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Organized Industrial Zones need to be the ground for low-carbon production. There is a huge need for projects here.	Demonstration facilities and testing sites (OIZs) will be required as part of the projects targeting TRL 7 and above.	Sergio Fernandez-Ceballos
What do you think of the importance of Organized Industrial Zones?	OIZs could be important contributors in terms of the circular economy - this could be especially true if circular principles are considered at the design stage/territorial planning of these industry clusters.	Mark Sweeney
Should the fellow ports also implement the results? If so to which degree considering the budget constraints?	The topic only covers demonstration activities and not implementation. Implementation is covered by the CEF "Connecting Europe Facility" programme	Bob Flynn
What expenses can be covered in the proposal (for example infrastructure)?	A full list of eligible costs are available as part of the "Financial Guidelines for Applicants". The building of new infrastructure is not covered by Horizon 2020. Transport infrastructure is covered by the CEF - "Connecting Europe Facility" Programme. Infrastructure in the context of this call, may include for example, adaptation of existing infrastructure with respect to demonstration only, but not implementation.	Bob Flynn
Can territorial clusters overlap regions covered by Just Transition plans? Or would that be double funding?	You would just need to ensure that planned activities/resources envisaged as part of the territorial cluster in a project are not being funded already and have the capacity to carry out the activities planned as part of the cluster	Mark Sweeney
I see the link to GD presentations, thanks for that. I cannot find those for Area 10 and 6. Do you have the direct links to those?	Some of them were not uploaded by the EC or they are in progress to be uploaded...	Sergio Fernandez-Ceballos
could we please have the details of the event focusing on Area 10 that was just mentioned?	https://www.net4society.eu/en/Societal-Challenge-6-Brokerage-Event-2019-1915.html	Mark Sweeney
LC-GD 1-3-2020 - Do I understand correctly that the winning CSA consortium will work very closely with the consortia in part 1 of the call?	Yes the CSA consortium will work very closely with the Innovation Actions funded in part 1 of the call. The CSA would need to be open and flexible to a range of activities needed to support the projects - mainly in the areas of citizen engagement, monitoring and assessment of the innovation packages.	
For topic 3.1: Are biocatalytical processes/microbial processes also allowed within this calls?	The EC said on this, for Biotechnology solutions, as the demo activities are of very large scale and the direct conversion of flue gases without pre treatment likely prevents its integration. But if you are sure you will address ALL points of the Expected Impact in the call, could be considered.	Sergio Fernandez-Ceballos
Subtopic E: 'avoiding unsustainable packaging'; can this include 'production of sustainable packaging' as an end product. So not specifically related to food production as an end product?	While there is no specific mention of using sustainable packing as an alternative to unsustaibale packaging, one would assume that it is the best alternative so this approach seems very suitable.	Matthew Clarke
I have two questions on Area 6 subtopic E: 1. Does subtopic E "Reducing food losses and waste at every stage of the food chain including consumption", while also avoiding unsustainable packaging point towards avoiding food losses in general (so creating more awareness with the public so that in general overall there is less food loss) or is it focused towards processing food waste and creating new biochemicals/chemicals from these? For example bioplastics? 2. If the answer to the previous question is the latter, so focus on processing food waste for creation of new (bio)chemicals, should the end application has something to do? So e.g. a single cell protein for food, food emulgators, food packaging, etc of can it the application be broader, e.g. detergents?	Anything that will reduce food losses would be considered here, the proposal should look to reduce food losses at every stage of the food chain so both options would be appropriate. Given that about half of food losses occur at home then this is an important area that needs to be addressed. "Achieve an increase in awareness among policy makers, businesses, ... citizens" is one of the expected impacts for this subtopic so education of citizens is an important aspect but not the only one. Like all of the subtopics in the Farm to Fork area a multi-actor and cross-sectoral approach should be adopted. The processing of food waste into bioplastics/biochemicals is also relevant. An innovative systemic approach to the overall issue to food waste should be pursued for proposals. The end result of the processing of these does not have to be food related, so yes a broader use is also applicable.	Matthew Clarke
Subtopic F: is production of a nutritional ingredient also included? Or it has to be an entire dietary pattern?	As the topic is to test and demonstrate systemic innovations, the production of a single nutritional ingredient would not seem to fit the bill for this on it's own, but it may be useful as part of a broader approach.	Matthew Clarke
Do we know if the UK will be anyhow allowed into Horizon Europe, or at least when do we expect to know what the decision will be in this regards? Thanks	That would be an ecumenical question. The UK will have to look for membership as an associated country similar to Norway and Switzerland etc.	Philip Cheasty
How is 4-1 different from the previous EU call on smart buildings and retrofit (deadline was 10/9)?	There has been a number of topics in H2020 targeting buildings and retrofitting etc. The topic in September was focused on legacy equipment. This one is looking for a larger scale and a wider scope to include various building types (residential and non residential etc) with significant more funding available. Also new buildings can be included.	Philip Cheasty
Hello, the topics are truly very interesting. As a physiologist working on human disorders' genetic background, I couldn't really find where to fit my knowledge and contribute. any help is much appreciated. thank you	The topics can be quiet specific and to score high in the evaluation you must address all call text and focus on the impacts required. With that in mind you need to answer "what will give me the best evaluation score for Excellence, Impact and Implementation" There might be an option in subtopic F of Area 6, farm to fork? It relates to shifting to sustainable healthy diets? There may be a psychological angle worth pursuing as part of a broader consortium?	Matthew Clarke
Would software solutions that optimise construction and maintenance project planning and delivery be relevant to Green Airports topic?	As part of a wider proposal yes.	Philip Cheasty
We know that Green Deal call is transition call between H2020 and HorizonEU, but whether it will exist simultaneously with HorizonEU in forthcoming years or is just "one shot"?... arrive on the Moon, is just beginning of journey!	This Green deal call is specific with a set budget and independent of what happens in Horizon Europe. But there is always a link from framework programme to frame work programme and in Horizon Europe we are likely to see more cross cutting calls. The Areas in the Green Deal call will also be addressed in Horizon Europe.	Philip Cheasty
How the EIT Climate KIC and other EIT KICs are going to connect with the European Green Deal?	Many of the opportunity areas within the Green Deal overlap with the focus areas of the Climate KIC and indeed many other KICs. The Climate KIC and its partners have been very active in Horizon 2020 projects and this active engagement should continue with the Green Deal Call.	Mark Sweeney
Regarding topic 3-2 on circular economy solutions: do you expect proposals dealing with regional or local case studies? Like a proposal focussing on a single area?	For topic 3.2 proposals should definitely not focus at a solely local level but at a much more regional/territorial level to ensure full circularity of the value chains involved.	Mark Sweeney
Will UK be included if there is a No Deal Brexit	All we can say that the UK can participate as the Green deal call is under H2020 and the withdrawal agreement allows this.	Philip Cheasty
Hello and thank you for the presentations. I would like to ask if schools or networks of schools can be partners in Green Deal proposals.	Yes. Any legal entity can participate.	Philip Cheasty

In 9.2, could Schools be partners?	All legal entities including schools are eligible to be partners in funded projects as per the rules of Horizon 2020. Activities/programmes in Schools for example could act as mechanisms for better awareness raising and citizen engagement. One would need to ensure that the participation is justified in terms of the challenge, scope and impacts outlined in the Call text.	Mark Sweeney
Also in 10.1, could schools be partners?	As above	
Given the scope, budget and challenges of topic 1.2, is it correct to assume that regional or national public authorities are expected to lead successful applications?	Whilst this call topic has a very large budget and on the surface seems quite complex, there is no prerequisite criteria in terms of the type of organisation that is eligible to coordinate the successful consortium. However, the management capability and capacity of the lead organisation would need to be clearly justified in the proposal	Mark Sweeney
any comment on the Africa Call policy?	A number of Africa/EU initiatives have been set up. There's an AU EU high level policy dialogue on science, technology and innovation. Also the climate change and Sustainable energy CCSE partnership that began in 2017. The LEAP-RE.eu site also has some info and links to the forthcoming Joint action mentioned in the call text.	Philip Cheasty
Is there is any lower limit to the size of cities or communities RTIXPting	(see below)	
Sorry, unclear question earlier, what is the minimum size of city or community that can participate in LC GD 1-3 2020?	This call is about implementing innovation packages in EU regions so there is no minimum size of a city/community that can be part of these regions.	Mark Sweeney
Would Meaauer 10 consider the development of a training and awareness centre to promote knowledge and awareness and deliver training? As an infrastructure cost?	If equipment, infrastructure and other assets are acquired or used in Horizon 2020 actions, only the portion of the depreciation costs allocated to the project is eligible for funding, not the purchase price. The depreciation rates must be calculated according to the usual internal practice of the beneficiary under recognition of national and international rules and standards.	Mark Sweeney
Where is the finance research in this GD H2020 call? Also being research led - implied in this call(?) - is problematic since govt regulations repeatedly prevent uptake of green innovation. Integrating climate/green policy is crucial. How will/is this be articulated in this call?	A lot of the topics refer to new business models and future investment. Although the text may not specifically look for finance research proposals can have an element of this in many of the calls. This is critical when replication is needed.	Philip Cheasty
Is there a duration of Area 6 specified?	Not sure what this is really asking.	Matthew Clarke
Can you please elaborate if there's specific TRL requirements for section 6 (farm to fork)?	Proposals will test, pilot and demonstrate innovative systemic solutions at TRL 5-7.	Matthew Clarke
Will the NCP slides be shared?	Yes and an email will be sent to all participants with a link to the presentations and recording of the conference.	Ann Dooley
Do the normal rules apply to each of these calls about needing partners from 3 different countries? Are there any exceptions?	Same rules as for H2020 yes, but check Conditions of the Call at the back of the work programme for the topic you are interested, there might be additional criteria.	Sergio Fernandez-Ceballos
Would you please inform re. the principles behind IP ownership and sharing in case of commercial value to scaling them further.	A consortium agreement is put in place before the project starts and the partners in the consortium decides on IP arrangements. A suggested template on that can be found http://www.desca-agreement.eu/	Sergio Fernandez-Ceballos
W temacie „ Zielona Energia „ występuje zjawisko przejmowania nad „ Zieloną Energią „ kontroli przez koncerny paliwowe , które są interesowane , aby nigdy wodor w postaci proszku , który jest II generacją wodoru po wodorze w płynie i wodorze w gazie nie wszedł na rynek handlu , ponieważ w ciągu 3-4 lata wodor w proszku zlikwiduje handel ropą , benzyną i LPG . Dlatego widoczna i skuteczna kontrola koncernów paliwowych na badaniami nad wodorem w proszku doprowadzi do zarzucenia finansowania badań nad odorem w proszku . Proszę się do tego zjawiska ustosunkować. In the subject of "Green Energy" there is a phenomenon of taking control over "Green Energy" by fuel companies that are interested in that no hydrogen in the form of a powder, which is the second generation of hydrogen, does not enter the trade market, because within 3-4 years, the hydrogen powder will close the trade in oil, gasoline and LPG. Therefore, the visible and effective control of fuel companies on research into powdered hydrogen will lead to the abandonment of funding research on powdered odor. Please take an opinion on this phenomenon.	A compelling case as part of the Impact section will be needed and integration of technologies into the market will need to be projected in a convincing manner. Market figures and analysis will be part of what is required for projects targeting TRL 7 and above at a proposal stage.	Sergio Fernandez-Ceballos
10.2: You mentioned resources are already available on social resilience to climate change. Could you be more specific, please?	https://ec.europa.eu/jrc/en/news/societies-worldwide-have-become-more-resilient-climate-disasters	Mark Sweeney
Hello, could you share information on the event that was mention to look for further partners for area 10 by the end of the month?	https://www.net4society.eu/en/Societal-Challenge-6-Brokerage-Event-2019-1915.html	Mark Sweeney
how strong is the "go to the market" approach in this calls? Do the commission expect to have new solutions ready for the market?	Please refer to the TRL expected in the topics. Some are closer to the market than others but all will want to see market uptake at some stage. For example 2 years after Innovation actions and maybe 4 years after research projects	
how do I find more info on the "European competence framework"?	Hi Monica, A European competence framework is needed to help develop and assess knowledge, skills and attitudes on climate change and sustainable development. This framework shall be built on the best available research and rooted in the Council Recommendation on Key Competences for lifelong learning : https://ec.europa.eu/education/education-in-the-eu/council-recommendation-on-key-competences-for-lifelong-learning_en	Mark Sweeney
How much digitisation technology including HAVE to be there? which tools are considering their environmental impact do far? how can we spend all the resources needed to integrate the IT working systems in place getting funded for this "dirt" work? thank you!!!	digitisation is a key focus for the commission as it brings much added value etc. Its specifically mentioned in some topics. There is no figure for what has to be involved. It's the impact of what you want to do with digitisation that's key.	Philip Cheasty
Q: How much digitisation technologies HAVE to be there? which tools are considering their environmental impacts, so far? how can we spend all the resources needed to integrate the IT working systems in place getting funded for this "dirt" work? thank you!!!	as above	Philip Cheasty
What is the maximum duration of projects in the biodiversity call GD 7.1?	There is no specified duration in the call text, this would need to be clearly justified in the proposal. Typically H2020 projects would be around 4 years in duration so this could be used a guide. It should be noted that visible results should be available by 2024 under this topic	Mark Sweeney