

Expertise and networks for innovations

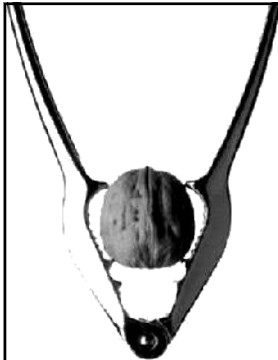
- Tekes's services
 - Funding for innovative R&D and business
 - Networking Finnish and global companies and researchers
 - Tekes is non-profit and takes no equity or ownership on intellectual property.
- Customers
 - Finnish and international companies located in Finland
 - Universities, research institutes, hospitals etc.
- Resources
 - Budget: 600 million euros annually
 - Personnel: 360 in Finland and abroad
 - Public agency under the Ministry of Employment and the Economy



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Tekes aims to

- build a strong networked knowledge base
- renew the economy and create new businesses
- increase productivity in industries and service sector
- enhance wellbeing in society and improve environmental sustainability



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How do we work?

- Tekes encourages companies to do challenging R&D
 - Funding for the creation of new know-how and development of products, processes and service or business concepts
 - We accept more risks than private financiers
- Tekes facilitates collaboration and networking
 - between small and large businesses
 - industry and the academia
 - public and private organisations
 - globally – nationally – regionally



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Boat Program

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Results

- Program results are mainly the results from the projects in private companies and universities
- More than 60 projects
- Total volume 20 milj. €, Tekes volume 10 milj €
- MORE PROJECTS NEEDED FROM COMPANIES

