

# PA - Financial Allocations - Validation Rules 2.16 - Why do I get an Error regarding the CF fund allocation when validating the PA (Error 2.16) if there's no CF fund for my country?

If your Member State is not eligible for CF you have to enter "0" amount for CF in the table of section 1.4.1 Union Support by Thematic Objective:

The screenshot shows the 'SHARED FUND MANAGEMENT COMMON SYSTEM' interface for the period 2014-2020 (SFC2014). The breadcrumb trail is: SFC2014-FO > Strategic planning > Partnership agreement. The search bar contains '2014BE16M8PA001 - 1.0'. The left navigation menu is expanded to '1.4.1 By thematic objective'. The main content area displays the following text:

**1. ARRANGEMENTS TO ENSURE ALIGNMENT WITH THE UNION STRATEGY OF SMART, SUSTAINABLE AND INCLUSIVE GROWTH AS THE FUND SPECIFIC MISSIONS PURSUANT TO THEIR TREATY-BASED OBJECTIVES, INCLUDING COHESION (ARTICLE 15(1) (A) CPR)**

**1.4 The indicative allocation of support by the Union by thematic objective at national level for each of the ESI Funds of support envisaged for climate change objectives (Article 15 (1) (a) iv CPR)**

1.4.1 Table: The indicative allocation of support by the Union by thematic objective at national level for each of the ESI Funds (€ million reserve).

TOTAL	ERDF	ESF	CF
01. Strengthening research, technological development and innovation	8,000,000.00	6,000,000.00	0.00
02. Enhancing access to, and use and quality of, information and communication technologies	8,000,000.00	6,000,000.00	0.00
03. Enhancing the competitiveness of small and medium-sized enterprises, the agricultural sector (for the EAFRD) and the fisheries and aquaculture sector (for the EMFF)	8,000,000.00	6,000,000.00	0.00
04. Supporting the shift towards a low-carbon economy in all sectors	8,000,000.00	6,000,000.00	0.00
05. Promoting climate change adaptation, risk prevention and management	8,000,000.00	6,000,000.00	0.00
06. Preserving and protecting the environment and promoting resource efficiency	8,000,000.00	6,000,000.00	0.00
07. Promoting sustainable transport and removing bottlenecks in key network infrastructures	8,000,000.00	6,000,000.00	0.00
08. Promoting sustainable and quality employment and supporting labour mobility	8,000,000.00	6,000,000.00	0.00
09. Promoting social inclusion, combating poverty and any discrimination	8,000,000.00	6,000,000.00	0.00
10. Investing in education, training and vocational training for skills and lifelong learning	8,000,000.00	6,000,000.00	0.00
11. Enhancing institutional capacity of public authorities and stakeholders and an efficient public administration	8,000,000.00	6,000,000.00	0.00
Technical assistance	8,000,000.00	6,000,000.00	0.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>96,000,000.00</b>	<b>72,000,000.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>

## Validation rule 2.16 says:

*validate against fixed Financial Allocations that the sum of the EU contributions per Member State and Fund in the Partnership Agreement (paragraph 1.4.1) are smaller or equal than the fixed Financial Allocations per Member State and Fund (error)*

*Total ERDF+ESF (1.4.1) <= Less developed + Transition + More developed + Outermost (Financial Allocations)*

*Total CF (1.4.1) <= Cohesion Fund (Financial Allocations)*

*Total EAFRD (1.4.1) <= EAFRD (Financial Allocations)*

*Total EMFF (1.4.1) <= EMFF (Financial Allocations)*

## Not all the Member States are eligible for CF!

To view the map with the countries eligible for CF please click here:

[http://ec.europa.eu/regional\\_policy/what/future/img/elig\\_1420\\_Mar12\\_CF\\_0810\\_A4P20\\_M.pdf](http://ec.europa.eu/regional_policy/what/future/img/elig_1420_Mar12_CF_0810_A4P20_M.pdf)

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