**INNOVATION QUESTIONNAIRE**

**TEMPLATE**

For each innovation that the project will develop / has developed please answer the questions below:

**Title of the innovation \***

*A robotized system for automatic cucumber gathering*

**Describe the innovation (in less than 1000 characters, spaces included) \***

*The project has proposed the test of a robotized system for automatic cucumber gathering. The system enables the improvement of the process of gathering cucumber which requires an amount of mechanical effort currently performed by persons working in very stressing conditions.*

**Is the innovation developed within the project ... \***

a) Under development

**Characterise the type of innovation \***

* Significantly improved product

**Is the innovation to be introduced to the market or to be deployed within a partner \***

* Deployed within a partner (internal exploitation: Changes in organisation, new internal processes implemented, etc.)

**Is there a clear owner of the innovation in the consortium or multiple owners? \***

* Multiple owners

**Indicate the step(s) already done (or are foreseen) in the project in order to bring the innovation to (or closer to) the market**

* Done or ongoing
* Planned in project
* Not planned in project but needed/desirable
* Not planned in project and not needed

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| *Technology transfer* | Planned in project |
| *Engagement of both research team and partner's business units in project activities* | Not planned in project but needed/desirable |
| *Business plan* | Not planned in project but needed/desirable |
| *Market study* | Not planned in project but needed/desirable |
| *Prototyping in laboratory environment* | Done or ongoing |
| *Prototyping in real world environment* | Done or ongoing |
| *Pilot, Demonstration or Testing activities* | Done or ongoing |
| *Feasibility study* | Done or ongoing |
| *Launch a start-up or spin-off* | Not planned in project and not needed |
| *Standardisation* | Not planned in project and not needed |
| *Application for private or public investment* | Not planned in project and not needed |
| *Securing private investment* | Not planned in project and not needed |
| *Securing public investment* | Not planned in project and not needed |
| *Other (please specify)* |  |

If other, please specify

**Indicate which participant(s) (up to a maximum of 3) is/are the key organisation(s) in the project delivering this innovation. For each of these identify under the next question their needs to fulfil their market potential. \***

Organisation 1: Fraunhofer

Organisation 2

Organisation 3

Indicate their needs to fulfil their market potential

Organisation1

* Partnership with other company (technology or other)

Organisation2

Organisation3

**Market size: What is the approximate market size for this innovation \***

* Not known

**Market maturity: The market for this innovation is ... \***

* Not yet existing: customers are not buying such products (or are not yet ready to buy such products/services)

**Level of innovation: What is the level of innovation \***

* Innovative but could be difficult to convert customers

**When do you expect that such innovation could be commercialised? \***

* Between 3 and 5 years