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Accounting MS Contributions

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Flagships
A joint effort with the Member States

FET Flagships
launched in 2013
10 years, 1 B€ initiatives

www.graphene-flagship.eu
142 partners from 23 countries

www.humanbrainproject.eu/
112 partners from 24 countries

FP7 ERANET: www.flagera.eu
37 funding agencies from 26 countries

- Flagship budget:
  - 50% from the EU and
  - 50% mainly from the MS/AC
  -> in-cash or in-kind contributions

- Integration framework CP/PPs

- Flagship Governance
  -> Board of Funders: MS & EC
What to consider?

Option 1

Only direct contributions to the Flagships in the form of **Partnering Projects**:
FLAG-ERA JTC, National/Regional Calls addressing the R&I agendas of the Flagships

Option 2

Option 1 + Direct and in-kind contributions to the Flagships CP/AM Members
(e.g. National/regional projects allocated to CP/AMs; use of research infrastructures, etc.)

Option 3

Option 2 + Wider R&I actions (e.g. dedicated projects, programmes and initiatives) designed and prepared to support the Flagships

- Individual projects
- National programmes
- Research infrastructures
- Industry support

Option 4

Option 3 + Nationally/regionally funded projects that contribute to the Flagship-related science but not directly to the Flagship roadmap

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Flag-ERA is setting up a task force to elaborate further how to measure the MS contributions (who/when/what/how)

- One of the Flag-ERA objectives: "the NRFOs intend to agree on a common accounting framework for measuring the national and regional contributions to the Flagships"

- Task force led by M. Cevallos (Flag-ERA, CH) including Graphene and HBP representatives

A proposal will be presented in one of the next BoF meetings
THANK YOU!