

Application for Demonstration Voucher (second call)

Title of Proposal:

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Application date	
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Note 1: The project needs to team up a minimum of 2 SME from different sectors (ref. VIDA terms and conditions). Please note that the requested information needs to be provided for each project partner individually if funding is requested.

Section 1 General Information project coordinator

1.1. Company Profile (project coordinator) = PP1

Company Name			
Company Address (street)			
Postcode		City	
Country		Region	
Webpage			
Social networks (Twitter/LinkedIn)			
Company VAT Number			

1.2. Contact Person

Title (Mr, Mrs, Ms)	
Academic degree	
Family Name	
First Name	
Position	
Telephone Number	
Mobile Number	
Email Address	



1.3. About Your Company

Nature of your business:

Production Service Other (specify)

Prevalent business sector – according to the VIDA project area of interest:

Food Water Energy KET

Company Profile (max. 200 characters with spaces)

Please explain briefly what your company is about

SME Declaration

Are you a SME in accordance with the SME definition of the European Union ¹	YES	NO
The applicant employs fewer than 250 persons	YES	NO
The applicant has an annual turnover not exceeding EUR 50 million	YES	NO
The applicant has annual balance sheet total not exceeding EUR 43 million	YES	NO

Company headquarter or cluster membership (tick at least one box)

VIDA Clusters

- Clúster para el uso eficiente del agua (Zinnae)
- Clúster Aragonés de Alimentación
- BalticNet-PlasmaTec e.V.
- Food-Processing Initiative e.V.
- WaterCampus Leeuwarden (CEW or Water Alliance)
- Clean
- Lombardy Energy Cleantech Cluster (LE2C)
- Nanoprogress

VIDA Territorial scope

- Czech Republic (all regions)
- Denmark (all regions)
- Germany (all regions)
- Italy (Lombardy region)
- Portugal (all regions)
- Spain (Aragón region)
- The Netherlands (all regions)

¹ Self-assessment on SME status: <https://goo.gl/29PDBb>



Section 2 List of participants

Particip- ant N°	Consortium composition		Contact Person		SME ² Yes/No	Sector ³	Company location or cluster membership ⁴
Coordinator (information provided in section 1)							
PP 2	Name:		Full Name:		Yes No	Food Water Energy KET	
	Address:		Telephone no:				
	Webpage:		Email Address:				
PP 3	Name:		Full Name:		Yes No	Food Water Energy KET	
	Address:		Telephone no:				
	Webpage:		Email Address:				
PP 4	Name:		Full Name:		Yes No	Food Water Energy KET	
	Address:		Telephone no:				
	Webpage:		Email Address:				
PP 5	Name:		Full Name:		Yes No	Food Water Energy KET	
	Address:		Telephone no:				
	Webpage:		Email Address:				
PP 6	Name:		Full Name:		Yes No	Food Water Energy KET	
	Address:		Telephone no:				
	Webpage:		Email Address:				
PP 7	Name:		Full Name:		Yes No	Food Water Energy KET	
	Address:		Telephone no:				
	Webpage:		Email Address:				

² Self-assessment on SME status: <https://goo.gl/29PDBb>

³ Please note that the consortium members joining the project have to be active in at least two different sectors.

⁴ See Annex 1 in 'VIDA terms and conditions'



Section 3 Project Description

I hereby declare that the technology to be tested in the demonstration side is between TRL 6-8 before starting the project

3.1. Project

Description of the planned project to be funded (max. 3500 characters including spaces)

Please summarize the project, explaining the role of the involved partners (also the prospective user) and provide relevant information on the importance of the project for the improvement food-value chain and the relation to the VIDA scope.



3.2. Solution

Technical excellence, feasibility and viability
<p>3.2.1 TRL Level: What is the TRL level of your technology? (max. 1000 characters including spaces) <i>Please provide sufficient evidence to prove that the technology for which you are requesting support is at a TRL level between 6 to 8 before starting the project (5 points)⁵</i></p>
<p>3.2.2 Demo Test Scope (max. 2000 characters including spaces) <i>Please submit a test scope, which sets out clear objectives, timescales, requirements and outcomes (5 points)</i></p>

⁵ https://ec.europa.eu/research/participants/data/ref/h2020/wp/2014_2015/annexes/h2020-wp1415-annex-g-trl_en.pdf



3.2.3 Test Outline (max. 2500 characters including spaces)

Please provide a summary of your test in the selected challenge, pointing out the main key performance indicators and success criteria, including your current data and the testing requirements to advance the technology within TRL 6 – 8. (10 points)

3.2.4 Prospective users (max. 1500 characters including spaces)

Please specify the benefits, beneficiaries, end-user(s), and end-use(s) being created by your innovation in the proposed demonstration site. Please describe the market and how the technology addresses the market needs. (5 points)



3.2.5 Health & Safety concerns (max. 1200 characters including spaces)
What are the specific H&R concerns and considerations? (5 points)

3.2.6 Risks (max. 1200 characters including spaces)
Please describe key risks associated with the test and how they will be managed and mitigated (10 points)



3.3. Innovation

Please describe the innovativeness of your solution

Describe the innovativeness by pointing out the differences of your solution compared to the state of the art. In addition, describe the role of key enabling technologies (KET) for your solution.

3.3.1 Innovativeness of the foreseen solution in the target sector (VIDA Scope) (max. 3000 characters including spaces)

Please provide details on the innovative elements of your project in relation to the selected challenge and to the VIDA scope (water-energy-food-KET) (15 points)

3.3.2 Innovativeness from a value chain perspective (max. 3000 characters including spaces)
Please specify what makes this technology different from the best available technology (BAT) and what benefit could be provided to the food value-chain. How will the technology be a milestone for the food-value chain? (15 points)

3.4. Impacts

Please describe the concrete expected project results

Please explain project results like job creation, economic, social impact, etc.

3.4.1 Economic Impact (max. 1000 characters including spaces)

Specify the expected impact in terms of competitiveness and growth of the business partners in the consortium, measured in terms of turnover, job creation and the potential financial benefit benchmarked against other relevant technologies (10 points)

3.4.2 Social Impact (max. 1000 characters including spaces)

Please describe the social benefits of your project specifying if the technology demonstrates a potential social benefit benchmarked against the relevant alternative. (10 points)

3.4.3 Environmental Impact (max. 1000 characters including spaces)

Please describe the environmental benefits of your project specifying if the technology demonstrates a potential benefit for the environment or have a less adverse effect on the environment compared to the relevant alternative (10 points)

Section 4 Resources

4.1. Work Plan

Please provide a coherent overview of tasks (activities) to be implemented within the project. Indicate a number of hours required for the implementation of each task and describe its key outcomes and the timing of the outcome.

Task 1	Involved Partners (use PP N°)		Start	
End				
Activity				
Outcome				
Task 2	Involved Partners (use PP N°)		Start	
End				
Activity				
Outcome				
Task 3	Involved Partners (use PP N°)		Start	
End				
Activity				
Outcome				
Task 4	Involved Partners (use PP N°)		Start	
End				
Activity				
Outcome				



Task 5	Involved Partners (use PP N°)		Start	
			End	
Activity				
Outcome				
Task 6	Involved Partners (use PP N°)		Start	
			End	
Activity				
Outcome				
Task 7	Involved Partners (use PP N°)		Start	
			End	
Activity				
Outcome				

4.2. Milestones

Please design up to 3 milestones for your project. 'Milestone' means control point in the action that helps you to chart progress. Milestones may correspond to the completion of key outcomes.

No.	Milestone	Means of Verification	Due date (in Months)
1			
2			
3			



4.3. Budget allocation

Please provide an overview of costs per partner (related to the tasks). Please review the document [VIDA Terms and Conditions](#) to check for the sort of costs and eligibility criteria. Please note that the following table needs to be filled in by each partner separately. Each SME participating in the project can apply for a grant of max. € 60.000.

Project partner/ sort of costs	Task(s) (use T-No)	Brief explanation of the cost	Total Project costs	Grant requested *max. per partner €60.000
PP 1 personnel costs				
PP 1 subcontracting				
PP 1 materials				
PP 1 prototype				
PP 1 infrastructure ⁶				
PP 1 other costs				
		Total partner 1		

Project partner/ sort of costs	Task(s) (use T-No)	Brief explanation of the cost	Total Project costs	Grant requested *max. per partner €60.000
PP 2 personnel costs				
PP 2 subcontracting				
PP 2 materials				
PP 2 prototype				
PP 2 infrastructure ⁶				
PP 2 other costs				
		Total partner 2		

⁶ Please note that Infrastructure including equipment costs (depreciation costs) are not eligible for funding, but can be included in the total costs of the project, ref. [VIDA Terms and Conditions](#)



Project partner/ sort of costs	Task(s) (use T-No)	Brief explanation of the cost	Total Project costs	Grant requested *max. per partner €60.000
PP 3 personnel costs				
PP 3 subcontracting				
PP 3 materials				
PP 3 prototype				
PP 3 infrastructure ⁶				
PP 3 other costs				
		Total partner 3		

Project partner/ sort of costs	Task(s) (use T-No)	Brief explanation of the cost	Total Project costs	Grant requested *max. per partner €60.000
PP 4 personnel costs				
PP 4 subcontracting				
PP 4 materials				
PP 4 prototype				
PP 4 infrastructure ⁶				
PP 4 other costs				
		Total partner 4		

Project partner/ sort of costs	Task(s) (use T-No)	Brief explanation of the cost	Total Project costs	Grant requested *max. per partner €60.000
PP 5 personnel costs				
PP 5 subcontracting				
PP 5 materials				
PP 5 prototype				
PP 5 infrastructure ⁶				
PP 5 other costs				
		Total partner 5		



Project partner/ sort of costs	Task(s) (use T-No)	Brief explanation of the cost	Total Project costs	Grant requested *max. per partner €60.000
PP 6 personnel costs				
PP 6 subcontracting				
PP 6 materials				
PP 6 prototype				
PP 6 infrastructure ⁶				
PP 6 other costs				
		Total partner 6		

Project partner/ sort of costs	Task(s) (use T-No)	Brief explanation of the cost	Total Project costs	Grant requested *max. per partner €60.000
PP 7 personnel costs				
PP 7 subcontracting				
PP 7 materials				
PP 7 prototype				
PP 7 infrastructure ⁶				
PP 7 other costs				
		Total partner 7		

Total Project costs	Total Grant requested (max. € 250.000)



Section 5 Cross-cutting themes

The following questionnaire is not part of the assessment of the Demonstration Voucher. However, its completion is required, as the information provided will be used for statistical purposes of the project life.

5.1. Gender Equality

VIDA project seeks a gender balance. Therefore, applicants to the Innovation Support Voucher scheme are invited to take all measures to promote equal opportunities between men and women in the implementation of the action.

Are there any female participants involved in the project activity? YES NO

If YES, how many females are involved (number) []

5.2. Cross-sectoral and cross-border linkages

VIDA fosters the cross-sectoral and cross-border innovativeness. Therefore, applicants to the Innovation Voucher Support scheme are invited to take all measures to apply these elements to their project action.

Are the activities of your project connected with other sectors (i.e. food, water, energy, Key Enabling Technologies) than yours? YES NO

Is/are your project partner/s from different countries than yours? YES NO

Section 6 Additional information

If so required, additional information or comments can be provided here (max. 1000 characters including spaces):

Compliance Declaration

VIDA terms and conditions*

By signing this document, I understand and agree with the [VIDA terms and conditions](#)
Please note that if your proposal succeeds and is awarded, each awarded SME shall send their balance sheet and profit loss statement.

Privacy declaration

With submitting the application form, you give your consent that your project idea will be shared with the VIDA partners and VIDA Advisory Board. All partners have signed a confidentiality agreement and will treat your information accordingly.

I understand and agree with VIDA privacy declaration

Financial Stability

By signing this document, I confirm that the any of the companies applying are not “in difficulty” as defined at 2.1 of the Community Guidelines and State Aid for Rescuing and Restructuring Firms in Difficulty (<https://eur-lex.europa.eu/LexUriServ/LexUriServ.do?uri=OJ:C:2004:244:0002:0017:EN:PDF>) at the date of this declaration.

Signature (After signing, the document can't be changed anymore)
Name
Position
Date

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