
**United Kingdom-Reading: Laboratory, hygienic or pharmaceutical glassware
2023/S 209-659385**

Contract notice

Supplies

Legal Basis:

Directive 2014/24/EU

Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

Official name: Southern Universities Purchasing Consortium (SUPC)

National registration number: 111357

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Town: Reading

NUTS code: UK United Kingdom

Postal code: RG6 6BU

Country: United Kingdom

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Internet address(es):

Main address:

Address of the buyer profile:

I.2) Information about joint procurement

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

I.3) Communication

The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access,

Additional information can be obtained from the abovementioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted to the abovementioned address

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

I.5) Main activity

Education

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title:

Laboratory Consumables & Chemicals (IRLA)

Reference number: LAB4043 SU

II.1.2) Main CPV code

33790000 Laboratory, hygienic or pharmaceutical glassware

II.1.3) Type of contract

Supplies

II.1.4) **Short description:**

The framework agreement covers the provision of Laboratory Consumables and Chemicals
13 lots in total

Lot 1a - Plastic Consumables

Lot 1b - Consumables – Research/Branded defined by Research Protocols.

Lot 2 - Pipettes Sets

Lot 3 - Gloves

Lot 4 - Personal and Laboratory Protection Supplies

Lot 5 - Filtration Consumables: syringe filters, filter papers, bottle top filters, filter sets

Lot 6 - Glass Consumables: Beakers, Capillaries, Flasks, Bottles, Vials, Containers and tubes

Lot 7a - General Purpose Chemicals - Solvents Analytical Grade

Lot 7b - General Purpose Chemicals - Solvents other

Lot 7c - General Purpose Chemicals - Inorganic Chemicals

Lot 7d - General Purpose Chemicals – Organic Chemicals

Lot 8 - Miscellaneous Consumables: Includes medical related items

Lot 9 - Multi Lot - Sub lot structure based on different multi lot combinations.

II.1.5) **Estimated total value**

II.1.6) **Information about lots**

This contract is divided into lots: yes

Tenders may be submitted for all lots

II.2) **Description**

II.2.1) **Title:**

Plastic Consumables - teaching non branded

Lot No: 1A

II.2.2) **Additional CPV code(s)**

18100000 Occupational clothing, special workwear and accessories

18424000 Gloves

19520000 Plastic products

24000000 Chemical products

33793000 Laboratory glassware

38000000 Laboratory, optical and precision equipments (excl. glasses)

38437000 Laboratory pipettes and accessories

38437100 Pipettes

42514300 Filtering apparatus

II.2.3) **Place of performance**

NUTS code: UK United Kingdom

II.2.4) **Description of the procurement:**

Research/Branded defined by Research Protocols including Pipette Tips (Lot to be used only where research protocols/ grant conditions specify and mandate the relevant brand)

II.2.5) **Award criteria**

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

II.2.6) **Estimated value**

II.2.7) **Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system**

Duration in months: 48
This contract is subject to renewal: yes
Description of renewals:
3 years with an optional 12 month extension.

II.2.10) **Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: no

II.2.11) **Information about options**

Options: no

II.2.13) **Information about European Union funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: yes

Identification of the project:

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: yes

Identification of the project: various projects funded by EU in member institutions across the UK

II.2.14) **Additional information**

II.2) **Description**

II.2.1) **Title:**

Consumables

Lot No: 1B

II.2.2) **Additional CPV code(s)**

18100000 Occupational clothing, special workwear and accessories

18424000 Gloves

19520000 Plastic products

24000000 Chemical products

33793000 Laboratory glassware

38000000 Laboratory, optical and precision equipments (excl. glasses)

38437100 Pipettes

42514300 Filtering apparatus

II.2.3) **Place of performance**

NUTS code: UK United Kingdom

II.2.4) **Description of the procurement:**

Research/Branded defined by Research Protocols including Pipette Tips (Lot to be used only where research protocols/ grant conditions specify and mandate the relevant brand)

II.2.5) **Award criteria**

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

II.2.6) **Estimated value**

II.2.7) **Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system**

Duration in months: 48

This contract is subject to renewal: yes

Description of renewals:

3 years with an optional 12 month extension.

II.2.10) **Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: no

II.2.11) **Information about options**

Options: no

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- II.2.13) **Information about European Union funds**
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Identification of the project: various projects funded by EU in member institutions across the UK
- II.2.14) **Additional information**
- II.2) **Description**
- II.2.1) **Title:**
Pipettes Sets
Lot No: 2
- II.2.2) **Additional CPV code(s)**
18100000 Occupational clothing, special workwear and accessories
18424000 Gloves
19520000 Plastic products
24000000 Chemical products
33793000 Laboratory glassware
38000000 Laboratory, optical and precision equipments (excl. glasses)
38437000 Laboratory pipettes and accessories
38437100 Pipettes
42514300 Filtering apparatus
- II.2.3) **Place of performance**
NUTS code: UK United Kingdom
- II.2.4) **Description of the procurement:**
The supply of pipette sets including equipment, spares and parts for the same brand.
- II.2.5) **Award criteria**
Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents
- II.2.6) **Estimated value**
- II.2.7) **Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system**
Duration in months: 48
This contract is subject to renewal: yes
Description of renewals:
3 years with a possible 12-month extension
- II.2.10) **Information about variants**
Variants will be accepted: no
- II.2.11) **Information about options**
Options: no
- II.2.13) **Information about European Union funds**
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- II.2.14) **Additional information**
- II.2) **Description**
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- II.2.1) **Title:**
Gloves
Lot No: 3
- II.2.2) **Additional CPV code(s)**
18100000 Occupational clothing, special workwear and accessories
18424000 Gloves
19520000 Plastic products
24000000 Chemical products
33793000 Laboratory glassware
38000000 Laboratory, optical and precision equipments (excl. glasses)
38437000 Laboratory pipettes and accessories
38437100 Pipettes
42514300 Filtering apparatus
- II.2.3) **Place of performance**
NUTS code: UK United Kingdom
- II.2.4) **Description of the procurement:**
The supply of gloves to a generic specification.
- II.2.5) **Award criteria**
Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents
- II.2.6) **Estimated value**
- II.2.7) **Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system**
Duration in months: 48
This contract is subject to renewal: yes
Description of renewals:
3 years with a possible 12-month extension
- II.2.10) **Information about variants**
Variants will be accepted: no
- II.2.11) **Information about options**
Options: no
- II.2.13) **Information about European Union funds**
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- II.2.14) **Additional information**
- II.2) **Description**
- II.2.1) **Title:**
Personal and Laboratory Protection Supplies
Lot No: 4
- II.2.2) **Additional CPV code(s)**
18100000 Occupational clothing, special workwear and accessories
18424000 Gloves
19520000 Plastic products
24000000 Chemical products

33793000 Laboratory glassware
38000000 Laboratory, optical and precision equipments (excl. glasses)
38437000 Laboratory pipettes and accessories
38437100 Pipettes
42514300 Filtering apparatus

II.2.3) **Place of performance**

NUTS code: UK United Kingdom

II.2.4) **Description of the procurement:**

The supply of Personal and Laboratory Protection Consumables including: aprons, coats, wipes, overshoes, surface cleaning, sharps bins, spill kits, respirators, safety specs and goggles.

II.2.5) **Award criteria**

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

II.2.6) **Estimated value**

II.2.7) **Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system**

Duration in months: 48

This contract is subject to renewal: yes

Description of renewals:

3 years with a possible 12-month extension

II.2.10) **Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: no

II.2.11) **Information about options**

Options: no

II.2.13) **Information about European Union funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: yes

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II.2.14) **Additional information**

II.2) **Description**

II.2.1) **Title:**

Filtration Consumables

Lot No: 5

II.2.2) **Additional CPV code(s)**

19520000 Plastic products

15994200 Filter paper

42910000 Distilling, filtering or rectifying apparatus

II.2.3) **Place of performance**

NUTS code: UK United Kingdom

II.2.4) **Description of the procurement:**

The supply of Filtration Consumables including: syringe filters, filter papers, bottle top filters and filter sets.

II.2.5) **Award criteria**

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

II.2.6) **Estimated value**

II.2.7) **Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system**

Duration in months: 48

This contract is subject to renewal: yes

Description of renewals:

3 years with a possible 12-month extension

II.2.10) **Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: no

II.2.11) **Information about options**

Options: no

II.2.13) **Information about European Union funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: yes

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The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: yes

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II.2.14) **Additional information**

II.2) **Description**

II.2.1) **Title:**

Glass Consumables

Lot No: 6

II.2.2) **Additional CPV code(s)**

19520000 Plastic products

33790000 Laboratory, hygienic or pharmaceutical glassware

44111300 Ceramics

39225700 Bottles, jars and phials

33793000 Laboratory glassware

II.2.3) **Place of performance**

NUTS code: UK United Kingdom

II.2.4) **Description of the procurement:**

The supply of Glass Consumables including: Beakers, Capillaries, Flasks,

Bottles, Vials, Containers and tubes

II.2.5) **Award criteria**

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

II.2.6) **Estimated value**

II.2.7) **Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system**

Duration in months: 48

This contract is subject to renewal: yes

Description of renewals:

3 years with a possible 12-month extension

II.2.10) **Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: no

II.2.11) **Information about options**

Options: no

II.2.13) **Information about European Union funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: yes

Identification of the project:

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: yes

Identification of the project: Various projects funded by EU in member institutions across the UK

II.2.14) **Additional information**

II.2) **Description**

II.2.1) **Title:**

Chemicals - Solvents Analytical Grade (Mass Spec Grade, HPLC Grade)

Lot No: 7A

II.2.2) **Additional CPV code(s)**

24321222 Toluene

24321200 Unsaturated hydrocarbons

24323300 Unsaturated monocarboxylic acids and compounds

24321120 Saturated cyclic hydrocarbons

24322210 Methanol

24322510 Ethyl alcohol

24322000 Alcohols, phenols, phenol-alcohols and their halogenated, sulphonated, nitrated or nitrosated derivatives; industrial fatty alcohols

24321300 Other halogenated derivatives of hydrocarbons

24322320 Alcohol derivatives

24322500 Alcohol

24323210 Acetic acid

24326000 Aldehyde, ketone, organic peroxides and ethers

24322220 Ethanol

II.2.3) **Place of performance**

NUTS code: UK United Kingdom

II.2.4) **Description of the procurement:**

The supply of General Purpose Chemicals - Solvents Analytical Grade (Mass Spec Grade, HPLC Grade)

II.2.5) **Award criteria**

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

II.2.6) **Estimated value**

II.2.7) **Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system**

Duration in months: 48

This contract is subject to renewal: yes

Description of renewals:

3 years with a possible 12-month extension

II.2.10) **Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: no

II.2.11) **Information about options**

Options: no

II.2.13) **Information about European Union funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: yes

Identification of the project:

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: yes

Identification of the project: Various projects funded by EU in member institutions across the UK

II.2.14) **Additional information**

II.2) **Description**

II.2.1) **Title:**

Chemicals - Solvents other

Lot No: 7B

II.2.2) **Additional CPV code(s)**

24000000 Chemical products

24321222 Toluene

24324000 Organic compounds with nitrogen functions

24321200 Unsaturated hydrocarbons

24323300 Unsaturated monocarboxylic acids and compounds

24321120 Saturated cyclic hydrocarbons

24322210 Methanol

24323210 Acetic acid

24322510 Ethyl alcohol

24322000 Alcohols, phenols, phenol-alcohols and their halogenated, sulphonated, nitrated or nitrosated derivatives; industrial fatty alcohols

24321300 Other halogenated derivatives of hydrocarbons

24327000 Miscellaneous organic chemicals

24322310 Ethylene glycol

24322320 Alcohol derivatives

24322500 Alcohol

24311400 Hydrogen chloride, inorganic acids, silicon dioxide and sulphur dioxide

24300000 Basic inorganic and organic chemicals

24326000 Aldehyde, ketone, organic peroxides and ethers

24322220 Ethanol

II.2.3) **Place of performance**

NUTS code: UK United Kingdom

II.2.4) **Description of the procurement:**

The supply of General Purpose Chemicals - Solvents other, i.e. not Analytical Grade (Mass Spec Grade, HPLC Grade)

II.2.5) **Award criteria**

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

II.2.6) **Estimated value**

II.2.7) **Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system**

Duration in months: 48

This contract is subject to renewal: yes

Description of renewals:

3 years with a possible 12-month extension

II.2.10) **Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: no

II.2.11) **Information about options**

Options: no

II.2.13) **Information about European Union funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: yes

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Identification of the project: Various projects funded by EU in member institutions across the UK

II.2.14) **Additional information**

II.2) **Description**

II.2.1) **Title:**

Chemicals - Inorganic Chemicals

Lot No: 7C

II.2.2) **Additional CPV code(s)**

24000000 Chemical products

24324000 Organic compounds with nitrogen functions

24311410 Inorganic acids

24310000 Basic inorganic chemicals

24311470 Hydrogen chloride

24311521 Caustic soda

24311000 Chemical elements, inorganic acids and compounds

24313320 Sodium bicarbonate

24311420 Phosphoric acid

24212620 Manganese hydroxide

24300000 Basic inorganic and organic chemicals

24313310 Sodium carbonate

24311411 Sulphuric acid

II.2.3) **Place of performance**

NUTS code: UK United Kingdom

II.2.4) **Description of the procurement:**

The supply of General Purpose Chemicals - Inorganic Chemicals

II.2.5) **Award criteria**

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

II.2.6) **Estimated value**

II.2.7) **Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system**

Duration in months: 48

This contract is subject to renewal: yes

Description of renewals:

3 years with a possible 12-month extension

II.2.10) **Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: no

II.2.11) **Information about options**

Options: no

II.2.13) **Information about European Union funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: yes
Identification of the project:

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: yes
Identification of the project: Various projects funded by EU in member institutions across the UK

II.2.14) **Additional information**

II.2) **Description**

II.2.1) **Title:**

Organic Chemicals

Lot No: 7D

II.2.2) **Additional CPV code(s)**

24000000 Chemical products

33698100 Microbiological cultures

II.2.3) **Place of performance**

NUTS code: UK United Kingdom

II.2.4) **Description of the procurement:**

The supply of General Purpose Chemicals - Organic Chemicals

II.2.5) **Award criteria**

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

II.2.6) **Estimated value**

II.2.7) **Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system**

Duration in months: 48

This contract is subject to renewal: yes

Description of renewals:

3 years with a possible 12-month extension

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II.2.14) **Additional information**

Section III: Legal, economic, financial and technical information

III.1) **Conditions for participation**

III.1.1) **Suitability to pursue the professional activity, including requirements relating to enrolment on professional or trade registers**

List and brief description of conditions:

As included in the tender documentation

III.1.2) **Economic and financial standing**

List and brief description of selection criteria:

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

III.1.3) Technical and professional ability

List and brief description of selection criteria:

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

Section IV: Procedure**IV.1) Description****IV.1.1) Type of procedure**

Open procedure

IV.1.3) Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system

The procurement involves the establishment of a framework agreement

Framework agreement with a single operator

IV.1.8) Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: yes

IV.2) Administrative information**IV.2.2) Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate**

Date: 24/11/2023

Local time: 12:00

IV.2.3) Estimated date of dispatch of invitations to tender or to participate to selected candidates**IV.2.4) Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted:**

English

IV.2.6) Minimum time frame during which the tenderer must maintain the tender

Duration in months: 12 (from the date stated for receipt of tender)

IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders

Date: 24/11/2023

Local time: 12:00

Section VI: Complementary information**VI.1) Information about recurrence**

This is a recurrent procurement: yes

Estimated timing for further notices to be published:

November 2027

VI.3) Additional information:

Please be advised we are allocating a proportion of 60% total contract value to the HE sector with the remainder being available to the wider public sector including but not limiting to NHS trusts, charitable organisation, research organisations.

SUPC awards and manages Framework Agreements on behalf of its members and the members of participating purchasing consortia. The framework will be awarded for 36 months plus 1 option to extend by up to 12months. Spend through the existing SUPC agreement is approximately 50,000,000 GBP per annum. There is however no guaranteed level of expenditure on this Agreement; the competitiveness, level of service offered, and marketing effort of the chosen suppliers will be a large factor in determining how many institutions support the Agreement.

VI.4) Procedures for review**VI.4.1) Review body**

Official name: Southern Universities Purchasing Consortium

Town: Reading

Country: United Kingdom

E-mail:

VI.5) **Date of dispatch of this notice:**

25/10/2023