

National Government Departments

FUND NAME	DESCRIPTION	ADMIN	WEBSITE	CONTACT NUMBER	CONTACT EMAIL	SECTOR
Export Marketing & Investment Assistance Scheme (EMIA)	The Export Marketing and Investment Assistance (EMIA) scheme supports the export activities of South African producers and supports the recruitment of new foreign direct investment into the country.	Trade and Investment South Africa (TISA) and The Enterprise Organisation (TEO)	http://www.thedti.gov.za/trade_investment/emia.jsp	012 394 1021	CSaaiman@thedti.gov.za	Sector-specific - includes: agro-processing; aerospace, rail and marine; automotive; chemicals; cultural industries; ICT and electronics; mining and metals; textiles, clothing and footwear; tourism.
Sector Specific Assistance Scheme (SSAS)	The purpose of the Sector Specific Assistance Scheme (SSAS) is to enable the funding of non-profit business organizations in sectors and sub-sectors of industry prioritised by the dti, in respect of (i) generic funding and (ii) project funding provided that the purpose of the organization and/or its proposed project aims to conform to TISA's objectives and the dti's export strategy.	Trade and Investment South Africa (TISA) / The Enterprise Organisation (TEO)	http://www.thedti.gov.za/trade_investment/emia.jsp	012 394 1330 or 012 394 1060	phindiles@thedti.gov.za or pmashilo@thedti.gov.za	Sector-specific - includes: agro-processing; aerospace, rail and marine; automotive; chemicals; cultural industries; ICT and electronics; mining and metals; textiles, clothing and footwear; tourism.
The Capital Projects Feasibility Programme (CPFP)	The Capital Projects Feasibility Programme (CPFP) is a cost-sharing grant that contributes to the cost of feasibility studies likely to lead to projects that will increase local exports and stimulate the market for South African capital goods and services.	The Enterprise Organisation (TEO)	http://www.thedti.gov.za/trade_investment/emia.jsp	0861 843 384		Sector-specific - includes: agro-processing; aerospace, rail and marine; automotive; chemicals; cultural industries; ICT and electronics; mining and metals; textiles, clothing and footwear; tourism.

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Aquaculture Development and Enhancement Programme (ADEP)	ADEP is an incentive programme available to South African registered entities engaged in primary, secondary and ancillary aquaculture activities in both marine and freshwater. The objective is to stimulate investment in the aquaculture sector with the intention to increase production; sustain and create jobs; encourage geographical spread; and broaden participation.	The DTI	http://www.thedti.gov.za/financial_assistance/financial_incentive.jsp?id=56&subthemeid=26	0861 843 384		Aquaculture
Automotive Investment Scheme (AIS)	The AIS is an incentive designed to grow and develop the automotive sector through investment in new and/or replacement models/ components that will increase plant production volumes, sustain/ create employment and/ or strengthen the value chain.	The DTI	http://www.thedti.gov.za/financial_assistance/financial_incentive.jsp?id=37&subthemeid=26	0861 843 384		Automobile
Business Process Services (BPS)	The BPS aims to attract investment and create employment in South Africa through off-shoring activities.	The DTI	http://www.thedti.gov.za/financial_assistance/financial_incentive.jsp?id=6&subthemeid=25	0861 843 384	Contactus@thedti.gov.za	Business outsourcing
Black Business Supplier Development Programme (BBSDP)	Cost-sharing grant offered to black-owned small enterprises to assist them to improve their competitiveness and sustainability, to become part of the mainstream economy and to create employment.	The DTI	http://www.thedti.gov.za/financial_assistance/financial_incentive.jsp?id=40&subthemeid=1	0861 843 384/ 011 363 3000	alan@bbsdpc.co.za	SMME
Clothing and Textile Competitiveness Improvement Programme (CTCIP)	The CTCIP aims to build capacity among manufacturers and in other areas of the apparel value chain in South Africa, to enable them to effectively supply their customers and compete on a global scale.	CTCP desk at the IDC	http://www.ctcp.co.za/	011 269 3593	gillianv@idc.co.za	Clothing, textile, footwear, leather and leather goods

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Film Incentive (Film Incentive)	To encourage and attract large-budget films and television productions and post-production work that will contribute towards employment creation, enhancement of South Africa's international profile, and increase the country's creative and technical skills base	The DTI	http://www.thedti.gov.za/financial_assistance/financial_incentive.jsp?id=7&subthemeid=26	Call Centre: 0861 843 384		Film and television
Critical Infrastructure Programme (CIP)	Cost sharing grant for projects designed to improve critical infrastructure in South Africa. The grant covers qualifying development costs from a minimum of 10% to a maximum of 30% towards the total development costs of qualifying infrastructure. It is made available to approved eligible enterprises upon the completion of the infrastructure project concerned.	The DTI	http://www.thedti.gov.za/financial_assistance/financial_incentive.jsp?id=3&subthemeid=26	Call Centre: 0861 843 384/ 011 341 1600	contactus@thedti.gov.za	Infrastructure
Co-operative Incentive Scheme (CIS)	The objective of the CIS is to improve the viability and competitiveness of co-operative enterprises by lowering their cost of doing business.	The DTI	http://www.thedti.gov.za/financial_assistance/financial_incentive.jsp?id=11&subthemeid=3	012 394 3239	JMotsoeneng@thedti.gov.za/ MMokaila@thedti.gov.za/ KMathenjwa@thedti.gov.za	Cuts across all sectors (except activities related to liquor, tendering, buildings/premises/fixed structures or those activities that have been funded by other government department(s) or organs)
Incubation Support Programme (ISP)	The objective of the ISP is to encourage private sector partnerships with Government to support incubators in order to develop SMMEs and nurture them into sustainable enterprises that can provide employment and contribute to economic growth.	The DTI	http://www.thedti.gov.za/financial_assistance/financial_incentive.jsp?id=54&subthemeid=8	012 394 1291	tmalebye@thedti.gov.za	None

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The Manufacturing Competitiveness Enhancement Programme (MCEP): Production Incentive	The MCEP provides support aimed at encouraging manufacturers to upgrade their production facilities in a manner that sustains employment and maximises value-addition in the short to medium term. The MCEP comprises two sub-programmes: the Production Incentive (PI) and the Industrial Financing Loan Facilities. The Production Incentive is the largest component of the MCEP (80% by Rand value). Calculation of MCEP credits for the Production Incentive for each enterprise are capped at 25% of the manufacturing value added.	The DTI	http://www.thedti.gov.za/financial_assistance/financial_incentive.jsp?id=53&subthemeid=25		MCEP@thedti.gov.za	Manufacturing
Tourism Support Programme (TSP)	The incentive offers a grant of between 15% and 30% of qualifying investment costs for establishing new and expanding existing tourism operations in South Africa.	Department of Tourism	http://www.thedti.gov.za/industrial_development/industrial_incentive.jsp?id=10&subthemeid=25	(012) 394 1650	MSMedupe@thedti.gov.za	Tourism
Manufacturing Investment Programme (MIP)	The MIP is a reimbursable cash grant for local and foreign-owned manufactures who wish to establish a new production facility; expand an existing production facility; or upgrade an existing facility in the clothing and textiles sector. The objectives include: Stimulating investment in manufacturing; Increasing employment opportunities; and Sustaining enterprise growth	The DTI	http://www.thedti.gov.za/financial_assistance/docs/mip_guidelines.pdf	011 341 1600/ 0861 843 384	mipappsq@thedti.gov.za	Clothing and textiles

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People-carrier Automotive Investment Scheme (P-AIS)	A sub-component of the Automotive Incentive Scheme (AIS) and provides a cash grant of between 20% and 35% of the value of qualifying investment in productive assets approved by the dti.	The DTI	http://www.thedti.gov.za/financial_assistance/financial_incentive.jsp?id=55&subthemeid=26	0861 843 384/ 011 341 1600	P-AISappsq@thedti.gov.za	People-carrier Automotive industry
Sector Specific Assistance Scheme (SSAS)	SSAS is a reimbursable 80:20 cost-sharing grant offering financial support to export councils, joint action groups and industry associations. Objectives include: Develop an industry sector as a whole; Develop new export markets; Stimulate job creation. The scheme comprises two sub-programmes, namely Generic Funding and Project Funding for Emerging Exporters (PFEE).	The DTI	http://www.thedti.gov.za/financial_assistance/financial_incentive.jsp?id=8&subthemeid=26	0861 843 384	contactus@thedti.gov.za	Export - full list on website
Technology and Human Resources for Industry Programme (THRIP)	THRIP) is a partnership programme funded by the dti and managed by the National Research Foundation (NRF). THRIP supports science, engineering and technology research collaborations focused on addressing the technology needs of participating firms and encouraging the development and mobility of research personnel and students among participating organisations.	National Research Foundation	http://thrip.nrf.ac.za/SitePages/Home.aspx	(012) 481 4131	zolani@nrf.ac.za	science, engineering and technology research collaborations
Employment Services of South Africa	Database that matches work seekers with potential employers	Employment Services of South Africa				None

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Neighbourhood Development Partnership Grant	The Neighbourhood Development Partnership Grant is a conditional grant to municipalities through the Division of Revenue Act (DORA). It is planned to allocate an amount of R10bn over a ten year period for about 100 initiatives.	Neighbourhood Development Programme Unit	http://ndp.treasury.gov.za/default.aspx	012 315 5459	ndp@treasury.gov.za	Municipalities
Small Medium Enterprise Development	Grant programme offering financial help to tourism-related projects. The grants cover the costs of buildings, furniture and equipment. It provides for the expansion of existing businesses and start-ups (of less than six months).	Department of Tourism	http://www.deat.gov.za/	012 310 3875		Tourism
Employment Creation Fund (ECF)	Provides gap and risk funding to government departments and entities at a national and provincial level.	The Department of Trade and Industry	http://www.thedti.gov.za/news2011/ECF_Overview.pdf	12) 3943385/ 012 394 1723	jmagaro@thedti.gov.za or GHlabisa@thedti.gov.za	None
The Industry Matching Fund (IM)	Offers matching funds to small, medium and large companies where partnerships with small companies, HEI's and SC's will be incentivised. This fund covers all relevant costs upfront of undertaking a technology innovation activity, including overheads and operating costs of the companies and/or institutions supported.	Technology innovation agency (TIA)	http://www.tia.org.za/Funding-Procedure/idea-development-fund	012 472 7200	info@tia.org.za	Technology and Innovation

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The Technology Infrastructure and Development Fund	This fund provides grant funding to Platforms, Technology Stations and under limited circumstances, may provide grant funding to consortia of HEI's and SC's where TIA agrees to pre-commercial research without an industry partner.	Technology innovation agency (TIA)	http://www.tia.org.za/Funding-Procedure/idea-development-fund	012 472 7200	info@tia.org.za	Technology and Innovation
Idea Development Fund	This fund has two instruments, a modest grant to individual entrepreneurs and SMEs, to enable them to develop their ideas into fundable applications; and a grant to individual entrepreneurs and SMEs specifically to cover patenting costs.	Technology innovation agency (TIA)	http://www.tia.org.za/Funding-Procedure/idea-development-fund	012 472 7200	info@tia.org.za	Technology and Innovation
Comprehensive Agricultural Support Program	Conditional grant to provide support services and promote and facilitate agricultural development, targeting beneficiaries of land reform and previously disadvantaged communities and farmers.	National Department of Agriculture	http://www.agr.ecprov.gov.za/index.php?module=sd_programmes&id=9	012 319 7847	CDCASP@daff.gov.za	Agriculture