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## **DgP - IHS membership 2026-2027**

DEPARTMENT FOR ENVIRONMENT, FOOD AND RURAL AFFAIRS

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## **Scope**

## **Description**

IHS membership provides access to up-to-date British Standards, construction regulations, technical guidance, and industry information. This supports DgP Technical Services in delivering assurance across maintenance, construction, design, compliance, innovation, risk management, and sustainability for Defra's science estate. The platform offers a single, comprehensive source for current standards and guidance, helping the team stay aligned with legislation and emerging technologies. IHS (Accuris) aggregates content from over 400 publishers, ensuring broad coverage of essential technical documentation.

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## **Contract 1. DgP - IHS membership 2026-2027**

## **Supplier**

- Accuris

## **Contract value**

- £13,788.66 excluding VAT
- £16,546.39 including VAT

Below the relevant threshold

## **Earliest date the contract will be signed**

2 March 2026

## **Contract dates (estimated)**

- 14 March 2026 to 13 March 2027
- 1 year

## **Main procurement category**

Services

## **CPV classifications**

- 98100000 - Membership organisation services
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## Participation

### Particular suitability

Small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)

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## Procedure

### Procedure type

Below threshold - without competition

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## Supplier

### Accuris

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Region: UKJ11 - Berkshire

Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): No

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): No

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## Contracting authority

### DEPARTMENT FOR ENVIRONMENT, FOOD AND RURAL AFFAIRS

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PNBD-3289-CDGX

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Region: UKI32 - Westminster

Organisation type: Public authority - central government