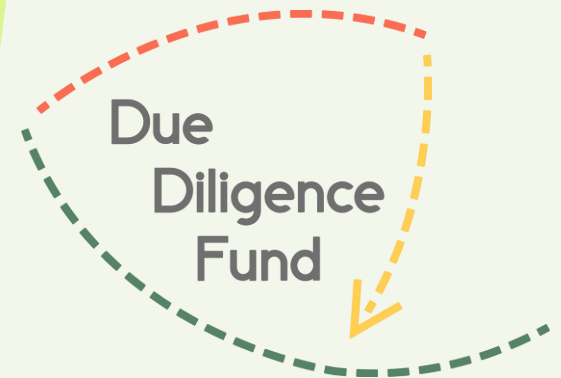


# Due Diligence Fund

Q&A for the 3rd Call for Proposals



# What is the DDF?

## Goal

support the fulfillment of corporate due diligence with regard to human rights and the environment in agricultural supply chains.

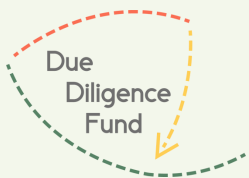
focus: benefit Primary producers (smallholder farmers & workers)

## Strategy

pilot promising, innovative and/or sector-wide project ideas

derive good practices for own/other supply chains

disseminate learning experiences



# What is the DDF?

## What we offer

50k€ - 123k€ funding for up to 18 months

Guidance throughout project development and implementation

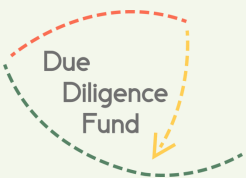
Disseminating lessons learnt from your project

## What we are looking for

Project ideas that foster the implementation of HREDD

Partnerships between a EU+ company and supply-chain partners and/or public-benefit partner

An own contribution of 50% of project volume (with discounts for SMEs)





# Who can apply?

**Partnership** application consisting of (at least) one or more:

## ■ **Business Partner(s):**

- Private sector company operating in agricultural supply chains
- Registered in **EU, EEA, UK or Switzerland**
- Financial contribution according to enterprise size (25-100% funding sum)

## ■ either **Public-Benefit Partner(s)**

- Institution/organization/corporation with public-benefit status
- No geographic restrictions
- Potential funding recipient

## ■ and/or **Supply-Chain Partner(s):**

- Private sector company within the same supply chain
- Registered in a **DAC-listed country**
- Potential funding recipient

*Further cooperation partners are welcomed!*

# What projects are we looking for?

Project in Due Diligence Logic

Project proposal is based on a risk analysis

Measures on the ground

Measures in one of the OECD DAC-listed countries and involvement of those directly affected on the ground or their legitimate representatives

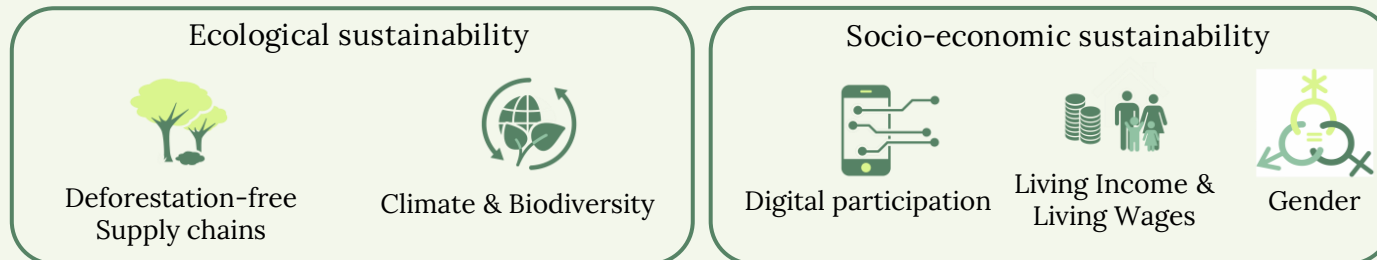
Focus topics

Central due diligence processes



and

SASI cross-sectional topics

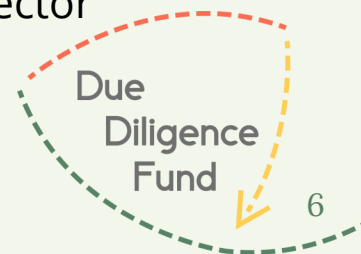


# Criteria for project selection

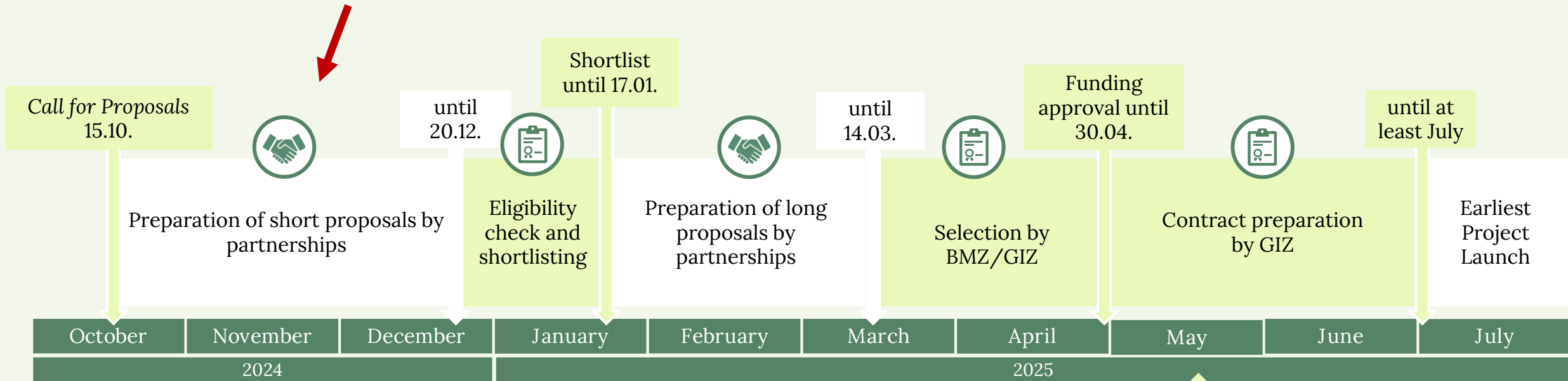


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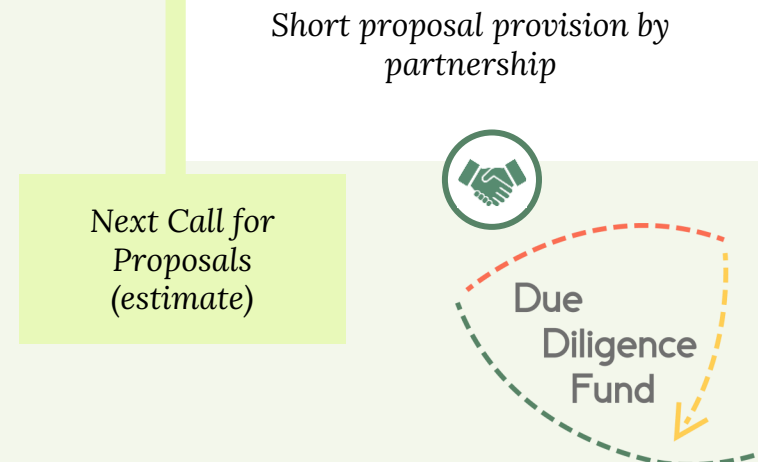
- ✓ whose methodological **approach is suitable for adaptation by other companies** in the agricultural and food sector
- ✓ which have a particularly **high potential to mitigate human rights and environmental risks** effectively and sustainably
- ✓ which embed the planned measures in a **process-oriented implementation logic** and do not only achieve selective effects
- ✓ which are **innovative, scalable,** and **incentivize ownership** by other supply chain partners or sector peers



# Application timeline



! Do not hesitate to get in touch with us before December 20th



# Further information



[Due Diligence Fund – Initiative for Sustainable Agricultural Supply Chain – SASI \(sustainable-supply-chains.org\)](https://www.sustainable-supply-chains.org)



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SASI [Lunchbreak](#) on November 8th on Lessons Learned

We are looking forward to receiving your applications!