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Contract

FCP: LEEP NEV - Climate Resilience of Agricultural Production and Farm Business

DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT, FOOD AND RURAL AFFAIRS

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Scope

Reference

C29559

Description

An R&D piece of work using a unique modelling tool developed by the supplier, that bridges

the gap between farm decision making in response to changes in agricultural potential and

survey data, which resolves the economics of farms and to understand how climate change

will impact food production, farm businesses and future land use

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Supplier

- [University of Exeter](#)

Contract value

- £388,126 excluding VAT
- £465,751.20 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

Date signed

11 September 2025

Contract dates

- 12 September 2025 to 31 March 2027
- Possible extension to 31 March 2029
- 3 years, 6 months, 19 days

Description of possible extension:

2+1+1

Main procurement category

Services

Options

The right to additional purchases while the contract is valid.

Option to extend with 3 months notice.

CPV classifications

- 79315000 - Social research services

Contract locations

- UK - United Kingdom

Key performance indicators

Name	Reporting frequency
Milestones	3 months

Other information

Applicable trade agreements

- Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

Conflicts assessment prepared/revised

Yes

Procedure

Procedure type

Direct award

Direct award justification

Single supplier - technical reasons

Unique model

Supplier

University of Exeter

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PZYG-2396-XCRZ

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Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): No

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): No

Supported employment provider: No

Public service mutual: No

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Contracting authority

DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT, FOOD AND RURAL AFFAIRS

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PNBD-3289-CDGX

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Organisation type: Public authority - central government