

	QUESTION	ANSWER
1	How many ideas/proposals could be submitted from each company? Is XXX holding considered as a single point or each subsidiary is considered as a separately point?	As per article 2.7.1 of the Rules of Contest, "Applicants may submit more than one proposal and be named as a partner in more than one proposal". Therefore you can chose between submitting more than one proposals under XXX or each subsidiary can submit as different legal entity a separate proposal.
2	We are forming a consortium to participate in the innovation prize. Could you please inform us about the opportunities to validate our technology through/after the prize? It's important for us to have this information soon. It would be great if you could let me know what all funds / investors / technical support will we have access to, to implement the proposed project? Information regarding how previous prize winners proceeded with the implementation of their ideas would also be helpful.	<p>The EDA Defence Innovation Prize aims to stimulate engagement of all R&T communities and innovators to accelerate access to emerging and potentially disruptive research and if possible, to identify areas in which additional investment is needed to fully address future defence capability needs. The objective of the contest is to reward innovative defence-related ideas which could be in the future implemented through a collaborative R&T effort within an EDA framework.</p> <p>For more information about impact of the EDA Innovation Prize, please refer to section 1.4. ADDITIONAL BENEFITS in the rules of contest, specially to the point:</p> <p>'Proposals over a quality threshold to be set by the evaluation committee (including the winner(s)) will be presented to the CapTechs Moderators in a dedicated workshop to explore the applicability of their proposals to the CapTech's areas of responsibility.'</p> <p>For more information about the previous winners, please refer to our website EDA Defence Innovation Prize (europa.eu)</p>
3	In the innovation prize call document, I see that winners will have access to "EDA network of experts". Can you please explain what does that mean?	<p>As detailed in section 1.4 Additional Benefits of the Rules of the Contest, proposals over a quality threshold to be set by the evaluation committee (including the winner(s)) will be presented to the CapTechs Moderators in a dedicated workshop to explore the applicability of their proposals to the CapTech's areas of responsibility. In the case of the winner(s), the "EDA Network of Experts" includes the EDA's working groups related to the project idea.</p> <p>EDA Next work of Experts are formed by Government Representatives, Industries, Academia and RTOs in the different EDA working groups at Capabilities, Research and Technology and Industries Synergies & Enablers directorates.</p>

