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Tender

## Pyrolyser & Gas Chromatography Mass Spectrometer

University of Exeter

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## Scope

## Reference

UOE/2025/090/JU

## Description

A GC-MS system equipped with a pyrolyser is required for the analysis of long-chain and polymeric molecules, enabling the identification and characterisation of microplastics within complex environmental matrices. Together, these complementary techniques provide a robust, future-proof analytical framework to support comprehensive environmental monitoring, emerging contaminant detection, and increasing regulatory and environmental scrutiny.

### **Total value (estimated)**

- £120,000 excluding VAT
- £144,000 including VAT

Below the relevant threshold

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

- 6 April 2026 to 6 April 2031
- 5 years, 1 day

### **Main procurement category**

Goods

### **CPV classifications**

- 38433100 - Mass spectrometer
- 38432210 - Gas chromatographs

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## **Participation**

### **Particular suitability**

Small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)

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## **Submission**

### **Enquiry deadline**

16 January 2026, 12:00pm

### **Tender submission deadline**

30 January 2026, 12:00pm

### **Submission address and any special instructions**

[https://uk.eu-supply.com/app/rfq/rwlentrance\\_s.asp?PID=101134&TID100106375&B=](https://uk.eu-supply.com/app/rfq/rwlentrance_s.asp?PID=101134&TID100106375&B=)

### **Tenders may be submitted electronically**

Yes

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## **Award criteria**

Technical requirements = 60% Responsible Procurement requirements = 20% Price offering = 20

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## **Procedure**

### **Procedure type**

Below threshold - open competition

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## **Contracting authority**

### **University of Exeter**

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