

Italy-Parma: Estimates of Food Consumption in Bees

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Contract notice

Services

Legal Basis:

Regulation (EU, Euratom) No 2018/1046

Section I: Contracting authority

I.1. Name and addresses

Official name: European Food Safety Authority (EFSA)

Postal address: Via Carlo Magno 1A

Town: Parma

NUTS code: ITH52 Parma

Postal code: 43126

Country: Italy

E-mail: efsaprocurement@efsa.europa.eu

Internet address(es):

Main address: <https://www.efsa.europa.eu>

Address of the buyer profile: <http://www.efsa.europa.eu/en/procurement/tenders>

I.3. Communication

The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at: <https://etendering.ted.europa.eu/cft/cft-display.html?cftId=14212>

Additional information can be obtained from the abovementioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via: <https://etendering.ted.europa.eu/cft/cft-display.html?cftId=14212>

I.4. Type of the contracting authority

European institution/agency or international organisation

I.5. Main activity

General public services

Section II: Object

II.1. Scope of the procurement

II.1.1. Title

Estimates of Food Consumption in Bees

Reference number: OC/EFSA/PREV/2023/03

II.1.2. Main CPV code

73110000 Research services

II.1.3. Type of contract

Services

II.1.4. Short description

The objectives of the contract resulting from this procurement procedure are to develop protocols, conduct experiments and collect data on pollen and sugar/carbohydrates consumption in various categories of bees (honey bee - lot 1, bumble bee, solitary adults – lot 2).

II.1.5. Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: 625 000,00 EUR

II.1.6. Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: yes

Tenders may be submitted for all lots

Maximum number of lots that may be awarded to one tenderer: 2

II.2. Description

II.2.1. Title

Estimates for Honey Bees

Lot No: 1

II.2.2. Additional CPV code(s)

73110000 Research services

II.2.3. Place of performance

NUTS code: ITH52 Parma

II.2.4. Description of the procurement

— to estimate the daily sugar/carbohydrates consumption of honey bee foragers in different environmental setup and to understand how the different environmental factors influence this consumption rate through measuring the flying time (hour/day);

— to measure the pollen consumption of honey bee nurses during their entire nursing life (mg /bee/day);

— to measure the fresh sugar/carbohydrates and pollen consumption of honey bee larvae during their entire development phase (mg/larvae/developmental period).

More precise description of the objectives of lot 1 is available in the tender specifications.

II.2.5. Award criteria

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

II.2.6. Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: 275 000,00 EUR

II.2.7. Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system

Duration in months: 25

This contract is subject to renewal: no

II.2.10. Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: no

II.2.11. Information about options

Options: no

II.2.13. Information about European Union funds

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds:
no

II.2.14. Additional information

II.2. Description

II.2.1. Title

Estimates for Non-Apis Bees
Lot No: 2

II.2.2. Additional CPV code(s)

73110000 Research services

II.2.3. Place of performance

NUTS code: ITH52 Parma

II.2.4. Description of the procurement

— to measure the pollen consumption of bumble bee workers and solitary bee adult (i.e. females) during their entire life (mg/bee/day) in field realistic conditions;
— to measure the cumulative sugar/carbohydrates and pollen consumption of bee larvae during their entire development (mg/larvae/full larval developmental period).
More precise description of the objectives of lot 2 is available in the tender specifications.

II.2.5. Award criteria

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

II.2.6. Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: 350 000,00 EUR

II.2.7. Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system

Duration in months: 25
This contract is subject to renewal: no

II.2.10. Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: no

II.2.11. Information about options

Options: no

II.2.13. Information about European Union funds

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds:
no

II.2.14. Additional information

Section III: Legal, economic, financial and technical information

III.1. Conditions for participation

III.1.2. Economic and financial standing

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

III.1.3. Technical and professional ability

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

III.2. Conditions related to the contract

III.2.3. Information about staff responsible for the performance of the contract

Obligation to indicate the names and professional qualifications of the staff assigned to performing the contract

Section IV: Procedure

IV.1. Description

IV.1.1. Type of procedure

Open procedure

IV.1.3. Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system

IV.1.8. Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: no

IV.2. Administrative information

IV.2.1. Previous publication concerning this procedure

Notice number in the OJ S: [2023/S 034-098296](#)

IV.2.2. Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate

Date: 28/08/2023 Local time: 14:30

IV.2.3. Estimated date of dispatch of invitations to tender or to participate to selected candidates

IV.2.4. Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted

Bulgarian, Czech, Danish, German, Greek, English, Spanish, Estonian, Finnish, French, Irish, Croatian, Hungarian, Italian, Lithuanian, Latvian, Maltese, Dutch, Polish, Portuguese, Romanian, Slovak, Slovenian, Swedish

IV.2.6. Minimum time frame during which the tenderer must maintain the tender

Duration in months: 9 (from the date stated for receipt of tender)

IV.2.7. Conditions for opening of tenders

Date: 29/08/2023 Local time: 14:30

Place:

Virtual opening session. Refer to Invitation letter for details.

Section VI: Complementary information

VI.1. Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: no

VI.2. Information about electronic workflows

Electronic invoicing will be accepted

VI.3. Additional information

In case of unavailability or disruptions in the functioning of the electronic means of communication provided in Section I.3) in the last 5 calendar days before the time limit for receipt indicated in Section IV.2.2), the contracting authority reserves the right to extend this time limit and publish the extension at the internet address provided in Section I.3), without a preceding publication of a corrigendum to this notice. Economic operators interested in this

procurement are invited to subscribe to the call for tenders at the address in Section I.3) in order to get notified when new information or documents are published.

VI.4. Procedures for review

VI.4.1. Review body

Official name: General Court of the European Union

Postal address: rue du Fort Niedergrünwald

Town: Luxembourg

Postal code: L-2925

Country: Luxembourg

E-mail: generalcourt.registry@curia.europa.eu

Telephone: +352 4303-1

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Internet address: <http://curia.europa.eu>

VI.4.3. Review procedure

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures:

Please consult the procurement documents available at the address indicated in Section I.3).

VI.5. Date of dispatch of this notice

28/04/2023