



TERMS AND CONDITIONS FOR “FRONIUS REFERENCE CHALLENGE – NORTHERN EUROPE WIN A TRIP TO AUSTRIA”

1. Organiser

The organiser of this prize contest is Fronius International GmbH, with its registered office in A-4643 Pettenbach, Froniusstrasse 1, Austria, hereinafter referred to as Fronius.

The contest is organised on the Fronius homepage, and available in the selected markets Netherlands, Belgium, Luxembourg, Sweden, Finland and Denmark.

The following terms and conditions apply with regard to the participation process and the standards of quality, which are accepted when taking part in the challenge.

2. Entry and terms and conditions of entry

2.1. Persons entitled to participate

Entrants must be natural persons aged 18 or over and Fronius installer. It is free to take part in the contest and no purchase is necessary. No legal claims may be derived from participation and Fronius accepts no liability.

Submissions are only valid from the following countries: Netherlands, Belgium, Luxembourg, Sweden, Finland and Denmark.

2.2. Participation process

Every entrant who uploads the completed reference form (PDF reference checklist) and reference photos (see Quality requirements, point 2.3) to the www.fronius.com/en/solar-energy/installers-partners/infocentre/news-row/reference-challenge-northern-europe within the competition period, thereby declares their intent to enter the contest. The entrant must first state their forename, surname and e-mail address, as well as filling out the additional fields and uploading the required files. By presenting this data, the entrant is taking part in the contest. The entrant simultaneously grants their approval for photos and form contents to be published by Fronius (see Point 6 below).

2.3. Quality requirements

- / The submitted photos must meet the quality requirements for reference images (see document: *SE_REF_UP_Picture_Requirements_EN* at www.fronius.com/en/solar-energy/installers-partners/infocentre/news-row/reference-challenge-northern-europe).
- / Filled out "Reference checklist" (see document: *SE_REF_UP_Checklist_EN*)
- / The installation must include at least one Fronius solution. Some examples: inverter (SnapINverter, GEN24 Plus, Tauro), Wattpilot, Ohmpilot, Smart Meter, back-up, offgrid (all kinds of pv installations applicable – not only grid tied) etc.
- / The installation should include some specialities, complexities
- / The submitted installation must be registered in Fronius Solar.Web.



2.4. Duration of the challenge

The system must have been installed between 1st of January 2021 (00:00 CET) and 31st of December 2021 (23:59 CET). The registration to the prize draw must have been made between 1st of November 2021 (0:00 CET) and 31st of January 2022 (23:59 CET).

3. Exclusion from the contest

- / Fronius employees and other persons involved with the conception and implementation of the contest are excluded from participation.
- / Fronius expressly reserves the right to disqualify individual persons from the contest should they violate these terms and conditions. If photos are disqualified from the competition due to unacceptable content, the entrant concerned will not be notified.
- / Fronius will disqualify any photos with unethical, unlawful or other ethically or morally reprehensible content from the competition.

4. Winning entries and determining the winner

An internal jury will review all entries and select the 10 most outstanding references per Fronius Agency from the participating countries, from a technological or other perspective. These are designated as the top entrants. The top entrants will be randomly drawn to win the main prize per Fronius Agency after the competition period. The BENELUX region and the countries Denmark, Sweden and Finland are each counted as Fronius Agencies during this contest.

4.1. Description of the prize

The main prize is a two-day visit to the Fronius production facility in Austria for two employees of the installation company who submitted the reference and two employees of its Fronius distribution company which must be a Fronius Sales partner in one of the following countries: Netherlands, Belgium, Luxembourg, Sweden, Finland or Denmark.

The prize includes flight and hotel costs for four people per Agency, a Fronius production tour in Sattledt, company presentation and other activities to be discussed in detail with the winner in person. Fronius has the right to determine the program for the two days, as well as the flight times and associated costs, and to select the hotel. Fronius will work with the customer to set the date for the visit, which is still scheduled to take place in 2022. In addition, Fronius has the right to adjust the program of the visit and must inform the client in time.

This prize will be awarded four times. There is one prize each for Denmark, Finland, Sweden, and BENELUX region.

4.2. Participation of Fronius Sales Partners

If a Fronius sales partner (visible in the partner search at the Fronius homepage) participates in the contest himself and wins, he may invite 2 people from an installation company of his choice to the visit.

4.3. Further regulations in relation to winning the contest

- / Descriptions and images of prizes relating to this contest are for illustrative purposes and are not binding. The winner will be determined within 30 working days of the competition period's conclusion. Parties concerned will be contacted by e-mail. If the competition winner does not respond within 14 working days, they forfeit their win and another winner will be drawn at random from the top entrants.
- / The winner's claim is non-transferable. The judges' decision is final and no cash prizes will be awarded. The prize must be claimed by the company that submitted the reference, thus transfer of prizes to another company is not allowed. However, the installer company is free to choose which employees may participate in the trip. Exception see point 4.2.



- / The change or exchange of prizes is not permitted. All additional costs associated with prizes, once they have been accepted by the entrant, are borne by the entrant.
- / The top entries (references) will be co-branded and published on the Fronius website. The entrant may object to the use of their own edited entry at any time (e.g. for the homepage, trade fairs).
- / The entrant agrees to be named and/or presented by Fronius in connection with photos and content from their reference entry form for a wide range of marketing activities connected to the contest.
- / Errors and misprints excepted.

5. Data security and protection

- / The entrant's personal data will be collected and used by Fronius in line with data protection regulations. This personal data initially consists of forename, surname, company, e-mail address and the fact that this person has entered the contest. The entrant's personal data will be stored and used for the purpose of this contest and for delivering prizes. It will also be used for the marketing purposes described above. Every entrant has the right to view, rectify, delete, restrict, contest, withdraw, transfer and complain as regards usage of their personal data, either through Fronius or through the supervisory authority. By entering this contest, the entrant agrees to be contacted by Fronius, should they be selected as the winner.
- / The entrant affirms that the photos submitted are free from third party rights (e.g. copyrights, other ancillary copyrights, personal rights) and that they are free to use the photo as they wish. In the event that one or more individuals are identifiable in the photo, the individuals concerned must consent to the photo being published. The relevant declaration of consent must be provided to Fronius on request. The individual who submitted the photo is solely responsible for its content. The entrant exempts Fronius from any resulting liability with respect to third parties and agrees to compensate Fronius for any damages arising therefrom.
- / The entrant may revoke such consent at any time by sending an e-mail to that effect to contact@fronius.com or a statement by post to Fronius International GmbH, Froniusstraße 1, A-4643 Pettenbach.
- / The entrant consents to Fronius sending its newsletter to the e-mail address provided. Consent thereto may be revoked at any time by following the instructions at the end of the newsletter. Fronius undertakes to comply with the legal provisions of the Austrian Data Protection Act.
- / In connection with their personal data, every participant has the fundamental right to information, correction, deletion, restriction, objection, revocation of consent, data portability and the right to lodge a complaint with Fronius at dataprotection@fronius.com or with the Austrian Data Protection Authority, Barichgasse 40-42, 1030 Vienna.
- / Further information on data protection at Fronius, in particular your rights, can be found [here](#).

6. Copyright and personal rights

The entrant grants Fronius irrevocable and exclusive rights of use and exploitation of the submitted photos, files and text without any restrictions in place, time or content. This includes, in particular, the right to use the photo uploaded in connection to the contest as a whole or in part, unchanged or edited/redesigned within the framework of Fronius marketing activities. The scope of usage rights also extends to include transfer of usage rights to Fronius contractual partners and all language versions. The entrant relinquishes the right to be credited by name. Consent is voluntary. Usage rights shall be granted free of charge. The entrant also exempts Fronius from any resulting liability with respect to third parties and agrees to compensate Fronius for any damages arising therefrom. Fronius accepts no liability for the downloading of photos/text and the subsequent usage by third parties.

7. Aborting or alerting the contest

Fronius reserves the right to cancel the contest at any time without prior notice and without stating reasons. The contest will be terminated prematurely if it cannot be executed properly for technical (e.g. errors or manipulation concerning the hardware and/or software used) or legal reasons. Fronius is entitled to disqualify entrants with immediate effect, should they be found to be in violation of the terms and conditions.



If the competition is terminated prematurely due to the intentionally malicious behaviour of an entrant or other third party, Fronius may claim compensation for damages.

8. Miscellaneous

These terms and conditions are governed exclusively by Austrian law, with the exception of the International Private Law Act and the UN Convention on Contracts for the International Sale of Goods.

Should any provision of these Terms and Conditions of Participation be or become invalid in whole or in part, this shall not affect the validity of the remaining provisions of these Terms and Conditions of Participation. Instead of the invalid provision, the legally permissible provision that comes closest in economic terms to the meaning and purpose expressed in the invalid provision shall apply. The same applies in the event of a loophole in these Terms and Conditions of Participation.