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Contract

## **250321 Contract for Supply, delivery and Installation of a Metabolic Monitoring System for Mice.**

Queen's University Belfast

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### **Scope**

### **Reference**

250321

### **Description**

School of Medicine, Dentistry & Biomedical Sciences, Biological Services Unit (BSU) wishes to purchase and install a rodent metabolic cage system at the BSU, which can offer high-resolution, real-time collection of metabolic, and behavioural phenotyping data in mice. This includes simultaneously measuring energy expenditure, food and water consumption and physical activity in live animals.

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## **Contract 1. 250321 - Contract for Supply, delivery and Installation of a Metabolic Monitoring System for Mice**

### **Supplier**

- [Sable Systems Europe GmbH](#)

### **Contract value**

- £370,000 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

### **Date signed**

26 January 2026

### **Contract dates**

- 26 January 2026 to 25 January 2029
- Possible extension to 25 January 2036
- 10 years

Description of possible extension:

Option to extend maintenance, software updates/ development, consumables & ancillary items, beyond this period for a further period of up to 10 years or the end of useful life of the equipment.

## **Main procurement category**

Goods

## **CPV classifications**

- 38000000 - Laboratory, optical and precision equipments (excl. glasses)
- 38340000 - Instruments for measuring quantities
- 38430000 - Detection and analysis apparatus
- 38970000 - Research, testing and scientific technical simulator

## **Contract locations**

- UKN06 - Belfast

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## **Other information**

### **Applicable trade agreements**

- Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)
- Comprehensive and Progressive Agreement for Trans-Pacific Partnership (CPTPP)

### **Conflicts assessment prepared/revised**

Yes

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## Procedure

### Procedure type

Open procedure

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## Supplier

### Sable Systems Europe GmbH

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PTWG-8713-NWMM

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Berlin

12459

Germany

Email: [mail@sablesys.eu](mailto:mail@sablesys.eu)

Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): Yes

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): No

Supported employment provider: No

Public service mutual: No

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## Contracting authority

### Queen's University Belfast

- Charity Commission for Northern Ireland: 101788

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United Kingdom

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Region: UKN06 - Belfast

Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government

Devolved regulations that apply: Northern Ireland