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#### **Planning**

# **Open RAN Test Equipment**

Digital Catapult

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Prior information only

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# **Section I: Contracting authority**

## I.1) Name and addresses

Digital Catapult

101 Euston Road

London

NW1 2RA

#### **Email**

procurement@digicatapult.org.uk

#### **Telephone**

+44 2038823557

#### Country

**United Kingdom** 

#### **NUTS** code

UKI31 - Camden and City of London

Internet address(es)

Main address

www.digicatapult.org.uk

Buyer's address

https://www.mytenders.co.uk/search/Search\_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA37289

## I.2) Information about joint procurement

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

### I.3) Communication

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

### I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

# I.5) Main activity

Other activity

Telecoms Infrastructure

# **Section II: Object**

# II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Open RAN Test Equipment

Reference number

P2025-187

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 32510000 - Wireless telecommunications system

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

Supplies

#### II.1.4) Short description

This document is a Prior Information Notice (PIN) supplier information document for the provision of Open RAN (O-RAN) Test Equipment.

#### II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £900,000

#### II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

#### II.2) Description

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UK - United Kingdom

Main site or place of performance

Digital Catapult, Lond Head Office

#### II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Digital Catapult is issuing this Prior Information Notice (PIN) to better understand the market's capability to supply a comprehensive range of test equipment used in the development, certification, and testing of Open RAN (O-RAN) network components, specifically O-RAN Radio Units (O-RUs), Central Units (O-CUs) and Distribution Units (O-DUs) using Multiple-input/multiple-out (MIMO) technology.

# II.3) Estimated date of publication of contract notice

15 May 2025

### Section IV. Procedure

# **IV.1) Description**

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes

# **Section VI. Complementary information**

## VI.3) Additional information

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