

Welcome

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Thursday, 15th May 2025

IP & Patents series: Litigation

WEBINAR

DESCRIPTION

Sometimes disputes are unavoidable. Whether it is your patents or a third-party's, it may be that you are destined to go to court to settle the matter.

If this is the case, it can be an expensive and stressful experience. In this class, we will provide guidance and tips for litigation in court. You will be far more ready for litigation after having attended this class.

OBJECTIVES

To provide an overview of this topic.

TRAINER

D Young & Co LLP

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10 Jan 2025 (CET) | 10:00 to 11:30

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→ IP AND PATENTS LECTURE SERIES

E-LEARNING

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10 Jan 2023 - 11:26 (CET)

DESCRIPTION

This e-learning course contains the recordings and materials of the "IP and patents lecture series" that took place in November and December 2022.

Intellectual property and patents are strategic tools to be taken into consideration in business decision-making and strategy. In this nine-part series, specialists from the world of patents and IP introduce important concepts and delve into issues such as patents, trade secrets and due diligence.

The following topics are covered in each individual session:

1. **How to read, understand and interpret a patent**, presented by D Young & Co LLP
2. **Relevant aspects of non-personal data**, presented by PONS IP
3. **Interpreting patent claims**, presented by D Young & Co LLP
4. **Typical patent paths – Roadmap of routes to obtain a patent**, presented by D Young & Co LLP
5. **Trade secrets: the concept and how to manage them**, presented by PONS IP
6. **What is prior art and how can it be used**, presented by D Young & Co LLP
7. **Technology transfer agreements**, presented by The Lighthouse Team
8. **Due diligence and investment – The influence of patents on investor decisions**, presented by D Young & Co LLP

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IP Lecture 1 - How to read, understand and interpret

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IP Lecture 2 - Relevant aspects of non-personal data

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IP Lecture 3 - Interpreting patent claims

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Who we are

- The SME Office is part of the ESA's **Directorate of Commercialisation, Industry and Competitiveness (CIC)**

What we do

- The Office implements and manages the **SME Policy** adopted by Member States, and coordinates its activities with other institutional actors, such as the national space agencies

What are our objectives

- To **facilitate the involvement of SMEs**, including start-ups and newcomers, in the research and development activities of the Agency
- To **address problems that are traditionally faced by SMEs** (sustainability, viability, access to in-flight heritage, proper and timely information, etc)



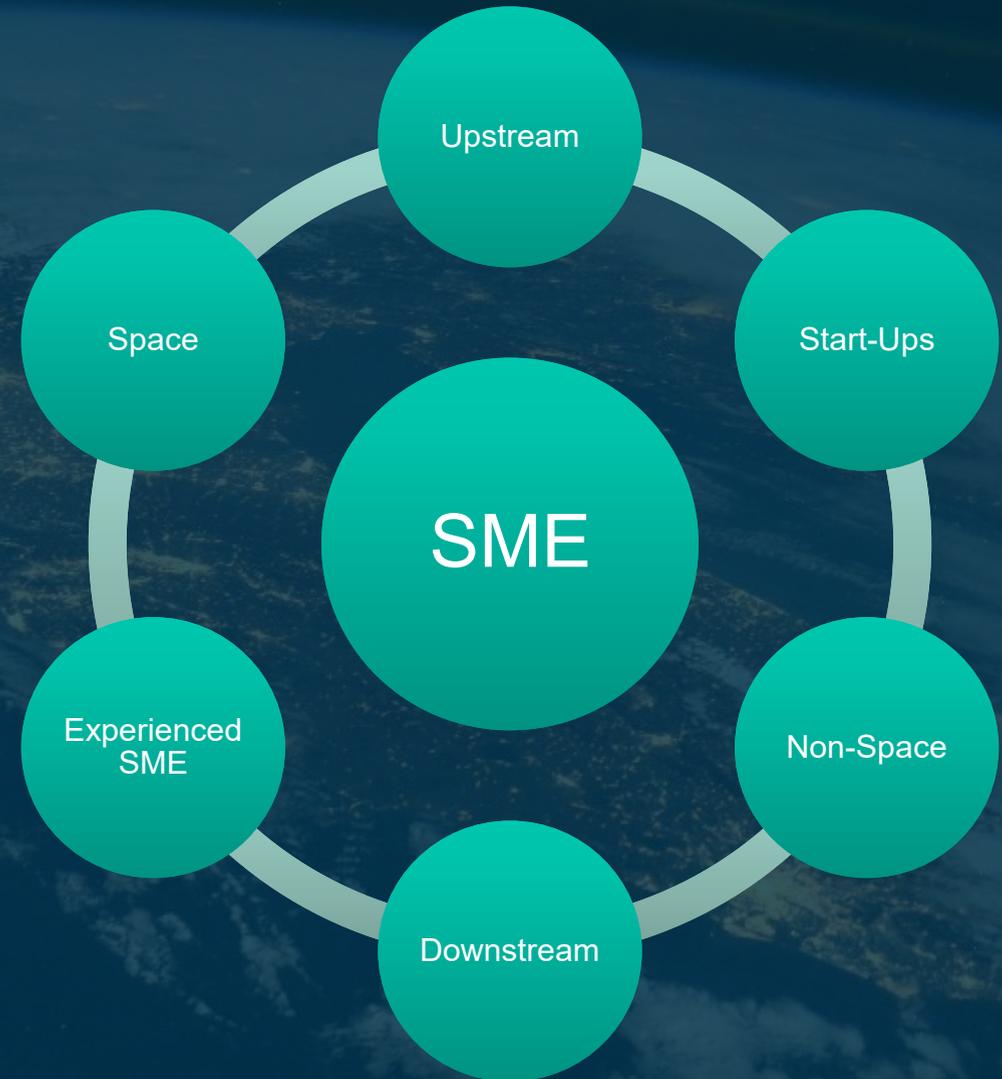
2.500 SMEs registered with ESA
April 2024



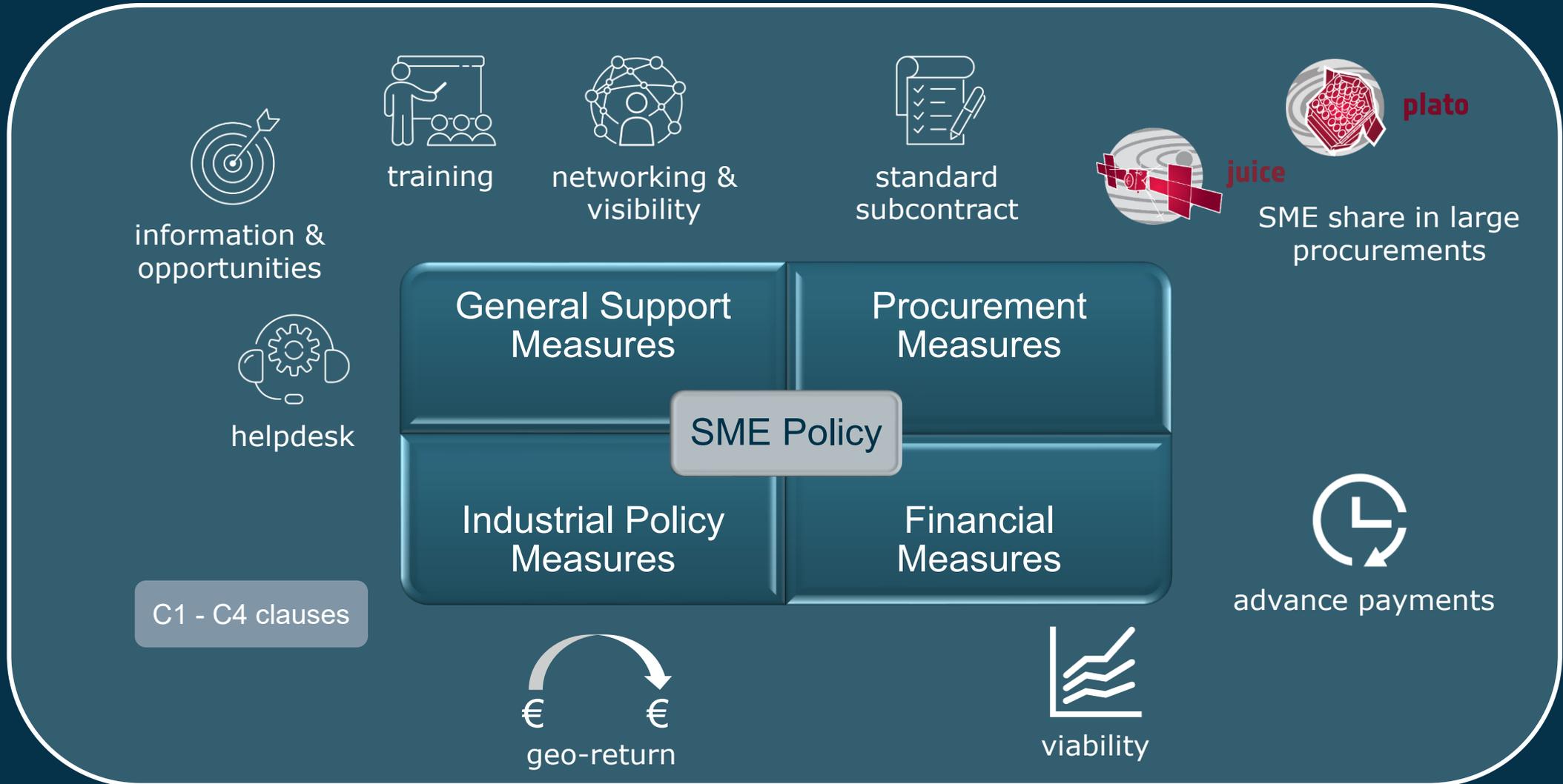
1.500 SMEs contracted
period 2020-2024



11% commitments to SMEs



The SME policy



General Support Measures

- Industry consultation processes and events such as the ESA SME Forum.
- Events in Member States, Associate States and Cooperating States.
- The ESA Industry Space Days.



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- To support companies in their **networking** and **visibility** efforts by helping them showcase their products, services and experience.
- To **facilitate partnering**, teaming and cooperation between companies, especially SMEs, and key partners and customers.
- To **bring together** (potentially unknown) **products** or **services** and (latent) **needs**.
- To help entities to **become involved in ESA programmes** and develop their space business.

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