

Belgium-Brussels: G2G In-Orbit Validation Ground Mission Segment

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Contract award notice

Supplies

Legal Basis:

Regulation (EU, Euratom) No 2018/1046

Section I: Contracting authority

I.1. Name and addresses

Official name: European Commission, Directorate-General for Defence Industry and Space (DEFIS), DEFIS.C.2 - Satellite Navigation

Postal address: Avenue d'Auderghem 45

Town: Brussels

NUTS code: BE10 Région de Bruxelles-Capitale/ Brussels Hoofdstedelijk Gewest

Postal code: 1049

Country: Belgium

E-mail: defis-gp2-call-for-tenders@ec.europa.eu

Internet address(es):

Main address: https://commission.europa.eu/about-european-commission/departments-and-executive-agencies/defence-industry-and-space_en

I.4. Type of the contracting authority

European institution/agency or international organisation

I.5. Main activity

Other activity: European Commission, Directorate-General for Defence Industry and Space

Section II: Object

II.1. Scope of the procurement**II.1.1. Title**

G2G In-Orbit Validation Ground Mission Segment

II.1.2. Main CPV code

32500000 Telecommunications equipment and supplies

II.1.3. Type of contract

Supplies

II.1.4. Short description

As part of the overall Galileo Second Generation IOV (In-Orbit Validation) Ground Segment, the G2G IOV Ground Mission Segment and security facility has as main purpose the delivery of G2 IOV GMS/GSF capabilities.

II.1.6. Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: no

II.1.7.

Total value of the procurement

Value excluding VAT: 292 456 000,00 EUR

II.2. Description

II.2.3. Place of performance

NUTS code: NL33 Zuid-Holland

Main site or place of performance: Contractor's premises or any other place stated in the tender specifications.

II.2.4. Description of the procurement

As part of the overall Galileo Second Generation IOV (In-Orbit Validation) Ground Segment, the G2G IOV Ground Mission Segment and security facility has as main purpose the delivery of G2 IOV GMS/GSF capabilities as an upgrade of the Galileo infrastructure in order to contribute to the next two versions of the system and associated infrastructure for:

1. supporting the LEOP, IOT and operations of up to two new families of Galileo Second Generation Batch#1(G2SB1) satellites, with the first launch planned in November 2024 and;
2. for the provision of legacy services, early versions of G2 system capabilities and overall G2G In-Orbit Validation activities. Options were identified in the procurement as part of Step 2.

II.2.5. Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Adequacy and appropriateness of human and technical resources and facilities proposed by the tenderer with respect to the technical and programmatic solution described in the proposal. / Weighting: 10,5 %

Quality criterion - Name: Understanding of the requirements and objectives (including security). Maturity and qualification status of the proposed design. Adequacy, soundness and robustness of the proposed design. Compliance to technical requirements / Weighting: 17,5 %

Quality criterion - Name: Quality and suitability of proposed programme of work and compliance to the Statement of Work. Adequacy of engineering, testing and verification approach and logic. Discussion of problem areas, identification of risks and proposals for risk mitigation / Weighting: 21 %

Quality criterion - Name: Adequacy of management, costing and planning for the execution of the work / Weighting: 14 %

Quality criterion - Name: Acceptance of contract conditions and compliance with administrative tender conditions with the exception of the subcontracting requirements / Weighting: 3,5 %

Quality criterion - Name: Compliance with subcontracting requirements / Weighting: 3,5 %

Price - Weighting: 30 %

II.2.11. Information about options

Options: yes

Description of options:

Option A Release 4.1 Deployment on OPE chains and remote sites (EUR 5 000 000).

Option B L2/L3 maintenance extension of release 4.0 (EUR 3 000 000).

Option C L2/L3 maintenance extension of release 4.1 (EUR 21 670 000).

Option D Hand-over of 4.0 L2/L3 maintenance to a third party (EUR 430 000) - prerequisite activation of opt. B

Option E Hand-over of 4.1 L2/L3 maintenance to a third party (EUR 920 000) - prerequisite activation of opt. C

Option F L2/L3 environment handover (EUR 500 000) - prerequisite activation of option B.

Option G L2/L3 environment handover (EUR 1 140 000) - prerequisite activation of option C.

Option H1 On-call maintenance support (EUR 336 000) - prerequisite activation of option B

Option H2 On-call maintenance support (EUR 340 000) - prerequisite activation of option C.

- Option I1 Release 4.0 warranty (EUR 1 500 000).
- Option I2 Release 4.0 warranty (EUR 12 250 000).
- Option J G1 mode HSM early deployment (EUR 10 810 000).
- Option K G1 legacy robustness improvements (EUR 14 820 000).
- Option L Customer undertakings delay risk mitigation (EUR 14 050 000).

II.2.13. Information about European Union funds

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds:
yes

Identification of the project: European Union Space Programme / Galileo.

II.2.14. Additional information

Section IV: Procedure

IV.1. Description

IV.1.1. Type of procedure

Restricted 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: [2021/S 244-642382](#)

IV.2.8. Information about termination of dynamic purchasing system

IV.2.9. Information about termination of call for competition in the form of a prior information notice

Section V: Award of contract

Contract No: 4000141594/23/NL/AK

Title:

Galileo Second Generation (G2G) In-Orbit Validation (IOV) Ground Mission Segment (GMS)

A contract/lot is awarded: yes

V.2. Award of contract

V.2.1. Date of conclusion of the contract

07/07/2023

V.2.2. Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 1

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: no

V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor

Official name: Thales Alenia Space France S.A.S.

Town: Toulouse
NUTS code: FRJ23 Haute-Garonne
Country: France
The contractor is an SME: no

V.2.4. Information on value of the contract/lot

Total value of the contract/lot: 230 550 000,00 EUR

V.2.5. Information about subcontracting

The contract is likely to be subcontracted

Section VI: Complementary information

VI.3. Additional information

The value of the contract disclosed in Section V.2.4) is the baseline value of the contract (205,69 million EUR) plus options J and L. Options J and L were activated at contract signature while the other options disclosed in Section II.2.11) were not.

VI.4. Procedures for review

VI.4.1. Review body

Official name: General Court of European Union
Postal address: Rue du Fort Niedergrünewald
Town: Luxembourg
Postal code: L-2925
Country: Luxembourg
E-mail: ECJ.Registry@curia.europa.eu
Telephone: +352 4303-1
Fax: +352 4303-2100
Internet address: <http://curia.europa.eu>

VI.4.3. Review procedure

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures:
Within 2 months of the notification to the plaintiff, or, in absence thereof, of the day on which it came to the knowledge of the plaintiff. A complaint to the European Ombudsman does not have as an effect either to suspend this period or to open a new period for lodging appeals.

VI.4.4. Service from which information about the review procedure may be obtained

Official name: General Court of European Union
Town: Luxembourg
Country: Luxembourg
Internet address: <http://curia.europa.eu>

VI.5. Date of dispatch of this notice

13/08/2023