



# National University Research Council (NURC)



Nanosciences  
- Top domain of research  
in universities-

# Program “IDEAS”

## 1. Exploratory research projects

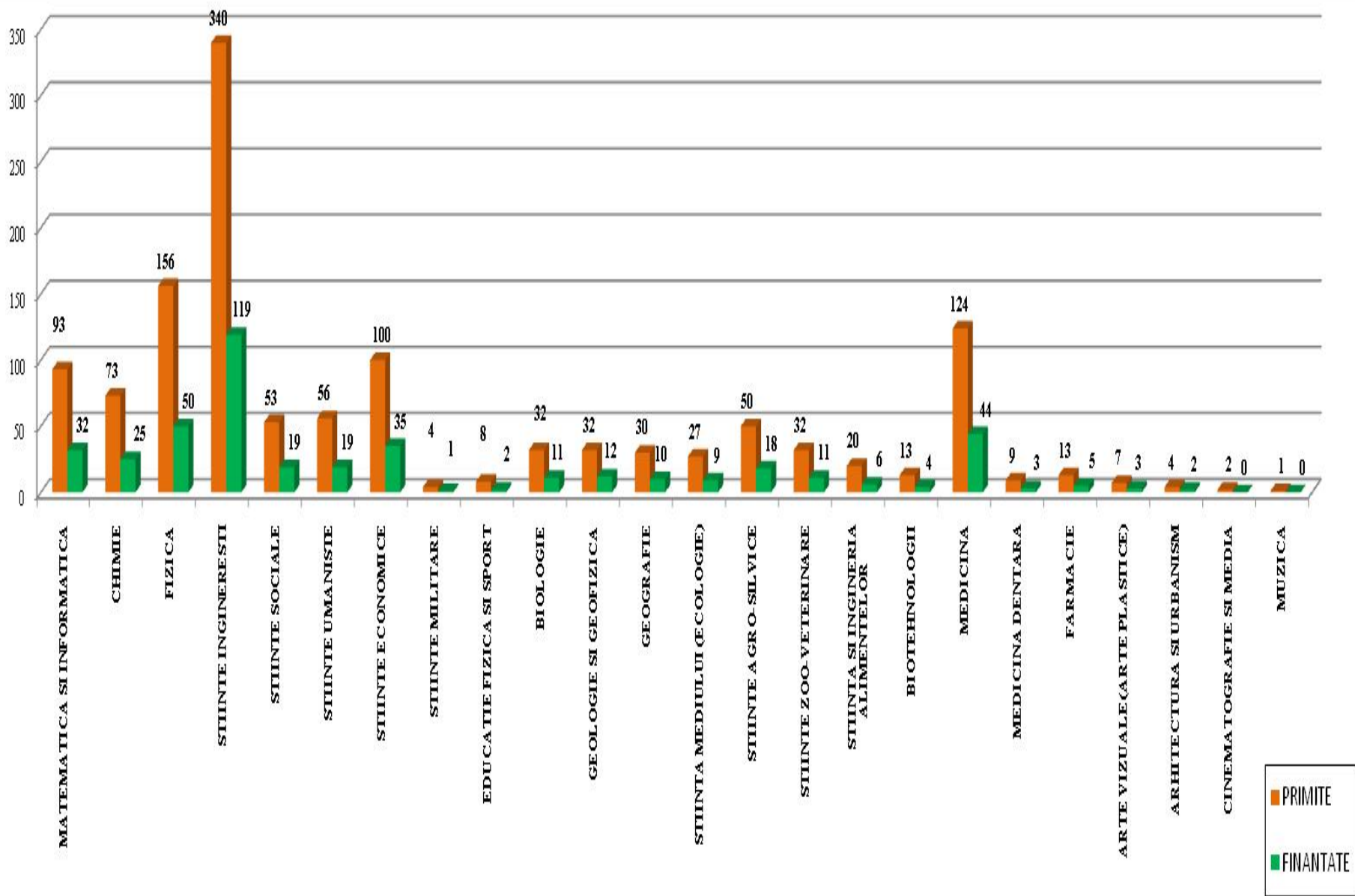
### Call 2007:

- 1279 proposals
- 430 projects approved for financing
- *Budget 2007: ~ 8 M Eur*

### Call 2008:

- 2670 proposals
- 796 projects approved for financing
- *Budget 2008: ~ 26 M Eur*
- *Budget 2009: ~ 15 M Eur*

# The projects distribution on various domains



## 2 Exploratory complex research projects

Evaluation in two steps:

- 339 proposals evaluated in the first step within 13 interdisciplinary panels

International evaluation in the second step:

- 12 proposals approved for financing

## 3 Exploratory workshops

Comission	Number of proposals	Number of financed projects	Number of people involved
Mathematics and Natural Sciences	23	9	147
Engineering Sciences	18	7	199
Economics	84	14	355
Life Sciences	19	6	190
Agricultural Sciences	6	1	39
Medical Sciences	40	12	282
Arts and Arhitecture	14	2	45
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>204</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>1.257</b>



## ***Program “People” - number of projects approved***

<b>Project type</b>	<b>Call 2007</b>	<b>Call 2008</b>
<b>Research projects for PhD students</b>	<b>602</b>	<b>161</b>
<b>Research projects for stimulating the researchers return in Romania</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>31</b>
<b>Complex projects for reintegration</b>		<b>1</b>
<b>Mobility projects for PhD</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>30</b>
<b>Mobility projects for researchers</b>	<b>131</b>	<b>319</b>
<b>Research grants Stefan Odobleja</b>		<b>1</b>
<b>Rewarding of research outputs (ISI published papers)</b>	<b>1583</b>	<b>3109</b>
<b>Rewarding of research outputs (patents)</b>		<b>47</b>

**Budget 2007 ~ 1.8 M Eur**

**Budget 2008: ~ 6 M Eur**

**Budget 2009: ~ 4.5 M Eur**

# Program IDEAS- calls 2007 and 2008

N & N projects (proposals) : 43

Commission: Engineering Sciences

Projects approved : 24

Projects from 2007: 3 main scientific reports

Projects from 2008: 1 scientific report

Scientific outputs mentioned into the contract