



Climate Protection as overall Target

Instrument: Loan Guarantees to innovative Swiss Companies

Offer of the Technology Fund

The Technology Fund of the Swiss Confederation guarantees loans to Swiss small and medium-sized enterprises whose novel products contribute to a sustainable reduction in greenhouse gas emissions.

Conditions of the Guarantees

- Joint guarantees in the amount of up to to CHF 3 million
- Maximum term: 10 years
- Every project supported must contribute at least 40 % of the amount using other funds
- Lenders: Swiss banks or other suitable lenders with a Swiss domicile
- Annual fees of 0.9% of the guaranteed amount

Four Areas of eligible Technologies



Reduction of greenhouse gas emissions



Promotion of renewable energies



Efficient utilization of electrical energy



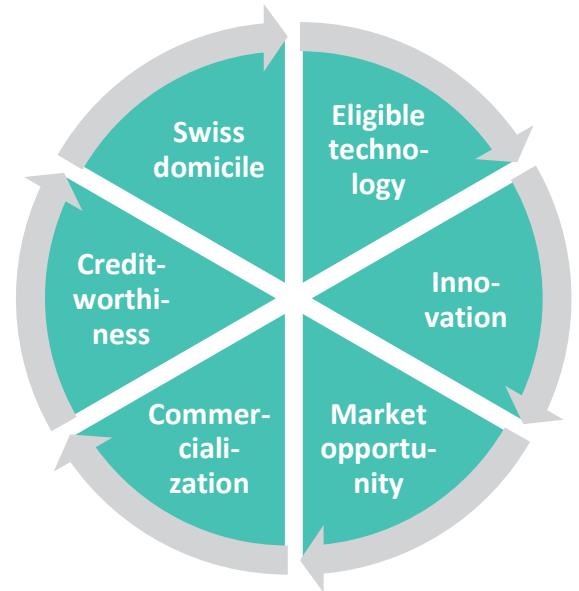
Conservation of natural resources

Sizeable Market Opportunity

Technology Fund supports Commercialization of Innovations

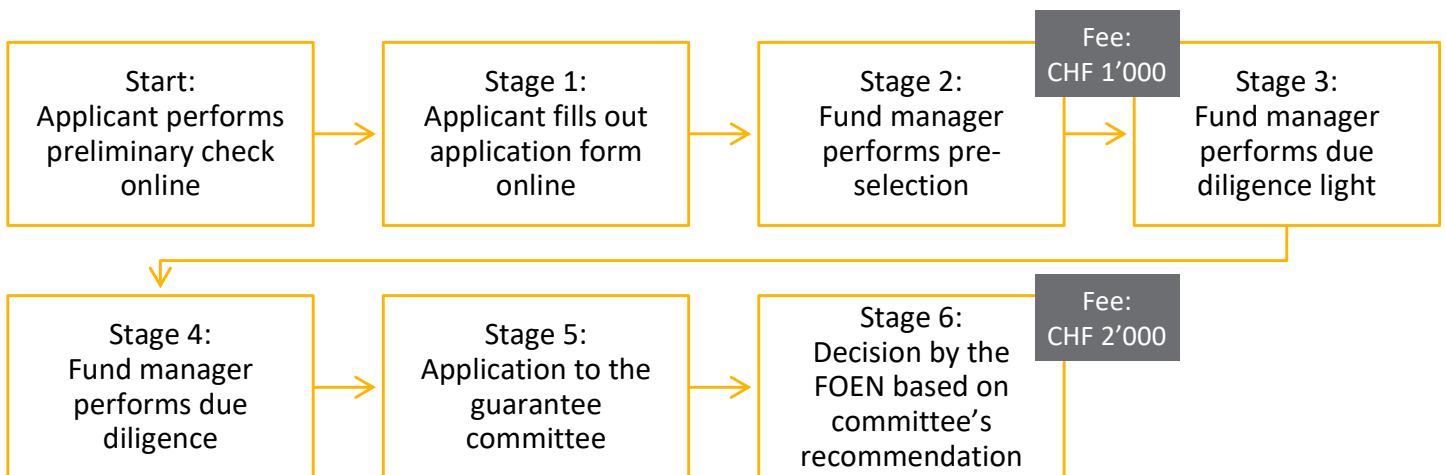
Most important Criteria:

- The technology or product offers a **positive environmental impact** in one of the four areas of eligible technologies and **is innovative**.
- The product offers a sizeable **market opportunity** and has generated at least **CHF 100'000** in sales.
- The applicant is **creditworthy**.
- The project is not feasible without the guarantee.
- Applicant and lender are **domiciled in Switzerland**.



Online Application

Staged Due Diligence Process for all Applications



Important:

Applications can be denied at any time in the application process if the eligibility or creditworthiness criteria are not met. The applicant receives written notification.

For a list of the most important criteria please refer to the **preliminary check** on our website.

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