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Contract

## **Supply of a High-voltage Semiconductor Analyser**

Swansea University

F03: Contract award notice

Notice identifier: 2021/S 000-028382

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocids-h6vhtk-029743

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

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

Swansea University

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Swansea

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United Kingdom

**NUTS code**

UKL18 - Swansea

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

[www.swansea.ac.uk](http://www.swansea.ac.uk)

Buyer's address

[https://www.sell2wales.gov.wales/search/Search\\_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA0345](https://www.sell2wales.gov.wales/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA0345)

**I.2) Information about joint procurement**

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

**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**

Supply of a High-voltage Semiconductor Analyser

Reference number

SU123(21)

**II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 38434000 - Analysers

**II.1.3) Type of contract**

Supplies

**II.1.4) Short description**

Semiconductor process development is a key area of growth at Swansea University, and is aligned with the Welsh Government's 'Innovation Wales' strategy which identifies semiconductor materials and device technology as one of the foundations in the future expansion of the Welsh economy. The University's new flagship Centre for Integrative Semiconductor Materials (CISM) aims to further stimulate growth in this area by delivering a bespoke, integrated facility for semiconductor research and technology development. The GBP90M project includes GBP60M co-investment from industry, together with a GBP30M grant from Research England and will allow construction of state-of-the-art cleanroom and laboratory space, that will accommodate new fabrication and characterisation equipment.

Prior to the CISM facility being completed, the University seeks to procure semiconductor equipment and will facilitate it within existing facilities at Swansea University.

**II.1.6) Information about lots**

This contract is divided into lots: No

**II.1.7) Total value of the procurement (excluding VAT)**

Value excluding VAT: £221,000

**II.2) Description****II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 31712330 - Semiconductors

**II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKL18 - Swansea

Main site or place of performance

Swansea University

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

Swansea University's new flagship Centre for Integrative Semiconductor Materials (CISM) aims to further stimulate growth in this area by delivering a bespoke, integrated facility for semiconductor research and technology development. The GBP90M project includes GBP60M co-investment from industry, together with a GBP30M grant from Research England and will allow construction of state-of-the-art cleanroom and laboratory space, that will accommodate new fabrication and characterisation equipment.

Prior to the CISM facility being completed, the University seeks to procure semiconductor equipment and will facilitate it within existing facilities at Swansea University.

#### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

Quality criterion - Name: Technical Requirements / Weighting: 45

Quality criterion - Name: After Sales Support & Warranty / Weighting: 15

Quality criterion - Name: Lead Time / Weighting: 10

Price - Weighting: 30

#### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: No

#### **II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: Yes

Identification of the project

Funding for this procurement has been secured from the Driving the Electric Revolution (DER) Industrialisation Centres Programme via Innovate UK.

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## **Section IV. Procedure**

### **IV.1) Description**

#### **IV.1.1) Type of procedure**

Open procedure

#### **IV.1.8) Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)**

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes

### **IV.2) Administrative information**

#### **IV.2.1) Previous publication concerning this procedure**

Notice number: [2021/S 000-004059](#)

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## **Section V. Award of contract**

### **Contract No**

SU123(21)

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### **V.2) Award of contract**

#### **V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract**

28 June 2021

#### **V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 1

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 1

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 1

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 1

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: No

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Keysight Technologies UK Ltd

610 WHARFEDALE ROAD, WINNERSH TRIANGLE

WOKINGHAM

RG415TP

Telephone

+44 7765897041

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKJ1 - Berkshire, Buckinghamshire and Oxfordshire

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot (excluding VAT)**

Total value of the contract/lot: £221,000

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

### **VI.3) Additional information**

This tender is being conducted electronically via etenderwales BravoSolution, and all tender documents can be obtained from that website under ITT 86238. Only tenders submitted via that website by the tender deadline can be considered

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### **VI.4) Procedures for review**

#### **VI.4.1) Review body**

High Court

Royal Courts of Justice, The Strand

London

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United Kingdom