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Basics in Technology Transfer and IPR @CNR

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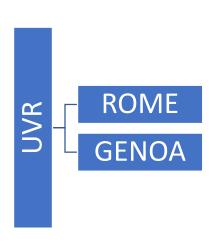


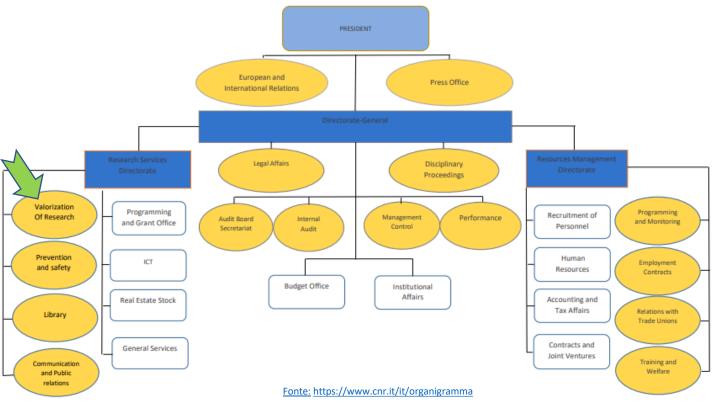




Technology Transfer Office – UVR

- Technology Transfer (TT) represents the Cnr's second mission, after the scientific research
- Technology Transfer Office: Unit Valorization of research











Technology Transfer Office @ Cnr network

7 Deps (biomedical Science, Physics, Chemicals, Human Science etc ...)





Institutes



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Researchers/
collaborators/
PhD Students ... ect



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Expertise

Support and Coordination of the Exploitation actions of CNR research and of its Scientific Network Promotion and coordination of Promotion, management, support and assistance the exploitation of research results on spin-off companies creation and management of towards enterprises, regional the Institutional share holding in such companies authorities and local organizations Support to the internationalisation activities Promotion, management, support and assistance on IPR protection of results, valorisation and exploitation of IPR, negotiation and contracts

RESEARCH RESULTS
MARKETING & PROMOTION

IPR PROTECTION

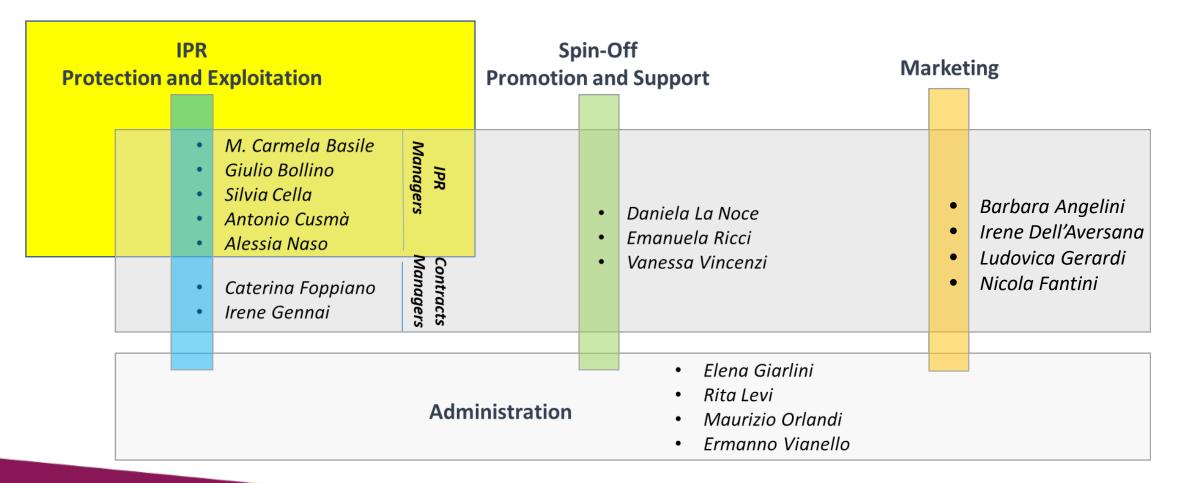
MANAGEMENT & EXPLOITATION

SPIN-OFF CREATION
PROMOTION & SUPPORT







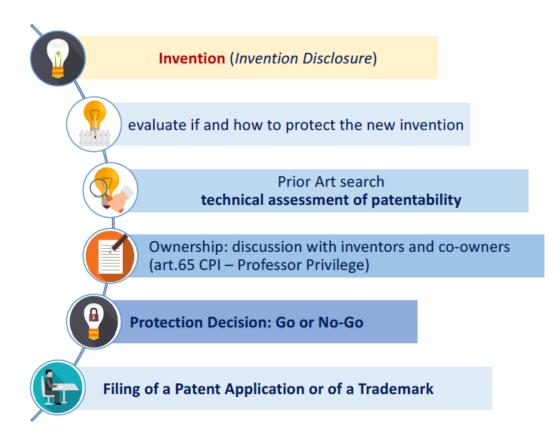








IPR Protection

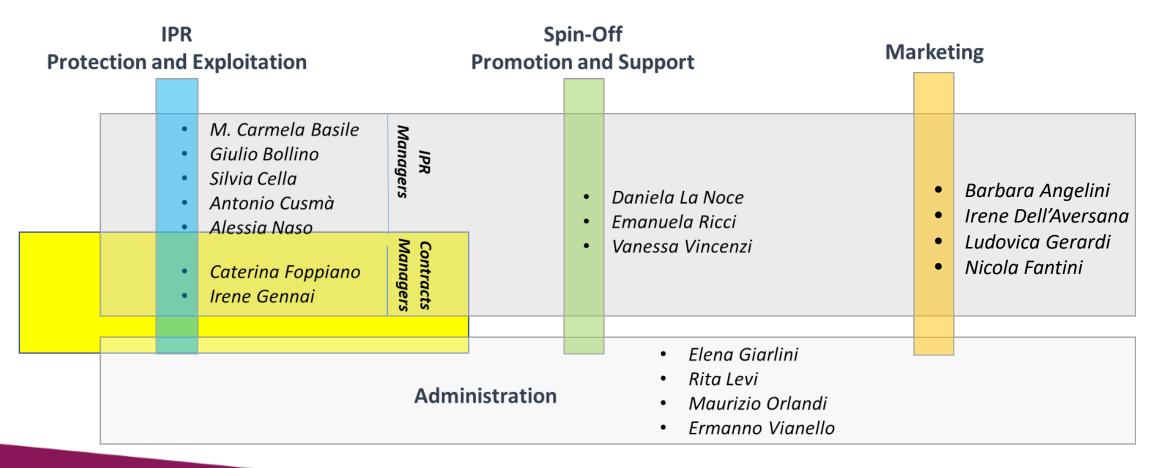






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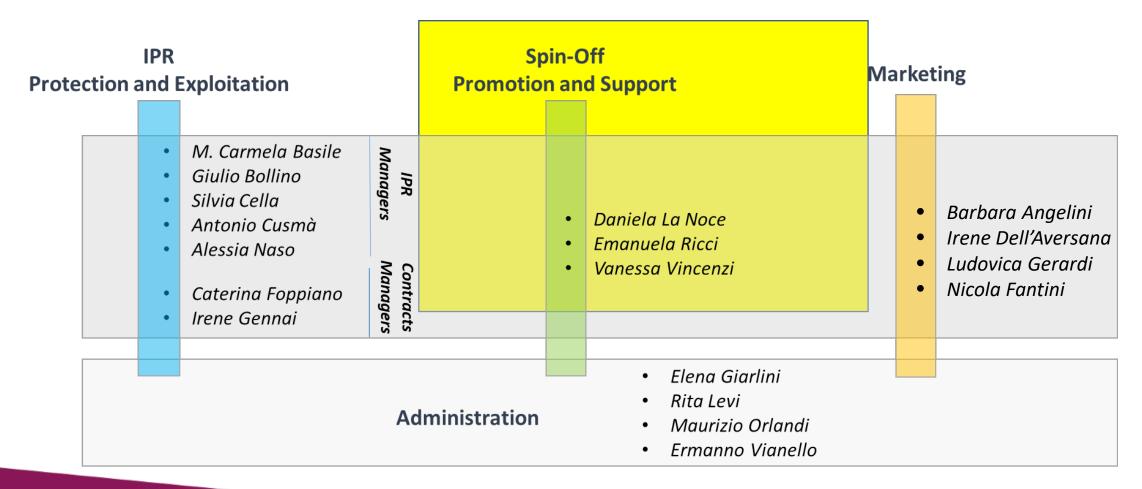


Technology Transfer the IPR portfolio

- Negotiation, definition and drafting of technology transfer and economic exploitation agreements for IPR and know-how, such as:
 - Licenses, exclusive and non-exclusive
 - Option Rights
 - Assignments
- Non-Disclosure Agreements and Data and Material Transfer Agreements: NDA, MDTA











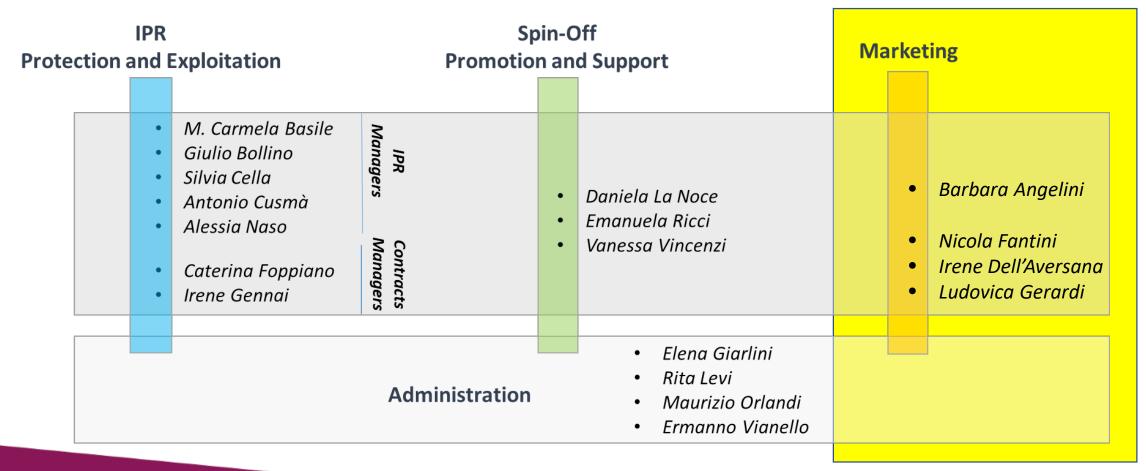
Spin-off creation

- The researchers that intend to set up a new company get in touch with the TTO in order to submit the business idea.
- TTO helps researchers and other shareholders (companies, research institutes, universities) to fine tune the proposals, providing support to prepare business plans, to choose the IPR protection strategy, to define the consortium agreements.
- The spin-off proposal is submitted by TTO to the Committee of experts (the Committee was modified in April 4th, 2022, and renewed on October 27th, 2022). In the examination, attention is paid to several points, such as the validity of the project; economic and market prospect; the role of Cnr in the initiative.
- Furthermore, the spin-off proposal is presented by TTO to Cnr's governing body (with the approval of the Department/Institute). The participation of Cnr in the companies is submitted to MIUR for its evaluation.
- The final step is the company's incorporation with the notary deed.

https://www.cnr.it/en/spin-off-promotion-support













Marketing

- ✓ Institutional relations and framework agreements, e.g. Unioncamere, Confindustria, CSMT; Confartigianato, Federchimica, Eni, United Arab Emirates, Technological Poles;
- ✓ Participation in TT projects with external partners (national and/or international; PROMOTT Instrument; MIR Project; Knowledge-share; AMICO Program; EEN Network; PNRR Projects);
- ✓ Agreements with valorization companies (technological brokers);
- ✓ Support and promotion activities for the establishment of new spin-off companies;
- ✓ Promotion of road show initiatives in various contexts, to organize meetings on the territory and on topics with the most motivated interlocutors;
- ✓ Calls for Industrial Doctorates: Cnr-Confindustria Scholarships;
- ✓ Training and Information Activities

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Some numbers

IPR Portfolio

376 Intellectual Property Rights

- 326 Patents (families)
- 42 Trademarks
- 14 new plant varieties

More than 70 licence agreements on Cnr IPR https://brevetti.cnr.it/brevetti/Catalogo.do

Spin-off portfolio

Currently the companies still active are n. 62 in emerging technology sectors such as: nanotechnologies and new material, biomedical and life sciences, environment, ICT, electronics and agri-food.

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Promotion and marketing

Promo-TT Instrument: joint project developed by Cnr and Unioncamere for the promotion of CNR technologies to the Productive World, in collaboration with the Chambers of Commerce and with all the relevant Stakeholders: 151 "promotion cards", 50% in contact with companies and/or investors, 15 events to promote the project and technologies, 2 start-ups created https://promott.cnr.it/it

Knowledge Share platform: more than 100 Cnr patents published, https://www.knowledge-share.eu/







PNRR projects

Ecosystem RAISE "Robotics and AI for Socio-economic Empowerment"

Spoke 5 → Knowledge Transfer & Development

https://www.raiseliguria.it/

National Center NBFC «National Biodiversity Future Center »

Spoke 8 → Biodiversity Open Innovation & Development of KETs

Leader spoke : Consiglio Nazionale delle Ricerche

https://www.nbfc.it/





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