

Q 1. As an entity, is it possible to submit more than one application to the Call for EO-based products 2021, either leading it or as a partner?

No, an applicant can apply as a leader or a partner to only one pilot's application during the Call for EO-based products 2021.

Q 2. I am an e-shape partner, can I apply to the Call for EO-based products 2021?

Yes, partners of the e-shape consortium may apply to the Call for EO-based products 2021.

Q 3. Small start-ups can have a possibility?

Yes, they do, as long as they fulfil the eligible criteria

Q 4. My company is not registered in EU, can I apply and be funded?

Yes, non-EU entities can apply and be funded if the registration country is defined in the Annex A of the Horizon 2020 Work Programme.

Q 5. Can my entity team up with a current e-shape partner?

Yes, e-shape partners can be involved in a consortium applying to the Call for EO-based products 2021.

Q 6. My product is on a topic which is not specific to a current showcase, is it eligible?

Yes, transversal products are eligible, but you have to specify the most relevant showcase.

Q 7. Can I partner with a non-EU entity?

Yes, you can, but only eligible ones will have access to funding

Q 8. Do I need to create a consortium or can I apply as a single participant?

Proposal of pilot can be submitted by single applicant or by consortia of applicants.

Q 9. Are the applicants expected to include a budget for our proposed activities? If yes, in which format?

No, only at the initial stage in the application form you shall describe the source of funding to develop the product and percentage of support. A more detailed budget table will be required if selected.

Q 10. Are the applicants expected to include support letters from potential end users?

No, it is not a requirement.

Q 11. What is the length of the project?

it is a 48-month project, started in May 2019 and will conclude in April 2023. The selected applicants will be integrated as full partners of e-shape until the end of the project.

Q 12. If selected, what are the expectations requested to the selected pilots?

The expectations from the selected pilots shall be the development of actions in line with the aim of the e-shape project:

Contributions to e-shape support actions (see <https://e-shape.eu/images/onboarding-call/GuideForApplicants.pdf> section 1.5

Fulfil contractual obligations to the European Commission, as financial or technical deliverables

Contribute to the promotion and communication on the European Earth Observation capabilities.