

# Planning of JP call

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These are preliminary assumptions. For more details, please wait for the press release by the Japanese Ministry of Internal Affairs and Communications(MIC), NICT. There is a consensus on the R&I challenges & objectives, the foreseen outcomes and the expected impact. The call text on these points will be very similar to the SNS Workprogramme 2024 topic.

[https://www.soumu.go.jp/menu\\_news/s-news/index.html](https://www.soumu.go.jp/menu_news/s-news/index.html) (Japanese only)

[https://www.nict.go.jp/public\\_trust\\_info/index.html](https://www.nict.go.jp/public_trust_info/index.html) (Japanese only)

## ■ Expected Schedule

- Budget: 100 million JPY per year (funding rate 100%)
- Call opening: **by March 2024**
- Call submission deadline: **April 2024**
- Proposal Evaluation: **Summer 2024**
- Foreseen projects duration: **April 2025 – March 2028 (Maximum 3 years)**

## ■ Eligibility in Japanese call

- All applicants must be **entities such as companies or universities registered in Japan** and have **research and development centers in Japan** for this call.