



THE INFORMATION EXCHANGE

Strategic information on funding initiatives in the area of GRA

Organisation information: FOM

The Foundation for Fundamental Research on Matter (FOM), established in 1946, promotes, co-ordinates and finances fundamental physics research in the Netherlands. It is an autonomous foundation that is part of the Netherlands Organisation for Scientific Research (NWO).

FOM has an annual budget of approximately 100 M€ for operational costs and investments.

FOM covers the entire spectrum of fundamental research, from curiosity-driven research to research inspired by applications.

FOM has a range of funding instruments for physics research. Each instrument has its own specific objectives and its own application, evaluation and selection procedure.

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Key messages/highlights for GRA

FOM participates in the FLAG-ERA JTC 2015 (M€ 0,75)

FOM aims to participate in FLAG-ERA II (M€ 1,0)

FOM-specific funding open to graphene research:

FOM-Projectruimte programme:

small-scale projects in fundamental physics research
maximum budget of 425 k€

Vrij FOM-programme:

Dutch knowledge institutes consolidate their strengths in a specific research area (consortia)
minimum budget of 1,0 M€

Industrial Partnership Programme:

collaborative programmes between FOM researchers and con