

## **Co-Innovation**

### **How research organization's project results are utilized in joint actions**

- Projects are aimed at widespread utilization both in business and as a starting point for other research work.
- The research organization owns the IP rights of the research project results. Companies who has funded the project have the primary right to negotiate the use of the results (project participation notice).
- Also, if a company is involved in a joint action with its own R&D project and is an financier in the joint action, it has the primary right to negotiate the results of a research project (project participation notice).
- In the research project, a utilization plan is drawn up at the application stage. The plan describes measures to ensure the use of the results.
- At the end of the research project, the results are public. Publication of the results is the tasks of the beneficiary. The beneficiary must publish the results actively, broadly and in a non-discriminatory manner.
- In publishing the results, it must be ensured that disclosure does not jeopardize the project objectives.
- In the application phase, a material management plan needs to be made.
- A steering group must be consulted on the publication of the results.

### **How the results of business projects are utilized in joint actions**

Corporate R&D projects comply with the general terms and conditions of R&D funding for companies. Business projects and their results are confidential and corporate property. Businesses can decide what part of the results they share with other joint project partners.