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Tender

## **002611 Supply, Delivery, Installation & On-Site Maintenance of Digitisation Scanning Equipment**

British Library

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## Scope

## Description

The purpose of this tender is to procure a suite of brand-new digitisation equipment to support the high-quality, high-speed digital capture of a wide range of archival and heritage materials. The equipment required includes:

- Two large-format line scanners (up to A0 size) for items such as newspapers
- Six overhead line scanners suitable for documents such as journals
- Four microfilm scanners capable of high-volume digitisation of various microfilm formats

Where applicable, scanners should be equipped with features such as weighted book cradles and automatic or semi-automatic glass systems, with the capability to move the scanning bed independently of the glass to apply appropriate pressure in line with conservation standards

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### **Total value (estimated)**

- £487,718 excluding VAT
- £602,819 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

### **Contract dates (estimated)**

- 30 June 2025 to 25 June 2026
- 11 months, 26 days

### **Main procurement category**

Goods

## **CPV classifications**

- 38520000 - Scanners

## **Contract locations**

- UK - United Kingdom

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## **Submission**

### **Enquiry deadline**

27 May 2025, 1:00pm

### **Tender submission deadline**

7 June 2025, 1:00pm

### **Submission address and any special instructions**

<http://www.delta-esourcing.com>

**Tenders may be submitted electronically**

No

**Languages that may be used for submission**

English

**Award decision date (estimated)**

25 June 2025

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**Award criteria**

<b>Name</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Weighting</b>
Criterion 1	Long criteria description	Price	60%
Criterion 2	Long criteria description	Quality	40%

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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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## **Contracting authority**

### **British Library**

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PCXZ-9362-XQJM

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Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government