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Planning

## **Servers Storage Solutions National Agreement**

Southern Universities Purchasing Consortium (SUPC)

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Prior information only

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-02ac6d

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### **Section I: Contracting authority**

#### **I.1) Name and addresses**

Southern Universities Purchasing Consortium (SUPC)

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#### **Country**

United Kingdom

**NUTS code**

UK - United Kingdom

**National registration number**

111357

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://www.supc.ac.uk>

Buyer's address

<https://uk.eu-supply.com/ctm/Company/CompanyInformation/Index/86623>

**I.3) Communication**

Access to the procurement documents is restricted. Further information can be obtained at

[https://uk.eu-supply.com/app/rfq/rwlenrance\\_s.asp?PID=37758&B=SUPC](https://uk.eu-supply.com/app/rfq/rwlenrance_s.asp?PID=37758&B=SUPC)

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**

Education

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## **Section II: Object**

### **II.1) Scope of the procurement**

#### **II.1.1) Title**

Servers Storage Solutions National Agreement

Reference number

ITS4043 SU

#### **II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 30210000 - Data-processing machines (hardware)

#### **II.1.3) Type of contract**

Supplies

#### **II.1.4) Short description**

This PIN is to notify of the intention to tender for a framework for the provision of compute and storage hardware and enabling software, including virtual appliances, support and maintenance and warranty extensions, software defined storage and backup solutions. It also includes compute and server related solutions, converged, hyperconverged, HPC and associated infrastructure. Both purchase and lease are included.

#### **II.1.5) Estimated total value**

Value excluding VAT: £600,000,000

#### **II.1.6) Information about lots**

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

### **II.2) Description**

#### **II.2.1) Title**

Servers Storage Solutions National Agreement

Lot No

1

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

- 30210000 - Data-processing machines (hardware)

## **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

Main site or place of performance

UK

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

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

1 May 2021

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## **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: No