

Annex A. Technical proposal template

Notice

Please note that this is a working document, the purpose of which is to help the applicants to fill in the online application form available on the SOILCRATES submission system (available at the following link: <https://www.soilcrates.eu>).

Therefore, its submission as a separate document will by no means be considered as equivalent to a formal application to the SOILCRATES Request for applications of Pilot Projects.

Note that this is an indicative information, the online version may vary slightly.

Before starting to complete the Application Form, please read carefully the Request for applications text, its Annexes and the Guide for Applicants (Annex G).

Character limits are to be considered including spaces.

Part 1 – Administrative Information

1.A Proposal Identification

*Name of the proposal	
Acronym of the proposal	
*Country of the proposal	☐ Ireland ☐ Spain ☐ France ☐ The Netherlands
*Are you applying as a mono-beneficiary or expect to share the sub-grant with partners?	☐ Mono beneficiary ☐ Share the sub-grant
If you expect to share the subgrant, please explain briefly the identity and type of expected partners	

1.B Applicant details

*Legal name of the entity	
*Legal representative First and Last Name	
*Position of the legal representative	
*Email	
*Phone number	
*I am a	☐ Farm owner ☐ Farmers association ☐ Local SMEs ☐ Research and Technology Organisation ☐ Education Organisation ☐ Other: (specify)
If other, please specify	
*VAT number	
*Address of the entity	
*Postal Code	

Address and postal code of the experiment location – if different	
*Country of the proposal	☐ Ireland ☐ Spain ☐ The Netherlands ☐ France
Please upload your legal status document	(Name of the document: NAME OF THE PROJECT_STATUS)

Part 2. Project description

*Please explain briefly the concept of your project, and its links with SOILCRATES	2000 characters max
*Please explain briefly the objective of your project	2000 characters max
*What practice is included in the proposed experiment?	You can choose more than 1 practice
If other practices are included, please specify:	
*In case of collaboration, explain how tasks will be allocated between partners and their links with SOILCRATES	2000 characters max
*In case of collaboration, explain how you will monitor the tasks of each partner	2000 characters max

Part 3. Timeline and budget

*Expected duration of the experiment (between 12 and 24 months)	
*Expected start date of the experiment	
*Please explain the main expected phases and milestones of the experiment	
*Please upload the Gantt Chart here	NAME OF THE PROJECT_GANTT
*Amount claimed for the project (in EUR)	
*Please provide a brief description of how you will use the financial support throughout the experiment duration	
*Please upload here the Breakdown of costs. (Template provided in appendix B)	(Name of the document: NAME OF THE PROJECT_BREAKDOWN OF COSTS)
*Are any other financial sources contributing to the experiment?	☐ Yes ☐ No
*If yes, please specify information about the financial source and the type of activity that is receiving funding	

Part 4 – Implementation and participation in the Living Lab

*Why is this specific experiment chosen? What are the main strengths and main opportunities of the proposed experiment, and their links with SOILCRATES?	2000 characters maximum
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*What obstacles or threats are expected in the implementation of your experiment, and how do you plan to face them?	2000 characters maximum
*What are the factors that would help the successful implementation of the experiment?	2000 characters maximum
*What other stakeholders would be interested to be informed about this experiment?	○ Farms ○ SMEs ○ Research and Technology Organization ○ Education Organisation ○ Local or regional authority ○ Civil Society ○ Other: (specify)
If other, please specify	

Part 5 - Outcomes

*How do you see the experiment continuing after the expected duration?	2000 characters maximum
*What are the potential impacts of your experiment (social, scientific, economic...)?	2000 characters maximum
*To what extent do you think your project may be replicated/transferable? What conditions do you consider relevant to make it replicable/transferable to other contexts?	2000 characters maximum

Part 6 Ethics

Are there any research activities foreseen that will be conducted outside of the research done by the consortium partners?	○ Yes ○ No
If yes, please upload a signed approval from your local ethical commission	
If yes, please identify the potential ethics issues raised by your planned work/research (not done by any of the consortium partners).	○ Research on human participant, and/or their cells/tissues ○ Personal data ○ Animals ○ Methods, materials or experiments that could harm the environment, research staff or participants ○ Research is conducted in locations where the safety and security of researchers and participants may be jeopardized ○ Other
If yes, please describe the work involved that raises ethics issues and explain how you will address these issues.	1000 characters maximum