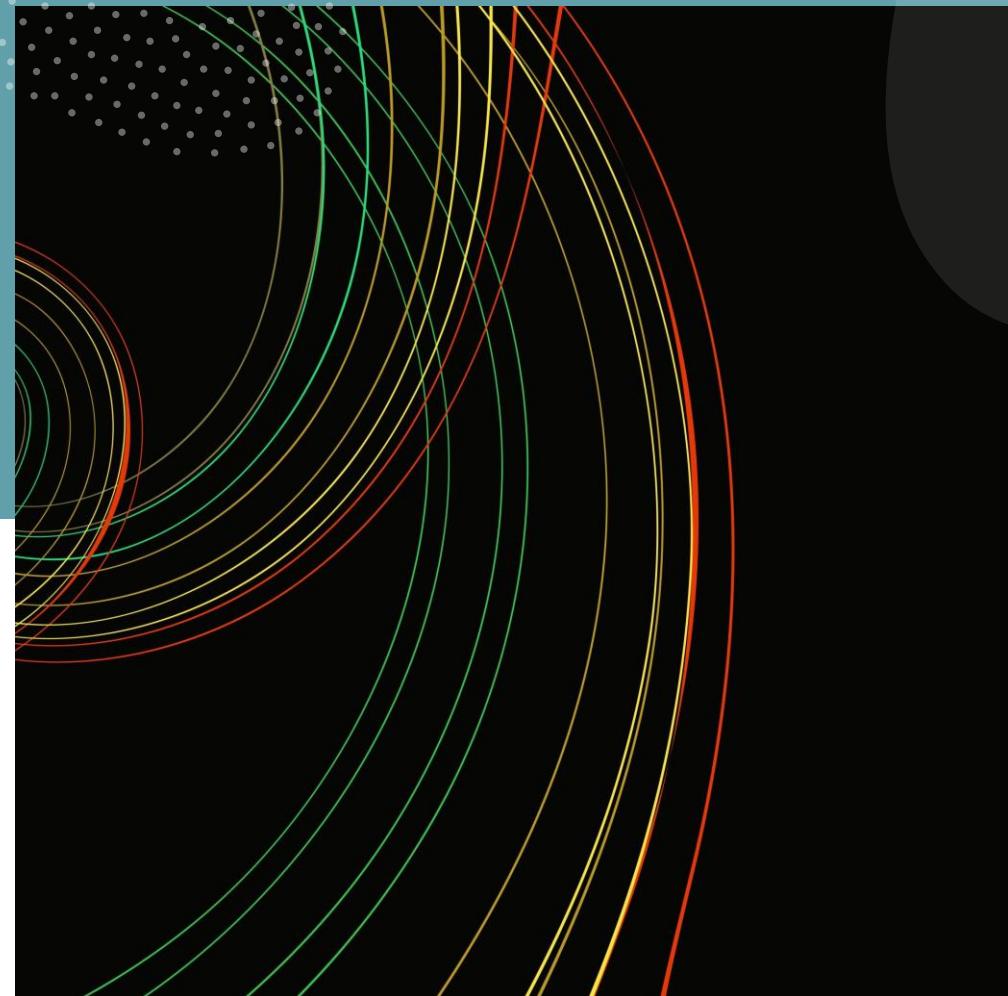


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Capacity Building in the field of Sport

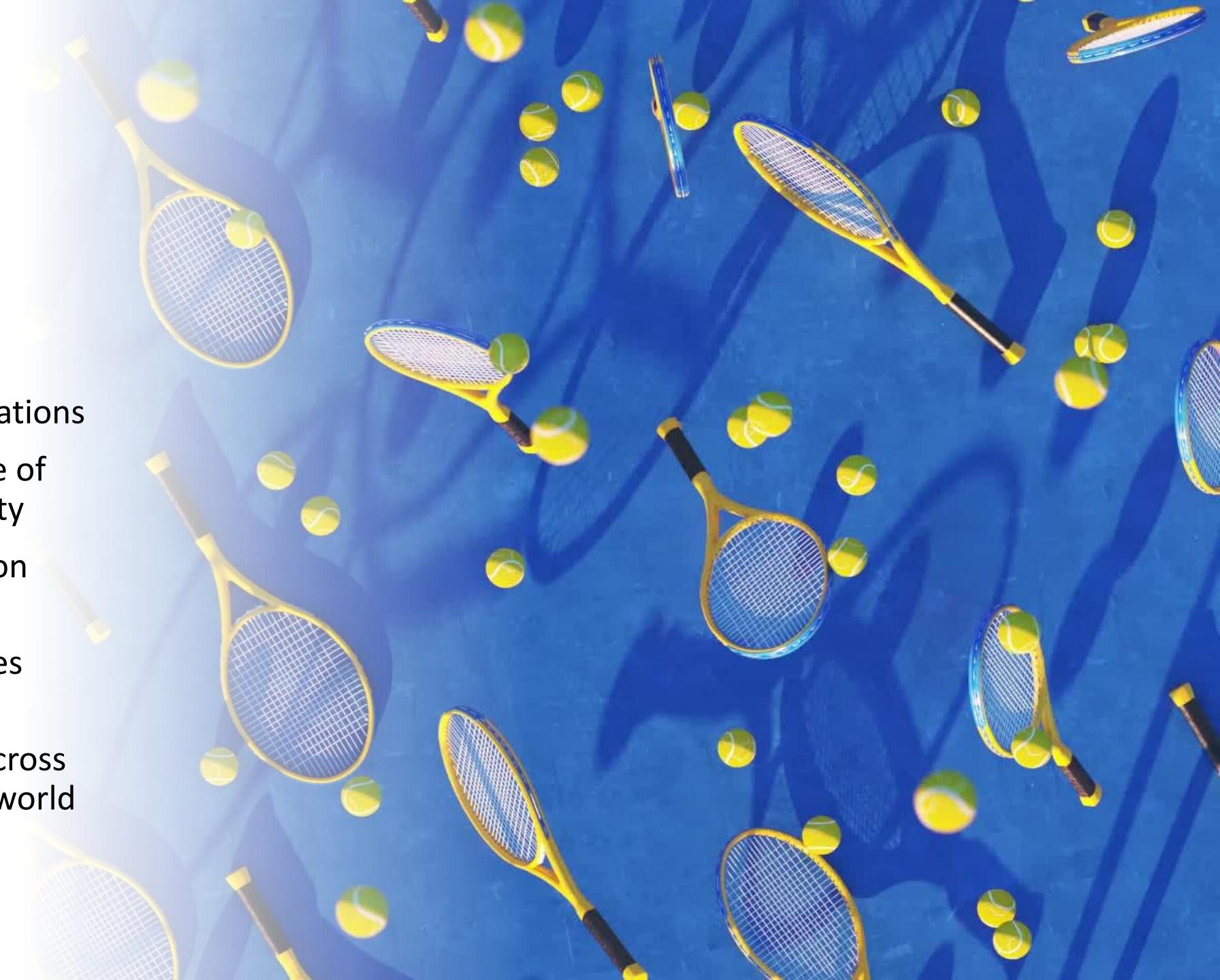
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Objectives

- Raising the capacity of grassroots sport organisations
- Encouraging the practice of sport and physical activity
- Promoting social inclusion through sport
- Promoting positive values through sport
- Fostering cooperation across different regions of the world through joint initiatives



Thematic areas/Specific objectives



Promotion of common values, non-discrimination and gender equality

Development of skills to improve social involvement of disadvantaged groups

Integration of migrants

Post-conflict reconciliation

Activities

Creating and developing networks between organisations, countries and regions

Launching, testing, sharing and implementation of new forms of non-formal learning methods, tools, practices and materials

Supporting the building of an engaged and active civil society

Development and exchange of best practices and ideas

Implementing common sport activities and educational side events

Raising awareness on issues of discrimination of disadvantaged groups in sport

Novelties in the 2024 call

Call open to –

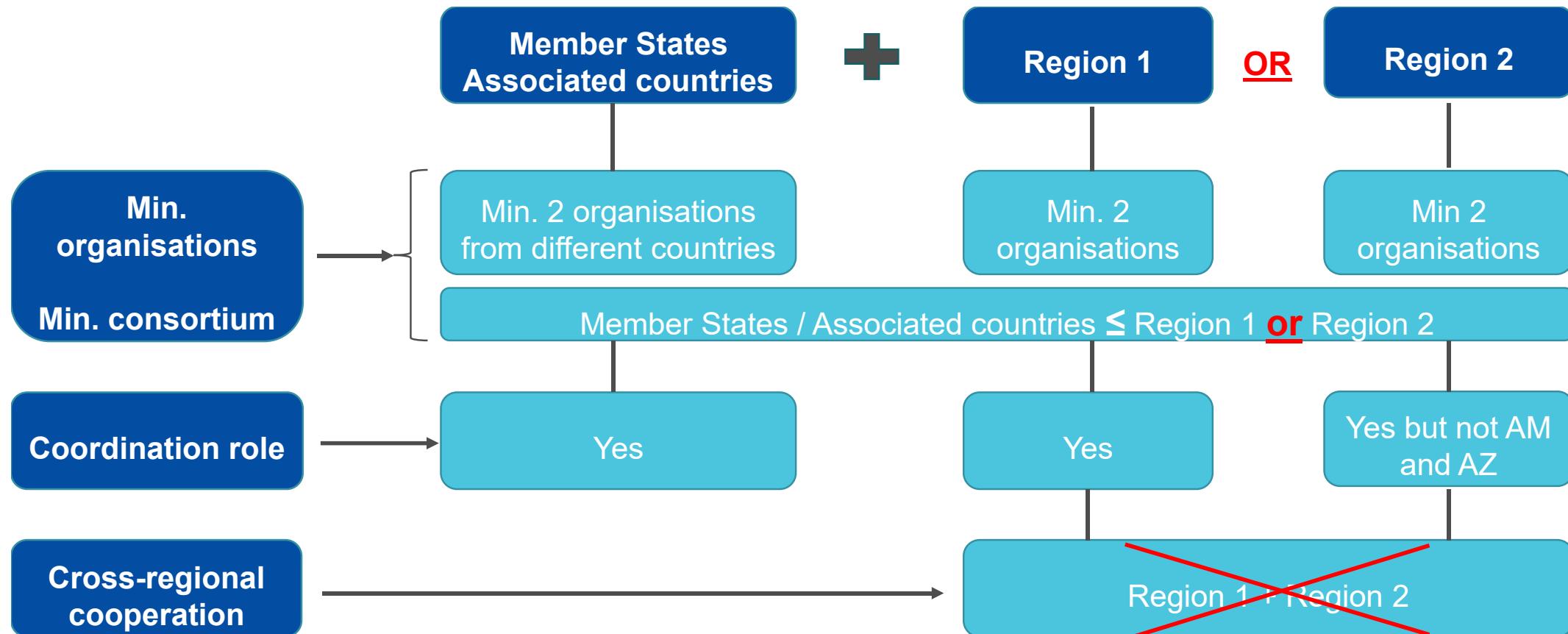
- Western Balkans (Region 1): Albania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Kosovo*, Montenegro
- Neighbourhood East (Region 2)**: Armenia, Azerbaijan, Georgia, Moldova, Territory of Ukraine as recognized by international law
- Applicants must show under the award criterion ‘Relevance of the project’ that the proposal respects and promotes shared EU values (respect for human dignity, freedom, democracy, equality, rule of law, respect for human rights) and fights against any sort of discrimination.

Eligibility Organisations

- Any public or private organisation active in the field of sport
- Established in an EU Member State or third country associated to the Programme; and
- in a third country not associated to the Programme which is eligible for participation in this action (i.e Region 1 – Western Balkans or Region 2 – Neighbourhood East)
- Coordination tasks must be carried out by non-for-profit organisation



Eligibility - Consortium



Eligibility Venues and duration



ALL ACTIVITIES MUST TAKE PLACE IN THE
COUNTRIES OF THE ORGANISATIONS
INVOLVED (EXCEPTIONS)



NORMALLY 12, 24 OR 36 MONTHS WITH
POSSIBILITY OF EXTENSION (AMENDMENT
OF THE GRANT AGREEMENT)

Funding Rules – Lump sum Type II

The EU grant amount per project should vary between EUR 100 000 and 200 000 EUR

EACEA will fix the lump sum of each grant based on the proposal submitted by the applicant, the evaluation results, the funding rate and the maximum grant amount set in the call (maximum 80% of the estimated eligible costs after evaluation).

Focus put on the outputs of the project with emphasis on the quality and level of achievement of measurable objectives.

2024 calls - Available Budget

Actions	Total amount
Budget 2024	
Cooperation Partnerships in the field of sport	EUR 34.170.000
Small-scale cooperation partnerships	EUR 10.000.000
Not-for-profit European Sport events	EUR 7.000.000
Capacity building in the field of sport	EUR 1.952.990
– Region 1 (Western Balkans)	EUR 992.990
– Region 2 (Neighbourhood East)	EUR 960.000

Indicative roadmap



What makes a good project?

- Consortium composition (including players in Sport, world of work, decision makers)
- Clear needs analysis (for the region/countries, for your partners, for your participants)
- Realistic impact (explaining what will your project change in Sport, concise objectives)
- Concrete outputs and deliverables (clearly supporting capacity in Sport)
- In line with policy documents and regional priorities (see Programme Guide)
- Balanced EU grant (remember: focus is on third countries not associated to Programme)

Useful tips



Be coherent: avoid contradictions and "cut and paste" style applications



Be concrete: use examples, justify your claims, provide evidence



Be clear: read the questions carefully, provide information in the correct order as indicated in the form



Be explicit: take nothing for granted; don't assume that experts have prior knowledge; avoid abbreviations or explain them



Be realistic: the application is the basis of your project to be; it is also the cornerstone of the commitment you will sign



Remain focused: concentrate exclusively on what is asked of you



Eligibility: make sure you have followed all instructions and that the proposal meets all mandatory requirements



Keep it simple: use short sentences, vary the length if you wish to make it more interesting but keep it simple and focused

Where to find a partner

- FTOP portal
- Among Federations of the Western Balkan Countries/ EU Member States/ Countries associated to the program



Thank you for your
attention!

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