

Funding joint investigation teams

Providing technical and financial support to JITs is part of Eurojust's mission to stimulate and improve the coordination of investigations and prosecutions in cross-border criminal cases. This funding programme ensures that financial and other organisational constraints linked to the cross-border nature of a case do not hinder the establishment and operational needs of a JIT.



Who can apply?

- Judicial and/or law enforcement authorities
- JITs between EU States and
JITs between EU/non-EU States
- Eurojust's National Members invited
to participate in the JIT

What is not covered?

- ✗ Costs prior to the JIT
- ✗ Domestic costs
- ✗ Purchase of equipment
- ✗ Pre-financing of costs

What is covered?

Costs of cross-border operations

- ✓ Travel and accommodation
- ✓ Interpretation and translation
- ✓ Transport of evidence/
seized items

Logistical support

- ✓ Loan of smartphones,
laptops, mobile scanners
& printers
- ✓ Communication costs

How to submit

- Access the *Joint Investigation Teams portal* and fill in the web form
- Include needs of all JIT partners
- Attach JIT agreement, extensions and, where applicable, financial identification form (FIF)
- Submit within set fifteen-day period

Evaluation and award

- Evaluation by Eurojust staff and practitioners
- Decision within 15 days

Action

- Planned actions to be performed within three-month period

Claim

- Send form and supporting documents to jits@eurojust.europa.eu
- Within one month after end of action period
- Individual claims by each institution/agency (no natural persons)

