

Transition to sustainable food systems through the scaling up of agroecological innovations in the Central African region (DeSIRA+)

BEL23010

Rwanda

Contracting authority : Enabel mandated by the EU to implement the DESIRA + project

in accordance with the guidelines of this call for proposals :

- Applicants may send their questions by e-mail to jules.mayaux@enabel.be before Friday 27 June 2025 at 1pm (GMT + 2). The DeSIRA+ programme will not be obliged to provide clarification on questions received after this date.
- Answers to questions will be provided no later than Monday 7 July 2025 at 1pm (GMT + 2). Questions and answers will only be published in the language in which they were received. To ensure confidentiality, the names of the organisations will remain anonymous.

Timetable (1st round)	Date	Time (GMT + 2)
Deadline for requests for clarification to the contracting authority	27 June 2025	1pm (GMT + 2)
Last date on which clarifications are given by the contracting authority	7 July 2025	1pm (GMT + 2)
Deadline for submission of concept notes (1st round)	18 July 2025	1pm (GMT + 2)

1. Can an applicant submit several proposals (even as a co-applicant)?

No, there is a limit of one proposal per applicant and co-applicant under this specific call for proposals. In the event of multiple submissions, the applicant and co-applicant will be excluded from the procedure.

2. Is a consortium required to submit a proposal?

No, you can submit a proposal without a co-applicant.

3. If an organisation is already collaborating with us, do they still have to provide all the required annexes?

Yes, you must provide all the documents requested.

4. May public entities submit a proposal?

Yes, public authorities are eligible.

5. With regard to the €300,000 ceiling for private individuals, does this apply to all grants received or only those related to the same thematic?

This applies to all grants received by a European country, regardless of the thematic.

6. Are activities linked to securing land tenure, blending mechanisms, etc. eligible?

Yes, if they demonstrate an impact in terms of agro-ecological transition.

7. Where should the source of co-financing come from?

The co-financing submitted may come from the organisation's own funds and/or from another donor.

An organisation may present the cost of an activity financed by its own funds and/or by another donor X as co-financing if this activity is an integral part of the logical framework of the action financed by Enabel. The applicant must demonstrate that funding for this activity has been secured. In the proposal and budget it must be clearly specified that all or part of the activity in question is financed by "X".

8. If the applicant does not have an ESG (Environment, Social, Governance) plan, can a similar document be taken into account in the same way?

No, only a complete ESG plan can obtain a score higher than 0.

9. Will co-financing of 20% be assessed more favourably than co-financing of a lower percentage?

No, the percentage of co-financing provided is not an evaluation criterion, as long as it complies with the required amounts (between 10 and 20% of the amount of the grant applied for).

10. With regard to the proof of project management to be submitted, is this to be established per person or per applicant institution?

Proof must be provided by the applicant institution.

11. Can a national NGO be an applicant or co-applicant?

Yes

12. Is an NGO having its head office out of Rwanda can be applicant or co-applicant?

Yes, as long as you are registered in Rwanda and authorized to work in Rwanda (proof of registration required).

13. is it possible to use an experience outside of Rwanda when you are newly registered in Rwanda?

Yes, a similar experience in connection with the thematic of this call can be presented