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## UKRI-4991 ISIS HRPD-X Vacuum Vessel

UK Research & Innovation (UKRI)

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## Scope

#### Reference

**UKRI-4991** 

## **Description**

HRPD-x (High-Resolution Neutron Powder Diffraction) project is an upgrade to the existing HRPD facility in Daresbury Laboratory. This upgrade will include a new non-magnetic sample tank, a new complement of detectors and a new building to house the larger and more capable instrument. The HRPD-x vacuum vessel is a central component of the instrument, and it consists of two main components: a large rectangular section and circular front end.

## Contract 1. UKRI-4991 ISIS HRPD-X Vacuum Vessel

# **Supplier**

• Cadinox S.A.

#### **Contract value**

- £205,500 excluding VAT
- £246,600 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

#### Award decision date

22 October 2025

#### Date assessment summaries were sent to tenderers

23 October 2025

# Standstill period

- End: 3 November 2025
- 8 working days

# Earliest date the contract will be signed

5 November 2025

## **Contract dates (estimated)**

- 7 November 2025 to 15 May 2026
- 6 months, 9 days

### Main procurement category

Goods

#### **CPV** classifications

• 38000000 - Laboratory, optical and precision equipments (excl. glasses)

#### **Contract locations**

• UKJ14 - Oxfordshire

### Information about tenders

- 5 tenders received
- 5 tenders assessed in the final stage:
  - 1 submitted by small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)
  - 0 submitted by voluntary, community and social enterprises (VCSE)
- 1 supplier awarded contracts
- 4 suppliers unsuccessful (details included for contracts over £5 million)

## **Procedure**

## **Procedure type**

Open procedure

# **Supplier**

#### Cadinox S.A.

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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

Associated people/organisations:

N/A

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# **Contracting authority**

# **UK Research & Innovation (UKRI)**

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