

## Eligibility rules





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## Chapter B3 on eligibility rules in the programme manual

https://www.alpine-space.eu/wpcontent/uploads/2022/06/ASP\_Programme\_manual\_June2022.pdf

## Online FAQ for project partners <u>https://www.alpine-space.eu/for-project-partners/faq-project-partner</u>

Guidance: How to calculate the assignment percentage <u>https://www.alpine-space.eu/for-project-partners/project-</u> <u>lifecycle/</u> -> see annex VIII of programme manual

If questions could not be resolved definitely: contact JS or MA (in advance!)



## **STAFF COSTS**





- Calculation method : fixed percentage of gross employment costs
- for each employee an assignment shall be issued per reporting period
- Attention: payments (e.g. personal draw) to self-employed persons are ineligible (e.g. company owners without any employment contract cannot charge any staff costs).
- Attention: the assignment shall be issued and signed before the respective assignment period!
- Assignment lays down in detail the project related tasks and the time involvement planned (in percent of the total normal working time = assignment percentage)
- Attention: see guidance (programme manual, annex VIII) how to calculate extent of assignment and document the calculation!
- Eligible staff costs = Assignment percentage x gross employment costs for the reporting period

### Project assignment



Project assignment	He/she carries out the following proje	ect-related tasks in this assignment period:
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#### Project assignment (see last page)

# How to calculate the assignment percentage?



- Assignment percentage to be calculated for each reporting period
- Calculation on the basis of the following data
  - Normal annual working hours: corresponding pro rata of 1720 hours
  - Estimated project related working hours

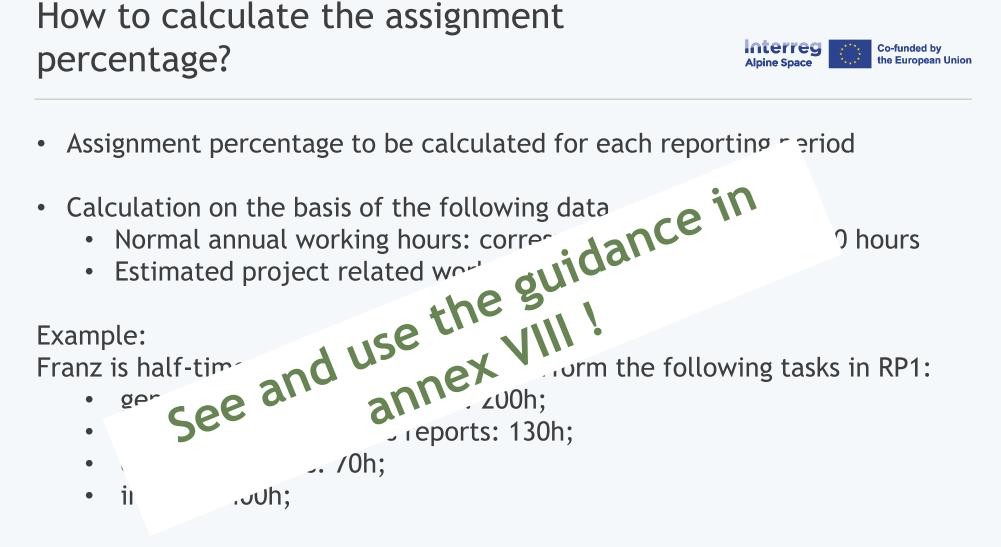
#### Example:

Franz is half-time employed and has to perform the following tasks in RP1:

- general project coordination: 200h;
- elaboration of progress reports: 130h;
- controlling tasks: 70h;
- in total: 400h;

1720 / 12 x 9 x 0,5 = 645 normal working hours in the reporting period 100 / 645 x 400 = 62 % = assignment percentage

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- Staff costs are calculated as a flat rate of 20 % of the direct costs other than the direct staff costs (= external expertise and services costs as well as equipment cost).
- Precondition: It must be proved that the beneficiary has at least one employee (e.g. registration in social insurance system)
- No need to document that the expenditure was incurred and paid!
- A sole proprietor/one-man business cannot claim staff costs.

### Control system



- Centralised system: Slovenia
- Decentralised system: Austria, France, Germany, Italy

Detailed information will be provided in the autumn LP seminar

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### Project assignment

### Identification of project and project partner

Project acronym	
Name of project partner	

### Assigned employee

Name of employee		
Assignment period		
Please indicate starting and end date of the assignment. Please consider that the assignment period shall correspond with the reporting period.	Starting date	End date
Version N°		

### Confirmation

With this task assignment, it is confirmed that the above-mentioned *employee* works on the above-mentioned project.

In case that he/she is involved in other public funded projects (please specify in the table below the relevant project acronyms and the funding programmes/sources), it is confirmed that there is no double financing, as not more than 100% of his/her working time will be reported.





He/she carries out the following project-related tasks in this assignment period:

He/she is assigned with the following share of his/her working time in this period to carry out the tasks as described above.

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Name of employer

Name of employee

Date<sup>2</sup> and employer's signature

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> As regards the calculation of the extent of the assignment please refer to annex VIII of the programme manual "How to calculate the assignment percentage".

 $<sup>^2</sup>$  According to the programmes eligibility rules the project assignment has to be issued and signed before the starting date of the assignment period