Industrial partners Spin-offs, Start-up Transfer basic knowledge into industrial applications by further developing and The position of Research Establishments Transfer to integrating technologies



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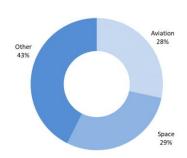






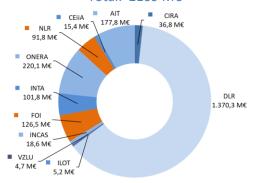
Breakdown of EREA expenditures for RTD

Total: 2169 M€



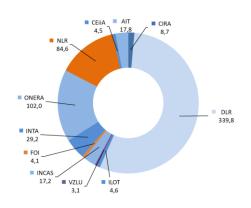
Breakdown of EREA expenditures for total RTD per establishment

Total: 2169 M€

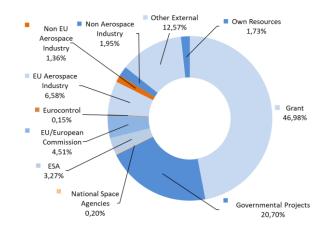


Breakdown of EREA total expenditures for aviation RTD per establishment

Total: 616 M€



Breakdown of EREA total revenues by clients



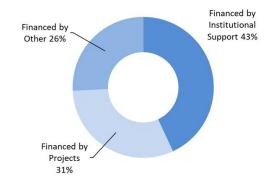
Key figures full members 2022*

Number of employees in aviation	6116
Total number of employees	19601
Internal aviation research	616 M€
Total internal research	2169 M€
Annual revenues from EU projects	106,5 M€
Number of PhD thesis	271
Number of publications	10187
Publications in refereed journals	2364
Number of new patents	212

^{*} Based on data of fiscal year 2022 (without VKI | FOI: data of 2021)

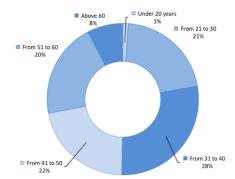
Breakdown of EREA expenditures investments

Total: 255 M€



Age demography of the EREA members

Total: 19601 Employees



Revenues from EU total amount of EU funding per year

