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Planning

Digital Outcomes and Specialists 7

Crown Commercial Service

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Scope

Reference

RM1043.9

Description

This framework enables public sector organisations to procure suppliers to deliver digital, data, and technology services in line with government policies, standards, and best practices.

The scope for this framework contract supports delivery across all service manual agile life cycle phases (discovery, alpha, beta, live and retirement) to deliver application development and user-centred design services to build great digital products and services that meet citizen needs.

Commercial tool

Establishes a framework

Total value (estimated)

- £12,000,000,000 excluding VAT
- £14,400,000,000 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

Contract dates (estimated)

- 21 January 2026 to 20 January 2032
- 6 years

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 72000000 - IT services: consulting, software development, Internet and support
- 73110000 - Research services
- 79300000 - Market and economic research; polling and statistics

Engagement

Engagement deadline

11 April 2025

Engagement process description

Premarket engagement has been taking place from April 24 to date. Previous engagement decks from customer and supplier sessions, including Q&As, are available on the DOS 7 webpage. <https://www.crowncommercial.gov.uk/agreements/RM1043.9>

Supplier surgeries planned for March 25:

13/03/25: session to go over the updated DOS 7 terms and conditions.

19/03/25: session to share with the market the financial check requirements to be completed as part of bid submission

27/03/25: DOS 7 'How To Bid' session, to share the submission process and procurement process for the new agreement, including digital platform requirements.

As part of our Preliminary market engagement we are trying to understand how many bidders there will be. Please could you register your interest in bidding for DOS 7 by completing the DOS 7 PME Survey.

https://crowncommercial.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_2iczjvYGHIA7abs

Please note that all responses provided will not impact your application for the DOS 7 framework as it is not a requirement to complete the survey . Your responses will not be shared wider.

Participation

Particular suitability

- Small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)
- Voluntary, community and social enterprises (VCSE)

Contracting authority

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