

Clarification Note No 2

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Grant procedure: EUSPA/GRANT/03/2022 "Artificial Intelligence, Machine Learning"

Question no. 1: In order to measure the success of a receiver, you have the data from the receiver itself, is it of interest to you to have a project that uses written sources like research papers or technical documentation to create a baseline of collected data? To unlock data from other research fields? Or is your call about building devices?

<u>Answer no. 1</u>: The grant is published in the framework of the Fundamental Elements mechanism, which supports the development of EGNSS-enabled chipsets, receivers and antennas. While research papers and/or technical documentation could support the project's state-of-the-art, this is not the main objective of the call (see 2.1 for detailed description).

Question no. 2: Is it possible to submit a proposal with a grant budget beyond the 1 million grant? Our current negotiations and project ambitions reach beyond the €1 million threshold when taking into account the 70% financing of the total project budget.

Answer no. 2:

Yes, it is possible. The amount of 1,000,000.00 EUR specified in Section 4 of the Call for Proposals is an *indicative* EU financing amount for each proposal.

Question no. 3: Can you please clarify how we should interpret the unit price per day equivalent? Should this be regarded as the maximum day rate or hourly rate?

<u>Answer no. 3</u>: Unit cost per day-equivalent is relevant only for owners of SMEs who do not receive a salary or natural persons who do not receive a salary. The Call for proposals in section 12.2.3 specifies the calculation of a price per unit, where the unit is a day, i.e. it is a day-rate.

Question no. 4: Current negotiations with end users of several use cases have experienced multiple delays due to end of year reporting, more intensive budgeting exercises taking into account the current uncertainties in the market, and the holidays. Would it be possible to get an extension on the deadline?

<u>Answer no. 4</u>: The request will be analysed, please check EUSPA website regularly for any possible update.