

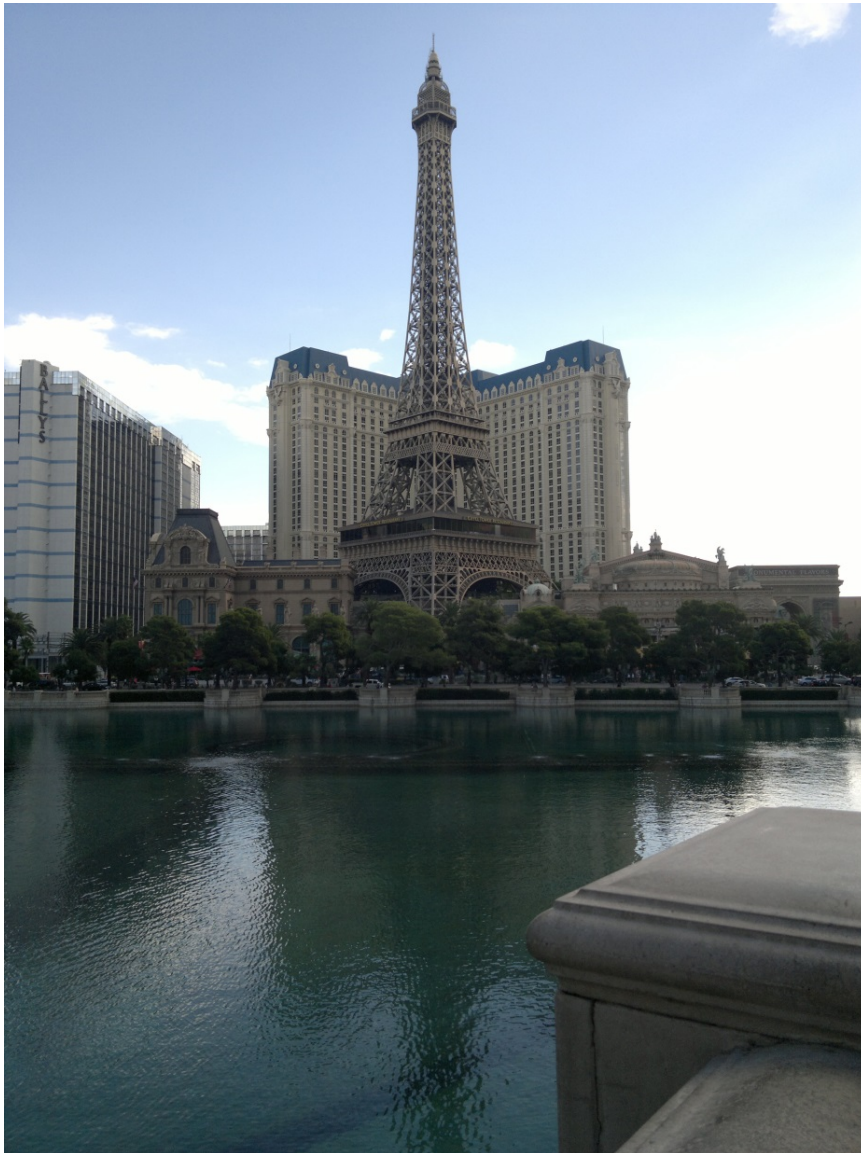
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# NORDISK FORSKNINGSFINANSIERING

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# Panorama over den store sal



# Lars Løkke Rasmussen i Det Hvide Hus



# Hvad jeg vil tale om

## Nordisk råd

De enkelte nordiske landes  
forskningsråd

De fællesnordiske institutioner

Behøver vi de fællesnordiske  
institutioner

# The Nordic Council



# Research & Development expenditure in the Nordic countries in 2013

**R&D expenditure in the Nordic countries in 2013\***  
**by sector of performance and as a share of GDP. Billions. National currency. Per cent.**

Sector of performance	Denmark		Finland		Iceland (2011)		Norway		Sweden	
	DKK	%	EUR	%	ISK	%	NOK	%	SEK	%
Business enterprise sector**	37.3	64	4.6	69	22.5	53	26.7	53	85.9	69
Government sector	1.6	3	0.6	10	8.7	20	8.1	16	4.9	4
Higher education sector	19.3	33	1.4	22	11.2	26	16	31	33.8	27
<b>Total</b>	<b>58.2</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>6.7</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>39 057</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>124.6</b>	<b>100</b>
Share of GDP in % 2013	3.08		3.32		..		1.66		3.30	
Share of GDP in % 2012	3.03		3.43		..		1.62		3.28	
Share of GDP in % 2011	2.97		3.64		2.49		1.63		3.22	
Share of GDP in % 2009	3.07		3.75		2.66		1.72		3.42	

\* Preliminary numbers.

\*\* Business enterprise sector includes industry's intramural R&D and research institutes serving the industrial sector.

Government sector includes research institutes (and other government agencies performing R&D) who are mainly controlled and financed by government.

Private non-profit sector (PNP) is in this table included in government sector.

Source: Eurostat and national statistical producers.

# The National Research funding agencies Sweden

## Public agencies:

- [The Swedish Research Council](#)
- [The Swedish Research Council Formas](#)  
(Covers Environment, Spatial planning and Agricultural Science)
- [FAS Swedish Council for working life and social research](#) (FORTE)
- [VINNOVA](#) (Covers Innovation)

## Semi-public agencies:

- [Swedish Foundation for Strategic Research](#)
- [Bank of Sweden Tercentenary Foundation](#) (Riksbankens jubileumsfond)
- [Knowledge Foundation](#)
- [Foundation for Strategic Environmental Research](#) (Mistra)
- [Swedish Foundation for Health Care Sciences and Allergy Research](#)  
(Vårdalstiftelsen)
- [Swedish Foundation for International Cooperation in Research and Higher Education](#) (Stint)

# The National Research funding agencies Norway

- [The Research Council of Norway](#)

# The National Research funding agencies Finland

- [Academy of Finland](#)
- [Tekes – The Finnish Funding Agency for Innovation](#)
- [Sitra](#)
  
- [Invest in Finland](#) (promotes investment in Finland)
- [Finpro](#) (invest, export, visit Finland)

# The National Research funding agencies Iceland

- [The Icelandic Centre for Research](#) (Rannis)

# The National Research funding agencies Denmark

- [Danish Council for Independent Research](#)
- [Innovation Fund Denmark](#)
- [Danish National Research Foundation](#)

# Nordic Research Funding agencies

- [Nordforsk](#)
- [Nordic Innovation Center](#) (NICE)
- [Nordic Energy Research](#) (NER)

**Budget for all three agencies: 750 million DKR**

# NordForsk

- Created in 2005
- Platform for joint Nordic research and research policy development
- Support research activities which strengthen the Nordic region in an international perspective
- Funding based on scientific quality
- Openness and transparency of research funding
- Most activities organized under programmes
- Main instrument: Nordic Centers of Excellence

# Current programmes of NordForsk

- Nordic eScience Globalisation Initiative
- Nordic Programme on Health and Welfare
- Nordic Societal Security Programme
- Responsible Development of the Arctic
- Education for tomorrow
- Joint Nordic programme for neutron research
- [The Top-level Research Initiative](#) (TRI)