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Space Business Forum

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The Space Business Forum

The Space Business Forum is a community of Finnish space operators that meets five times a year. The meetings cover current and future issues in space business and research; technology-related issues, and initiatives and frameworks for international cooperation within the European Space Agency (ESA), the EU and outside Europe. The main contribution of the meetings will be presentations by companies and research organizations, and in particular discussions and networking.

The Space Business Forum serves as an information-sharing platform for the entire Finnish space network. This includes the distribution of official documentation to space actors and, in particular, the communication of industry and research needs to space administrators and international actors.

Participation in the Space Business Forum is free of charge, but the Space Business Forum reserves the right to admit members.

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The dates for Space Business Forum events for 2024:

- Friday **8 March 2024**, 10:00-13:00
- Tuesday **16 April 2024**, 10:00-13:00
- Monday **17 June 2024**, 10:00-13:00
- Wednesday **25 September 2024**, 10:00-13:00
- Monday **2 December 2024**, 10:00-13:00

Next event on 16 April 2024:

Venue: Team Finland House, address: Porkkalankatu 1, 00180 Helsinki (Ruoholahti)

[Agenda](#)

[Registration](#) 

Previous events:

 [Space Business Forum 8.3.2024](#)

 [Space Business Forum 22.11.2023](#)

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ESA Industrial Policy Committee, Tiina Nurmi, Business Finland

#347 IPC Meeting 23.-24.4.2024 AGENDA

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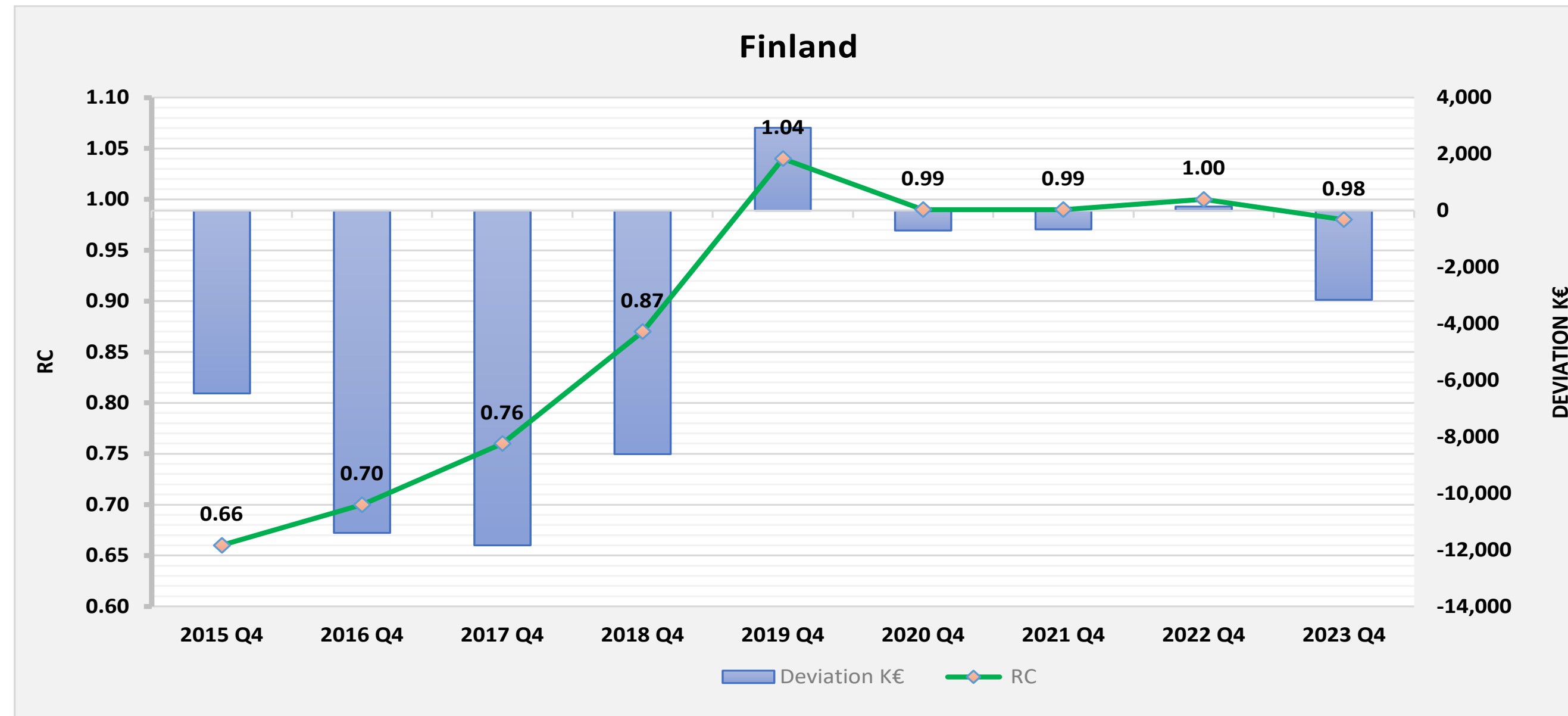
Selected documents have been uploaded in

→ “Avaruusdokumentit” folder ” Space Business Forum 16.4.2024”.

Public access to documents is restricted in accordance with ESA rules.

You can get the right to read them by requesting it from Tiina Nurmi (tiina.nurmi@businessfinland.fi).

GEOGRAPHICAL DISTRIBUTION OF CONTRACTS Q4/2022



New Domains Set Q3/Q4-2020

	2015 Q4	2016 Q4	2017 Q4	2018 Q4	2019 Q4	2020 Q4	2021 Q4	2022 Q4	2023 Q4
MANDATORY PROGRAMMES AND ACTIVITIES	0.34	0.41	0.49	0.77	1.02	0.99	0.95	0.91	0.88
EARTH OBSERVATION	0.65	0.94	0.91	0.88	1.05	1.00	1.03	1.01	1.02
SPACE TRANSPORTATION	0.00	0.20	0.56	0.37	1.09	1.09	1.12	1.04	0.92
HUMAN AND ROBOTIC EXPLORATION	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.50	0.42
TELECOMMUNICATIONS	0.86	0.82	1.15	1.04	1.01	1.00	1.00	1.01	1.02
SPACE SAFETY						0.62	0.73	2.07	1.52
OTHER PROGRAMMES AND ACTIVITIES	1.66	1.06	1.11	1.08	1.06	1.10	1.11	1.07	1.06
MANDATORY PROGRAMMES AND ACTIVITIES									
BASIC ACTIVITIES	1.03	0.88	0.97	1.10	1.23	1.33	1.28	1.28	1.26
SCIENTIFIC PROGRAMME	0.04	0.28	0.33	0.65	0.84	0.78	0.74	0.70	0.74

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4. Industrial and technology policy issues

- 4.4 Revision of the Procurement Regulations ESA/IPC(2024) 36,REV.1 (C)
- evolution of innovative methods of tendering and contracting
 - more flexibility and autonomy for the Executive to plan tender actions, with the goal to reduce Time-to-Contract
 - 189 (172) pages
- 4.6 Geographical distribution of contracts Situation as per 31 March 2024* ESA/IPC(2024)13 (I)
- * Publication by 19 April 2024 can be expected due to the availability of Q1 2024 geo-return statistics.

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5. Procurement matters

5.1 Directorate of Technology, Engineering & Quality – D/TEC Work Plans/Procurement Plans

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| 5.1.3 | GENERAL SUPPORT TECHNOLOGY PROGRAMME COMPONENT “EEE SPACE COMPONENT SOVEREIGNTY FOR EUROPE” (EEE COMPONENT) | ESA/IPC(2024)61,add.3 (D) |
| 5.1.4 | GSTP ELEMENT 1 “DEVELOP” WORK PLAN/PROCUREMENT PLAN | ESA/IPC(2024)61,add.3 (D) |
| 5.1.5 | GSTP ELEMENT 3 “FLY” WORK PLAN/PROCUREMENT PLAN | ESA/IPC(2024)63 (D) |

5.2 Directorate of Connectivity and Secure Communications – (D/CSC) Procurement Proposals

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| 5.2.4 | CCN - 5G - Satellite Media Delivery Micro Edge (5G EMERGE) | ESA/IPC(2024)1,add.41 (D) |
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