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# VFU041-GEN - Long term improvement in environmental data for food

Waste & Resources Action Programme

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# Scope

# Description

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### **Contract 1**

# **Supplier**

• University of Oxford

### **Contract value**

• £522,985.37 including VAT

Below the relevant threshold

# Earliest date the contract will be signed

1 October 2025

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

- 2 October 2025 to 2 April 2026
- 6 months, 1 day

# Main procurement category

Services

### **CPV** classifications

- 71356300 Technical support services
- 71621000 Technical analysis or consultancy services

### **Contract locations**

• UKJ14 - Oxfordshire

### **Contract 2**

# **Suppliers**

Supplier not yet selected

### **Contract value**

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# Main procurement category

Services

#### **CPV** classifications

- 48610000 Database systems
- 72316000 Data analysis services
- 72317000 Data storage services
- 72322000 Data management services

#### **Contract locations**

UKJ14 - Oxfordshire

### **Procedure**

### **Procedure type**

Direct award

# **Direct award justification**

- Prototypes and development
- Single supplier intellectual property or exclusive rights
- Single supplier technical reasons

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# **Supplier**

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Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): No

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): No

Contract 1

# **Contracting authority**

# **Waste & Resources Action Programme**

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Organisation type: Public undertaking (commercial organisation subject to public authority oversight)