

# Fusion Technology Transfer Award

## General information and instructions

### 2025

As part of the efforts to promote the use of fusion technologies and know-how, Fusion for Energy and Viromii Innovation SL (Viromii), in collaboration with EUROfusion, have launched a contest to highlight and reward achieved or on-going projects which integrate fusion solutions in the market.

This document describes the general information and rules of participation.

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## Key information about the award

- The contest is open to European companies and organisations presenting a project where a fusion technology or know-how is used or is planned to be used in the market<sup>1</sup>.
- Prize value: F4E will grant a sole prize of **10 000 € (VAT exempt)** and Viromii Innovation SL (VIROMII) will manage the grant of the prize (Contact: Miguel Estruch Soler – Technology Transfer Broker - [brokers@viromii.com](mailto:brokers@viromii.com)).
- The application period will run from October 6th 2025 to December 5th 2025 23:59.
- The prize will be awarded during the first quarter of 2026.
- Applicants will be requested to submit their proposals in English by email to Miguel Estruch – Technology Transfer Broker ([brokers@viromii.com](mailto:brokers@viromii.com)) putting in copy Fusion for Energy's Technology Transfer Programme: [technologytransfer@f4e.europa.eu](mailto:technologytransfer@f4e.europa.eu).
- The applications will be evaluated after the closing date of the application period. Applicants may be contacted by VIROMII within the weeks after the closing date to confirm/clarify information.
- Exclusion criteria
  - The application of the fusion technology shall not promote activities, or be related to the military, alcohol, tobacco, religion, politics, intolerance, violence, firearms, pornography, obscenity, gambling or illegal drugs.
  - The applicant must be registered in an F4E Member State.

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<sup>1</sup> The term 'market' refers to non-fusion and fusion market applications, which are outside F4E and EUROfusion's activities (ITER project, JT-60SA, IFMIF/EVEDA, IFERC, IFMIF-DONES, DEMO).

## Instructions for submitting/preparing a proposal

### Length and language of proposals

The proposal shall be submitted in English. The application form shall be based on the document 'Proposal template' and shall not be longer than three (3) pages. Annexes proving the information stated in the application form are allowed.

### Content of the proposal (See the document 'Proposal template')

- Name of the Applicant and contact details of the contact person of the Applicant.
- Short summary of the technology transfer case study carried out or ongoing.
- Description of the use made or planned to be made of a fusion technology in the market.
- Evaluation of the market potential.
- Origin and description of the fusion technology used or planned to be used.
- Description of the effort (investment/resources/actions/activities) made and/or planned to be made to achieve the use of a fusion technology in the market.
- Socio-economic impact or potential socio-economic impact of the technology transfer project.

## Evaluation process and criteria

### Evaluation Process

Upon receipt of all proposals, the evaluation and the selection will be completed during the first quarter of 2026. An article announcing the winning proposal will be published on F4E Marketplace <https://fusion-technology-transfer.europa.eu/>).

- VIROMII may contact the applicant to get more information within and after the submission date and before the awarding.
- An Evaluation Board consisting of F4E, European Commission and EUROfusion will check the exclusion criteria and evaluate the proposal towards the award criteria.

### Evaluation Criteria

Evaluation criteria	Note	Comment
<b>Socio-economic impact</b>	50%	Socio-economic impact of the use of the technology in the market application for the applicant and for society. Impact for the applicant could be for example faster production, cost reduction, better product, higher safety in the operations, energy savings, technical improvements etc. Impact for society could be for example job creation, lower emissions, etc.
<b>Effort made to achieve the commercial use of the fusion technology in the market</b>	50%	Effort made by the applicant in terms of investment, allocation of resources, actions and activities carried out to achieve the technology transfer in the market. Examples of activities that could have been done to achieve technology transfer: market analysis study, freedom to operate study, commercialization/business plan, partnership agreements/contracts under negotiation or signed, technical feasibility studies, increase of the TRL of the technology by technical developments, qualifications, certifications of the product, securing funding etc.