

REQUEST FOR A SPECIAL PROJECT 2020–2022

MEMBER STATE:

Principal Investigator¹:

Affiliation:

Address:

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Other researchers:

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Project Title:

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| If this is a continuation of an existing project, please state the computer project account assigned previously. | SP _____ | |
| Starting year: (A project can have a duration of up to 3 years, agreed at the beginning of the project.) | 2020 | |
| Would you accept support for 1 year only, if necessary? | YES <input type="checkbox"/> | NO <input type="checkbox"/> |

| Computer resources required for 2020-2022: (To make changes to an existing project please submit an amended version of the original form.) | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 |
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| High Performance Computing Facility (SBU) | | | |
| Accumulated data storage (total archive volume) ² (GB) | | | |

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¹ The Principal Investigator will act as contact person for this Special Project and, in particular, will be asked to register the project, provide annual progress reports of the project's activities, etc.

² If e.g. you archive x GB in year one and y GB in year two and don't delete anything you need to request x + y GB for the second project year etc.

Principal Investigator:

Project Title:

Extended abstract

The completed form should be submitted/uploaded at <https://www.ecmwf.int/en/research/special-projects/special-project-application/special-project-request-submission>.

All Special Project requests should provide an abstract/project description including a scientific plan, a justification of the computer resources requested and the technical characteristics of the code to be used.

Following submission by the relevant Member State the Special Project requests will be published on the ECMWF website and evaluated by ECMWF as well as the Scientific and Technical Advisory Committees. The evaluation of the requests is based on the following criteria: Relevance to ECMWF's objectives, scientific and technical quality, disciplinary relevance, and justification of the resources requested. Previous Special Project reports and the use of ECMWF software and data infrastructure will also be considered in the evaluation process.

Requests asking for 1,000,000 SBUs or more should be more detailed (3-5 pages). Large requests asking for 10,000,000 SBUs or more will receive a detailed review by members of the Scientific Advisory Committee.