## REQUEST FOR ADDITIONAL RESOURCES IN THE CURRENT YEAR FOR AN EXISTING SPECIAL PROJECT

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**Project title:** Air Quality and Composition – Regional Component

(CAMS 50)

**Project account: SPDEFRIU** 

Additional computer resources requested for		2019
High Performance Computing Facility	(units)	200,000
Data storage capacity (total)	(Gbytes)	

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<sup>1</sup> The Principal Investigator is the contact person for this Special Project

## Technical reasons and scientific justifications why additional resources are needed

With the regular update of the CAMS\_50 operational service in November 2018 the horizontal resolution of the EURAD\_IM regional air quality forecast as well as air quality analysis has been increased from 15 km to 9 km. More computing time than expected at the time of application for this special project is needed for the daily model simulations with increased resolution.