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Contract

# **MASS Oracle Support**

Met Office

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### Scope

#### Reference

1791

### **Description**

The Managed Archive Storage System (MASS) and associated infrastructure is a critical adjunct to the supercomputer system. MASS is the sole long-term archive for Met Office operational and scientific research data. A key element of the MASS are the Oracle Tape Libraries and Drives, encryption key managers, and associated monitoring and analytics software deployments.

The procurement is for a 7 month renewal of the Oracle support service to the Oracle archive between 1st December 2025 to 30th July 2026.

### **Contract 3**

## **Supplier**

• ORACLE CORPORATION UK LIMITED

#### **Contract value**

- £509,033.25 excluding VAT
- £610,839.90 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

## **Date signed**

7 October 2025

#### **Contract dates**

- 1 December 2025 to 30 June 2026
- 7 months

# Main procurement category

Services

#### **CPV** classifications

• 50000000 - Repair and maintenance services

#### **Contract locations**

• UKK - South West (England)

## Justification for not setting key performance indicators

SLA in accordance with standard Oracle support terms.

### Other information

## Conflicts assessment prepared/revised

Yes

## **Procedure**

## **Procedure type**

Direct award

### **Direct award justification**

• Single supplier - intellectual property or exclusive rights

- Single supplier technical reasons
- Additional or repeat goods, services or works extension or partial replacement

Hardware to be supported is proprietary to Oracle.

# **Supplier**

#### **ORACLE CORPORATION UK LIMITED**

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Region: UKJ11 - Berkshire

Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): No

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): No

Supported employment provider: No

Public service mutual: No

# **Contracting authority**

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• Public Procurement Organisation Number: PVZW-3234-DTLY

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Organisation type: Public authority - central government