

**AFFORDABLE
HIGH-TECH FOR
HUMANITARIAN AID**

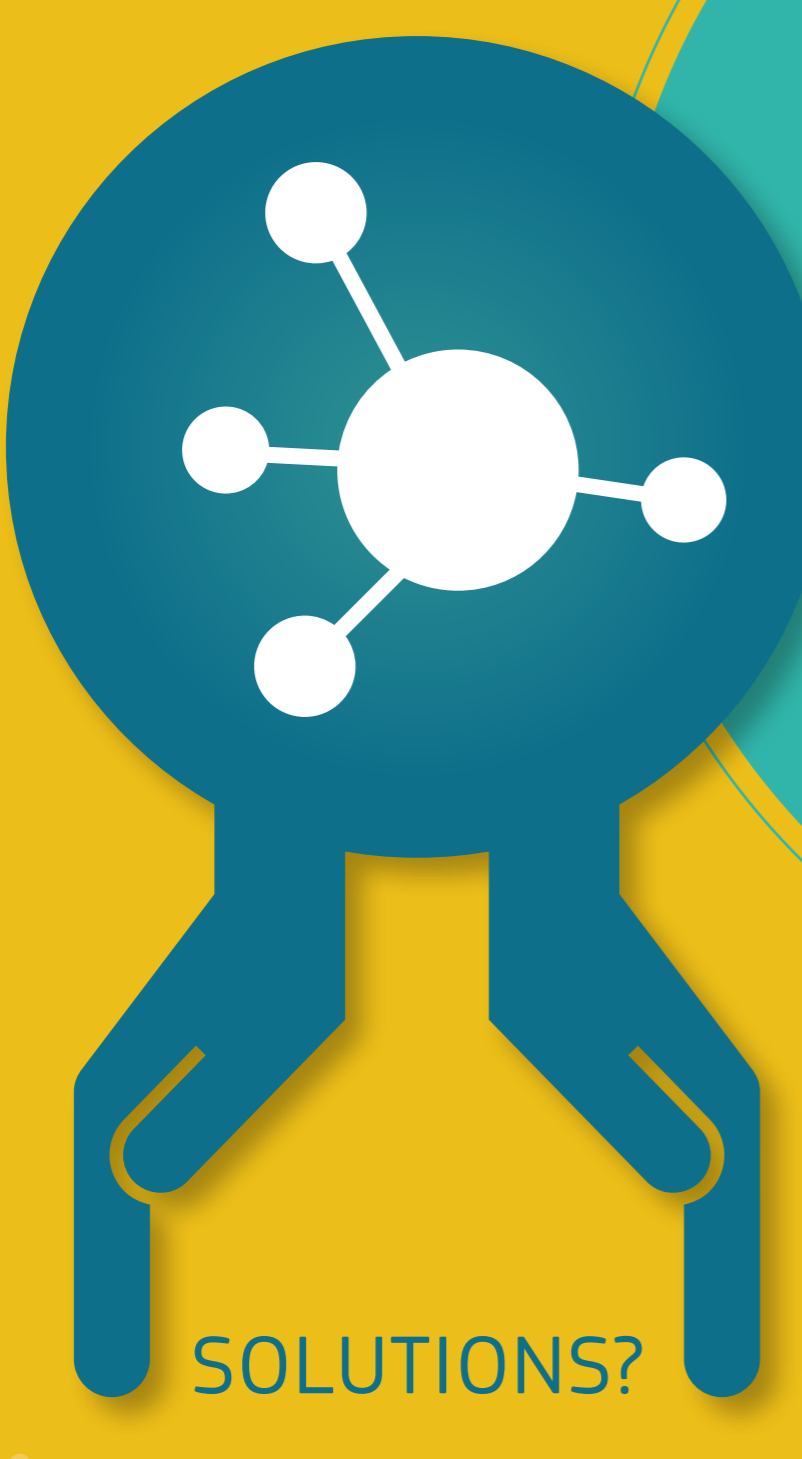
EIC HORIZON
prize

SOLVE THE CHALLENGE

€ 5 million in prizes

The EU will award **€5 MILLION** to the **BEST, INNOVATIVE AND COST-EFFECTIVE** tech-based solutions supporting humanitarian aid responses to crises and disasters.

The solutions must be based on the **APPLICATION** of **ADVANCED TECHNOLOGIES**.



WHY?

128 MILLION PEOPLE needed humanitarian assistance in 2017.

Humanitarian crises and disasters are increasing but **RESOURCES ARE SCARCE**.

SOLUTIONS?

NEW AND INNOVATIVE TECHNOLOGIES to improve the **IMPACT** of humanitarian aid response

EIC PRIZE CATEGORIES

€ 1 million

for the winning solution in each category

SHELTER AND RELATED ASSISTANCE

1



2

WATER, HYGIENE AND SANITATION



3

ENERGY



4

HEALTH AND MEDICAL CARE



OPEN CATEGORY

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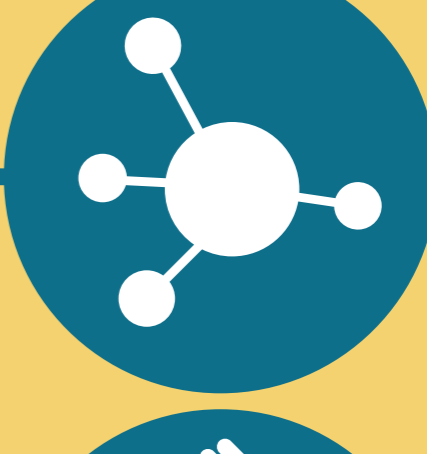
The EU is the **WORLD'S BIGGEST DONOR** of humanitarian aid.

2016 – €2.1 billion to help over 120 million people.

Demonstrate how technology can make humanitarian aid **SMARTER** and more **EFFECTIVE!**

MAIN REQUIREMENTS

advanced technologies for a frugal innovation approach



developed for **people in collaboration with people**



new solutions tested in **real situations**



quality and sustainability



DEADLINE

15 January 2020

WHO CAN PARTICIPATE?



The contest is open to individuals, groups, organisations and companies.

More information on the Prize:

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