

Reader manual

This document encompasses the developed questionnaire format tailored to the Boomveer innovation. For clarification, the typologies and typology clusters used to develop the question are presented in the same table as well, which align with the developed typology merged dataset. This dataset is used during the interview session with the company representative of the Boomveer innovation. However, due to sensitivity of the provided information, these results are only available on request. Furthermore, this tailored version is intended to be adaptable to other innovation, where typologies relevant to the new integrated technology should be used.

Economical					
Unique data entry	Typology cluster	Question	High level answer	Detailed answer	Source
Costs	Total Cost of Ownership (TCO)	What is the Total Cost of Ownership (TCO) over products entire life cycle? [euro / unit / year]			
Embedded costs					
Investment costs					
Cost of capital					
Costs / m2					
Ownership costs					
Costs of implementation	Implementation and installation costs	What are the total costs of installation of a product? [euro / unit]			
Installation costs					
Surcharge costs for installation					
Management costs	Maintenance and Management Costs	What are the total costs of integral management of the tree? [euro / unit / year] Specify: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Water costs - Energy costs - Pruning costs - Labor costs - Other 			
Running costs					
Operating costs					
Water costs					
Energy costs					
Maintenance costs per m2					
Product variation and Cost impact analysis	Cost Analysis and Optimization	What impacts the TCO of the product the most, and where lies chances for cost optimalization.			
Color/Grain Impact on Costs					
Cost Determinants					
Transportation Cost Analysis	Transportation Analysis	What are the costs of transportation? [euro / unit / year]			
Transportation ease					
Long-Term Savings Analysis	Financial Sustainability Analysis	How much economical benefit is expected to be 'generated' by the innovation? [euro / unit / year]			
Cost-Saving Measure Assessment					
Embedded costs VS returns					
Rate of return					
Payback time					
Economic productivity					
Cost recovery					
Product price	Product price	What is the price of the product? [euro / unit]			
Affordability					

Market																																																
Information aspect	Cluster	Question	High level answer	Detailed answer	source																																											
Product alternatives	Comparative Assessment of Technology Alternatives	How does the innovation compare to other market available alternatives.																																														
Comparative advantage over other alternatives		High level answer: use following format;																																														
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Technology parity	Detailed answer: a detailed explanation can be given compared to other product alternatives.																																															
Carbon dioxide reduction (comparison to other technologies)																																																
Innovation of the System																																																
Required parties for technology promotion	Required parties for technology promotion	What parties are needed for realization/promotion/implementation of innovation?																																														
Risk of proactive approach	Risk of proactive approach	What is the major risk of investing in this innovation?																																														
Likelihood of investment	Sustainable Investment Strategy (SIS)	What is the likelihood of investor interest in this innovation?																																														
Financial incentives		[are there already investors? And how is this expected for the future?]																																														
Green marketing																																																
Investment horizon																																																
Conflicts of economic interest	Conflicts of economic interest	Are there currently or expected conflicts of economic interest in the development and great scale implementation of this innovation?																																														
Supply Chain readiness	Supply Chain and Market Readiness	What is the level of readiness of the market for this innovation?																																														
Technology delivery time		Express in terms of:																																														
Supply Chain Reorganization		- Production process																																														
Market conditions		- Distribution process																																														
Distribution network		- Installation process																																														
Maximum Orderable Quantities		- Upscaling																																														
	- Costumers																																															

Market ecosystem				
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Technological requirements					
Information aspect	Cluster	Question	High level answer	Detailed answer	source
Maintenance	Maintenance & management	What are the maintenance and management requirements for this innovation? Boomveer specific: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Irrigation - Pruning - Leaves - Nutrients - Labor intensity - Required knowledge - Other element maintenance (frame) - Maintenance scheme/frequency 	-		
Maintenance provider					
Maintenance Labor Intensity					
Maintenance Knowledge Requirement					
Maintenance accessibility					
Maintenance Adaptation					
Technology element replacement and maintenance					
Maintenance requirements and Scheme					
Maintenance patterns					
Cooling Water requirements	Water Resource Management	What are the requirements with respect to water? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - How much water is required - What quality of water is required - Other? 			
Irrigation requirements					
Water requirements					
Water demand					
Water usage					
Minimum Water Collection Size (requirement)					
Pruning requirement	Pruning requirement	What are the requirements in terms of pruning?			
Energy demand	Energy demand	What are the requirements in terms of energy (electricity)? Expressed in [kwh / unit / day]			
Underlying Surface Requirements	Ground integration criteria	What are the requirements with respect to the ground or surface where the innovation is implemented?	-		
Soil Layer Requirement					
Ground implementation					

Requirements					
Soil layer requirement					
Soil (requirement)					
Installation depth Requirement					
Root Space Requirements	Space requirement	What is the minimal space required for the implementation of this technology?	-		
Space					
The amount of technology needed to get effect	Technology Dosage				
Thermal Impact Threshold					
Density					
Required slope and drainage systems	Slope and Drainage Requirements:	Is there a form of water drainage needed? for example via a slope?			

Functionality & effect					
Information aspect	Cluster	Question	High level answer	Detailed answer	source
Effectiveness	Heat Mitigation Effectiveness	What is the (hypothesized) effect of the innovation with respect to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Air temperature - Surface temperature - Humidity Express these answers qualitatively (descriptive) and quantitative (with numbers) if possible.			
Effect on Heat stress					
Heat reduction per square meter					
Heat reduction (Qi et al 2022)					
Thermal Impact					
Heat Reducing Capacity					
UHI reduction (lucertini 2022)					
Urban cooling (Qi 2022)					
Nocturnal air temperature (de groot-reichwein et al)					
Land surface temperature (Qi 2020) Qi 2022, lucertini 2022					
Air temperature Qi 2022 Qi 2020					
Outdoor thermal comfort index (Qi 2022 & Qi 2020)					
Scale of effect (yamamoto 2016, lucertini 2022)					
Degree of effect (yamamoto 2016)					
Reliability (puig et al) (haselip et al)	Technological reliability and quality	How reliable is technology in terms of its intended effects?			
Technological					

quality					
Functional uncertainty (puig et al)					
Effect on other parameters involved in perception of heat	Comprehensive Heat Mitigation Effectiveness	Does the technology contribute to mitigation to other parameters that contribute to the human experience of heat.			
Shading effect	Shading effect	What is the shading effect of the technology? Express in terms of m2 shadow per unit.			
Albedo effect technology	Albedo effect	What is the albedo of the innovation? Express in value of 0 – 1			
Color-Surface Temperature Relationship	Color-Surface Temperature Relationship	What is the relation between the color of the surface of the innovation and its effect on the surrounding temperature.			
Time scale	Temporal effectiveness	How long does the intended effect last for? And when is innovation most effective ?			
Optimal benefit period					
Period (yamamoto 2016)					
Performance in freezing temperatures	Cold weather performance	How is the functional performance of the innovation changed in cold temperatures.			
Slipperiness and need for salt					
System Operation	System Operation	How does the innovation needs to be operated? Does it need operation apart from maintenance and management?			
Water Reuse from Crate	Water Reuse Capacity	Can water be reused for this product?			

Storage		Can water that drains from this product be reused?			
Potential to reuse water from roofs for maintenance					
Water Reuse Capacity					
Water capture rate	Water capture and storage capacity	How much water can be captured and stored by the product?			
Water storage capacity		Express in m3/ unit			
Water storage capacity (lucertini 2022)		Also indicate how long a certain volume can be stored			
Water purification steps	Water purification steps	- Not for boomveer -	-		
Evaporation Regulation	Evaporation Regulation	Can the evaporation rate be regulated?			
PM 2.5	Air pollution reduction	Does the product contribute to air pollution reduction? Express qualitatively (descriptive) and quantitative (numbers) if possible.			
Energy efficiency (puig et al)	Energy performance	-Not for boomveer-			
Energy savings (qi et al 2022), lucertini 2022					

Design					
Information aspect	Cluster	Question	High level answer	Detailed answer	source
Context design 'different building types'	Urban context compatibility	How compatible is the product with the urban environment? - How easy is implementation into urban environment as we currently know it			
How does it fit in larger scale urban planning & context					
How well does it fit with underground soil structure	Landscape Integration and Technology Placement (LITP)	How well does it integrate with current landscape and are there requirements where this product needs to be implemented?			
Landscape Integration					
Site Orientation					
Site suitability					
Applicability on clay soil					
Technology placement					
Load bearing capacity	Structural Characteristics	What are the structural characteristics of the product? - Weight - Load bearing capacity - Volume - Area			
Weight per square meter (kg/m2)					
Built area ratio					
Density					
Area to volume ratio					
Dimensions	Dimensions	What are the dimension of the product? - Height - Width			
Tree-canopy area					
Root depth					

Vegetation height					
Aesthetics of design	Aesthetic Design Features	What are the variations in design in terms of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Colour - Pattern - Shapes - Etc. 	-		
Colour variation					
Colour					
Shape					
Customization and Patterns					
Unpleasant appearance					
Pre-installation adaptability	Flexible Installation Design	How flexible is the installation of this product?			
Adaptability to Uneven Surfaces					
Post-installation adaptability	Flexible Maintenance Design	How flexible is the design after installation in terms of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Replacement - Element replacement - Modifications - ETC. 			
Tactical / removable					
Accessibility to Underground Infrastructure					
Modular Accessibility					
Replaceability					
Seasonal adaptability	Seasonal adaptability	Does product change during seasonal changes? And what does this do to functionality?			
Height limitation	Height limitation	What are the minimum and maximum heights of the product?			
Time scale	Temporal Resilience	What is the lifespan of the product?			
Lifespan					
Longevity					
Survival					
Time scale					

implementation					
Durability					
Recyclability	Circular Material Management	What is the material circularity of the product components?	-		
Material Reuse and Recycling					
Material Reusability					
Product reusability					
Circularity					
Circular economy considerations					
Disposal					
Permeability	Material characteristics	What are the material characteristics of the product in terms of: - Permeability - Fire resistance			
Melting temperature					
Surface characteristics					
Material					
Material Flexibility	Material Design Flexibility	Range of flexibility in material usage, plant species diversity, etc.?			
Plant Diversity					
Vegetation species					
Technology versatility					
Tree compatibility					
Material biodegradability	Material biodegradability	Is the product fully biodegradable	-		
Sustainability production	Sustainable Manufacturing	Degree of sustainability of the production process.			
Degree of					

sustainable production process					
Sustainability material usage					
Sustainability transportation	Sustainability transportation	How is the product transported and how sustainable is this			
Natural Solutions	Natural Solutions	Can the product be changed to incorporate more natural elements?			
Vehicle Access Reinforcement	Vehicle Access Reinforcement	-not for boomveer-			
Growth potential in confined space	Growth potential in confined space	Is the growth potential of vegetation restricted by product?			
Walkability	Pedestrian-Friendly Inclusive Design	-not for boomveer-			
Inclusivity					
Path Integration					
Green surface area	Green surface area	-not for boomveer-			

Synergy					
Information aspect	Cluster	Question	High level answer	Detailed answer	source
Multifunctional Synergy	Synergistic Technology Integration	What are the synergy effects of the product and where lie future synergetic collaborations with other technologies?			
Synergy potential					
Synergistic Technology Analysis					
Can it function as water catchment area	Water Integration Capacity	<p>What is the water storage capacity of the product ?</p> <p>In terms of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Quantity [m3/ unit] - Duration of storage 			
Integration with Drainage Solutions					
Sewage relief capacity					
Combination with green infrastructure	Green Infrastructure Integration	Can it form synergy with other vegetation systems			
Water buffer for irrigation					
Synergy – vegetation compatibility					
Technology-Tree Synergy					
Recreational synergic potential	Recreational Integration	<p>Can product contribute to recreational purposes?</p> <p>For boomveer:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Can place at recreational site? - Can children climb in tree - Can frame be made for sitting? - Can tree used to hang a hammock 			
Child-Friendly Design					
Ecological benefit	Ecological benefit	What are the ecological benefits of this product ?			

Social					
Information aspect	Cluster	Question	High level answer	Detailed answer	source
Social impact	Societal Impact	What is the assumed impact of this product on society? Positive effects? Negative effects?			
Social Benefit Expression					
Social value					
Social 'user groups'					
Citizen participation on design	Community Engagement	To what extend is the community engaged with this product? In tis design? In tis maintenance ? Is it user-friendly Can citizens also get product?			
Citizen participation on decision making process					
Resident co-management of technologies					
Community engagement and communication	Community Information and Engagement	How is information regarding this product/technology transferred to the community (social) and how does this contribute to engagement, acceptance and participation?			
Living lab communication					
Resident information communication					
Citizen urgency	Stakeholder urgency	What is the assumed urgency of this technology for different stakeholders? And how can urgency be increased?			
Municipality urgency					
Recognition for work	Recognition and Motivation	Why should someone advocate for the implementation of this specific technology?			
Motives for initiative					
Contribution to awareness	Awareness and acceptance	How does this technology contribute to acceptance of these types of innovations, and the awareness of problems in the urban environment such as climate change, UHI effect,.			
Community Sensitization on Greener Public Spaces with Low Investment					
Public acceptance					
Public awareness					
Public knowledge					
Socio-Technological Acceptance					
distribution of	Equitable Technology	How is the implementation of this product			

technology benefits	Implementation (ETI)	distributed in society? Only rich or poor			
Social Sensitivity		Who is most likely to benefit from products?			
Job creation	Job creation	Does this product contribute to new job creation?			

Governmental					
Information aspect	Cluster	Question	High level answer	Detailed answer	source
Compliance with public space consultation regulations	Regulatory compliance and permitting	<p>What are current regulations and laws that have impact on this technology and its implementation? (these can be national laws, municipality guidelines, etc.)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Needed permits for implementations - Height limitations - Places not allows for installation - Types of trees not allowed - Etc. <p>And; what is the likelihood that future regulations might impact this technology</p>			
Public space handbook compatibility					
Compliance to standards					
Legislations					
Legal framework					
Bureaucracy					
Legal considerations					
Legal feasibility					
Procedural time					
Administrative considerations					
Regulatory Landscape					
Technology placement and regulations					
Arboricultural Permit					
Contribution to municipal policies	Contribution to municipal policies	To what extend does this technology/product comply with municipal guidelines ?			
Regulatory Advocacy					
Funding support	Funding support	<p>Are there funding programs that support this product in any way?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Development - Implementation - Can people get funding for implementation in garden for example. - Can project developers get funding for implementation in their projects. - Etc. 			
Subsidies potential					
Actor	Actor involvement	How involved are different actors with the			

involvement		development and implementation of this product?			
Property ownership	Property ownership	Who is the owner of this product over its life cycle? And what about after its functional life cycle? Who is responsible?			
Ownership					
Presence of product warranty	Legal product performance assurance	Is there a product warranty that legally assures the product performance over a certain extend of time?			
Technology warranty					
Legislative Mandate	Legislative Mandate	Are there known legislative mandates to promote this technology/product?			
Political commitment to technology	Political Technology Endorsement (PTE)	To what extend is this product supported by policy?			
Policy support					
Political acceptance					
Management capacity	Organizational Technology Competence (OTC)	To what extend are government agencies open, able and motivated for the implementation of this technology? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Do they have management capacity - Do they have the required knowledge - Is there a resistance to this product 			
Available resources					
Resistance to change					
Monitoring capacity					
Conflicts of interest	Conflicts of interest	Are there any conflicts of interest regarding the implementation of this technology/product in terms of policy?			

Impact & vulnerability					
Information aspect	Cluster	Question	High level answer	Detailed answer	source
Functionality impact	Integration and Replacement Impact	How is the site of implementation affected by the installation of the technology: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Is there permanent damage? - Does installation requires removing of inplace material (such as removal of inplace tiles etc.) 			
Disturbance of inplace function					
What to do with replace material					
Replacement of in place structure					
Installation impact					
Impact on building facades					
Water pollution	Water Quality Impact of Technology	Does the technology/product negatively impact quality of water of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Runoff - Due to leaf litter impact - Water draining from product 			
Leaf litter impact					
Potential soil contamination	Soil-Environment Relationship	-not for boomveer-			
Soil drought					
Soil Organisms' Reactions to the Technology					
Soil Impact on Performance					
No Groundwater Recharge	Hydrogeological Interaction	-not for boomveer-			
Groundwater Level Impact on Performance					
Potential negative effects	Technology's dual impact	What are potential negative effects of this technology/product?			

Trade-off effect					
Vulnerability to damage	Technology Resilience and Robustness	How vulnerable is this technology/product to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Misuse - Neglecting - Misuse - Mis management - Vandalism - Etc. 			
Wear resistance					
Vulnerability to misuse					
Vulnerability to neglect					
Vulnerability					
Environmental sensitivity					
Vulnerability to removal					
Technology Vulnerability to Weather	Climate Resilience of Technology	How resilient is this technology to changing weather conditions: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Wind - Rain - Drought - Solar intensity - Freezing - Peak rainfall events 			
Wind displacement considerations					
Seasonal effects					
Slip hazard					
Dry Period Maintenance					
Drought Resilience					
Peak rainfall response					
Impact on biodiversity	Ecological Impact	Is there an impact of this technology/product on surrounding ecology? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Negative ? - Positive? 			
Ecological response					
Environmental impact					
Technological					

Impact on Ecological Connectivity					
Root Impact on Path Material	Vegetation-technology Interaction	-not for boomveer-			
Plant Growth Through Material					
Fire Resistance	Fire Resistance	How resistant is this technology/product to fire?			
Pest and Pathogen Management in Water Buffer Technology	Pest and Pathogen Management	Is there a risk on pest and pathogens for this technology / product; <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Is it vulnerable to them - Does it facilitate them 			
Mosquito Infestation					
Shoe Cleanliness	End User Impact	--not for boomveer-			
Public health Mortality and morbidity	Public Health impact	Can this technology/product have an impact on public health?			

Implementation & Installation					
Information aspect	Cluster	Question	High level answer	Detailed answer	source
Application possibilities of technology	Versatile Application	How versatile can it be applied roofs parks streets markets			
Applicability in market or event settings					
Location of deployment					
Possible application beyond parking lots					
Roof-based Implementation					
Versatility of use					
Multi-functional compatibility					
Previous technology deployment	Technology Deployment History	Is this technology already deployed and proved to work.			
Technology Performance Studies					
Context readiness for implementation	Context readiness for implementation	How ready is the context of implementation acceptance how much to people want product is production ready			
Installation responsibility	Installation responsibility	Who is responsible of installation			