

SCORES AND RATINGS GRID FOR EVALUATION COMMITTEES

Description	%	RATING
<p>Exceptional</p> <p>Application demonstrates outstanding scientific rigour.</p>	90 to 100 %	A +
<p>Remarkable</p> <p>Strengths and qualities of the application exceed standards in terms of scientific rigour.</p>	85 to 89.9 %	A
<p>Excellent</p> <p>Overall, the application meets standards in terms of scientific rigour.</p>	80 to 84.9 %	A -
<p>Very good</p> <p>There are minor weaknesses in the application.</p>	75 to 79.9 %	B+
<p>Good</p> <p>There are weaknesses in the application (a series of minor weaknesses or a more significant weakness).</p>	70 to 74.9 %	B
<p>Passable</p> <p>There are significant weaknesses in the application.</p>	60 to 69.9 %	B-
<p>Insufficient</p> <p>Clearly lacking in terms of scientific rigour.</p>	59.9 % and below	C

To be recommended for funding, an application must obtain an overall grade of at least 70%.