



# FACTS & FIGURES

2025 ANNUAL REPORT



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# GREAT AMBITIONS

Minalogic is the digital transformation cluster for France's Auvergne-Rhône-Alpes region, serving the strategic challenges of reindustrialization, national sovereignty, and sustainable development.

As part of phase 5 of the French innovation cluster strategy, launched in early 2023, Minalogic aims to use deeptech's enabling technologies towards a resilient, eco-friendly, and humane reindustrialization of the French territory.

These objectives are directly aligned with those of France 2030 and the Auvergne-Rhône-Alpes Region's innovation strategy. Both plans are key to Minalogic's own direction.

## The phase 5 focuses on three strategic axes

- › **Digitalization:** to ensure training and transfer on disruptive technologies in order to increase the competitiveness and digital safety of our local economy.
- › **Technological and industrial sovereignty:** to confirm Minalogic's central role in the control of electronic components and of sovereign and safe technologies, both essential to the future of industrial activities.
- › **Decarbonization:** to make digitalization the driving force of a smarter, better performing, greener and more responsible industry.

## The cluster's DNA

- › **A responsive and trusted team:** experts with complementary skill sets and a strong ability to tackle challenges.
- › **A committed and strategic board of directors,** serving as a driving force and cornerstone, whose diverse members promote balanced decision-making.
- › **An ecosystem that is highly representative of the value chain across its sectors,** a unique network of members that brings together a wide range of stakeholders from the business, academic, and institutional worlds.
- › **Initiatives designed to promote its members,** driven by the efforts of the Auvergne-Rhône-Alpes local territories to support economic development.

## The governance

Minalogic would like to thank the members of its governing body, elected in March 2024 for a two-year term, for their dedication and contribution to the cluster's strategy.

Serge Veyres, President, **STMicroelectronics**

### Midcaps & Large corporations

Marc Evangelista, Vice-President Midcaps and Large corporations // Local representative for Clermont-Ferrand, **Michelin**

Tifenn Decorps, Local representative for Annecy, **Pfeiffer Vacuum**

Claire Daniel, **Schneider Electric**

Eric Dominguez, **Soitec**

### Research, education and training entities

Frédéric Desprez, Vice-President Research, Higher Education, Innovation Transfer, **Inria Grenoble-Alpes University**

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Christophe Garcia, **INSA Lyon**

Ahmed Lbath, **Grenoble-Alpes University**

Hamid Benaabella, **Saint-Etienne University**

### SMEs

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Serge Maginot, Vice-President Finance, **Tiempo**

Daniel Saias, **Asygn**

Brice Cruchon, Local representative for Valence, **Dracula Technologies**

Corinne Rebouah, **Inceptive**

Nicolas Compère, Local representative for Saint-Etienne, **Manutech USD**

Sacha Stojanovic, **Meanwhile**

Hervé de Malliard, Local representative for Lyon, **MGA Technologies**

Lucas Nacsas, **Neovision**

### Local government & Economy and innovation development agencies

Sophie Blachère, **Auvergne-Rhône-Alpes Region**

# KEY ACTIONS



## Ecosystem animation

- › 2<sup>nd</sup> edition of the **Minalogic Roadshows** to celebrate **the cluster's 20<sup>th</sup> anniversary** in Grenoble, Annecy, Saint-Etienne, Voiron, Valence, Lyon and Crolles: seven events designed to highlight the cluster's tangible impact within its local areas, through member testimonials
- › **Renewed support** from the region's **local governments**
- › Development of a new collaboration with the Communauté d'Agglomération of Pays de Gex, **Pays de Gex aggro**
- › New **partnership with Grenoble Angels**

## Innovation funding

- › Reestablishment of the Minalogic Expert Committee to strengthen the cluster's support for its members' innovation projects
- › A successful 2<sup>nd</sup> edition of the annual Invest Meetings, event dedicated to private funding, with 120 participants, including 45 investors and 200 pre-scheduled meetings

## Our services

- › **Restructuring of the cluster's service offer** to better highlight how it addresses its members' needs
- › **Launch of a Decarbonization program**, developed to help digital companies reduce their carbon footprint and integrate a sustainable CSR strategy.

## Europe

- › Continued involvement of the cluster in the **Silicon Europe Alliance**
- › **Launch of ASTEERICS, the French microelectronics competence center**, funded by the European Union within the Chips JU framework and supported by the French State under France 2030, operated by Caisse des Dépôts.
- › **Partner in six European projects**, including two as a pilot: ASTEERICS and MinaSmart

## Field-based communities

- › Publication of the **White Paper "Artificial Intelligence and the energy challenge: issues and solutions"**
- › Launch of a new digital-focused field: robotics
- › Formulation of **action plans for each of the cluster's thematic fields**

## Cluster life

- › **Erasmia Dupenloup**, CEO of Minalogic since 2022 and member of the cluster's team since 2012, retired in December 2025

# TANGIBLE RESULTS

**438**  
members

**1,048**  
R&D projects certified and financed since 2005...

...for a total R&D investment of  
**2.9 Md€**

including

**1.2 Md€**  
of government funding

**62**  
events in 2025

including

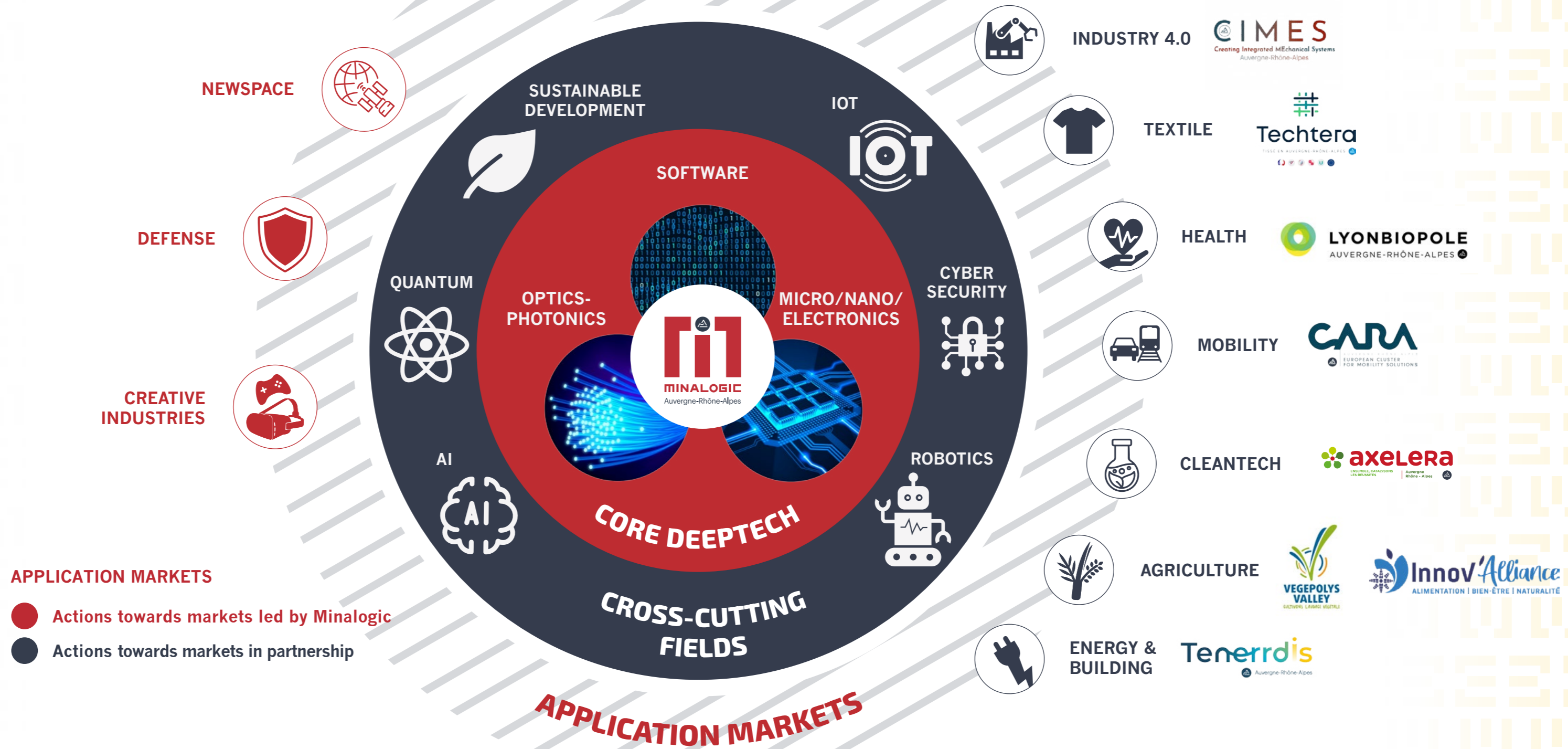
**48**  
organized in house

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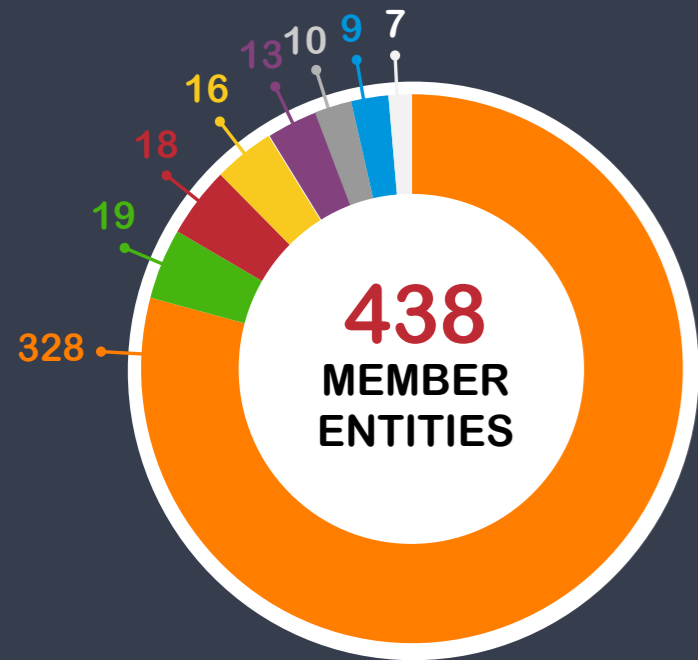
**2,088**  
participants

**16,300**  
B2B meetings since 2012

# STRATEGIC FIELDS

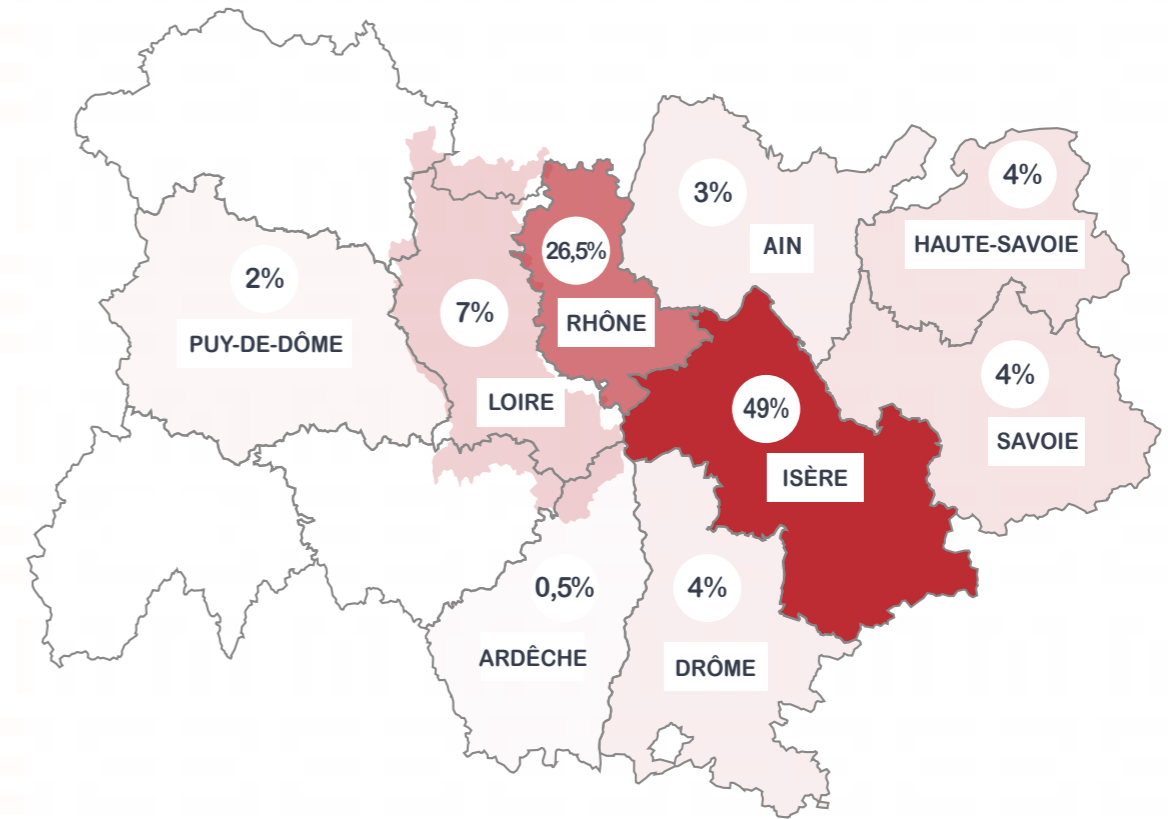


# OUR MEMBERS

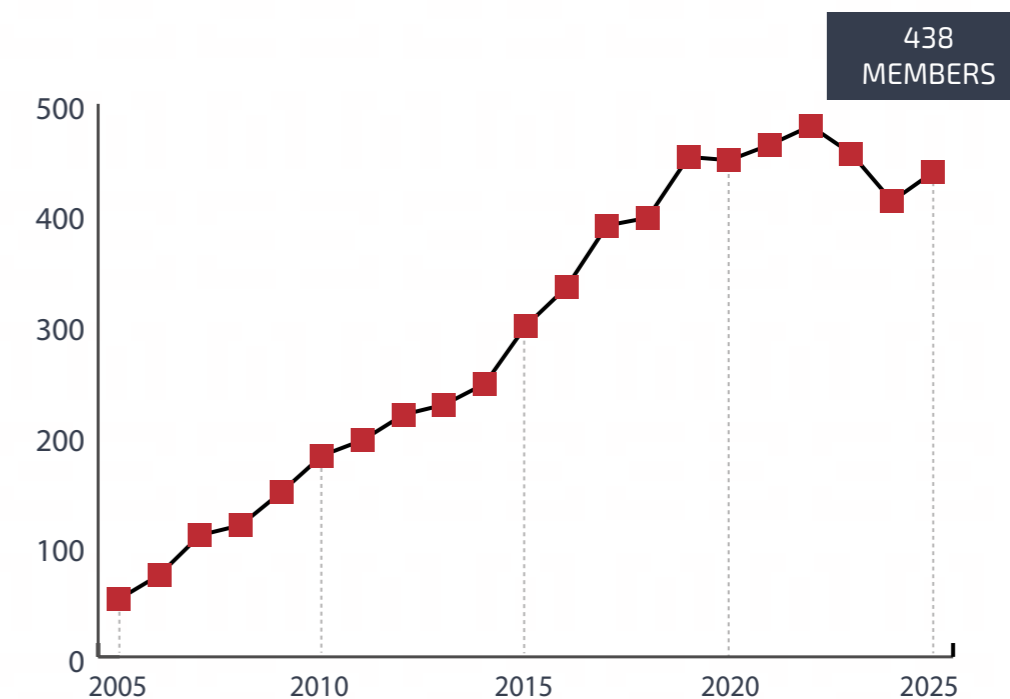


- SMEs
- Large corporations
- Economic and development agencies
- Local government
- Research, education and training entities
- Midcaps
- Banks and investors
- Others

**87% of our members are based in Auvergne-Rhône-Alpes (381)**



## Member count trend



# OUR MEMBERS

## Distribution of contacts by company category



**40%**  
Research, education and training entities

**26%**  
SMEs

**15%**  
Large corporations

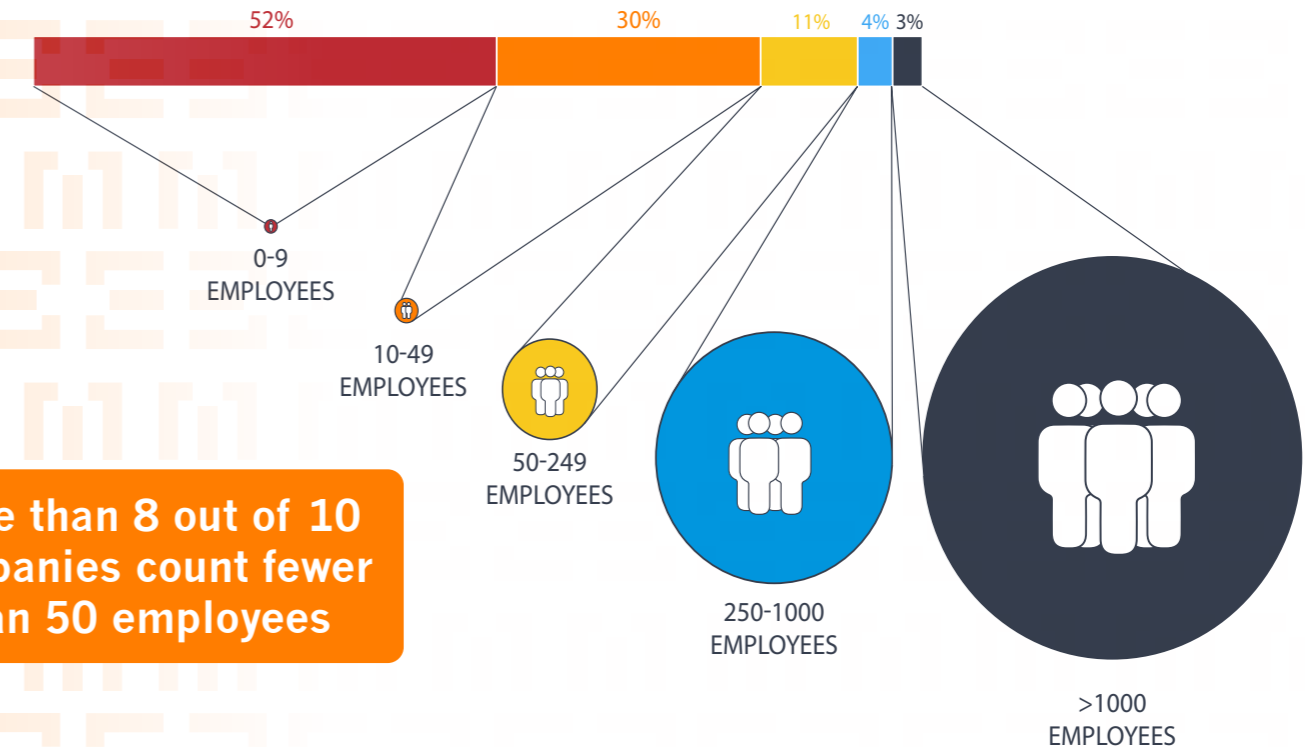
**6%**  
Midcaps

**5%**  
Local government

**5%**  
Economic development agencies

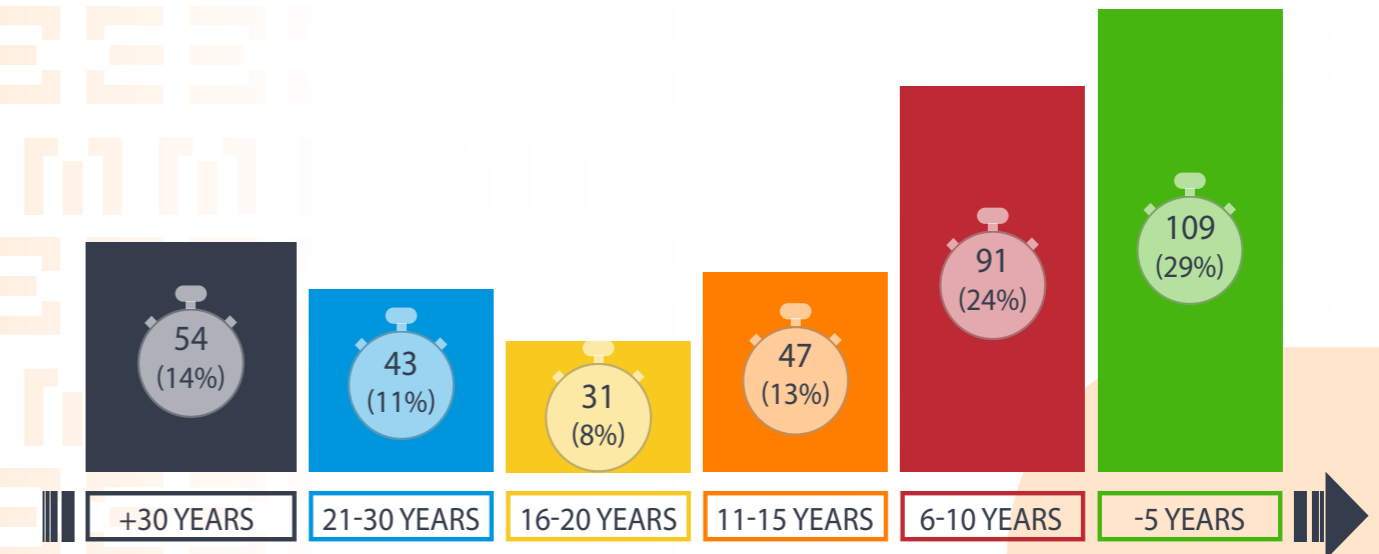
**3%**  
Banks and investors

## Distribution of companies by number of employees



More than 8 out of 10 companies count fewer than 50 employees

## Distribution of companies by creation date



Nearly 1 in 3 companies are under 5 years old

# ANIMATING a regional innovation network on an international level

## »»» Events



62  
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### Network

- › 7 roadshows in 7 cities
- › 12 Minalogic Connect events (breakfasts or afterworks)
- › 2 Minalogic LE CLUB, exclusive to midcaps and large corporations: "Sovereignty" and "The social responsibility of the company"
- › General Meeting

### Innovation

- › Minalogic Innovation Boost "Robotics"
- › Minalogic Innovation Boost "AI & decarbonization"
- › Minalogic Innovation Talks "Photonics for Quantum"
- › 8 Minalogic Innovation Shot webinars

### Private funding

- › **Minalogic Invest Meetings** : an annual event dedicated to private fund-raising, with 120 participants including 45 investors and 200 pre-scheduled meetings
- › 1 Funding Talks seminar
- › 1 Funding Shot webinar

### Open innovation

- › **Minalogic Business Meetings**: the 11th edition attracted 417 participants, from 361 companies and 12 countries, and generated 1,150 B2B meetings
- › **Minalogic Tech for Business HORIBA**: the event gathered 35 pre-selected companies for B2B meetings

# ANIMATING a regional innovation network on an international level

## Field-based community management

Supporting industry and academia in setting up innovation projects across all fields covered by the cluster.

### Microelectronics

- › Launch of ASTEERICS, the French microelectronics competence center, led by Minalogic
- › Minalogic Connect "Integrated circuit design" in Grenoble
- › The cluster's renewed commitment to the Silicon Europe Alliance as Vice-President
- › Continued involvement in the INFRACHIP project, which provides access to European R&D platforms

### Optics-Photonics

- › Minalogic Innovation Talks "Photonics for Quantum"
- › Minalogic Connect "Optics-Photonics" in Saint-Etienne
- › Exhibition opportunity at the Business France stand at the Laser World of Photonics trade fair in Munich

### Quantum

- › Minalogic Innovation Talks "Photonics for Quantum"

### Robotics

- › Minalogic Innovation Boost "Robotics" in Grenoble
- › Minalogic Connect "Robotics & Design" in Saint-Etienne
- › Minalogic Connect "Intelligent robotics" in Valence
- › Joint trade mission to the Automatica trade fair in Munich, in partnership with CIMES

### Cybersecurity

- › Continuation of the Cybersecurity programme as part of MinaSmart
- › 11 companies followed the Cybersecurity programme in 2025
- › Co-organiser for the Journées de la Cyber event

### Artificial Intelligence

- › Publication of the White Paper "Artificial Intelligence and the energy challenge: issues and solutions"
- › Launch of a call for expressions of interest for the development of an AI programme
- › Minalogic Innovation Boost "AI and Decarbonization"
- › AI perspectives: a series of 10 webinars in partnership with the MIAI cluster
- › Involvement in the ITICIA project, offering AI professional development courses tailored to the needs of regional industries

### Decarbonization

- › Launch of a Decarbonization program, developed to help digital companies reduce their carbon footprint and integrate a sustainable CSR strategy

### Creative industries

- › Working with project leaders (bringing together local authorities and local business support organizations) to help them prepare their response to the forthcoming call for proposals for 'Regional Hubs for the Cultural and Creative Industries'

### Defense

- › Continuation of the strategic partnership between Minalogic, the French Ministry of Armed Forces and the French Defense Innovation Agency

### NewSpace

- › Minalogic Connect "NewSpace" in Annecy
- › Active participation in the "Assises du NewSpace" conference

# ANIMATING a regional innovation network on an international level

## »»» Networking and business development

### Community platform WAM

Launched in 2021, the online community platform WAM (#WeAreMinalogic) now gathers:

- › 978 users from 436 entities,
- › 70 themed communities: technologies, markets, private funding, recruitment...



### Open innovation

- › The 11<sup>th</sup> edition of the **Minalogic Business Meetings** brought together 417 participants from 361 companies and 12 countries, generating 1150 B2B meetings
- › **HORIBA** called on Minalogic to organize a **Minalogic Tech for Business** event, a day dedicated to technology spill-over. The event gathered 35 companies pre-selected for B2B meetings.

### International

As part of Minalogic's International Growth Plan (Plan de Développement International), supported by the Auvergne-Rhône-Alpes Region:

- › **61** companies attended 4 trade shows,



- › the cluster helped **host international delegations from 10 countries**, including Spain, Canada, Armenia, Singapore, the USA and Bhutan,
- › in 2025, **136 respondents from 129 companies** (32% all of surveyed SMEs and midcaps) took part in order to define the 2026 plan.

### Trade shows in France

- › **16** companies attended the SIDO in Lyon,



- › the team attended tech&fest, Global Industrie, Forum InCyber Europe and MIFA.

# ANIMATING

## a regional innovation network on an international level

»» Europe



## A strong European dimension for Minalogic

- › New contract with the European Defence Agency
- › Launch of **ASTEERICS**, the French microelectronics competence center, funded by the European Union within the Chips JU framework, and led by Minalogic
- › **Support with calls for innovation projects**: cascade funding, EIC Accelerator, Horizon Europe, European Defence Fund, Creative Europe
- › **9 events** (6 webinars and 3 in-person workshops or breakfast meetings) organized by the cluster on the topic of **European funding**
- › Fruitful collaboration with our **partners in the Silicon Europe Alliance** to promote opportunities for our members
- › Engagement in **key influence networks** across Europe to enhance the ecosystem's visibility and opportunities

## European projects in which Minalogic is a partner



ASTEERICS  
Centre de compétences français  
en micro-électronique



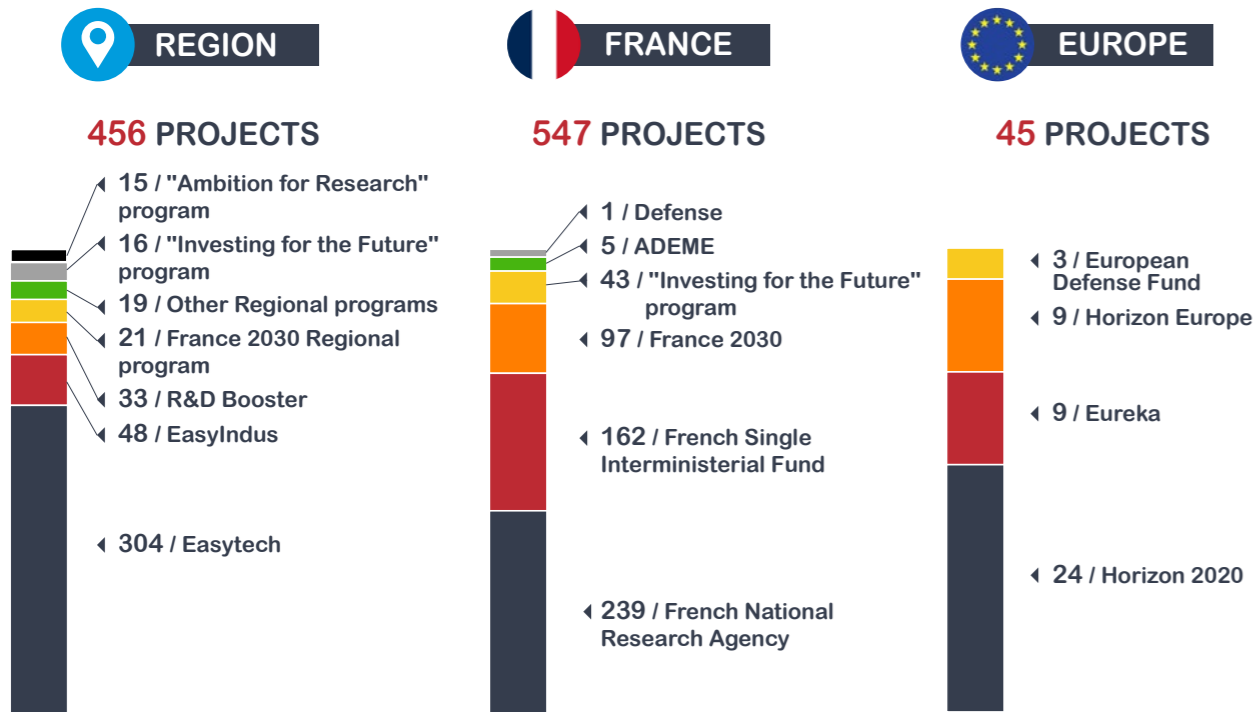
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# SUPPORTING innovation projects

## Public funding

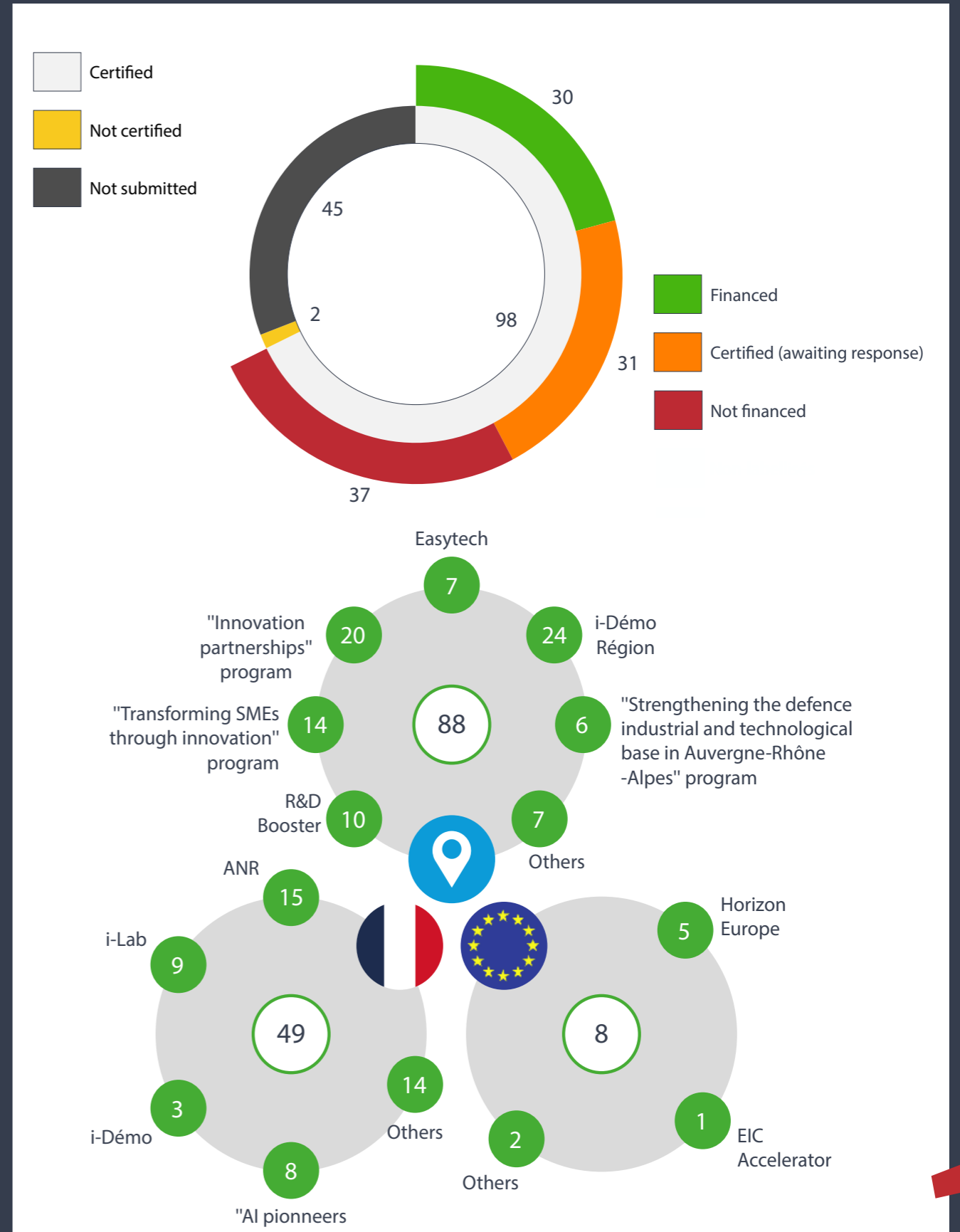
1048 projects certified and financed since 2005



for a total R&D investment of **€2.9B**

including **€1.2B** of government funding

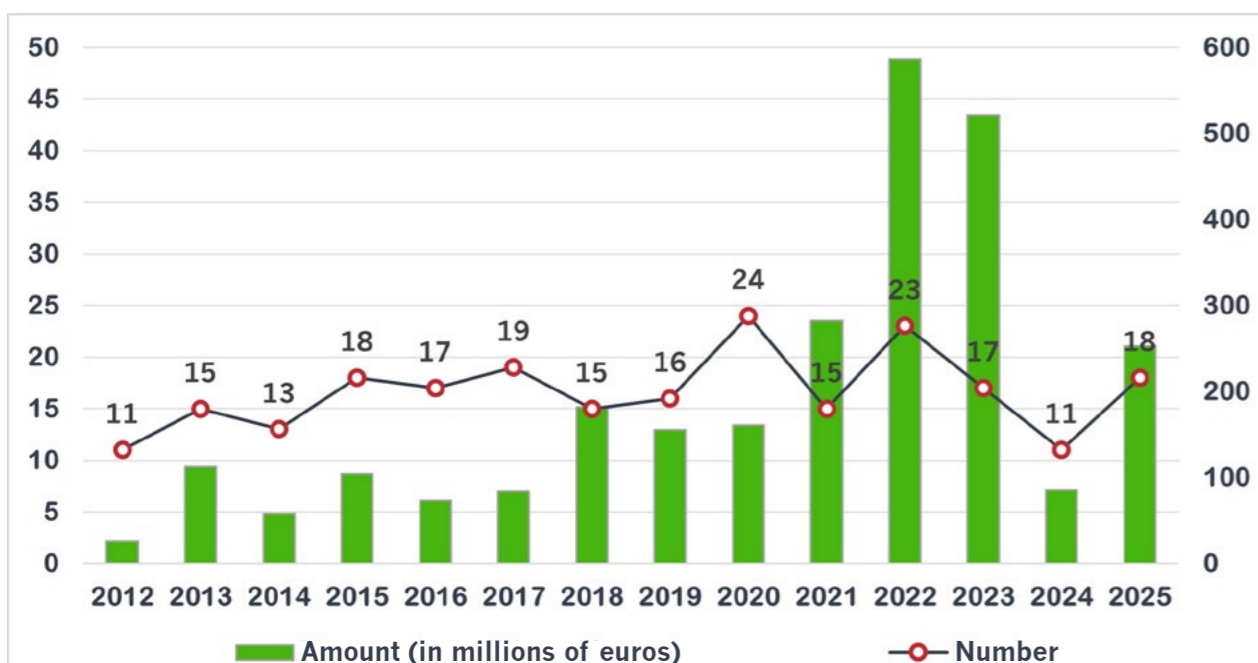
## 145 projects supported in 2025



# SUPPORTING innovation projects

## Private funding

### Fundraising



A network of **400** specialized investors

**18** SME members raised funds in 2025

for a total of **€53,2M**

### Private funding program

**40** companies supported within the **Private funding program** in 2025:

- > **6** companies supported via the premium module of the program,
- > and **34** companies supported on the Diagnostic and Action, Connection Focus and 360 Review Focus of the program,
- > representing a total of **147** workshops,
- > and **71** introductions to investors.

**OBERON SCIENCES** is the second company to be awarded Minalogic's Enterprise Label, a distinction that highlights the company's strong technological, economic and environmental potential.

### Private funding events

**168** participants at the private funding events :

- > **1 seminar** "Funding the energy and environmental transition" (led by Axelera),
- > **1 Funding Shot webinar** "Funding your international development" (led by Axelera),
- > **Invest Meetings** "Equity fundraising: an overview and networking opportunities" (led by Minalogic, in partnership with Axelera) :
  - 2<sup>nd</sup> edition of this annual event dedicated to private fundraising,
  - with 120 participants including **45 investors**,
  - and **200 pre-planned meetings** between start-ups and investors.

# VALORIZING the ecosystem's technological expertise

## »» Promoting our members



### 1 member - 1 video

- › 12 new "1 member - 1 video" videos
- › and 5,300 views on our channels

### Success stories

- › 1 new "Success story by Minalogic", highlighting IVès's relationship and journey with the cluster since 2008
- › 2,050 views on our channels



### Member news

- › 196 member news items posted on Minalogic's website, newsletter and LinkedIn page
- › 15 "Members' Notifications" posted on the Minalogic LinkedIn page and 20,400 views

### Recruitment

- › 36 job offers published on Minalogic's website
- › 139 profiles selected for Minalogic's CV library, shared via the WAM platform with our members each month

# VALORIZING the ecosystem's technological expertise

## »»» Minalogic's visibility



### Service offering

- › Change to the structure of Minalogic's service offering structure for greater clarity, consistency and simplicity
- › **The aim?**  
To make it easier for members to identify the cluster's services that are best suited to their needs.

### Website

- › **17,200** visits

### Newsletters

- › **11** monthly newsletters,
- › and **48** event newsletters,
- › sent to **16,700** subscribers.

### LinkedIn

- › **9,870** subscribers,
- › **304** posts,
- › and **296,400** views.

### YouTube

- › **839** subscribers,
- › and **14,400** views.

# 2026 AGENDA

## Minalogic Roadshow

- › 8 afterworks, 8 cities: the cluster's team travels throughout the region all year round to meet the ecosystem's players

## General Meeting

- › 26/03 in Grenoble

## Minalogic LE CLUB

Exclusive to Minalogic's large corporation and midcap partners, to share best practice and build connections:

- › 26/05 in Lyon, about "Gen Z / Gen Alpha management"
- › 03/12 - place and topic to be determined

## Open Innovation

- › 25/02 - Minalogic Open Innovation Day with Framatome
- › 17/03 - Minalogic Business Meetings

Would you like Minalogic to organize an Open Innovation event for you?

## Innovation

To encourage collaboration and the generation of ideas around key digital fields:

- › 28/01 - Launch of **ASTEERICS**, the French microelectronics competence center, in Paris
- › 5-6/03 - **Journées de la Cyber**, in Lyon
- › 6/10 - Minalogic Innovation Boost "**Robotics and AI**", in Lyon
- › 17/12 - Minalogic Innovation Boost "**Quantum**", in Grenoble
- › A series of **themed Minalogic Connect events** : microelectronics, ASTEERICS, robotics, AI program... Check the event agenda for more information

Regular webinars:

### › Minalogic Innovation Shots

Find out about regional, national and European innovation programs and public funding programs.

### › The societal challenges of AI

A series of webinars dedicated to AI, in partnership with the MIAI cluster

## Private funding

- › 22/01 - **Minalogic Funding Shot** "Go to market and international development"
- › 23/04 - **Minalogic Funding Shot** "Banking leverage"
- › 24/09 - **Minalogic Invest Meetings**
- › 01/10 - **Minalogic Funding Talks** "The valuation and funding mix"
- › 5/11 - **Minalogic Funding Shot** "Team and governance"
- › 8/12 - **Minalogic Funding Talks** "European EIC programmes"
- › 21-24/10 - **Chips Venture Forum** - in October in Bordeaux

## Trade shows

- › **CES** - 6-9/01 in Las Vegas\*
- › **tech&fest** - 4-5/02 in Grenoble
- › **Global Industrie** - 30/03-2/04 in Paris
- › **Forum INCYBER Europe** - 31/03-2/04 in Lille
- › **VivaTech** - 17-20/06 in Paris
- › **SIDO** - 16-17/09 in Lyon\*
- › **Smart City Expo** - 3-5/11 in Barcelona
- › **electronica** - 10-13/11 in Munich\*
- › **GITEX Europe** - 30/06-01/07 in Berlin\*

\*collective exhibition offer



# THE TEAM



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**Amin Smida**  
IT Assistant

# OUR SERVICES - comprehensive and adapted to your needs



- › Information and network
- › Members directory
- › WAM - online community platform
- › Member news relay
- › 1 member - 1 video
- › Tech trade shows
- › Private partnership
- › Minalogic LE CLUB
- › Talent recruitment



- › Minalogic Business Meetings
- › Open Innovation actions
- › Technology spill-over
- › Tech trade shows



- › Private partners
- › Service provider members

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- › Public funding program
- › Private funding program
- › Innovation events
- › Minalogic Invest Meetings



## SUSTAINABLE DIGITALIZATION

- › Decarbonization program
- › Cybersecurity program
- › Artificial intelligence
- › Digital transformation programs: MinaSmart, Easytech, Partenariats d'Innovation, ASTEERICS



- › Our partners in Europe
- › European projects in which Minalogic is a partner
- › Innovation funding
- › Business development
- › Information, network and visibility





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