

# The Joint Research Centre

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# Science for policy

## Our purpose

The Joint Research Centre provides independent, evidence-based knowledge and science, supporting EU policies to positively impact society.

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# The Joint Research Centre

**The JRC Board of Governors (39)** assists and advises the DG and the Commission on strategic role of the JRC and its scientific, technical and financial management.

**Nominated by the Commission** upon designation of the country's authorities. The Board consists of:

**Members** - high-level representatives from the EU Member States. Mr. **Nikolaos Michalopoulos** Research Director at the Institute for Environmental Research and Sustainable Development (IERSD) of the National Observatory of Athens (NOA) is the representative from Greece

**Participants** – representatives from countries associated to the Framework Programme

**JRC A.3 - Secretariat**

- **Dir A: Strategy and Impact (Brussels)**
- **Dir B: Fair and Sustainable Economy (Seville)**
- **Dir C: Energy, Mobility and Climate (Petten)**
- **Dir D: Sustainable Resources (Ispra)**
- **Dir E: Space, Security and Migration (Ispra)**
- **Dir F: Health and Food (Geel)**
- **Dir G: Nuclear Safety and Security (Karlsruhe)**
- **Dir J: Nuclear decommissioning and waste management (Ispra)**
- **Dir S: Innovation in Science and policymaking (Brussels)**
- **Dir T: Digital transformation and Data (Ispra)**
- **Dir R: Support Services (Brussels)**



# JRC sites

Headquarters in **Brussels**  
and research facilities located  
in **5 EU Countries:**

- Belgium (Geel)
- Germany (Karlsruhe)
- Italy (Ispra)
- The Netherlands (Petten)
- Spain (Seville)



# Scientific excellence

International Institute for Applied Systems Analysis – AUSTRIA

Joint Research Centre – EUROPEAN UNION

University of Cambridge – UNITED KINGDOM

Max Planck Society – GERMANY

University of Oxford – UNITED KINGDOM

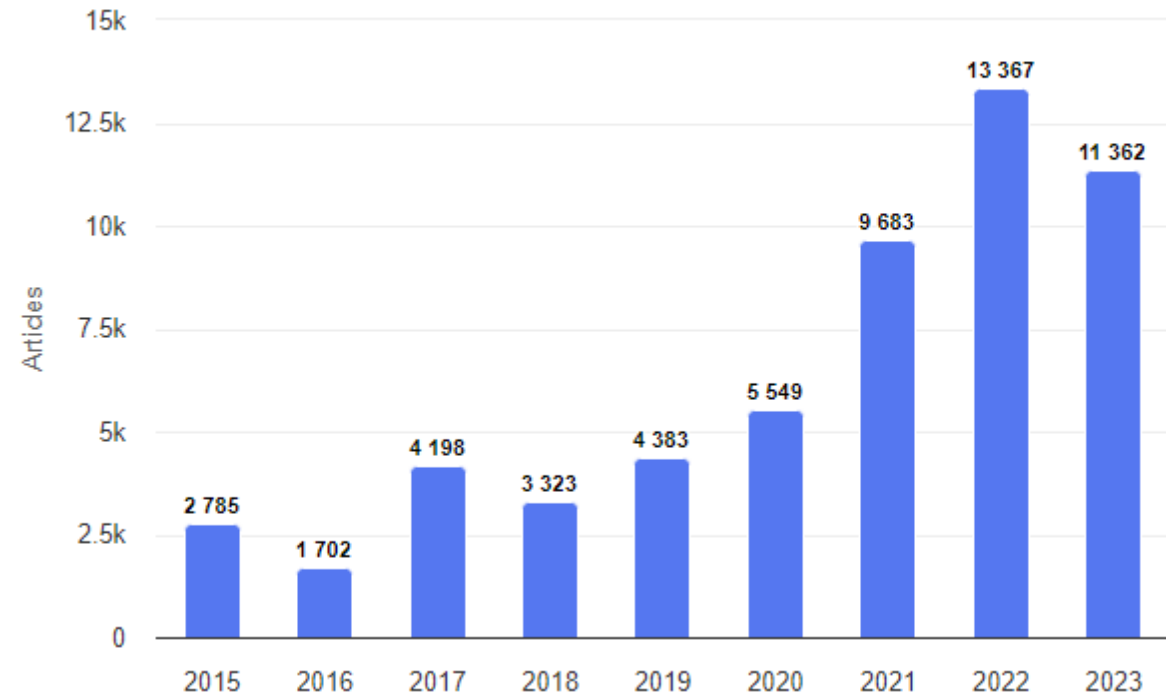
National Institute of Standards and Technology – UNITED STATES

Chinese Academy of Sciences – CHINA

National Centre for Scientific Research – FRANCE

One in four JRC articles ranks in the top 10% most cited worldwide.

Number of press articles mentioning JRC work by year



- ✓ **3.7%** of the JRC's scientific publications released between 2018 and 2022 belong to the globally most cited **top 1%** of all peer-reviewed publications. For the same period, **24.5%** of JRC publications are in the global **top 10%**.
- ✓ We are close to **100% open access**.

# Our core strengths



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INTEGRATION

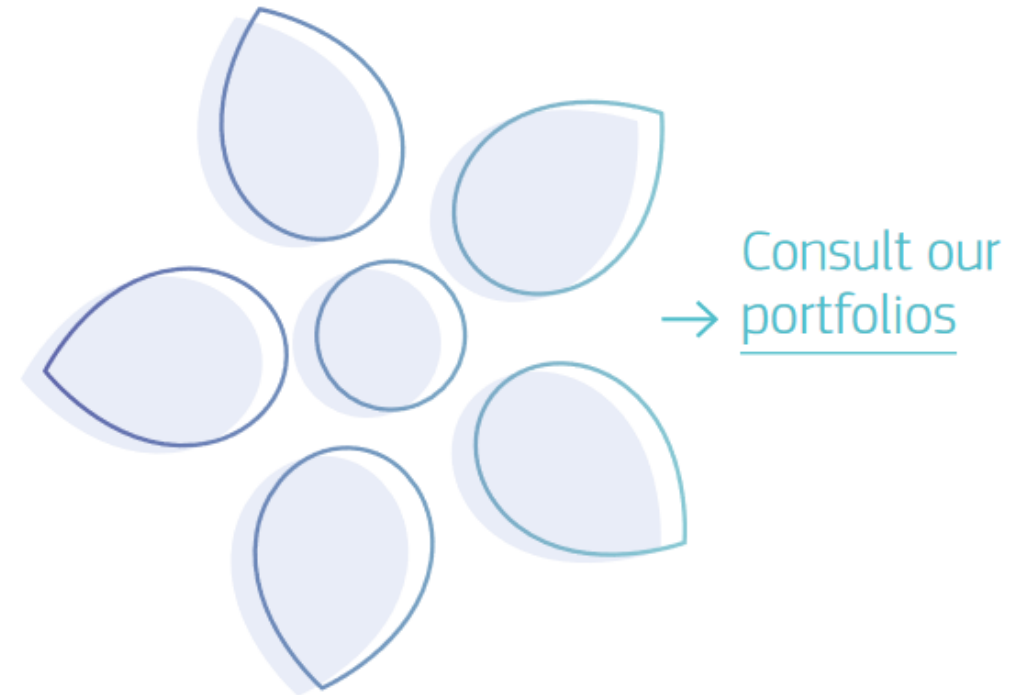


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# Portfolios to improve collaboration

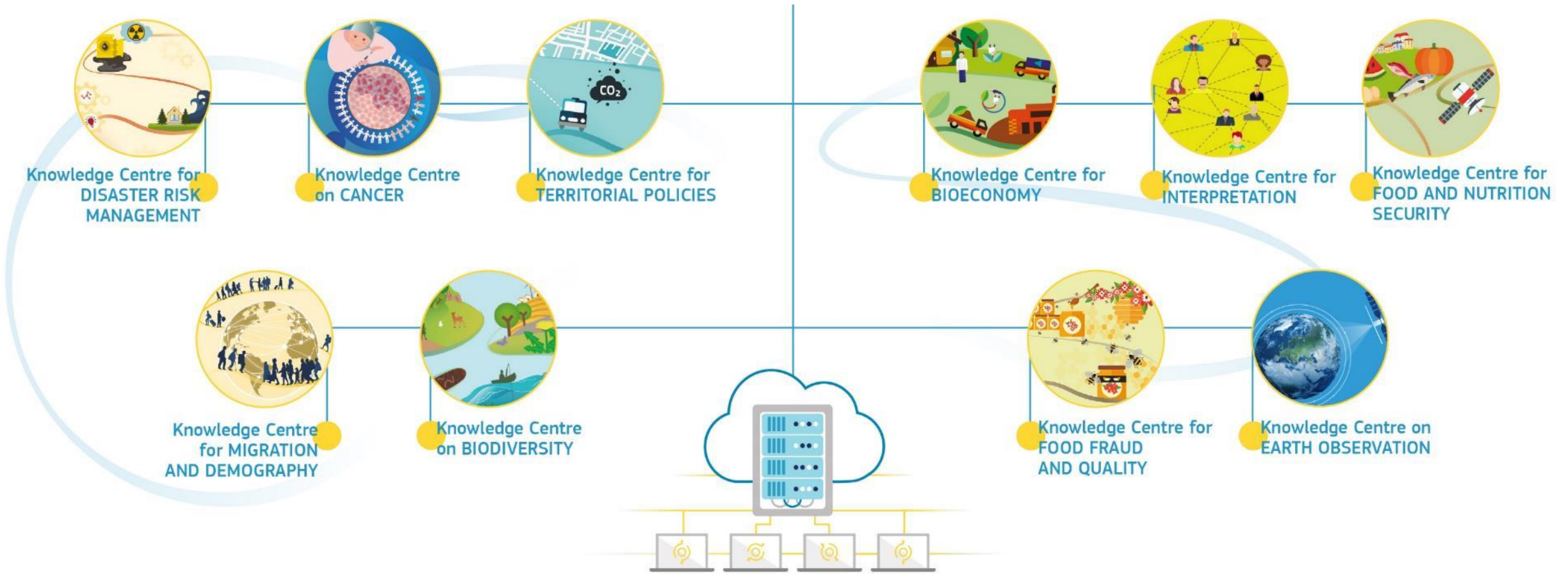
A **cross-disciplinary approach** that will:

- create new insights, knowledge and methods
- ensure better integration across scientific and policy domains
- maximise our capacity to anticipate new challenges
- support the resulting policy development and track its impacts

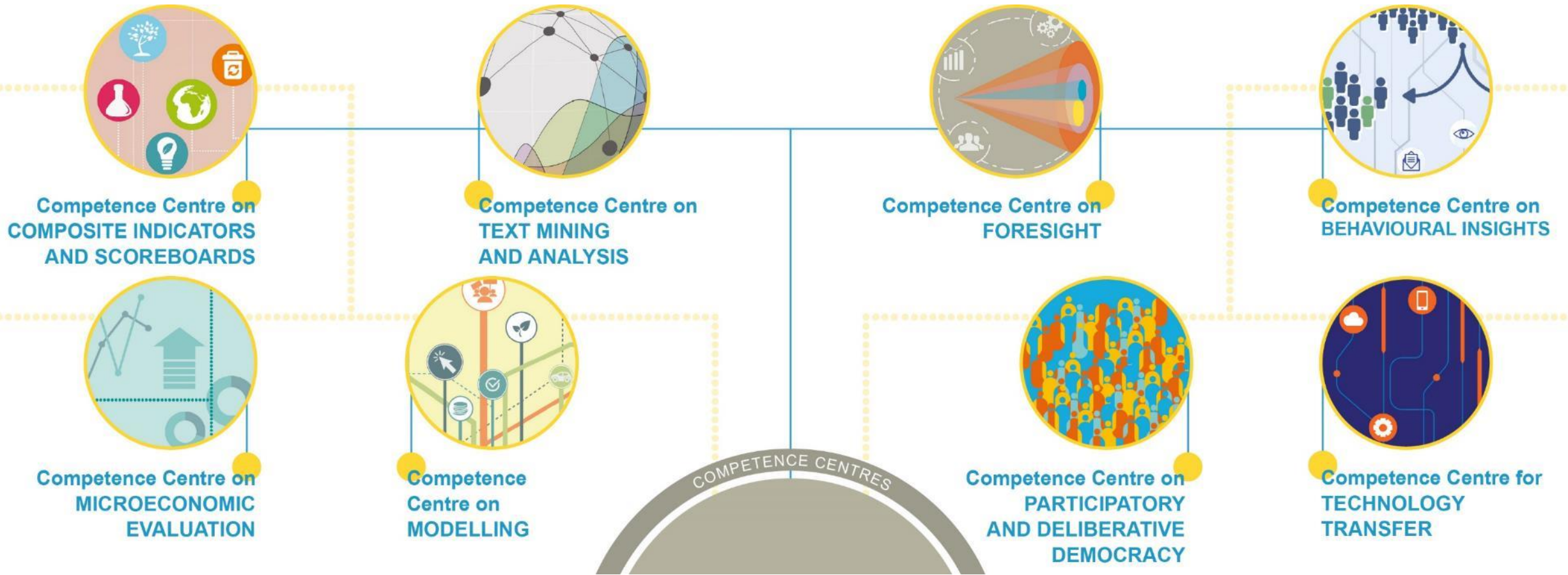




# Knowledge Centres



# Competence Centres





A dynamic, open and networked JRC

Let's team up!

1000+ partners: Universities, public research organisations, member state authorities, international organisations, industry, etc.

Open access policy, publications and data

Provide access for external researchers to JRC research infrastructures

80% of JRC publications co-authored with ERA colleagues

30% of JRC publications co-authored with beyond ERA colleagues



# JRC Newsletters

## Joint Research Centre (JRC) - Newsletter

The Joint Research Centre provides independent, evidence-based knowledge and science, supporting EU policies to positively impact society

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Latest updates

### INCITE platform out for submission of clean technologies

First-of-its-kind information hub brings together EU industrial stakeholders to foster innovative technologies.



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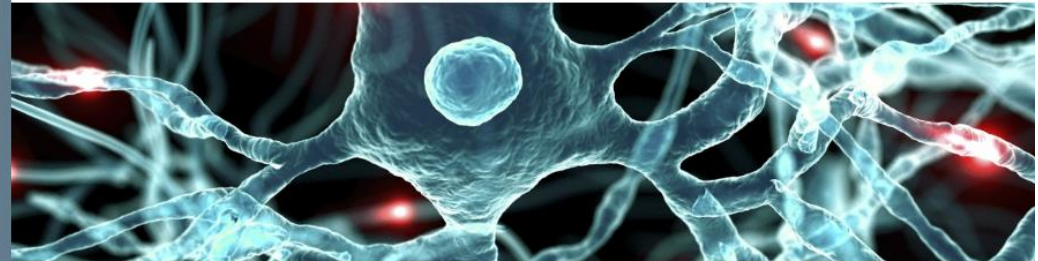
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Η Ελλάδα και η υπηρεσία επιστήμης και γνώσης της Ευρωπαϊκής Επιτροπής



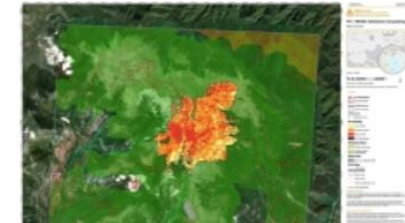
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Νέα

### Οριοθέτηση των δασικών πυρκαγιών στην Ανατολική Μακεδονία και Θράκη

Η Γενική Γραμματεία Πολιτικής Προστασίας της Ελλάδας ενεργοποίησε το σύστημα διαχείρισης καταστάσεων έκτακτης ανάγκης Copernicus (CEMS) για την αντιμετώπιση της δασικής πυρκαγιάς που ξέσπασε στο όρος Φαλακρό, στην Ανατολική



# Thank you!

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