



Trend Chart on Innovation in Europe

UK 45

General presentation of the measure/scheme/action/regulation

Country

United Kingdom

Geographical coverage, national or regional (state region)

(National)

Title of the measure

Intellectual Property (IP) Portal

Information Source/Reference

<http://www.intellectual-property.gov.uk>

Overview (nature, main goals)

The IP Portal is a gateway site on IP. Its intention is to generate an interest and awareness of IP. It provides users with basic facts and more detailed information. It is suitable for both novices and professionals alike. There are frequently asked questions, latest IP-related News and over 1000 links to Government and IP-related web sites. The Portal has been designed to evolve and be responsive to users by allowing them to nominate relevant sites they have found useful – thus contributing to the growth of the knowledge base.

Action Plan objective addressed by measure

II.2. Protection of IPR

Administering agency

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Description of Scheme

General Information

Reference to legal basis (e.g. act, public document, ...)

None

Does the measure receive central funding or regional funding?

Central

Start date

2000

Expected date of completion

Indefinite

Previous measure (name, date, links with the current measure)

Previous Patent Office website

Reasons for launching/modifying the new measure

Improved service

Have any of the main features of the measure/scheme/action/regulation changed



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during its implementation

Not applicable

What is the predominant role of the government?

Host

Target Group**Who are the target groups of the measure?**

Large Companies/Large Industrial Companies
 SMEs/Industrial SMEs
 Research Institutes
 Universities
 Researchers
 Public Authorities/Organisations
 Individuals
 Other
 Managers

Organisation and Implementation**Organisation and Structure**

dedicated website

What are the criteria for eligibility?

Not relevant - freely open public site

What is the mode of delivery of the measure?

Website

Financing : Overall budget allocated to the measure

Unknown

Financing : expenditure per year

Unknown

Financing : other budgetary sources (additional financing)

Unknown

Results**Result Measurement****What are the main indicators for the measurement of the results ?**

Receives approx. 12,500 hits per day

Where an evaluation has taken place, what were the main results achieved?

No evaluation yet

If no official evaluation has been undertaken, have there been any indicators of success?

Too early to say

Observations**Which mechanisms seem to function well in the measure?**

Too early to say

Which mechanisms seem to be less successful in the measure?

Too early to say

Are there any other measures planned or in operation as a follow up to this measure? Direction of the planned measures? Objectives? Target groups?

Not known

