

# Informal Venture Capital in Spain

*Financing of Business Angels,  
Crowdfunding, Accelerators, Others*

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## INTRODUCTION

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The universe of participants in the process of financing firms in the initial development stages (startups) has grown enormously in recent years.<sup>1</sup> This does not yet have an important effect on the investment amount, since the amount of money involved is unimportant, but there is a glut of in the number of investee firms, in the degree of professionalization being reached by some agents and the attention given by the media.

Following the boom in creating accelerators-incubators, which almost certainly reached its peak in 2014, specialization has opened up in some segments such as food and agriculture (Orizont), e-learning (SEK), Video games (Conector Games, Demium), Cibersecurity (Incibe). The equity crowdfunding and crowd-lending platforms are gaining more and more weight and attracting the non-professional individual investor, thanks to their agile and flexible nature. Nowadays any private person can take part in the startup capital with a stake of as little as €1,000 and can also invest along with the most reputable business angels by means of the model exported by syndicates (through StartupXplore). This is now a guarantee of reducing part of the important risk involved in this type of investment.

We are also beginning to see the case of successful entrepreneurs who devote part of their returns from selling their firms to create formal Venture Capital vehicles, following in the path of the Cabiedes family. This is the case of José del Barrio (La Nevera Roja. Samaipata), Carlos Blanco (Akamon-Encomenda), Miguel Vicente y Gerard Olivé (LetsBonus-Antai), and future prospects like Lucas Carné and José Manuel Villanueva (co-founders of Privalia) or Ander Michelena and Jon Uriarte (Ticketbis).

Another important source is that of family offices devoting a small portion of resources to specific investments in startups. The return earned in deals such as La Nevera Roja (Next Chance or Jobandtalent (Percader) will serve to double their stake and encourage others to take part in high risk investments.

But this development is no more than the starting point of the immense potential to be found in financing startups. Perhaps there is a lack of more successful cases, especially in sectors which are not so lavish as Internet, such as Biotechnology or Industrial.

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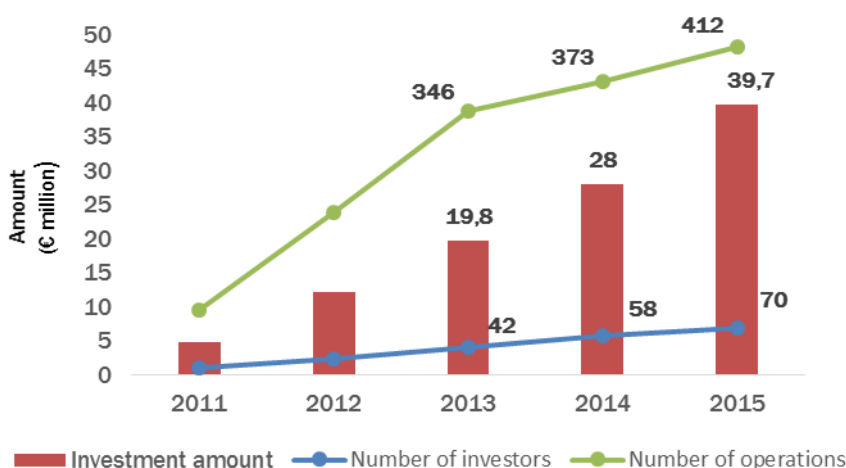
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1. Reaching a historic high in Venture Capital activity in 2015, according to figures published by [ASCRI](#) in its Spain's Venture Capital & Private Equity annual report

\* In the figures offered in the report the investments of Venture Capital funds are not included, neither are the loans such as CDTI, ENISA..nor crowd-lending platforms

## Investment activity

**Chart 1**  
Investment amount - Number of investors - Number of deals



Source: [www.webcapitalriesgo.com](http://www.webcapitalriesgo.com)

### *Maximum number for investment and number of deals...modest amounts*

Investments on behalf of networks and groups of business angels operating with organized, identifiable vehicles, accelerators, incubators and other bodies (henceforth BA-Ac) showed in 2015 a 42% rise to €39.7 million, of which €28 million was assigned to fresh investment. There was also an increase in the number of deals to 412 (+10.5%) with a slight rise in new investments (332), and, to a greater extent in expansions, which went from 47 to 80 in the last year(+70%). The average amount invested in new deals was €84,100 compared to the €72,000 recorded in 2014.

**Table 1**  
Amount invested and number of deals

| Type of investments                | Amount (€ Million) |             |             | Number     |            |            |
|------------------------------------|--------------------|-------------|-------------|------------|------------|------------|
|                                    | 2013               | 2014        | 2015        | 2013       | 2014       | 2015       |
| New investments                    | 17,8               | 23,5        | 27,9        | 308        | 326        | 332        |
| Expansions of previous investments | 2,0                | 4,5         | 11,7        | 38         | 47         | 80         |
| <b>Total</b>                       | <b>19,8</b>        | <b>28,0</b> | <b>39,7</b> | <b>346</b> | <b>373</b> | <b>412</b> |

Source: [www.webcapitalriesgo.com](http://www.webcapitalriesgo.com).

86% of the total investment in 2015 went to Spanish firms whilst the remaining 14% went to firms established in other countries. Regarding the number of deals the percentages were 78% and 22%, respectively.

According to development phase of the investee firm, 45% of the number of new deals were concentrated in seed phase investments, 48% in startup stage, and the remaining 7% shared among the most advanced stages, other early stage (3%) and Later Stage (4%).

## ***Most active investors in 2015***

53 investors carried out at least one new operation in 2015, compared to 47 registered a year before.

As in previous years, Wayra was the investor (and accelerator) who made most new investments throughout the year, with 78, followed by Lanzadera and Impact, with 27 and 19, respectively. Also outstanding was the activity promoted by the business angel network of IESE (18) and ESADE (15); by the Crowdcube equity crowdfunding platform (16); and by the group of investors in Toubkal, who performed 10 new investments in 2015.

**Table 2**  
Number of new deals per type of investor

| Accelerators               | Investment groups         | Business Angels networks | Crowdfunding platforms |
|----------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------|------------------------|
| Wayra (78)                 | Toubkal Partners (10)     | IESE BAN (18)            | Crowdcube (16)         |
| Lanzadera (27)             | Antal VB/ Antal BAN (6)   | ESADE BAN (15)           | The Crowd Angel (4)    |
| Impact (19)                | Sitka Capital (6)         | Reus Tarragona BA (7)    | Capital Cell (2)       |
| Bbooster <sup>2</sup> (16) | Gin Venture Capital (5)   | Big Bang Angels (7)      |                        |
| Conector (12)              | Civeta Investment (5)     | StartupXplore (4)        |                        |
| Plug & Play España (12)    | Making Ideas Business (5) |                          |                        |

Source: [www.webcapitalriesgo.com](http://www.webcapitalriesgo.com).

2. BBooster's data are included in the official statistic of venture capital (prepared by Webcapitalriesgo commissioned by ASCR, since their investments are materialized through vehicles under the Venture Capital Law (SinesisSeedd Capital, SCR and next through Booster-Directo); though by its origin, philosophy and path Booster deserves mention in this section.

## *Outstanding deals of the year*

One of the principal deals of the year was the latest round performed by the Spanish search platform of employment **Jobandtalent**. There, the leading player was the Percacer holding company, owned by the Koplowitz family, and Nicolás Luca de Tena, via the investment body Next Chance. Also present in the round were the venture capital funds Qualitas, Kibo Ventures and the FJME-Fides.

Much has been said about the last closed round in **Fever**, the application for finding and buying leisure plans in the city, in which the international funds Accel, Fidelity Growth Capital and 14W Ventures participated, as well as the business angel Bernardo Hernández.

Another notable operation of the year was the first round performed in **Open Camp**, a sports theme park which enables visitors to enjoy more than 50 sports such as athletics, football or skiing, through virtual reality technologies. Here there was participation from the venture capital firm Inveready several family offices and investors from the Reus Tarragona Business Angels network, as well as large multinationals such as Microsoft, Randstad, TUI Travel or Huawei.

The marketplace for financing small and medium sized firms outside the banking sector **Novicap**, closed its latest round headed by the international venture capital fund Techstars. Also there were Tekton, Partech and Cabiedes, and business angels through the platform StartupXplore.<sup>3</sup> The new funds will be used to strengthen the labour force and marketing and sales.

Other deals worth mentioning are **Sentisis** (Axon, FJME-Fides, 500Startups, IESE Ban, Startcaps) **Indexa Capital** (Cabiedes, Fides Capital, François Derbaix, Viriditas, other Bas), **Klikin** (Caixa CR, IESE Ban, Pa-deinvest).

## *The Digital sector takes the prize*

Regarding classification by sectors,<sup>4</sup> investment in firms from the Digital area amassed €23.9 million (60% of the total) in 230 deals (56%). A long way behind came the Informatic Software category, with €4.3 million and 58 deals and the Service sector, with €3.4 million and 41 deals.

Of the 56 investors who performed at least one new/and/or a follow up 44 operated in the Digital area. This bears witness to the high degree of specialization existing at the present moment.

Also, unfortunately it leaves little margin and underlines the financing deficit that prevails in such important sectors as the industrial one (€1.9million in 5 deals) or the biotechnological (€1.45 million /10 deals).

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3. It was also backed from its origins by SeedRocket and later by Lanzame Capital.

4. Breakdown of categories: Digital Sector Internet , ecommerce..)/Industrial: (Products and Services, Electronics Automation Industrial Other Manufactures/Consumption (Retail, Others /Services finances/Other sectors tech;Telecommunications Hardware. Telecommunications Carriers, Communications others Chemicals and Materials+Energy/Other traditional sectors (Agriculture, Construction, Transport, Others).

**Table 3**  
Investment and number of deals per sector

| Sectors                   | Amount (€ Million) |             |             | Number     |            |            |
|---------------------------|--------------------|-------------|-------------|------------|------------|------------|
|                           | 2013               | 2014        | 2015        | 2013       | 2014       | 2015       |
| Digital Sector            | 12,70              | 13,87       | 23,91       | 237        | 217        | 230        |
| Informatic Hardware       | 0,33               | 0,57        | 0,61        | 7          | 9          | 8          |
| Informatic Software       | 3,85               | 5,90        | 4,28        | 53         | 77         | 58         |
| Informatic Services       | 0,43               | 0,75        | 2,32        | 10         | 8          | 24         |
| Industrial                | 0,50               | 1,08        | 1,93        | 5          | 8          | 5          |
| Consumption               | 0,03               | 0,87        | 1,24        | 2          | 10         | 22         |
| Biotechnology             | 0,28               | 1,93        | 1,45        | 2          | 15         | 10         |
| Medicine                  | 0,89               | 1,02        | 0,21        | 8          | 9          | 8          |
| Services                  | 0,56               | 1,53        | 3,42        | 16         | 13         | 41         |
| Other tech sectors        | 0,27               | 0,28        | 0,27        | 5          | 5          | 6          |
| Otros traditional sectors | 0,02               | 0,16        | 0,00        | 1          | 2          | 0          |
| <b>Total</b>              | <b>19,8</b>        | <b>28,0</b> | <b>39,7</b> | <b>346</b> | <b>373</b> | <b>412</b> |

Source: [www.webcapitalriesgo.com](http://www.webcapitalriesgo.com).

## *Spain: country of microinvestments*

94% of the investments taking place were for less than € 250,000, not exceeding €75,000 in two thirds of cases. 16 transactions were in the € 250,000-500,000 bracket, against 4 between €500,000-1million. In the past year there was major activity above a million euros, more than in the previous years, with 3 investments between €1-2.5 million and another for more than €5 million.

**Table 4**  
Amount and number of deals in firms<sup>5</sup> by size of operation

| Investment tranche     | Amount (€Million) |             |             | Number     |            |            |
|------------------------|-------------------|-------------|-------------|------------|------------|------------|
|                        | 2013              | 2014        | 2015        | 2013       | 2014       | 2015       |
| 0 - 0,25 (€ Million)   | 15,0              | 19,8        | 21,9        | 326        | 338        | 363        |
| 0,25 - 0,5 (€ Million) | 2,6               | 3,6         | 5,3         | 8          | 11         | 16         |
| 0,5 - 1 (€ Million)    | 1,0               | 3,6         | 2,4         | 2          | 6          | 4          |
| 1 - 2,5 (€ Million)    | 1,3               | 1,0         | 4,5         | 1          | 1          | 3          |
| Over 2,5 (€ Million)   | 0,0               | 0,0         | 5,5         | 0          | 0          | 1          |
| <b>Total</b>           | <b>19,8</b>       | <b>28,0</b> | <b>39,7</b> | <b>337</b> | <b>356</b> | <b>387</b> |

Source: www.webcapitalriesgo.com.

Of the total amount invested in 2015, €34.3 million (86%) were assigned to firms established in Spain, with 321 deals recorded (78%). 45% of the investment (€15.5 million) went to Catalonia, followed by 22% registered in Andalucía (€7.7 million) and 19.5% in the Community of Madrid (€6.7 million).

As for the number of deals, Catalonia continues to lead the classification, with 119 transactions (37%). The activity of Lanzadera, Plug & Play, Demium and BigBanAngels, fundamentally put the Community of Valencia in second place, with 90 deals (28%). Next came the Community of Madrid, with 75 deals (23%). Other regions with some operation were Andalucía, Aragón, Asturias, Baleares, Canaries, Galicia, La Rioja, Murcia and the Basque Country.

5. Grouping the different contributions from the same investor in the same firm in one year.

**Table 5**  
Investment and number of deals per Regions

| Regions           | Amount (€ Million) |             |             | Number     |            |            |
|-------------------|--------------------|-------------|-------------|------------|------------|------------|
|                   | 2013               | 2014        | 2015        | 2013       | 2014       | 2015       |
| Madrid            | 4,5                | 5,3         | 6,7         | 79         | 62         | 75         |
| Catalonia         | 5,1                | 10,5        | 15,6        | 70         | 111        | 119        |
| Andalusia         | 1,5                | 1,4         | 7,7         | 8          | 8          | 17         |
| Basque Country    | 0,1                | 0,3         | 0,2         | 3          | 11         | 6          |
| Galicia           | 0,0                | 0,4         | 0,2         | 1          | 3          | 3          |
| Castile and León  | 0,2                | 0,0         | 0,0         | 1          | 0          | 0          |
| Castile-La Mancha | 0,0                | 0,0         | 0,0         | 0          | 1          | 0          |
| Aragón            | 0,0                | 0,0         | 0,1         | 2          | 0          | 1          |
| Extremadura       | 0,0                | 0,0         | 0,0         | 0          | 0          | 0          |
| Canary Islands    | 0,0                | 0,0         | 0,1         | 0          | 0          | 1          |
| Navarre           | 0,0                | 0,0         | 0,0         | 1          | 0          | 0          |
| Asturias          | 0,2                | 0,1         | 0,1         | 5          | 2          | 5          |
| Valencia          | 2,7                | 5,3         | 3,4         | 35         | 59         | 90         |
| Balearic Islands  | 0,0                | 0,0         | 0,1         | 4          | 0          | 1          |
| Murcia            | 0,0                | 0,0         | 0,0         | 1          | 0          | 2          |
| Cantabria         | 0,1                | 0,0         | 0,0         | 2          | 0          | 0          |
| La Rioja          | 0,0                | 0,1         | 0,2         | 0          | 1          | 1          |
| Ceuta/ Melilla    | 0,0                | 0,0         | 0,0         | 0          | 0          | 0          |
| <b>Total</b>      | <b>14,5</b>        | <b>23,3</b> | <b>34,3</b> | <b>212</b> | <b>258</b> | <b>321</b> |

Source: [www.webcapitalriesgo.com](http://www.webcapitalriesgo.com).

## **International activity**

Last year, the investment in companies based abroad rose 13% to €5.3 million shared among 91 deals (-26%). Of the 11 investors which made at least one operation abroad, Wayra highlighted with 67 deals, followed by Impact with 8. The investee companies were based in 17 countries, 9 European, 7 Latin American and one in the U.S.

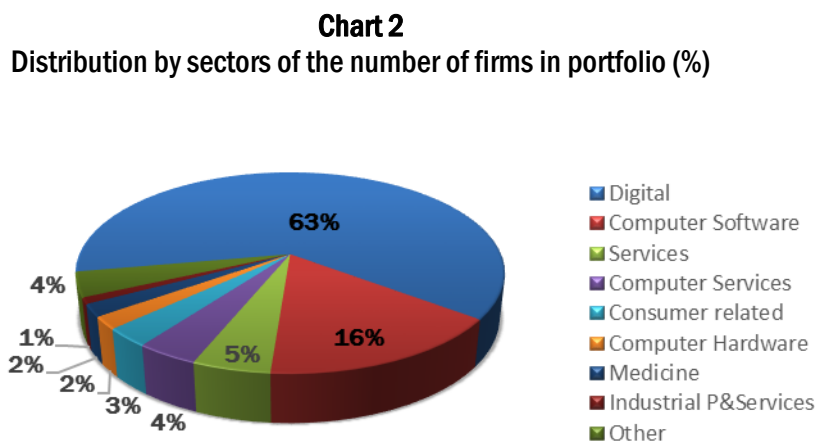
Although the investment of foreign venture funds in Spain is quite customary, in the informal investment segment it is only just beginning. If we exclude the “nationalized” Plug & Play (U.S.), or Crowdcube (UK), which started in other countries and have their offices and equipment established in Spain, only another 4 investors have taken a stake in any Spanish firm in recent years. 500Startups (U.S.), Incuvest (Singapore), and Shozemi (Japan) in Sentsis and Monkimun; and People Fund (U.S.) in Playspace.

## **The portfolio exceeds €100 million. It´s all to do**

For the first time, the accumulated portfolio of BA-Ac passed €100 million, specifically €102.3 million, shared among 1,099 firms. This represents an average investment of €93, 122 per firm. 70 investors had at least one firm in their portfolio at the end of 2015.

In terms of amount this figure is a drop in the ocean, when we bear in mind that the portfolio of Venture Capital and Private Equity bodies reached €16.490 million (2,517 firms at the end of 2015), according to figures published by [ASCRI](#).

693 firms in portfolio (635 of the total), belong to the Digital sector, amassing €60.4 million (59%). A long way behind we find the Informatic Software category, with 180 firms (16%), and the Services sector with 56 firms



Source: [www.webcapitalriesgo.com](http://www.webcapitalriesgo.com).

In Spain, Catalonia totals 38% of firms in portfolio (292), followed by the Community of Madrid with 28.7% (221), and the Community of Valencia, with 16% (142).

## *A mixed bag for divestments*

Apparently 2015 was a great year in the section of divestments of BA-Ac, but a closer look reveals that this was not quite the case. The divested amount, at cost, rose by 206%, to €8.1 million, while the number of divestments rose by 74%, to 135. However, it must be borne in mind that more than half of the amount and 88% of the total number of total divestments (121) were write-offs. These percentages are unusually high and were very much conditioned by the data of just one investor.

**Table 6**  
Definitive divestments by amount and number

| Mechanism (total D). | Amount (€ Million) |            |            | Number    |           |            |
|----------------------|--------------------|------------|------------|-----------|-----------|------------|
|                      | 2013               | 2014       | 2015       | 2013      | 2014      | 2015       |
| Owners buyback       | 0,5                | 1,3        | 0,0        | 9         | 6         | 1          |
| Secondary buyout     | 0,1                | 0,0        | 0,2        | 1         | 0         | 2          |
| Trade sales          | 0,0                | 0,1        | 2,6        | 0         | 4         | 5          |
| Public offering      | 0,0                | 0,0        | 0,1        | 0         | 0         | 1          |
| Write-off            | 1,2                | 0,9        | 5,0        | 18        | 18        | 121        |
| Loan Reimbursement   | 0,0                | 0,0        | 0,1        | 0         | 0         | 2          |
| Other                | 0,0                | 0,1        | 0,0        | 0         | 2         | 0          |
| <b>Total</b>         | <b>1,8</b>         | <b>2,3</b> | <b>7,9</b> | <b>28</b> | <b>30</b> | <b>132</b> |

Source: [www.webcapitalriesgo.com](http://www.webcapitalriesgo.com).

The most positive aspect of last year was the closure of two of the biggest internet divestments in recent years in Spain, the sale of [la Nevera](#) to [Foodpanda](#) and that of [Akamon](#) to [Imperus](#). In these deals a major part was played by the family office of Luca de Tena (Next Chance) and the business angel Carlos Blanco, respectively.

Also of significance for its size was the sale of the Irish [Trustev](#) (backed by [Wayra](#)) to [TransUnion](#). Likewise, there was an outstanding sale to industrials performed in [Alterkeys](#) ([Civeta](#)) and in [Authy](#) ([Startcaps](#)).

Among sales to venture capital firms we can mention the divestments in [Marfeel](#) (backed by [Wayra](#)) and in [Aprendum](#).

The wealth accruing to investors involved and the media reaction to these divestments are very positive for feedback of the ecosystem. On the contrary, five sales to industrials and two to venture companies still amounts to little.

## ***Different stages of startup financing***

Innovative startups usually undergo different financing rounds to finance their startups takeoffs and expansion. After having attracted funds from the founders themselves, and their closest social circle (Family, Friends and Fools), in recent years a large number of firms have chosen accelerators to kickstart their early development stages. This is a prior step to the entry of the business angels and, subsequently, seed capital funds (venture capital). It is also frequent for the firm to receive participative loans from some public body like Enisa. This may be the logical sequence but it is not uncommon for the order to be reversed by different types of investors, possibly because the ecosystem is still in the process of formation.

***Founders + Family, Friends & Fools > Incubator-Accelerator > Business  
Angel, Enisa or similar loan > VC Fund***

For example, an online human resources and talent management platform received resources from two VC funds in 2011, the following year they obtained a participative loan and after three more years (2015) once more received funds via a business angels network, a group of business angels and another VC fund.

Even stranger is the case of the funding of a platform to enable a text written on the Internet or social media to be personalized. In 2013 one of the biggest VC funds operating in Spain became part of the stake holding group and, in parallel received a participative loan. The following year several business angels, from two different networks came in. Finally, in 2015, the startup received new funds (convertible loan) and another participative loan from a public Autonomous body; and joined an acceleration program.

It has also happened that some firm, after passing through an accelerator, did the same in another.

## ***Analysis of VC coinvestments involving Business Angels-Accelerators***

Of the 1,099 firms making up the portfolio,<sup>6</sup> 299 are staked by more than one investment body, and in the case of 133 firms, in addition several BA-Ac also coinvest with one or more VC funds, either national or foreign.

Last year 99 firms received funding from, at least one BA-Ac and in the case of 49 of them, there was also participation from at least one VC fund. These 49 firms received from 2009, but basically from 2012 till the end of 2015, €61.8 million. Of this, 59% came from VC funds and the remaining 41% from BA-Ac. Average financing received by each firm stood at €1.26 million (See detail of the 49 firms in tables 9 and 10 in Annex I).

The average BA-AC per firm was 2.1 and there was a fall to 1.4 in the number of VC bodies. As examples of firms with the highest number of coinvestors, one maintains 4 VC funds in his list of stakeholders and another 4 BA-Ac; and there is another case of one who has one VC fund and 8 BA-Acs.

6. From the point of view of each investor. So, if the sum total all the investors investing in the same firm was taken, there would be 80 firms in the portfolio.

**Table 7**  
**Investors involved in the 49 firms analysed**

| BA groups-networks /<br>Accelerators/ Other | VC firms                                            |
|---------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------|
| 1 101 Startups                              | 1 14w                                               |
| 2 Alantis Seed Capital                      | 2 Accel                                             |
| 3 Big Bang Angels                           | 3 Angels Capital                                    |
| 4 Big Sur Ventures-Necotium                 | 4 Axon Partners                                     |
| 5 Civeta Investment S.A.                    | 5 Bankinter CR                                      |
| 6 Conector                                  | 6 BStartup                                          |
| 7 Crowdcube                                 | 7 Cabiedes & Partners                               |
| 8 Cube Investments                          | 8 Caixa Capital Risc                                |
| 9 EIX Technova                              | 9 Corpin Capital                                    |
| 10 ESADE BAN                                | 10 Fidelity Growth Partners                         |
| 11 Faraday Venture Partners                 | 11 Fides Capital                                    |
| 12 Gin Venture Capital                      | 12 FJME-Fides                                       |
| 13 Grupo Mola                               | 13 Gestión de Capital Riesgo del País Vasco (GCRPV) |
| 14 Idodi Venture Capital                    | 14 Iberdrola VC                                     |
| 15 IESE Red de inversores                   | 15 Inveready                                        |
| 16 Impact                                   | 16 Invertec                                         |
| 17 Intelectium Business Accelerator         | 17 Kibo Ventures                                    |
| 18 Lanzadera                                | 18 Ona Capital                                      |
| 19 Lánzame Capital                          | 19 Partech                                          |
| 20 Making Ideas Business                    | 20 Prince Capital Partners                          |
| 21 NextChance                               | 21 Qualitas Equity                                  |
| 22 PADEinvest                               | 22 Rosetech Ventures                                |
| 23 Pelayo Cortina FO                        | 23 Sinensis Seed Capital                            |
| 24 People Fund                              | 24 Techstars                                        |
| 25 Plug and Play España                     | 25 Tekton                                           |
| 26 Realiza Business Angels, S.A.            | 26 VitaminaK                                        |
| 27 Reus Tarragona Business Angels           |                                                     |
| 28 SeedRocket                               |                                                     |
| 29 Sitka Capital                            |                                                     |
| 30 Solon Inversiones                        |                                                     |
| 31 StartCaps Ventures                       |                                                     |
| 32 StartupXplore                            |                                                     |
| 33 Toubkal Partners                         |                                                     |
| 34 Upcelera                                 |                                                     |
| 35 Viriditas Ventures                       |                                                     |
| 36 Wayra                                    |                                                     |

*\*9 Business Angels also participated in deals not included in any of the BA networks of the list*

22 firms (45%) were in the seed stage when they first received funds, the same number as the firms at startup. In later phases of development only two firms were recorded in any other early stage (4%) and three in Later Stage (6%).

As happened when investment activity was analysed for 2015 or the accumulated portfolio, most of the 49 firms analysed belonged to the digital sector (57), a significant number came from the subcategory Software (31%). Other sectors represented are industrial, Consumer related, Biotechnology and Hotel Industry/Leisure.

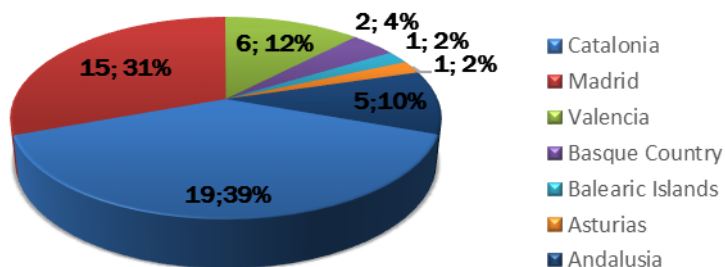
**Table 8**  
Distribution by sectors of 49 firms analysed

|                        |           |             |
|------------------------|-----------|-------------|
| Digital                | 28        | 57%         |
| Computer Software      | 15        | 31%         |
| Computer Hardware      | 1         | 2%          |
| Computer Services      | 1         | 2%          |
| Industrial P&Services  | 1         | 2%          |
| Consumer related       | 1         | 2%          |
| Biotechnology          | 1         | 2%          |
| Hotel Industry/Leisure | 1         | 2%          |
| <b>Total</b>           | <b>49</b> | <b>100%</b> |

Source: ASCRI/ Webcapitalriesgo.com

Catalonia and the Community of Madrid were the regions with the greatest number of firms coinvested by VC funds and BA-Acs, respectively. Next came the Community of Valencia, with 6.

**Chart 3**  
Distribution of the 49 firms analysed by Regions



Source: ASCRI/ Webcapitalriesgo.com

## INVESTORS LIST WITH ACTIVE PORTFOLIO AT 31-12-2015

| Accelerators                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | Business Angels groups and networks /<br>Equity Crowdfunding                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | Other                                                                                |
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| 500Startups<br>Bbooster<br>Conector<br>Demium Startups<br>Impact<br>Intelectium Business Accelerator<br>Lanzadera<br>Plug and Play España<br>SeedRocket<br>SHOzemi Innovation Ventures<br>Sonar Ventures<br>Wayra<br>Zarpamos | 101Startups<br>Abra Invest<br>Alantis Seed Capital<br>Antai Venture Builder / Antai BAN<br>BCN Business Angels<br>Big Sur Ventures-Necotium<br>Business Angels Network Catalunya<br>Capital Cell<br>Civeta Investment S.A.<br>Crowdcube<br>Cube Investments<br>Dank Capital<br>Digital Assets Deployment, S.L.<br>EIX Technova<br>ESADE BAN<br>Faraday Venture Partners<br>FDI Internet & Mobile<br>FundedByMe<br>Gin Venture Capital<br>Grupo ITNET<br>Grupo Mola<br>Idodi Venture Capital<br>IESE Red de Inversores<br>InnoBAN<br>Incuvest<br>Keiretsu Forum<br>Lanta Digital Ventures<br>Lánzame Capital<br>Making Ideas Business<br>MicroWave Ventures<br>PADEinvest<br>People Fund<br>Primmera Inversiones en Desarrollo, S.A. I, II y III<br>Realiza Business Angels, S.A.<br>Reus Tarragona Business Angels<br>SeedSyndicates<br>Sitka Capital<br>Solon Inversiones<br>StartCaps Ventures<br>StartupXplore<br>The Crowd Angel<br>Toubkal Partners<br>Upcelera<br>Viriditas Ventures | eGauss Business Holding I+T<br>Izertis Ventures<br>NextChance<br>Pelayo Cortina FFOO |

Source: www.webcapitalriesgo.com. // \* 9 Business Angels also participated in deals not included in any of the BA networks of the list

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# ANNEX I

*Tables with the detail of 49 firms VC coinvestments involving Business Angels-Accelerators*

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**Table 9**  
Detail of 49 firms VC coinvestments involving Business Angels-Accelerators (I)

| Company       | Portfolio<br>(€Thousand) | BA-Ac portfolio<br>(€Thousand) | BA-Ac (%)<br>portfolio | Year | Operation |
|---------------|--------------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------|------|-----------|
| 1             | 2.333,2                  | 1.693,2                        | 73%                    | 2015 | Initial   |
| 2             | 409,0                    | 152,0                          | 37%                    | 2011 | Follow-on |
| 3             | 274,3                    | 260,0                          | 95%                    | 2012 | Follow-on |
| 4             | 415,0                    | 315,0                          | 76%                    | 2012 | Follow-on |
| 5             | 140,0                    | 40,0                           | 29%                    | 2015 | Initial   |
| 6             | 613,0                    | 270,0                          | 44%                    | 2013 | Follow-on |
| 7             | 1.231,5                  | 450,0                          | 37%                    | 2010 | Follow-on |
| 8             | 140,0                    | 20,0                           | 14%                    | 2015 | Initial   |
| 9             | 450,0                    | 300,0                          | 67%                    | 2014 | Follow-on |
| 10            | 719,6                    | 257,0                          | 36%                    | 2014 | Follow-on |
| 11            | 280,0                    | 40,0                           | 14%                    | 2015 | Initial   |
| 12            | 110,0                    | 10,0                           | 9%                     | 2015 | Initial   |
| 13            | 348,0                    | 295,0                          | 85%                    | 2013 | Follow-on |
| 14            | 332,5                    | 167,5                          | 50%                    | 2013 | Follow-on |
| 15            | 366,0                    | 125,0                          | 34%                    | 2015 | Initial   |
| 16            | 1.200,0                  | 600,0                          | 50%                    | 2015 | Initial   |
| 17            | 100,0                    | 50,0                           | 50%                    | 2013 | Follow-on |
| 18            | 386,6                    | 134,0                          | 35%                    | 2013 | Follow-on |
| 19            | 70,0                     | 20,0                           | 29%                    | 2015 | Initial   |
| 20            | 270,0                    | 170,0                          | 63%                    | 2015 | Initial   |
| 21            | 130,0                    | 80,0                           | 62%                    | 2013 | Follow-on |
| 22            | 408,0                    | 175,0                          | 43%                    | 2013 | Follow-on |
| 23            | 290,0                    | 190,0                          | 66%                    | 2014 | Follow-on |
| 24            | 280,0                    | 130,0                          | 46%                    | 2014 | Follow-on |
| 25            | 283,0                    | 203,0                          | 72%                    | 2014 | Follow-on |
| 26            | 259,5                    | 209,5                          | 81%                    | 2015 | Initial   |
| 27            | 420,0                    | 350,0                          | 83%                    | 2015 | Follow-on |
| 28            | 572,3                    | 372,5                          | 65%                    | 2015 | Initial   |
| 29            | 556,8                    | 383,0                          | 69%                    | 2013 | Follow-on |
| 30            | 1.464,5                  | 1.242,0                        | 85%                    | 2013 | Follow-on |
| 31            | 105,0                    | 5,0                            | 5%                     | 2015 | Initial   |
| 32            | 2.163,5                  | 1.663,0                        | 77%                    | 2011 | Follow-on |
| 33            | 3.127,0                  | 650,0                          | 21%                    | 2009 | Follow-on |
| 34            | 305,0                    | 5,0                            | 2%                     | 2015 | Initial   |
| 35            | 1.425,7                  | 425,0                          | 30%                    | 2015 | Initial   |
| 36            | 990,9                    | 393,5                          | 40%                    | 2011 | Follow-on |
| 37            | 220,0                    | 125,0                          | 57%                    | 2010 | Follow-on |
| 38            | 325,0                    | 215,0                          | 66%                    | 2014 | Follow-on |
| 39            | 980,1                    | 530,0                          | 54%                    | 2013 | Follow-on |
| 40            | 995,8                    | 98,8                           | 10%                    | 2014 | Follow-on |
| 41            | 20.850,0                 | 10.560,0                       | 51%                    | 2012 | Follow-on |
| 42            | 410,0                    | 200,0                          | 49%                    | 2014 | Follow-on |
| 43            | 285,8                    | 231,0                          | 81%                    | 2013 | Follow-on |
| 44            | 90,0                     | 50,0                           | 56%                    | 2012 | Follow-on |
| 45            | 603,9                    | 67,0                           | 11%                    | 2013 | Follow-on |
| 46            | 1.224,3                  | 276,0                          | 23%                    | 2014 | Follow-on |
| 47            | 11.075,0                 | 825,0                          | 7%                     | 2014 | Follow-on |
| 48            | 1.145,9                  | 196,0                          | 17%                    | 2013 | Follow-on |
| 49            | 590,0                    | 190,0                          | 32%                    | 2014 | Follow-on |
| <b>Total</b>  | <b>61.765,5</b>          | <b>25.408,9</b>                |                        |      |           |
| <b>Mean</b>   | <b>1.260,5</b>           | <b>518,5</b>                   | <b>47%</b>             |      |           |
| <b>Median</b> | <b>410,0</b>             | <b>200,0</b>                   |                        |      |           |

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**Table 10**  
Detail of 49 firms VC coinvestments involving Business Angels-Accelerators (II)

| Company       | Number VC  | Number BA-Ac | Stage       | Sector                           |
|---------------|------------|--------------|-------------|----------------------------------|
| 1             | 1          | 1            | Seed        | Hotel industry/Leisure           |
| 2             | 2          | 1            | Startup     | Digital                          |
| 3             | 1          | 4            | Startup     | Digital                          |
| 4             | 1          | 2            | Startup     | Digital                          |
| 5             | 1          | 1            | Early Stage | Digital                          |
| 6             | 1          | 1            | Startup     | Digital                          |
| 7             | 2          | 2            | Seed        | Digital                          |
| 8             | 1          | 1            | Seed        | Digital                          |
| 9             | 1          | 2            | Seed        | Digital                          |
| 10            | 2          | 2            | Seed        | Digital                          |
| 11            | 1          | 1            | Startup     | Computer Software                |
| 12            | 1          | 1            | Startup     | Computer Software                |
| 13            | 1          | 1            | Startup     | Digital                          |
| 14            | 1          | 3            | Seed        | Digital                          |
| 15            | 1          | 1            | Startup     | Industrial Products and Services |
| 16            | 2          | 1            | Seed        | Computer Software                |
| 17            | 1          | 1            | Seed        | Computer Software                |
| 18            | 1          | 2            | Seed        | Digital                          |
| 19            | 1          | 1            | Seed        | Computer Software                |
| 20            | 1          | 3            | Startup     | Computer Software                |
| 21            | 1          | 1            | Startup     | Computer Software                |
| 22            | 2          | 2            | Startup     | Digital                          |
| 23            | 1          | 2            | Seed        | Computer Software                |
| 24            | 1          | 3            | Seed        | Digital                          |
| 25            | 1          | 4            | Seed        | Computer Hardware                |
| 26            | 1          | 1            | Expansion   | Consumer related                 |
| 27            | 1          | 1            | Expansion   | Computer Services                |
| 28            | 1          | 3            | Startup     | Digital                          |
| 29            | 1          | 2            | Startup     | Digital                          |
| 30            | 1          | 8            | Startup     | Computer Software                |
| 31            | 1          | 1            | Startup     | Computer Software                |
| 32            | 1          | 3            | Startup     | Digital                          |
| 33            | 1          | 1            | Startup     | Biotechnology                    |
| 34            | 2          | 1            | Startup     | Digital                          |
| 35            | 1          | 2            | Expansion   | Computer Software                |
| 36            | 3          | 2            | Seed        | Digital                          |
| 37            | 1          | 3            | Seed        | Digital                          |
| 38            | 2          | 8            | Startup     | Digital                          |
| 39            | 2          | 3            | Seed        | Digital                          |
| 40            | 1          | 1            | Startup     | Computer Software                |
| 41            | 3          | 2            | Early Stage | Digital                          |
| 42            | 1          | 1            | Seed        | Computer Software                |
| 43            | 1          | 3            | Startup     | Digital                          |
| 44            | 1          | 1            | Seed        | Digital                          |
| 45            | 1          | 3            | Seed        | Digital                          |
| 46            | 4          | 4            | Seed        | Digital                          |
| 47            | 3          | 1            | Seed        | Digital                          |
| 48            | 2          | 2            | Seed        | Computer Software                |
| 49            | 3          | 1            | Startup     | Computer Software                |
| <b>Total</b>  | <b>69</b>  | <b>102</b>   |             |                                  |
| <b>Mean</b>   | <b>1,4</b> | <b>2,1</b>   |             |                                  |
| <b>Median</b> | <b>1</b>   | <b>2</b>     |             |                                  |

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