



# KT and IP

## Intellectual Property support for SMEs

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# What we do? (policy)

- *Intellectual property policy/strategy*

- **1 out of 4 pillars: Smart use of IP**

Improve information and awareness, especially of a strategic approach

Facilitate the use of IP in a financing context

Improve the way IP supports cooperation and sharing

*"Smart IP for a competitive Europe" conclusions:*

[https://ec.europa.eu/growth/content/innovative-collaborative-regional-smart-intellectual-property-competitive-europe\\_en](https://ec.europa.eu/growth/content/innovative-collaborative-regional-smart-intellectual-property-competitive-europe_en)

# What do we do? (projects)

- *IP Helpdesks (EU, China, South-East Asia and Latin America) (ongoing)*
- *IP pre-diagnosis services and patent co-funding*
  - **For seal of excellence SMEs (ongoing)**
- *IP pre-diagnosis services (for cooperation)*
  - **For Horizon participants and EEN clients (from early 2021)**

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