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Calculation of costs for MSCA calls

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Calculation of costs for MSCA calls

- MSCA budget \neq actual direct costs
- based on **unit costs**
- 1 unit = 1 researcher/month
- no complicated calculations at the application stage
- simple financial reporting based on eligible unit costs

Calculation of costs for MSCA calls

* **country correction**
coefficient applies

Researcher unit costs:
subject to mandatory
deductions (taxes,
social security charges)

top-up to travel,
accommodation and
subsistence costs

MSCA	researcher unit costs			institutional unit costs	
	living allowance*	mobility allowance	family allowance	research, training and networking costs	management and indirect costs
ITN	3 270 €	600 €	500 €	1 800 €	1 200 €
IF	4 880 €	600 €	500 €	800 €	650 €
RISE	2 100 €			1 800 €	700 €
COFUND**	1 935 €	Doctoral Programmes (DP)		325 €	
	2 740 €	Fellowship Programme (FP)			

minimum monthly allowance:
DP: 2 709 €,
FP: 3 836 €

institutional costs can be
shared between beneficiaries
and partner organisations.

Calculation of costs for MSCA calls – IF examples

Example 1

A researcher applies with a host institution located in **Ukraine** for a MSCA IF for 24 months.

Country coefficient correction for Ukraine: 70,8%

	Living allowance	Mobility allowance	Family allowance	Research, training and networking	Management and indirect costs	TOTAL
basic	4 880 €	600 €	500 €	800 €	650 €	-----
1 month – Ukraine	3 455,04 €	600 €	500 €	800 €	650 €	6 005,04 €
24 months – Ukraine (with family)	82 920,96 €	14 400 €	12 000 €	19 200 €	15 600 €	144 120,96 €
24 months – Ukraine (no family)	82 920,96 €	14 400 €	---	19 200 €	15 600 €	132 120,96 €

Calculation of costs for MSCA calls – IF examples

Example 2

A researcher applies with a host institution located in **Ireland** for a MSCA IF for 24 months.

Country coefficient correction for Ireland: 115,6%

	Living allowance	Mobility allowance	Family allowance	Research, training and networking	Management and indirect costs	TOTAL
basic	4 880 €	600 €	500 €	800 €	650 €	-----
1 month – Ireland	5 641,28 €	600 €	500 €	800 €	650 €	6 005,04 €
24 months – Ireland (with family)	135 390,72 €	14 400 €	12 000 €	19 200 €	15 600 €	196 590,72 €
24 months – Ireland (no family)	135 390,72 €	14 400 €	---	19 200 €	15 600 €	184 590,96 €

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