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| **MSR-project proposal template** |

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# Title

*Concise title of the project*

# Lead partner

*Who is the lead partner (must be an Alternet consortium partner) of the project (institute and person in charge)? Please provide mail address, email and phone number.*

# Involved partners and planned sites/regions/locations

*List the partners that are willing to participate in the project. At which sites, locations and in which biogeographical regions will the MSR be performed? Please, explicitly mention which sites are located at LT(S)ER sites/platforms.*

# Aim

*What is the overall aim of the project?*

# Research questions

*What are the main research questions to be answered in the project?*

# Novelty

*Briefly describe the novelty and added value of the project and its multi-site aspect.*

# Expected results & impact

*What results do you expect and what scientific and/or societal impact might they have?*

# Planned activities

*Briefly describe the material and methods to be used.*

# Time schedule

*When will the project be executed and finalized, including submission of scientific manuscript(s)?*

# Dissemination plan

*Describe the plans for spreading the outcomes and results of the project. This should include a data management plan and plans for enabling long-term access to the data in accordance with Alternet’s common data sharing policy.*

# Publication

*Indicate the potential paper(s) or other publications that could result from the project.*

# Benefits to Alternet

*Summarize the benefits of the project to the partners involved and to the Alternet consortium as a whole in relation to the general objectives listed in Section 1 (General Alternet Goals)*

# Budget

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| ***Source of funding*** | ***Amount (€)*** |
| *Alternet* |  |
| *Other* |  |
| *Total* |  |

*Describe how the Alternet contribution will be spent.*

# Literature

*List of cited references*