IDEAS for the Public Sector

This worksheet should be used in conjunction with the IDEAS for the Public Sector material on the [Public Sector Innovation Toolkit](#).

1. As a first step you should answer the initial questions about your idea
2. You should then complete the worksheet on page three for your idea against the 20 questions outlined in the IDEAS Toolkit section
3. You should then complete the spider chart diagram on page four with your results against the 20 questions
4. Add up the score for the idea on page five and look at what the score indicates for your idea on the IDEAS Toolkit section.

*Initial Questions to Answer*

What will you call your idea?

What is the problem your idea will solve?

Why is the problem important?
How does your idea manifest itself in terms of something tangible, like a new service, a new process or a new policy?

Who are the intended end-users or beneficiaries of your idea?
Worksheet

PERCEPTIONS
1. Problem       a b c d e
2. Importance    a b c d e
3. Recognition   a b c d e
4. Compatibility a b c d e
5. Value         a b c d e

STAKEHOLDERS
6. End-users     a b c d e
7. Staff         a b c d e
8. Management    a b c d e
9. Political     a b c d e
10. External     a b c d e

RISKS
11. Regulatory   a b c d e
12. Implementation a b c d e
13. Dependence   a b c d e
14. Timing       a b c d e
15. Reputational a b c d e

RESOURCES
16. Technical    a b c d e
17. Administrative a b c d e
18. Operational  a b c d e
19. Human        a b c d e
20. Financial    a b c d e
Innovation Feasibility Rating

- Number of a’s multiplied by 5 =
- Number of b’s multiplied by 4 =
- Number of c’s multiplied by 3 =
- Number of d’s multiplied by 2 =
- Number of e’s multiplied by 1 =