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21 May 2026

Dear [REDACTED]

**Freedom of Information request: FOI2026/00374**

Thank you for your Freedom of Information request received on the 27 April in which you requested the following:

**Your request:**

*Can I please submit a clarification on question 1 [in follow up to FOI2026/00296]:*

*Can you provide the same breakdown for Round 1 and Round 2 for the successful applications only. ie. For both Round 1 and Round 2 please indicate for each successful application how many were new vs follow-on investments.*

**Our response:**

I can confirm that UK Research and Innovation (UKRI) does hold information relevant to your request. Please see the information below.

In Round 1, out of 59 successful applications, 22 applications were from companies that were new to the nominating investor partner, and 37 applications were from companies that were an existing portfolio company of the nominating investor partner.

In Round 2, out of 229 successful applications, 78 applications were from companies that were new to the nominating investor partner, and 151 applications were from companies that were an existing portfolio company of the nominating investor partner.

Please note that with the Innovate UK Growth Catalyst – Investor Partnership competitions, where investor partners have invested in a follow-on round, they may also have introduced or attracted new investors into that funding round.

**Your rights**

If you have any queries regarding our response, please do let us know. If you are dissatisfied with the handling of your request, you have the right to ask for an internal review, explaining which elements of this decision you disagree with and why. Internal review requests should be submitted within 40 working days of the date of our response and should be addressed to:

Head of Information Governance  
Email: [foi@ukri.org](mailto:foi@ukri.org)

Please quote the reference number above in any future communications.

If you are still not content with the outcome of the internal review, you may apply to refer the matter to the Information Commissioner for a decision. Generally, the ICO cannot make a decision unless you have exhausted the review procedure provided by UKRI. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at: [www.ico.org.uk](http://www.ico.org.uk).

If you wish to raise a complaint regarding the service you have received or the conduct of any UKRI staff in relation to your request, please see [UKRI's complaints procedure](#)<sup>1</sup>.

Yours sincerely,

  
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<sup>1</sup> <https://www.ukri.org/who-we-are/contact-us/make-a-complaint/#skipnav-target>