



GREEN ASSIST Admissibility and Eligibility criteria

When applying for Green Assist, applicants must be able to positively evidence that their request “ticks” the following minimum criteria:

- The investment project itself or the desired Green Assist expert support to the project represents an **environmental benefit**.
- The investment is predominantly **located in the EU-27¹** and the request emanates from a coordinator (an entity with full capacity to manage the project and the advisory services) based in one of these countries for the project development.
- The project is in an **investment area/sector supported by Green Assist, such as natural capital, biodiversity, Circular economy**, Climate change adaptation and natural hazards, sustainable spatial design, environmental remediation (of air, water and soil), greening non-environmental sectors (e.g. industry, agriculture, blue economy), Climate mitigation .
- The applicant expresses the investment project objectives and outlines a **clear vision and milestones** for the project.
- The applicant **confirms its capacity to mobilise sufficient committed and identified decision makers** to interface with the expert along the project cycle and is not at risk of default in the short to medium term.
- The applicant **expresses a clear need for expert support**. This clear need **must not be duplicated by another technical advisory** already received. Finally, the expert support must be able to be implemented within a time duration of about 3-6 months, sufficient to advance the project maturity.

Applicants are expected to demonstrate their eligibility for Green Assist already at the time of submitting their application. The assessment of their requests will be based on these criteria and the expected benefits that Green Assist would be able to generate for the project and/or society.

If you can respond to these minimum eligibility criteria, you can [start your application today](#).

¹ or the LIFE other participating countries: Iceland, Ukraine, Moldova