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Mission

Develop tomorrow's technologies by excelling in research, today

Objectives

Integrate competences from researchers in electrical engineering

and computer science to advance the state of the art in computers,

telecommunications and information systems.

Support the first stages of the value generation chain: basic

research, applied research and advanced education.

In cooperation with other institutions, perform technology

transfer, support the creation of technology based startups and

provide technical support.

Organization

INESC-ID is a not for profit, privately owned, institution, with

the status of "utilidade pública", dedicated to advanced research

and development in the domains of electronics, telecommunications

and information technologies.

INESC-ID was created in 2000 and was awarded the status of

"Laboratório Associado" in December of 2004. INESC-ID is owned by

Instituto Superior Técnico and by Instituto de Engenharia de

Sistemas and Computadores. It integrates more than 60 PhDs and 100

pos-graduation students working in one of the five main action

lines:

Information and decision support systems

Communication networks and mobility

Virtual interactive environments

Embedded electronic systems

Computational processing of the Portuguese language

INESC-ID has three major sources of financing: national projects

of R&D, funded by FCT; international projects of R&D, funded by

the European Community; development projects funded directly by

direct contracts between INESC-ID and national or international

companies.