# BIC Open Innovation Challenge

## Challenge Application Form – public part

**Information under this section will be published on BIC’s Members Area and will be visible to all BIC members (full and associate). It will not be made public outside the BIC membership. Please do not include any confidential information in this part.**

Solution providers will submit their solutions on the basis of the description and requirements contained in this document. Please describe the technical challenge and your expectations in a clear and concise manner to increase the quality and soundness of incoming solutions.

1. **Challenge title (PUBLIC)**

*(Max. 200 characters)*

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1. **Challenge description (PUBLIC)**

Please provide an overview of the challenge: its context, state of the art solutions (if any) and why they are not satisfactory. There is a dedicated section below for technical details.

*(Max. 2000 characters).*

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1. **Technical details (PUBLIC)**

Please expand the previous overview with a description of the technical details of the problem **(remember not to include any confidential information – this is still the public part)**.

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1. **Key performance indicators for the solution (PUBLIC)**

Technical and economic requirements for the solution. Please make a distinction between “must have” and “nice to have” requirements. Please remember that the limited timeframe and budget available mean that the R&I project will deliver a proof-of-concept, so please also specify which requirements are expected to be met once the solution is upscaled and fully deployed versus those that are already expected at proof-of-concept level.

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1. **Please provide in attachment any additional NON CONFIDENTIAL document (technical drawings, pictures, etc.) supporting the challenge description. Please clearly mark this attachment as “PUBLIC”**

## Challenge Application Form – confidential part

**This section contains additional information to be shared with Solution Providers invited to pitch to help them better frame their presentation. It is treated as confidential information and only shared after CO and SPs have signed the NDA.**

1. **Technical details (CONFIDENTIAL).**

Please add here any additional technical details useful for the SPs to fine-tune their pitch **(including confidential information)**.

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