



Technologiestichting STW
Technology Foundation



Evaluation items of Technology Foundation STW research proposals

Please comment on each of the evaluation items by referring to its number, and explain your opinion in a few sentences rather than using “yes” or “no”.

1. Scientific quality

- 1.1 Is the team competent enough to be able to carry out this research successfully?
- 1.2 To what extent is the proposal original and/or innovative?
- 1.3 What is your opinion on the scientific research method?
- 1.4 What is your opinion on the research program?
- 1.5 What is your opinion on the time schedule?
- 1.6 To what extent is the available infrastructure adequate?
- 1.7 What are your comments on the number and category of the requested staff?
- 1.8 What is your opinion on the budget requested for materials, investments and foreign travel?
- 1.9 Do you have any other comments on the scientific aspects of the proposal?

2. Utilisation (the application of the results of the research by third-parties)

- 2.1 What is your opinion on the application of results of the research team in the past?
- 2.2 What are in your opinion the strong and weak points of the utilisation plan?
- 2.3 How effective and realistic will the utilisation plan be, in case the research project is successful?
- 2.4 If possible, please comment on the influence of the research results on the Dutch economy and/or Dutch competitiveness.
- 2.5 Which aspects of the intended results will be patentable? Do you expect that the research team will encounter existing patents that may obstruct the utilisation?
- 2.6 Are you aware of any other users (Dutch or foreign) not mentioned in the proposal who may contribute to this research project?
- 2.7 Companies often contribute (cash or in kind) to STW research in view of possible commercially applicable results. How do you rate the balance between this contribution and the commercial interest of the company concerned?
- 2.8 Which applications in industry, society, technology or science are you aware of that have not been described in the proposal?
- 2.9 Do you have any suggestions on how to improve the utilisation?