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• Do you have an idea to develop?

• Do you need to finance an innovation process?

• Do you want to find information on European technology results?

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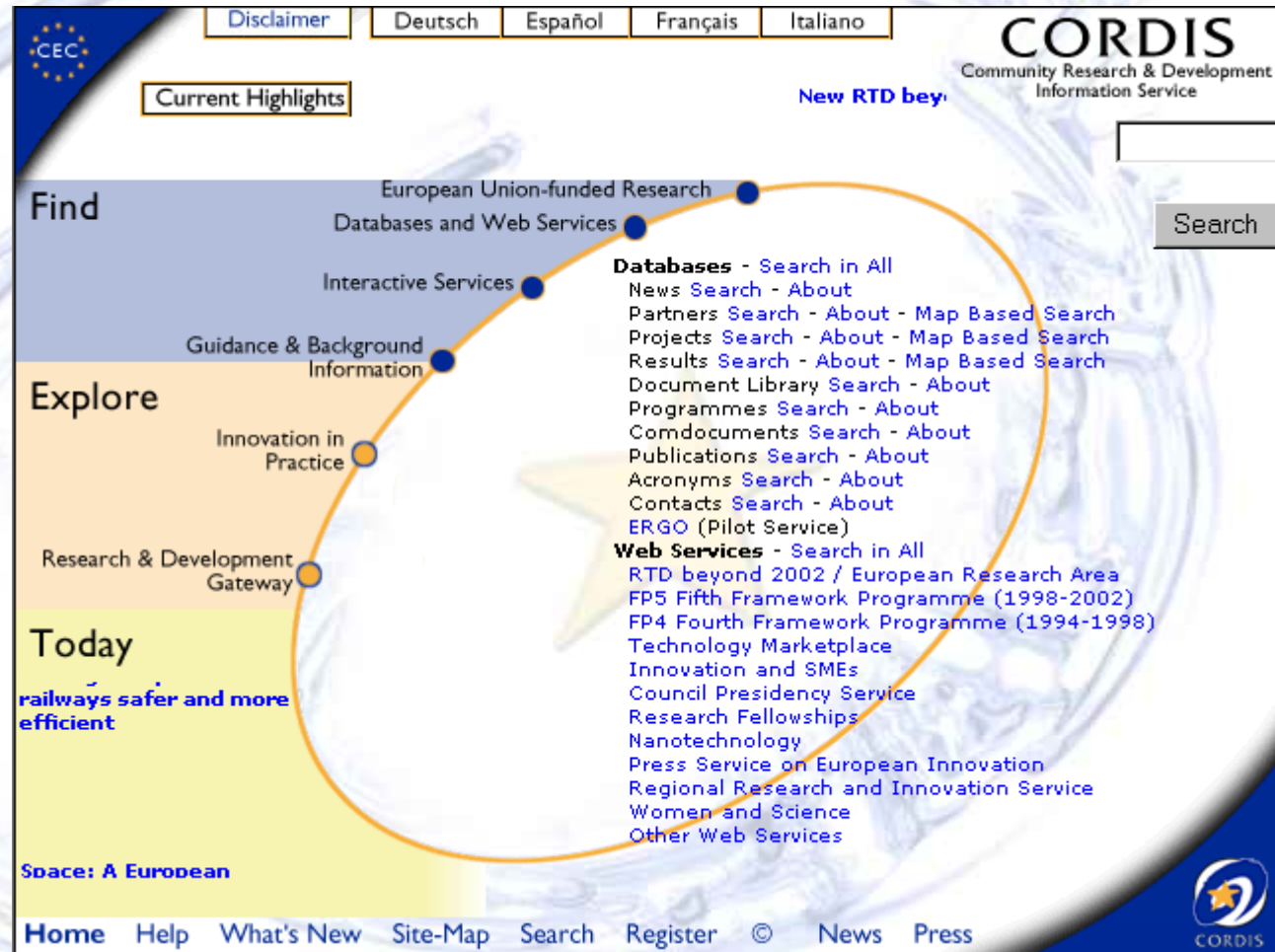
CORDIS Objectives

- *Offer a quick access to information on European Research programmes and activities*
- *Ease participation in programmes supported by the European Union*
- *Enhance research results exploitation and promote innovation*
- *Provide small business with local information and assistance*



A European Innovation Portal

- **Timely and free information on R&D**
- **Fully searchable web services and database services**
- **Interactive and user-friendly features, including e-mail alert**



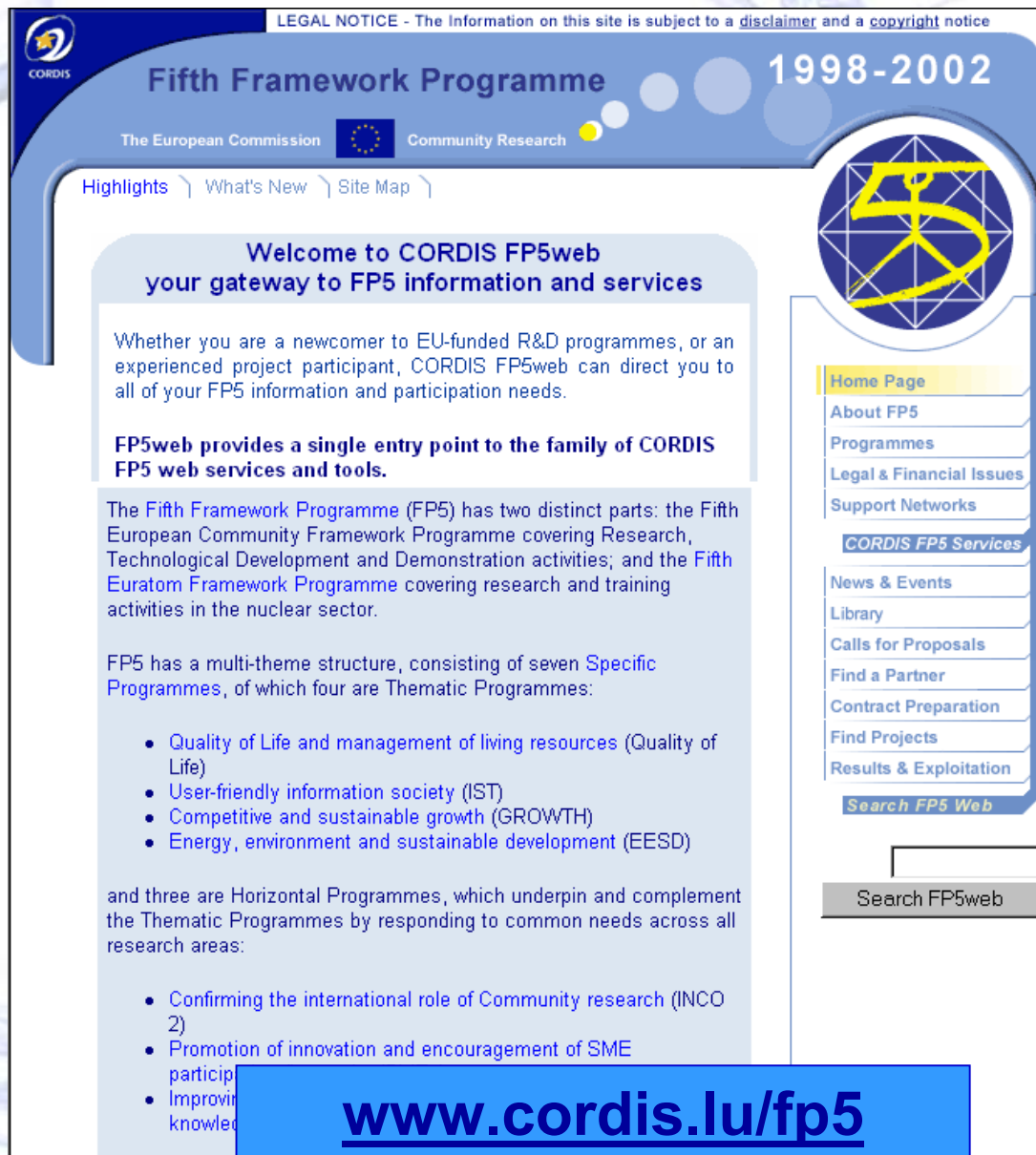
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- Top Navigation:** A horizontal bar with language options: [Disclaimer](#), [Deutsch](#), [Español](#), [Français](#), [Italiano](#). On the right, the CORDIS logo and text: "CORDIS Community Research & Development Information Service".
- Search Bar:** A search input field with a "Search" button on the right.
- Main Content Area:**
 - Find:** A blue horizontal bar containing "European Union-funded Research" and "Databases and Web Services".
 - Explore:** An orange horizontal bar containing "Interactive Services", "Guidance & Background Information", and "Innovation in Practice".
 - Today:** A yellow horizontal bar containing "Research & Development Gateway" and a news snippet: "railways safer and more efficient".
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Easing access to funding opportunities

- **Information on research programmes and key actions**
- **Direct access to calls and documentation**
- **Assistance to participation in projects**
- **List of useful contacts**



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Fifth Framework Programme 1998-2002

The European Commission  Community Research

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Welcome to CORDIS FP5web your gateway to FP5 information and services

Whether you are a newcomer to EU-funded R&D programmes, or an experienced project participant, CORDIS FP5web can direct you to all of your FP5 information and participation needs.

FP5web provides a single entry point to the family of CORDIS FP5 web services and tools.

The [Fifth Framework Programme \(FP5\)](#) has two distinct parts: the Fifth European Community Framework Programme covering Research, Technological Development and Demonstration activities; and the [Fifth Euratom Framework Programme](#) covering research and training activities in the nuclear sector.

FP5 has a multi-theme structure, consisting of seven [Specific Programmes](#), of which four are Thematic Programmes:

- [Quality of Life and management of living resources \(Quality of Life\)](#)
- [User-friendly information society \(IST\)](#)
- [Competitive and sustainable growth \(GROWTH\)](#)
- [Energy, environment and sustainable development \(EESD\)](#)

and three are Horizontal Programmes, which underpin and complement the Thematic Programmes by responding to common needs across all research areas:

- [Confirming the international role of Community research \(INCO 2\)](#)
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- **Available in English, French, German, Italian & Spanish**



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OFFER OF THE WEEK
Recycling glass for the construction industry

Glass is a widespread packaging material. Being a unique packaging material, it contributes not only to the quality of products, but also to the quality of the environment. Most recycling techniques are focused on reusing glass within the same industry. A new breakthrough development has succeeded in turning glass scrap into construction material components with enhanced features for heat insulation and fire protection.

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Find ideas for new products or services
Help you exploit your own technologies
Keep in touch with developments affecting European citizens.

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Recycling glass for the construction industry

SCIENCE
Curing injury-induced sensory loss

SOCIETY
Parabolic trough collector for solar power

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Database for climate change

A project in the European Arctic is studying environmental systems in order to produce a data set of the interacting units that strive to achieve ecological balance. This database is to be used as the basis of a model to predict climate change

The European Arctic is an ideal place to investigate factors of climatic fluctuation. It is comparable to similar environments in Alaska, Canada and Northern Russia. Any alterations of the climate in these areas will be felt on a continental scale. The data collection contains 30 minute averages for individual parts of the ecosystems. Information has been accumulated using the latest in field equipment to sample gas, soil and water. A focus of the study has been the flow of energy between the surface and the atmosphere. Several of the greenhouse gases were studied such as carbon dioxide and methane to determine their influence on the continental ecosystem. The database will produce models that researchers in climatology can use to predict changes in climate, ecology and energy balance.



Country: United Kingdom

Information Source: Non EU-funded research

Collaboration Sought: Further research or development support

Date: 2000-06-28

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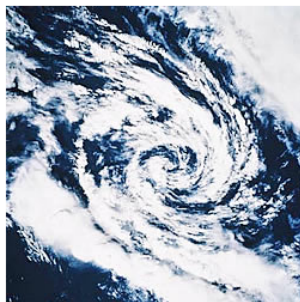
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Offers Environment

Regional weather prediction with space data

Major international centres have made steady progress in fulfilling their functions and responsibilities with increasing skill in the field of weather prediction. A rather new field of activity is atmospheric profiling, based on the global navigation positioning satellites (GPS). A prototype system has been developed that is able to easily process all intermediate steps between the extractions of raw data and derivation of atmospheric profiles of physical parameters for a reliable regional weather forecast.



Meteorological satellites carrying appropriate instrumentation have been extensively used for observing the planets weather phenomena and monitoring its climate. As science and technology advance, new weather prediction models and their outputs have become indispensable tools for modern weather and climate forecasting from short, medium to long-range seasonal scales. While global modelling requires considerable computing power mainly for data assimilation and pre-processing functions, regional models and limited domain models, using boundary conditions from global models, can now be run on workstations and PC platforms for operational weather forecasting and research.

A new prototype system with the capability of processing all the necessary steps from handling the raw satellite data to producing the atmospheric profiles of pressure, temperature and humidity has been developed. These atmospheric profiles can be easily introduced to the running of multi-level regional and limited area numerical prediction models. Thus facilities are enhanced in terms of operational capacities using models with boundary conditions and a low-cost platform to support issuance of forecasts tailored to meet user needs and more detailed, more accurate forecasts of severe weather events, such as thunderstorms, tornadoes, tropical cyclones.

The system uses semi-automatic end-to end radio occultation measurements in a processing chain for deriving density, temperature and humidity profiles that are further assimilated into the regional numerical weather prediction models with the aid of specially designed tools. Due to their global distribution, a sufficient number of such occultation measurements is expected to improve the atmospheric predictability, and consequently numerical weather prediction models, as well as the climate monitoring. The software developed has been validated with data coming from different satellites. Furthermore, the impact of GPS profiles on the weather prediction has been extensively studied.

Recent severe weather events in different parts of the world, either associated with strong El Niño-southern oscillation events or other global trends have drawn attention to the need for meteorological services to enhance their capacity and skill to monitor and predict severe weather and climate events. This particular system is expected to contribute substantially to both climatology and meteorology for new weather prediction. Through early detection, the new weather prediction models offer improved community preparation with an action plan that responds to the threat of all types of severe weather, focusing on the sustainable social-economic development of topical regions.

Country: Denmark

Information Source: Result from the EU funded ENV 2C programme

Collaboration Sought: Further research or development support; Financial support
Property Rights: Patent(s) applied for but not yet granted

Date: 2002-02-18

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Video production gets dedicated hardware/software combination

European innovation under the umbrella of the ESPRIT programme, has taken the lead in PC based video-graphic manipulation solutions. VITEC Multimedia, a French based IT company has introduced an award winning hardware/software technology that promises to make an impact.

Video-graphic manipulation has come a long way. With the potential to make close-to-Hollywood type video, special effects and animation with software packages already on the market, the only drawback seems to be the processing power of PC graphic cards. The race for faster and better video digitisers is a world of constant and expensive upgrades. A newly devised, dedicated hardware aims to provide a better solution.

VITEC Multimedia aims to put the breaks on such expenditure trends, relieving the user of the need to constantly upgrade their video hardware and software installations. They've introduced the **ASIC**/VLSI MPEG-2 codec chipset embedded in a PCI board interface, fully capable of real-time video capture, compression, decompression and resolution. The card is a stand-alone hardware solution that comes ready made with its own drivers, software package and an open architecture for future upgrades that makes it a strong competitor for PC video editing.

With full picture algorithm and motion estimation support, the chipset allows for the suitable integration of this technology into other video based services such as certain medical, industrial, educational and video surveillance arenas. Whilst the chipset operates at only Half D1 MPEG-2 format, it uses its own co-processor along with the processor of the PC, thus ensuring unprecedented processing power and ease.



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It is however, their open architecture that is the core innovative feature, doing away with the need for a continuous process of expensive hardware upgrades. VITEC's solution offers a truly unique compatibility-upgrade potential. As it is a hybrid encoding/decoding solution, it is cost effective as it can be continually evolved to faster, better processors and never be outdated by upgraded hardware designs. Hence it is fully compatible with fast computers and even advanced MPEG-4, multi-video channel encoding.

The technology is currently under production and sale, available for distribution world wide.

Country: France

Information Source: Result from the EU funded ESPRIT 4 programme

Collaboration Sought: Further research and development support; Joint venture agreement; Licence agreement; Financial support

Date: 2002-02-11

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Improving international partner search

- ***A free 2-way communication channel***
- ***An easy consultation of potential co-players***
- ***Details of thousands of partnership requests from companies, research centers, universities in Europe and the world***
- ***A selection of potential partners in Newly associated States***



The screenshot shows the 'PARTNERS service' interface. At the top, there is a navigation menu with items: 'European Commission research', 'Databases and Web Services', 'Interactive Services', 'Guidance & Background Information', 'Innovation in Practice', and 'Research & Development Gateway'. The 'PARTNERS service' logo is prominently displayed, featuring a star and two figures. Below the logo is a dropdown menu labeled 'Candidate Countries'. The main heading is 'Candidate countries partners search'. There are three main sections:

- Search for research organisations from candidate countries**

Here you can [search](#) for all entries from the 11 candidate countries (10 Central and Eastern European + Cyprus) who are interested to participate in the Fifth framework programme (FP5).
- Participants from the Fourth Framework Programme**

Potential participants seeking partners from the candidate countries may wish to find out who in these countries already has experience with participation in EU RTD programmes. [Click here](#) to view the lists of organisations from the candidate countries which have already taken part in research contracts under the 4th Framework Programme.
- Fourth Framework Programme Project information**

Should you require more information on the projects these candidate countries participated in, please [click here](#) to start a search in the projects service. You can search by organisation or country, and use the "free text box" to describe the topic you are interested in.

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Section 1: Contact Person Details

Before Filling out the Form:

1. Read the [Entry Form Instructions](#) carefully.
2. Use an UP-TO-DATE browser preferably PC based (Netscape 3.04 or Internet Explorer 4.0 or higher).
3. Use the ISO 8859/1 Character set but avoid using the characters ÿ < > / & which could be misinterpreted.
4. In fields (boxes) where you enter your own text make sure you use the %L to go to a new line as explained in the instructions. Leave a space at the end of each line.
5. For multiple selections in list boxes use the Control key on your keyboard.
6. Avoid navigating with the [BACK] and [FORWARD] buttons of the browser when completing each section. Rather complete one section at a time, in sequence, and confirm each section when complete. Only then may you submit your data by pressing the SUBMIT button in the left-hand frame. All sections need to be completed paying particular attention to mandatory (required) fields.

NOTE: If you are already a registered CORDIS user, your contact details are automatically inserted for you in this section. However, you may modify and correct this form or add additional information as necessary.

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1.2 Family Name: *(required)*

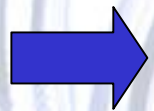
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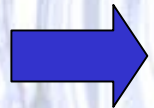
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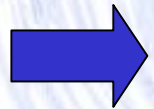
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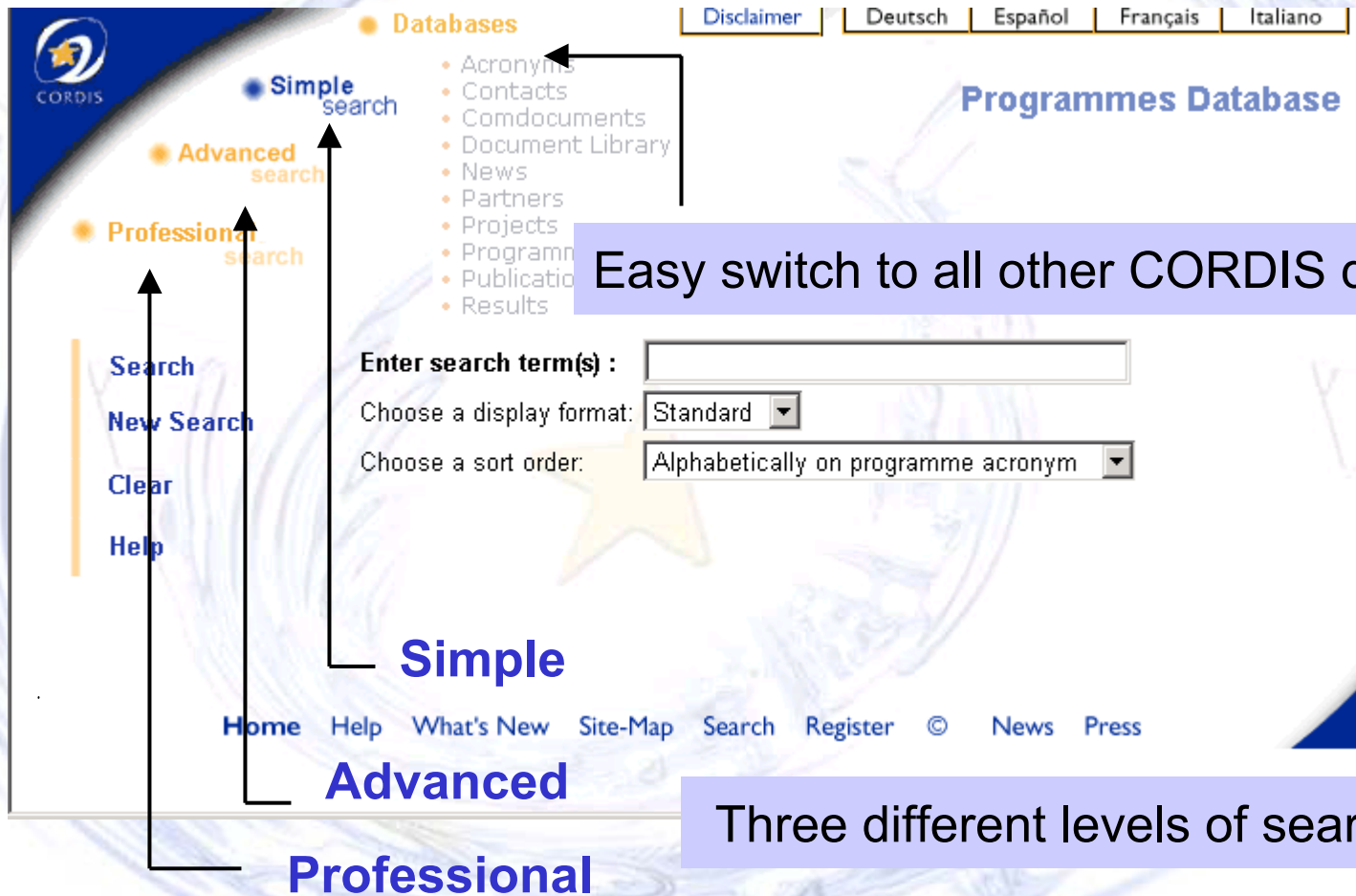
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Fully searchable database services



The screenshot shows the CORDIS search interface. At the top right, there are language selection buttons: [Disclaimer](#), [Deutsch](#), [Español](#), [Français](#), and [Italiano](#). Below these is the **Programmes Database** header. A central menu lists various database categories: **Databases** (with a sub-menu arrow pointing to a list: Acronyms, Contacts, Comdocuments, Document Library, News, Partners, Projects, Programm, Publicatio, Results), **Simple search**, **Advanced search**, and **Professional search**. On the left, a vertical navigation bar contains **Search**, **New Search**, **Clear**, and **Help**. Below the search options, there are three large blue text labels: **Simple**, **Advanced**, and **Professional**, with arrows pointing to their respective search options. A search form includes a text input for "Enter search term(s)", a dropdown for "Choose a display format:" (set to "Standard"), and another dropdown for "Choose a sort order:" (set to "Alphabetically on programme acronym"). At the bottom, a navigation bar contains [Home](#), [Help](#), [What's New](#), [Site-Map](#), [Search](#), [Register](#), [©](#), [News](#), and [Press](#).

Easy switch to all other CORDIS databases

Three different levels of search



Geographical Search

- *A simple way to identify projects, results and partners*
- *A possibility to select information at local and regional levels*



The screenshot shows the 'Map Based Search' interface. On the left is a navigation menu with 'Site Map' at the top, the CORDIS logo, language options (Deutsch, Español, Français, Italiano), a 'Database' section with buttons for News, Acronyms, Comdocuments, Contacts, Doc.Library, Partners, Programmes, Projects, Publications, and Results. The main area features a map of Europe with a 'Choose a Country' button above it and a navigation box with 'Home', 'Site Map', 'What's New', 'Feedback', and 'HELP' buttons.

ACCURATE SEARCHING SAVES TIME

Manage the quantity of information by restricting the geographic area of your search.

1. Select regions or localities from any number of countries.
2. Choose database(s).
3. Click Search to view initial search list.
4. If needed, go back and refine the search.

If in doubt, use the HELP button.

Please remember CORDIS also offers :

- The CORDIS [Help Desk](#).

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E-mail alert service

Easy system to keep abreast of the latest information with customised search profiles:

- *New partner profiles*
- *Latest research results and projects*
- *Specific news*
- *Calls for tenders and proposals*

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1. RAPIDUS QuickPick: Simply click on the types of information updates listed below that you would like to receive regularly by e-mail.

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Select the type(s) of information updates listed below e.g. Calls for Proposals, by ticking the corresponding check box i.e. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Select one or more items from the corresponding list box(es). For multiple selections, keep the "control" (Ctrl) key on your keyboard pressed while selecting.	
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3 : SUBMIT your profile(s)

Access to local assistance

- **Information on the Research infrastructures, policies and activities from a local perspective**
- **Support for adopting technology and finding partners**
- **Links to other assistance helpdesk and national contact points**




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Poland
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Romania
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Switzerland
United Kingdom

Azores
Canarias

Please choose a country

Find your Local Contact - Explanation

The IRC Network is organised into 68 IRCs and 220 regional offices which are supported by business services.



For further information, find out which is your nearest contact - Click on the country then on the region where your company is based to locate your nearest IRC offices. Please feel free to contact your local IRC at the addresses below for further information and advice either by email or by phone.

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Access to local Business incubators

- **Direct access and links to Science Parks and Innovation Centers in Europe**
- **Searchable contacts in Europe by country and sector of activity**
- **More than 800 addresses to assist local business**

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CORDIS  *Helping Innovators: Business Incubators* 

Business Incubators

In Europe, more than 800 Business incubators provide entrepreneurs and investors in newly created firms with a supportive environment to help establish and develop their business. The majority of business incubators are publicly funded and focus on regional development and job creation objectives.


By providing entrepreneurs and small firms with managerial support and services on a 'one-stop' basis as well as enabling them to reduce their overhead costs by sharing facilities, business incubators significantly improve the survival and growth prospects of new start-ups.

CORDIS offers you an easy way to identify the nearest business incubators and contact persons via a simple search feature. Available records cover members of Science Parks and Business and Innovation Centers (BICs) networks.

If you would like to be included in this database please fill in the form.
For additional information, click [here](#) or send an email to incubators@cordis.lu.

Enter search term(s):

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All Countries
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MAP BASED SEARCH 

Search by name:

Select by business sectors:
ACOUSTICS
AERONAUTICS

Search by organisation:

Choose a sort order:
Alphabetically by Organisation

* Keep the control key pressed to make more than one selection

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Agriculture Council adopts European Food Safety Authority

[Date: 22.01.02]
On 21 January the EU Agriculture Council agreed legislation putting in place a new Europe-wide food safety system, the European Food Safety Authority (EFSA). Ministers also adopted a new regulatory framework for EU food law.

The adoption of the regulation marks a record-time agreement by the Council and the Parliament on overhauling Europe's current food safety provisions and the way scientific advice feeds into policy-making.
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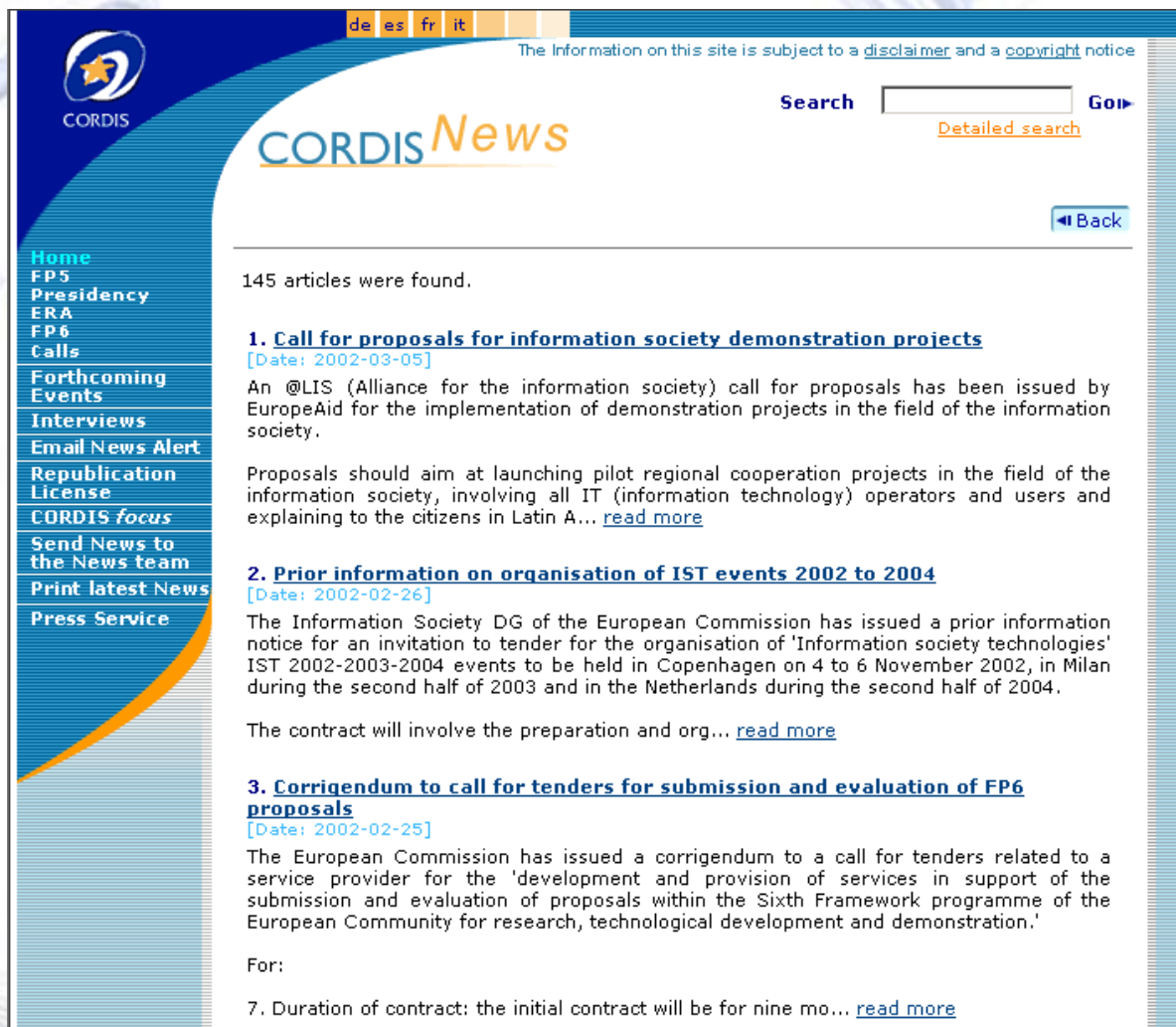
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Marine research project to reveal secrets of the deep
 [Date: 2001-09-12]
 Scientists involved in an EU-funded marine research project are to present the results of the first experiments conducted from the new GEOSTAR underwater observation unit. The project was backed up by a recent statement from Research Commissioner Philippe Busquin on the importance of technology in ocean exploration, particularly in the surveillance of fragile deep sea environments. The Grande Pr... [read more](#)

Hubble reveals previously unseen supersonic shocks
 [Date: 2001-09-12]
 A team of Spanish and US astronomers using the NASA/European Space Agency (ESA) Hubble Space Telescope have for the first time observed complex gas structures in planetary nebula predicted by astronomical theory. Planetary nebula, or gas clouds, arise when dying stars expel gaseous material in opposing directions at great speed. This happens when the inside of the star shrinks and heats up, blowi... [read more](#)

Europe and USA move further apart on research priorities?
 [Date: 2001-09-12]
 There has already been a backlash from the US administration on the adoption of a European Commission proposal on the labelling of GMOs (genetically modified organisms). The proposal, which calls for the labelling of GMOs from farm to fork, has received a hostile reception from the Bush administration, which has openly said that it will try to scupper the proposal before it is ratified by the Euro... [read more](#)

Latest Calls for proposals



The screenshot shows the CORDIS News website interface. At the top, there are language selection buttons for 'de', 'es', 'fr', and 'it'. A search bar is located on the right with a 'Go!' button and a link to 'Detailed search'. A 'Back' button is also present. The main content area displays '145 articles were found.' and lists three articles:

- 1. Call for proposals for information society demonstration projects**
[Date: 2002-03-05]
An @LIS (Alliance for the information society) call for proposals has been issued by EuropeAid for the implementation of demonstration projects in the field of the information society.
Proposals should aim at launching pilot regional cooperation projects in the field of the information society, involving all IT (information technology) operators and users and explaining to the citizens in Latin A... [read more](#)
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[Date: 2002-02-26]
The Information Society DG of the European Commission has issued a prior information notice for an invitation to tender for the organisation of 'Information society technologies' IST 2002-2003-2004 events to be held in Copenhagen on 4 to 6 November 2002, in Milan during the second half of 2003 and in the Netherlands during the second half of 2004.
The contract will involve the preparation and org... [read more](#)
- 3. Corrigendum to call for tenders for submission and evaluation of FP6 proposals**
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The European Commission has issued a corrigendum to a call for tenders related to a service provider for the 'development and provision of services in support of the submission and evaluation of proposals within the Sixth Framework programme of the European Community for research, technological development and demonstration.'
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7. Duration of contract: the initial contract will be for nine mo... [read more](#)

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