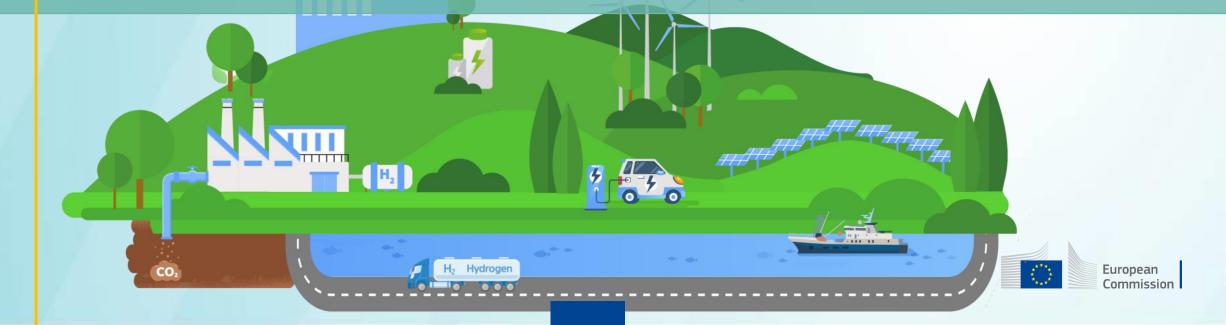


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Award criteria - Degree of Innovation

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Degree of Innovation (DoI)

Innovation in relation to the state-of-the-art



Degree of innovation

<u>1- Establish the relevant State-of-the-Art in a clear</u> and comprehensive manner

Describe

Technological State-of-the-Art (of innovative tech proposed)

- Performance data
- Cost
- Production Carachteristics
- Tech/system Readiness Level

Commercial State-of-the-Art (of best-available technology)

- Performance data
- Costs
- Product characteristics

- Compare the proposed innovation with both the commercial and the technological State-of-the-Art
- Check thoroughly Annex 1
- Provide all relevant information and be transparent.

2- Explain in detail why the innovation goes beyond incremental innovation

Identify

Barriers for scaling up of innovative technologies

Barriers for combining innovative technologies

Compare

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3- Provide key performance data evidenced in the feasibility study and other documentation

Provide evidence

Key performance data of the project's (combination of) Innovative Technology(ies)

- Costs, product characteristics
- TRL/System Readiness Level
- Energy efficiency, circularity

Evidence

- Feasibility study
- Dol sheet of the GHG calculator
- other supporting documents

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