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# **ECSEL Italy Mirror Group**

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## What is ECSEL Italy?



The ECSEL Italy Mirror Group, was formed in 2015 on the example of ECSEL Mirror Group Austria and Digital Sweden, with the objective:

- To facilitate / coordinate the participation of Italian partners to the calls of ECSEL (and H2020).
- To promote the public support to ECSEL in Italy
- To coordinate with similar European initiatives and especially PPP's.

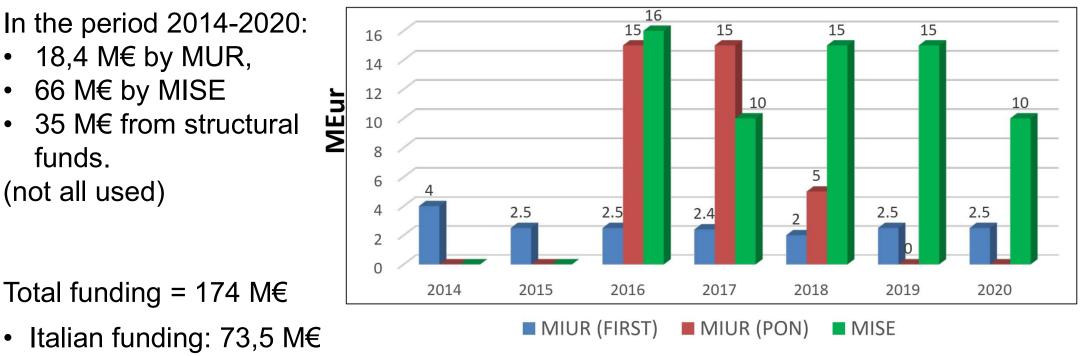
After completion of the ECSEL JTI, the association plans to continue activities in support of the new KDT JTI.

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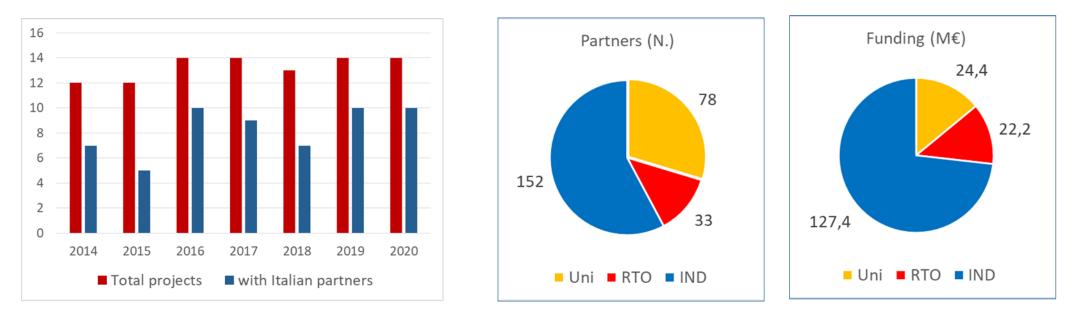
ITALY Budget on ECSEL Calls: 2014-2020



- Italian funding: 73,5 M€
  European funding: 85,6 M€
- PON (FESR): 15 M€







In the period 2014-2020:

- there have been 253 Italian participations by 116 partners
- Italian partners participated in 59 research projects over 93 launched
- Among the top 5 Italian participants, 4 are Universities and RTO



### Main activities



- Meeting with Italian public funding authorities, resulting in funding from the Ministry of Industry
- ✓ ECSEL Italy Day and brokerage events 2017-2020
- ✓ ECSEL and Smart Systems session at the yearly meetings of Società Italiana Elettronica and AEIT.
- $\checkmark$  Participation in InSSIght and 5E CSA's.
- ✓ ECSEL sessions at AEIT Automotive International Conference 2018, 2019, 2020.
- ✓ Participation to the ECSEL Call Forum and ECS brokerage events, ECSEL Symposia and EFECS, before COVID pandemic.
- $\checkmark$  Attendance to online events in 2020.



#### **ECSEL Italy Days**





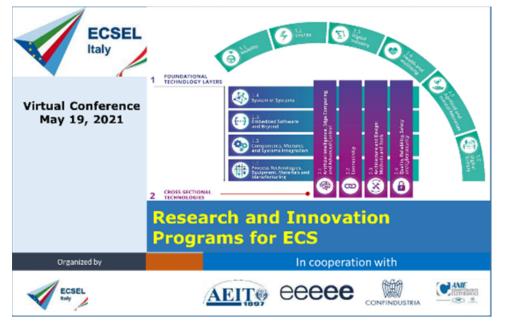
- The National day of ECSEL Mirror Group Italy were held yearly before ECSEL calls
- Traditionally divided into two parts, with networking spaces:
  - Institutional presentations by ECSEL Office, funding Ministries and other agencies;
  - Presentations from brokerage events, other ECSEL Mirror Groups and collection of project ideas.
- In 2020, the ECSEL Italy Day was the last held in presence, one month before COVID breakout.

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#### Activity 2021





- Due to the delay in launching the new KDT JTI, the ECSEL Italy Day has been postponed.
- A virtual workshop of Research and Innovation Programs for ECS has been held on May 19.
- ECSEL and Smart Systems sessions will be organized at other Italian yearly meetings:
  - Italian Electronic Society (academic)
  - AEIT Automotive (see next)
- A future information and brokerage event is planned for the second half of the year, depending on the launch of the new JTI, and the evolution of COVID pandemic.



- Now at its fifth edition.
- An ECSEL panel session planned, as in 2020.
- Also regular contributed papers are welcome: https://www.aeit.it





# Thank you!

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