.0
EHPC-EXT-2022E01-088	Scientific	Italy	21.6	0	0

EHPC-EXT-2022E01-093	Scientific	Belgium	0	80.0	0
EHPC-EXT-2022E01-095	Scientific	France	0	0	74.5
EHPC-EXT-2022E01-096	Scientific	Denmark	0	120.0	0
<b>Total</b>			<b>200.0</b>	<b>759.0</b>	<b>689.0</b>