



# EUREC

The Association of European  
Renewable Energy Research Centres

EnTEC2 project

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- Call for tenders EC-ENER/2024/OP/0065 - ENER/B5/2024-459: *Support for the creation of a multi-disciplinary innovations analysis centre of expertise for the energy transition*
- *Project duration: 3 years*
- *Budget: €1,929,500*
  - *of which €201k for EUREC office*
  - *€1,070,000 for the "pool of experts"*



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- Consortium consists of PwC (Energy Transition Hub), EUREC, ICONS and E3M
- Subcontracts: FBK, VTT, PwC TLS

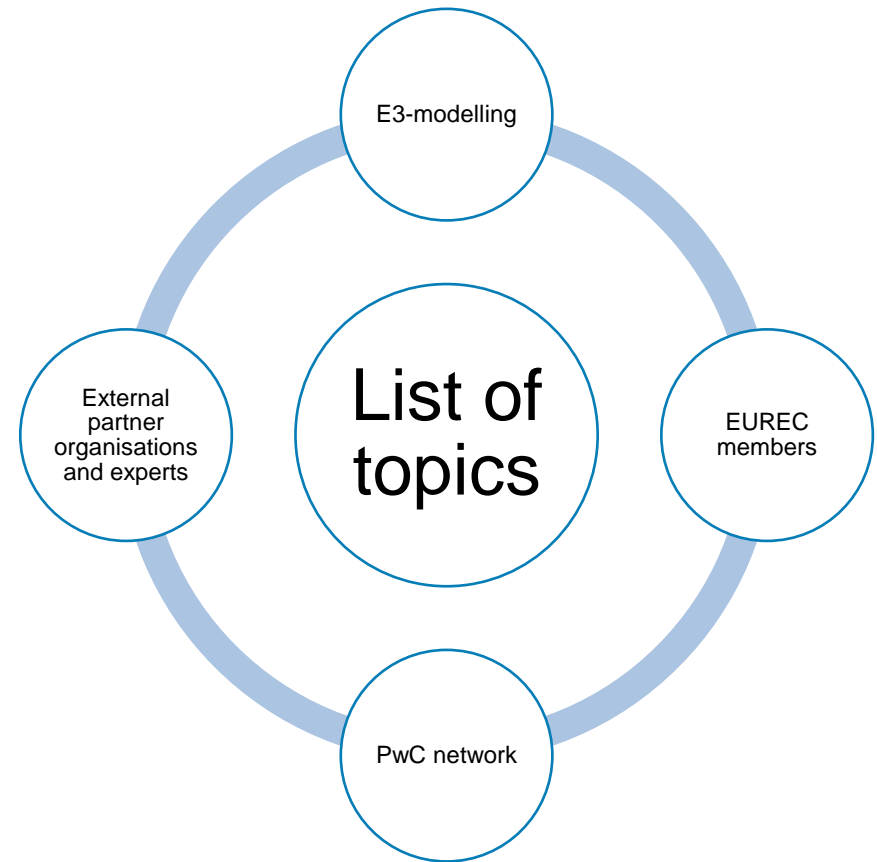


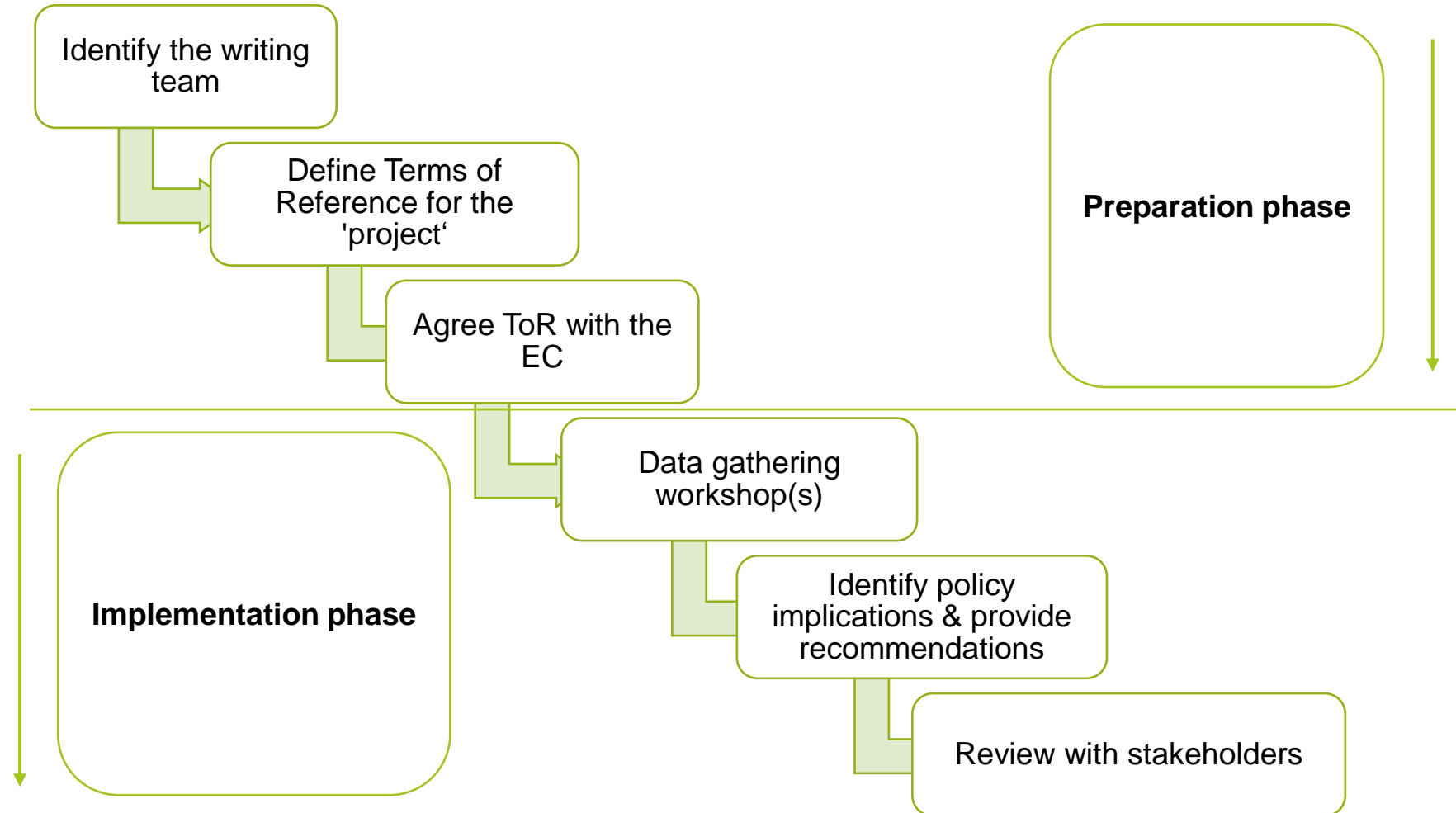
- EUREC is leading Task 1 focused on the preparation of exploratory and in-depth projects and analytical work
  - *To **monitor, identify and provide an analysis** to the European Commission on the impact of technologies and innovations that (can) drive, contribute to or have an impact on the twin energy and digital transition, on the competitiveness of the EU industry, as well as on the affordability of energy for citizens.*
  - *To **make recommendations for policy responses** that guide the twin transition and its impact on and interaction with other sectors and with other policy areas such as economic growth, employment, sustainable development, and environmental policies.*
  - *To **set up a network of partner organisations as well as experts** to cooperate with, both from business and academia, and both throughout the project and on an ad-hoc basis for specific topics.*

- EUREC will **set-up** the Centre of Expertise and **coordinate** the preparation of studies and analyses requested by the EC and proposed by the consortium
- The Centre will integrate ("pool of experts") the capabilities of AIT, RISE, Eurac Research, DLR, AEE-INTEC, WIP Renewable Energies, ZSW-BW, Imec, FBK, and VTT
- EUREC **might reach out to other members** in case of missing expertise
- Partner organisations and experts (TBC): ETIPs, EU Climate and Innovation Hub, HE projects, Hydrogen Europe Research, Battery European Partnership

- **Exploratory study** (i.e. policy memo of 6 pages), 2 experts for writing and 2 experts for review (approximately replicating the peer review process of scientific journals). The project is foreseen to last for 2 to 5 months, but best effort will be to deliver it faster (i.e. 1-3 months)
  - 2 studies per year
- **In-depth analysis** (30-50 pages study), 3-4 experts for writing and 3-4 experts for review. The project is foreseen to last for 6 months or more.
  - 2 analyses per year

- Methodology proposed for a *Monitoring and analysis framework for relevant topics* considering also aspects such as societal and economic impacts of technology adoption; business and financing models for technological investments; relevant policy frameworks etc.







- Aimed at a **broader audience**
- To **present and discuss** the yearly outcomes of the projects
- To **gather views** on the energy trends, technology development and innovation
- Before each annual event, an **online survey** will be distributed to **gather feedback** on R&I priorities at both the EU and national levels to assess whether the implemented projects **align** with these priorities, identify potential gaps, and propose measures to address them
- The **data collected will be presented** during the to facilitate discussion and ensure the focus remains on priority areas

- Start of the project foreseen for January / February 2025
- Clarify EC's preference in terms of proposing topics to be analysed/studied: What is the ratio between topics proposed by the EC and us?
- Re-confirm contact points for the involved research centres → *"Contact points will be given 5 working days (exploratory study) or 10 days (in-depth analysis) to commit to a project & identifying specific experts who will be involved in the writing/review process"*

# THANK YOU !

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