

The perspective of European Quantum Industry

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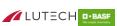
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72 SMEs from the EU































170 members – all from European countries

136 members from 18 EU Member States

































































About QuIC





The **mission of QuIC** is to **boost the European quantum-technology** industry competitiveness and economic growth and **bolster value creation** across the continent.



QuIC is involved in:

- **EuroHPC** as a private member
- **QUCATS** (Coordination and Support Action of the **Quantum Flagship**)



QuIC **collaborates** with several European local initiatives and with counterparts in other regions (US, Japan, etc)







Computer hardware market in 2021: \$1.129,39 billion [1]

Quantum computer market in 2021: \$0,47 billion [2]

Future QC Market Potential is a trillion € industry, more than 2.000x its size today.

European Tech sovereignty: wealth & security for European citizens.

QuIC as a partner of Europe in pursuit of global prominence.



Funding needed for quantum industry





Uneven playing field:

US & Europe have roughly equal numbers of startups (25% of global startups each)

10x more funds for US companies than European companies (about \$1b total)



Prompt Action Requested: improve EIC / EIB equity funding

- Accelerate investments: select SMEs and deliver funds within 4 –6 months (match common practice in private equity)
- Raise limit above € 75 million: follow startup growth and rival US capital levels
- Enable EIC / EIB to serve as lead investor
- Harmonised approach to funding across EU bloc







Low-level access to key resources



A robust value chain



European Collaboration & cross-EU-border alignment





Thank you!