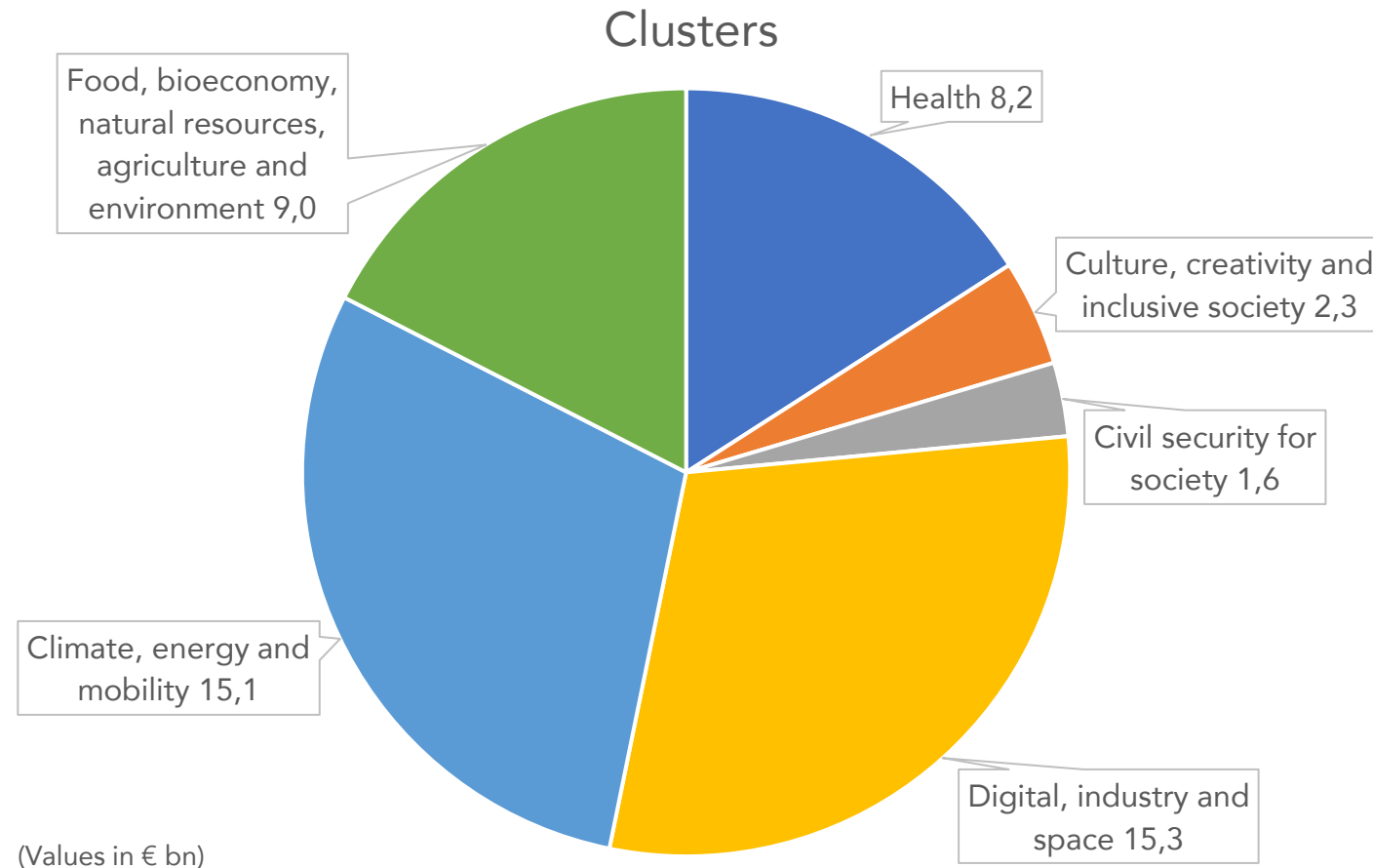


# Horizon Europe Global Challenges and European Industrial Competitiveness pillar

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# Global challenges and European Industrial Competitiveness (€53,5bn)



# Examples of impact areas

## Cluster 1: Health

- Understanding health and care needs throughout the life course, **health promotion**, development of innovative services and policies
- Tackling **diseases** and reducing disease burden
- Maintaining an innovative, sustainable and globally competitive **health-related industry**
- Unlocking the full potential of new tools, **technologies and digital solutions** for a healthy society

## Cluster 2: Culture, creativity, and inclusive society

- Reinvigorating **democratic governance** and strengthening active and inclusive citizenship
- Supporting **cultural heritage**, arts and cultural and creative sectors as a driver of sustainable innovation
- Supporting **social and economic resilience** through a better understanding of drivers of change such as technology, globalisation, demographics, mobility and migration



# Examples of impact areas (2)

## Cluster 5. Climate, energy and mobility

- Enabling transition to a climate-neutral and resilient society and economy through advanced climate science, pathways and responses to climate change (mitigation and adaptation) and behavioural transformations.
- More efficient, clean, sustainable, secure and competitive energy supply through new solutions for smart grids and energy systems based on more performant renewable energy solutions.
- Efficient and sustainable use of energy, accessible for all is ensured through a clean energy system and a just transition.
- Towards climate-neutral and environmental friendly mobility through clean solutions across all transport modes while increasing global competitiveness of the EU transport sector.
- Safe, seamless, smart, inclusive, resilient, climate neutral and sustainable mobility systems for people and goods thanks to user-centric technologies and services including digital technologies and advanced satellite navigation services.

# Cross-cutting features

- Interdisciplinarity & cross-sectoral collaboration
- Citizen engagement
- Gender aspects in all funded projects
- Blind evaluation in 2-stage calls



# R&I Missions

Cancer

Soil health and  
food

Climate-neutral and  
smart cities

Healthy oceans,  
seas, costal and  
inland waters

Adaptation to  
climate change,  
including societal  
transformation

# Action types & application

- **Research and innovation actions (RIA)** — Activities aiming primarily to establish new knowledge and/or to explore the feasibility of a new or improved technology, product, process, service or solution. This may include basic and applied research, technology development and integration, testing, demonstration and validation on a small-scale prototype in a laboratory or simulated environment.
- **Innovation actions (IA)** — Activities directly aimed at producing plans and arrangements or designs for new, altered or improved products, processes or services, possibly including prototyping, testing, demonstrating, piloting, large-scale product validation and market replication.
- **Coordination and support actions (CSA)** — Activities contributing to the objectives of the Horizon Europe Programme, excluding research and innovation activities
- Consortium composition: 3 legal entities from 3 different EU Member States or Associated countries
- Limit for a full application is 45 pages unless specified otherwise (30 pages for CSAs)
- First application period is estimated for mid-April to September 2021

