

ITS4062 SU

High Performance Computing (HPC)

Contracting Authority **SUPC**

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Key Information

Framework Start Date 01/09/2025

Current End Date 31/08/2027

Procurement Regulation PCR2015

Framework Suppliers

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Dell Corporation Limited
Eviden Technology Services Ltd
Hewlett-Packard Enterprise (HPE)
Lenovo Global Technology UK Limited
XMA Ltd

Scope of Requirements

This tender is for the supply of High-Performance Computing only and a direct like for like replacement of Lot 4 HPC Solutions or Data Intensive Computing of the Servers Storage and Solutions National Agreement (SSSNA)

Accessibility

Member Institutions of the following organisations can access this framework agreement:

Southern Universities Purchasing Consortium (SUPC)
<https://www.supc.ac.uk/about-us/our-members/our-members>
Higher Education Purchasing Consortium, Wales (HEPCW)
<http://www.hepcw.ac.uk/members/>
London Universities Purchasing Consortium (LUPC)
<http://www.lupc.ac.uk/member-list>
Northeast Universities Purchasing Consortium (NEUPC)
<http://www.neupc.ac.uk/our-members>
Northwest Universities Purchasing Consortium (NWUPC)
<http://www.nwupc.ac.uk/our-members>
• Advanced Procurement for Universities and Colleges (APUC)
<http://www.apuc-scot.ac.uk/#/members>

Call Off Method

There are a number of call-off options available on this agreement:

1. Direct Award.
2. Further Competition
3. Desktop Exercise - Members can adjust the requisite weightings but up to 20 percentage points.

For further guidance on the call-off mechanisms please refer to the Buyer's Guide.

Responsible Procurement

Responsible Procurement formed part of the framework score with tender questions

Added Value

Robust tendering and evaluation process which has tested the Supplier capabilities to meet an agreed minimum set of requirements on behalf of participating consortia.

For further information, please refer to the [Buyers Guide](#)

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