

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
DEPARTMENT OF SPACE
VIKRAM SARABHAI SPACE CENTRE (VSSC)
THIRUVANANTHAPURAM**

Tender for CONFOCAL RAMAN MICROSCOPE (Confocal Raman Spectrometer)

Bids to be submitted online

Tender No.: VSSC/PURCHASE UNIT III (SPRE)/VS202200133301 dated 23-05-2023

A. Tender Details

Tender No :	VSSC/PURCHASE UNIT III (SPRE)/VS202200133301
Tender Date :	23-05-2023
Tender Classification:	GOODS
Purchase Entity :	PURCHASE UNIT III (SPRE)
Centre :	VIKRAM SARABHAI SPACE CENTRE (VSSC)

Procurement of CONFOCAL RAMAN MICROSCOPE (Confocal Raman Spectrometer)

This is a TWO-PART tender i.e. Techno-Commercial Bid (Part-I) and Price Bid (Part-II) shall be submitted separately. All technical and commercial terms and conditions shall be furnished in the Techno-Commercial Bid while price shall be indicated only in the Price Bid and price bid related form only. Uploading price details anywhere else other than the price-bid/price bid related form shall lead to unconditional rejection of the tender. Please make note of the same.

A.1 Tender Schedule

Bid Submission Start Date :	23-05-2023 12:30
Bid Clarification Due Date :	26-06-2023 14:00
Bid Submission Due Date :	24-07-2023 14:00
Bid Opening Date :	24-07-2023 14:00
Price Bid Opening Date :	02-08-2023 14:00

B. Tender Attachments

NA

Instructions To Vendors

1. Instructions to Vendors

1. Last minute clarification on tenders will not be entertained.
2. This is an E Tender. Hence Postal/Fax/Email tenders will not be accepted.

2. PROFORMA FOR INSTRUCTIONS TO TENDERERS AND TERMS & CONDITIONS OF TENDER where the indent value is Rs. 2.00 lakhs & above for indigenous stores items

1. (a) All available technical literature, catalogues and other data in support of the specifications and details of the items should be furnished along with the offer.
(b) Samples, if called for, should be submitted free of all charges by the tenderer and the Purchaser shall not be responsible for any loss or damage thereof due to any reason whatsoever. In the event of nonacceptance of tender, the tenderer will have to remove the samples at his own expense.
(c) Approximate net and gross weight of the items offered shall be indicated in your offer. If dimensional details are available the same should also be indicated in your offer.
(d) Specifications: Stores offered should strictly confirm to our specifications. Deviations, if any, should be clearly indicated by the tenderer in his quotation. The tenderer should also indicate the Make/Type number of the stores offered and provide catalogues, technical literature and samples, wherever necessary, along with the quotations. Test Certificates, wherever necessary, should be forwarded along with supplies. Wherever options have been called for in our specifications, the tenderer should address all such options. Wherever specifically mentioned by us, the tenderer could suggest changes to specifications with appropriate response for the same.
2. (a) All available technical literature, catalogues and other data in support of the specifications and details of the items should be furnished along with the offer.
(b) Samples, if called for, should be submitted free of all charges by the tenderer and the Purchaser shall not be responsible for any loss or damage thereof due to any reason whatsoever. In the event of nonacceptance of tender, the tenderer will have to remove the samples at his own expense.
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3. ACCEPTANCE OF STORES:

- (a) The stores shall be tendered by the Contractor for inspection at such places as may be specified by the purchaser at the Contractor's own risk, expense and cost.
- (b) It is expressly agreed that the acceptance of the stores Contracted for, is subject to final approval by the purchaser, whose decision shall be final.
- (c) If, in the opinion of the purchaser, all or any of the stores do not meet the performance or quality requirements specified in the Purchase Order, they may be either rejected or accepted at a price to be fixed by the purchaser and his decision as to rejection and the prices to be fixed shall be final and binding on the Contractor.
- (d) If the whole or any part of the stores supplied are rejected in accordance with Clause No. (c) above, the purchaser shall be at liberty, with or without notice to the Contractor, to purchase in the open market at the expense of the Contractor stores meeting the necessary performance and quality Contracted for in place of those rejected, provided that either the purchase, or the agreement to purchase, from another supplier is made within six months from the date of rejection of the stores as aforesaid.

4. As a Government of India Department, this office is exempted from payment of Octroi and similar local levies. Tenderers shall ensure that necessary Exemption Certificates are obtained by them from the Purchase Officer concerned to avoid any payment of such levies.

5. a) Your offer should be valid for 90 days from the date of opening of the tender.
- b) Prices are required to be quoted according to the units indicated in the annexed tender form. When quotations are given in terms of units other than those specified in the tender form, relationship between the two sets of units must be furnished.

6. DESPATCH: The Contractor is responsible for obtaining a clear receipt from the Transport Authorities specifying the goods despatched. The consignment should be despatched with clear Railway Receipt/Lorry Receipt. If sent in any other mode, it shall be at the risk of the Contractor. Purchaser will take no responsibility for short deliveries or wrong supply of goods when the same are booked on 'said to contain' basis. Purchaser shall pay for only such stores as are actually received by them in accordance with the Contract.

7. d) The term "Purchase Order" shall mean the communication signed on behalf of the Purchaser by an Officer duly authorised intimating the acceptance on behalf of the Purchaser on the terms and conditions mentioned or referred to in the said communication accepting the tender or offer of the Contractor for supply of stores or plant, machinery or equipment or part thereof.

8. GUARANTEE & REPLACEMENT:

- (a) The Contractor shall guarantee that the stores supplied shall comply fully with the specifications laid down, for material, workmanship and performance.
- (b) For a period of twelve months after the acceptance of the stores, if any defects are discovered therein or any defects therein found to have developed under proper use, arising from faulty stores design or workmanship, the Contractor shall remedy such defects at his own cost provided he is called upon to do so within a period of 14 months from the date of acceptance thereof by the purchaser who shall state in writing in what respect the stores or any part thereof are faulty.
- (c) If, in the opinion of the purchaser, it becomes necessary to replace or renew any defective stores such replacement or renewal shall be made by the Contractor free of all costs to the purchaser, provided the notice informing the Contractor of the defect is given by the purchaser in this regard within the said period of 14 months from the date of acceptance thereof.
- (d) Should the Contractor fail to rectify the defects, the purchaser shall have the right to reject or repair or replace at the cost of the Contractor the whole or any portion of the defective stores.
- (e) The decision of the Purchaser notwithstanding any prior approval or acceptance or inspection thereof on behalf of the Purchaser, as to whether or not the Stores supplied by the Contractor are defective or any defect has developed within the said period of 12 months or any other period or as to whether the nature of defects requires renewal or replacement, shall be final, conclusive and binding on the Contractor.
- (f) To fulfill guarantee conditions outlined in (a) to (e) above, the Contractor shall, at the option of the Purchaser, furnish a Bank Guarantee (as prescribed by the Purchaser)

9. PACKING FORWARDING & INSURANCE: The Contractor will be held responsible for the stores being sufficiently and properly packed for transport by rail, road, sea or air to withstand transit hazards and ensure safe arrival at the destination. The packing and marking of packages shall be done by and at the expense of the Contractor. The purchaser will not pay separately for transit insurance, all risks in transit being exclusively of the Contractor and the Purchaser shall pay only for such stores as are actually received in good condition in accordance with the Contract.

10. Preference will be given to those tenders offering supplies from ready stocks and on the basis of FOR destination/delivery at site.

11. PRICES: Tender offering firm prices will be preferred. Where a price variation clause is insisted upon by a tenderer, quotation with a reasonable ceiling should be submitted. Such offers should invariably be supported by the base price taken into account at the time of tendering and also the formula for any such variation/s.

12. REJECTED STORES:

Rejected stores will remain at destination at the Contractor's risk and responsibility. If instructions for their disposal are not received from the Contractor within a period of 14 days from the date of receipt of the advice of rejection, the purchaser or his representative has, at his discretion, the right to scrap or

sell or consign the rejected stores to Contractor's address at the Contractor's entire risk and expense, freight being payable by the Contractor at actuals.

13. Sales Tax and/or other duties/levies legally leviable and intended to be claimed should be mentioned in the price bid template. If nothing is mentioned, then it will be presumed that the rate quoted is inclusive of all taxes/duties.

14. SECURITY DEPOSIT: Wherever, the Purchase Order value is Rs. 5.00 Lakhs or more, on acceptance of the tender, the Contractor shall, at the option of the Purchaser and within the period specified by him, deposit with him, in cash or in any other form as the Purchaser may determine, security deposit not exceeding ten percent of the value of the Contract as the Purchaser shall specify. If the Contractor is called upon by the Purchaser to deposit, "Security" and the Contractor fails to provide the security within the period specified, such failure shall constitute a breach of the Contract, and the Purchaser shall be entitled to make other arrangements for the re-purchase of the stores Contracted at the risk of the Contractor in terms of Sub-Clause (ii) and (iii) of clause regarding Delivery. (b) hereof and/or to recover from the Contractor, damages arising from such cancellation.

15. TERMS & CONDITIONS OF TENDER

16. TEST CERTIFICATE: Wherever required, test certificates should be sent along with the despatch documents.

17. The authority of the person signing the tender, if called for, should be produced.

18. The Purchaser reserves the right to place order on the successful tenderer for additional quantity up to 25% of the quantity offered by them at the rates quoted.

19. The purchaser shall be under no obligation to accept the lowest or any tender and reserves the right of acceptance of the whole or any part of the tender or portions of the quantity offered and the tenderers shall supply the same at the rates quoted.

20. The tenderer should supply along with his tender, the name of his bankers as well as the latest Income-Tax clearance certificate duly countersigned by the Income-Tax Officer of the Circle concerned under the seal of his office, if required by the Purchaser.

21. The term Contractor shall mean, the person, firm or company with whom or with which the order for the supply of Stores is placed and shall be deemed to include the Contractor's successors, representative, heirs, executors and administrators unless excluded by the Contract.

22. The term Purchaser shall mean the President of India or his successors or assigns.

23. The term "Stores" shall mean what the Contractor agrees to supply under the Contract as specified in the Purchase Order including erection of plants & machinery and subsequent testing, should such a condition is included in the Purchase Order.

3. Specific Terms and Conditions to Tender (GTE Compliant)

1. (I) Please quote applicable GST separately.

2. (II) Our standard delivery term is FOR, VSSC. In case any vendor offers delivery term of Ex-works, Packing and Forwarding charges if any should be indicated separately either as a percentage of the quoted rate or as a Lumpsum amount.

3. (III) Our standard payment term is 100% within 30 days after receipt and acceptance of the items at our site (after installation and commissioning in cases where installation and commissioning is required). In case of Foreign quote standard payment term is 100% Sight Draft with bank charges to respective accounts.

4. (IV) Liquidated Damages: The delivery period quoted should be realistic. The delivery period so quoted and mentioned in the order is the essence of the order/contract. In case of delay in delivery of material as per the delivery schedule, Liquidated Damage @ 0.5% per week or part thereof on the undelivered portion subject to a maximum of 10% of the contract value shall be levied. Wherever, installation and commissioning is also involved, the supply will be deemed to have been completed only when the entire Stores is supplied, installed and accepted.

5. (V) Performance Bank Guarantee: Wherever products offered carry warranty, the warranty should be for one year or as per manufacturers standard warranty term. Against such cases, please confirm submission of Performance Bank Guarantee. The Performance Bank Guarantee should be for 3% of the order value covering the warranty period obtained from any Scheduled Bank on Rs.200/- Non Judicial Stamp Paper and should be valid beyond 2 months from the completion of the warranty period. Alternately vendors can request for withholding 3% payment till completion of the warranty period.

6. (VI) Security Deposit: Wherever the offer value is Rs. 5.00 Lakhs or above, the successful tenderer should submit Security Deposit @ 3% of the order value by way of Bank Guarantee / FD Receipt. The Bank Guarantee shall be obtained from any Scheduled Bank on Rs.200/- Non Judicial Stamp Paper and should be valid beyond 2 months from the completion of all contractual obligations. If the Contractor is called upon by the Purchaser to deposit, Security and the Contractor fails to provide the security within the period specified, such failure shall constitute a breach of the Contract, and the Purchaser shall be entitled to make other arrangements for the re-purchase of the stores Contracted at the risk of the Contractor. In case if Security Deposit is submitted and the contractor fails to execute the order, then the security deposit will be forfeited.

7. (VII) Note: SD, LD and PBG clauses are mandatory and offers of the vendors who have not agreed for the above conditions will be excluded from the procurement process. Micro and Small Vendors are not exempted from the submission of Security Deposit. Only Govt Departments/PSUs/PSEs can submit Indemnity Bond instead of Bank Guarantee towards SD/PBG.
8. (VIII) Please upload the Technical Details / Catalogue / Data Sheets (wherever applicable)
9. (IX) The offer should be valid for a period of minimum 90 days from the date of opening of Tender and 180 Days for PT Two Part (120 Days for Technical Bid and 60 Days for Price Bid from the date of opening).
10. (X) In order to avail of the benefits extended to by Govt. of India to the Micro and Small Sectors, please submit attested copy of the valid Entrepreneur Memorandum Part-II signed by the General Manager, District Industries Centre / Udyog Adhar / NSIC Registration Certification along with your offer.
11. (XI) If any bidder submits forged / false document along with the tender, offer of such vendors will be summarily rejected and such bidders will be blacklisted for all future tenders.
12. (XII) Wherever samples are required to be submitted along with the quotation, offer without sample will not be considered.
13. (XIII) The other attached forms are our standard terms and conditions, which are to be complied with. If any conflict arise between the specific terms and standard terms, then in those cases, the specific terms will prevail over the standard terms.
14. (XIV) Purchase preference to eligible vendors are applicable as per extant notifications issued by the Government of India.
15. (XV-a) This tender is open for all class of suppliers i. e Class I, Class II and non local suppliers as defined in DPIIT order on Make In India initiative dtd 16/09/2020 and its revisions. Purchase preference as per extant guidelines will be applicable for Class I local suppliers.
16. (XV-b) Foreign OEMs/Agents quoting on behalf of Foreign OEMs are permitted to quote. High Sea Sales Quotes not preferred generally. The bids shall be in INR/appropriate foreign currency.
17. (XVI) Definitions: A supplier or service provider, whose goods, services or works offered for procurement, has local content: a)Equal to or more than 50% : Class-I local supplier. b)Minimum 20% but less than 50% : Class-II local supplier. c) Less than 20% : Non-local supplier.

18. (XVII) Local content means the amount of value added in India (i.e. indigenous items/services added in the offered products/services/works) be the total value of the item offered (excluding net domestic indirect taxes) minus the value of imported content in the item (including all customs duties/IGST) as a proportion of the total value (excluding net domestic indirect taxes), in percent. Indicate extent of Minimum Local Content in offered product/service and location of such value additions.

19. (XVIII) The Class-I & II local supplier should provide a Self Certification along with your offer in PDF format indicating that the item offered meets the minimum local content as called for in the tender as mentioned above and provide the % of local content along with details of the location(s) at which the local value addition is made. In case of two part tenders, it is mandatory to indicate compliance to MLC(minimum local content) in technical bid itself.

20. (XIX) The Class-I/Class-II Local suppliers, at the time of submitting their offer, shall also indicate percentage of local content and provide self-certification that the item (s) offered meets the local content requirement for Class-I/Class-II Local Suppliers as the case may be. They shall also give details of location (s) at which the local value addition is made.

21. (XX) In cases if the item(s) offered exceed Rs. 10 Crores, the Class-I/Class-II Local Suppliers shall provide a Certificate from the statutory auditor or cost auditor of the company (in case of companies) or from a practicing cost accountant or practicing chartered accountant (in respect of suppliers other than companies) giving the percentage of local content.

22. (XXI) False Declarations will be in breach of the Code of Integrity under Rule 175 (1) (i) (h) of the General Financial Rules for which a bidder or its successors can be debarred for up to two years as per Rule 151 (iii) of the General Financial Rules along with such other actions as may be permissible under law.

23. (XXII) Purchase Preference Policy:- Goods/Works which are divisible in nature (required quantity is greater than 1 or not a package basis): i. If L1 is 'Class-1 local supplier', the order/contract for full quantity shall be awarded to L1 bidder. ii. If L1 bid is not from a 'Class-I local supplier', 50% of the order quantity shall be awarded to L1. Thereafter, the lowest bidder among the 'Class-I local supplier' will be invited to match the L1 price for the remaining 50% quantity subject to the Class-I local supplier's quoted price falling within the margin of purchase preference (i.e. 20%) and contract for that quantity shall be awarded to such Class-I local supplier subject to matching the L1 price (inclusive of duties, taxes and freight & insurance). iii. In case such lowest eligible 'Class-I local supplier' fails to match the L1 price or accepts less than the offered quantity, the next higher 'Class-I local supplier' within the margin of purchase preference shall be invited to match the L1 price for remaining quantity and so on, and contract shall be awarded accordingly. In cases where none of the 'Class-I local supplier' within the margin of purchase agree to match L1 price, in such cases 100% quantity shall be ordered on original L1 bidder. iv. In case no offers are received from 'Class-I local supplier' or none of

the 'Class-I local supplier' falls within the margin of purchase preference of 20%, the order shall be processed on L1 vendor. v. In case L1 bidder (not a 'Class-I local supplier') is not accepting splitting of order on 50:50 basis, in that case the order/contract shall be awarded to such 'Class-I local supplier' for full quantity subject to matching the L1 price. vi. Regarding MSEs (Indian vendors): a) The following additional aspect as indicated below would be applicable for procurement which are falls under divisible category (i.e., not applicable for indivisible category), in case of participation of MSEs in the tendering who are also complying to the Minimum Local Content (MLC) stipulated in the tender. b) If any Indian vendor satisfies the requirement of MSEs stipulation and also falls within the purchase preference margin as called for in MSME policy (in case of matching L1 price) will be considered for ordering 25% of tendered quantity, the balance quantity / works will be considered for distribution amongst all bidders (including MSEs) as per the purchase preference policy. c) In case no MSEs qualifies for purchase preference or do not match with L1 price then the total tendered quantity will be distributed amongst all bidders as per the purchase preference policy.

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4. PPP Make in India(Non- Divisible Items-Class I & II Local Suppliers Only)

1. In line with Public Procurement (Preference to Make in India), Order 2017 & its amendments issued by Govt. of India from time to time with a view to support the Indian industries, ISRO has implemented "Purchase Preference Policy". The "Purchase Preference" is applicable for the "Class-I Local Supplier" for the goods/ services/ works covered in this tender, subject to the following terms & conditions:-

2. a) The subject item falls under Non-divisible category. b) The offers sought only from Class-I & Class-II local suppliers

3. Definitions: A supplier or service provider, whose goods, services or works offered for procurement, has local content: a) Equal to or more than 50% : Class-I local supplier. b) Minimum 20% but less than 50% : Class-II local supplier. c) Less than 20% : Non-local supplier.

4. 'Local content' means the amount of value added in India (i.e. indigenous items/services added in the offered products/ services/ works) be the total value of the item offered (excluding net domestic indirect taxes) minus the value of imported content in the item (including all customs duties/IGST) as a proportion of the total value (excluding net domestic indirect taxes), in percent.

5. The margin of Purchase Preference shall be up to 20%.

6. 'Margin of purchase preference' means the maximum extent to which the price quoted by the "Class-I local supplier" above the L1 (landed cost).

7. 'L1' means the lowest technically accepted tender / bid / quotation (i.e. lowest landed cost including duties, taxes and freight & Insurance).

8. Works means all works as per Rule 130 of GFR- 2017, and will also include 'turnkey works'. Works includes Engineering, Procurement and Construction (EPC) contracts and services include System Integrator (SI) contracts.

9. Purchase Preference Policy:- Goods/Works which are not divisible (ie., required quantity is 1 or as a package) and Services:

a) If L1 is from a 'Class-I local supplier', the contract will be awarded to L1 bidder.

b) If L1 is not from a 'Class-I local supplier', the lowest bidder among the 'Class-I local supplier' will be invited to match the L1 price subject to local supplier's quoted price falling within the margin of purchase preference (i.e. 20%) and the contract shall be awarded to such 'Class-I local supplier' subject to matching the L1 price (inclusive of duties, taxes and freight & insurance).

c) In case such lowest eligible 'Class-I local supplier' fails to match the L1 price, the 'Class-I local supplier' with the next higher bid within the margin of purchase preference shall be invited to match the L1 price and so on, and order/contract shall be awarded accordingly. In case where none of the

'Class-I local supplier' within the margin of purchase preference agree to match the L1 price, then the order/contract shall be awarded to the original L1 Bidder.

10. The 'Class-I & II local supplier' should provide a "Self Certification" along with technical offer indicating that the item offered meets the minimum local content [as per Sl. No.(3)] as called for in the tender and provide the percentage of local content along with details of the location(s) at which the local value addition is made. In case of two bid tenders, it is mandatory to indicate compliance to MLC(minimum Local Content) in technical bid zone.

11. The ink-signed certificate shall be provided on vendors letter head along with the offer (in case of online tender, copy of ink-signed certificate shall be uploaded along with your offer under concerned tab. Original in Hard copy shall be produced on request). In case of non-submission of certificate, the purchase preference shall not apply.

12. A committee (with an external expert from a practicing cost accountant or practicing chartered accountant, if required) constituted for independent verification shall verify the self-declarations & auditor's / accountant's certificates on random basis, as per the requirements.

13. In cases the quoted price is in excess of Rs.1000 Lakhs (including duties, taxes and freight & Insurance) the 'Class-I & II local supplier shall provide a certificate from the statutory auditor or cost auditor of the company (in the case of companies) or from a practicing cost accountant or practicing chartered accountant (in case of suppliers other than companies) giving the percentage of local content.

14. In case of a complaint received from any local supplier indicating a need for review / verification of Local content of successful vendor / awarded vendor, for accepting a complaint from such complainant (w.r.t the false declaration given by the successful vendor on the local content), a complaint fee of Rs.2Lakhs or 1% of the locally manufactured items being procured (subject to a maximum Rs. 5Lakhs), whichever was higher, to be paid by demand draft by the complainant. In case, the complaint is found to be incorrect, the complaint fee shall be forfeited. In case, the complaint is upheld and found to be substantially correct, deposited fee of the complainant would be refunded without any interest.

15. False declarations will be in breach of code of the integrity for which a bidder or its successor's will not be eligible/debarred for purchase preference from further tenders / pending tenders for two years along with other actions as may be applicable.

16. The Public Procurement (Preference to Make in India), Order 2017 issued by Govt. of India indicates that if there are any general or specific restrictive clauses to restrict participation of Indian companies in those countries procurement tenders, reciprocity clause need to be invoked as per the order. Hence, if ISRO or Govt. of India come across that Indian suppliers of an item are not allowed to participate and / or compete in procurement by your government, the bid submitted by you will be not

be considered and excluded from eligibility for procurement. Please note this point.

5. Conditions for BIDDER FROM A COUNTRY WHICH SHARES LAND BORDER WITH INDIA

1. Any bidder from a country which shares a land border with India will be eligible to bid in this tender, only if the bidder is registered with the Competent Authority.

Competent Authority for the purpose of registration shall be the Registration Committee constituted by the Department for Promotion of Industry and Internal Trade (DPIIT).

2. Any false declaration and non-compliance of the above would be a ground for immediate rejection of offer or termination of the contract and further legal action in accordance with the laws.

3.

Validity of Registration: Registration should be valid at the time of submission of bids and should be valid at the time of placement of order.

C. Bid Templates

C.1 Technical Bid - CONFOCAL RAMAN MICROSCOPE (Confocal Raman Spectrometer)

1. Confocal Raman Spectrometer(NA)

Item specifications for Confocal Raman Spectrometer

SI No	Specification	Value	Compliance	Offered Specification	Remark
1	Confocal Raman Microscope	High performance Raman system for the characterization of organic compounds, nanomaterials, polymers, composites and ceramics. Applications include analysis of allotropes of carbon, 2D nano materials, high performance polymers, ceramic matrix composites, coatings on carbon fibre (including thickness estimation), anode/cathode materials for lithium-ion cells, etc.	Yes / No / Explain		
2	Throughput	> 60%	Yes / No / Explain		
3	Rayleigh line filters-	Easily attachable Rayleigh line rejection filters for the offered excitations, allowing ripple free measurement of Raman spectrum to min. 50 cm-1 from respective laser line.	Yes / No / Explain		
4	Laser power control-	Power levels variable from 0.05 to 100%.	Yes / No / Explain		

5	Excitation wavelengths-	Spectrometer should support lasers from 280 to 785 nm. The system should support a minimum of 3 excitation lasers	Yes / No / Explain		
6	Spectral range-	50-4000 cm-1 or better (for 532 & 785 nm Lasers) (Standard spectral range to be specified and accessories required for lower frequency detection to be quoted as option)	Yes / No / Explain		
7	Spectral Resolution-	0.4 cm-1 (full width at half maximum) or better (for 532 nm laser using 1800 lines/mm grating)	Yes / No / Explain		
8	Focal length-	500 mm or higher	Yes / No / Explain		
9	Fluorescence suppression-	Should have provision for suppressing Fluorescence	Yes / No / Explain		
10	Automation-	Auto alignment and optimization of input laser power with fully automated and self-validating system, auto align of laser, self-validation using built-in internal or external reference sample, built-in self-calibration and intensity correction.	Yes / No / Explain		
11	Grating-	Software controlled motorized grating stage with 1800, 600 lines/mm and 300 lines/mm	Yes / No / Explain		
12	Sampling kit-	Liquid, solid, and powder sampling accessories (if specially required) and optical interface kit	Yes / No / Explain		

13	Detector-	CCD array detector, Peltier cooled (-60 deg C minimum) 1024 x 256 pixels minimum. Peak Quantum efficiency > 95 %	Yes / No / Explain		
14	Microscope-	Good quality research grade optical microscope with high resolution CCD camera. System should include an integrated trinocular supporting simultaneous binocular viewing and collection of video camera images and switching between visual viewing mode and Raman mode must be automated and controlled through software. The system should include auto-alignment. Should be supplied with CCD video camera and white light LED Kohler illumination.	Yes / No / Explain		
15	Air Objective-	10x, 20x ,50x and 100x Should specify the aperture and working distance for each	Yes / No / Explain		
16	Minimum laser spot size-	1 micrometer or better.	Yes / No / Explain		
17	Confocal depth resolution@ 532nm-	1 micrometer or better	Yes / No / Explain		
18	Mapping Stage-	Automated, computer controlled XYZ stage for mapping with joy stick (for easy manual navigation) and software control, for scatter, line/spot and area mapping and confocal depth profiling. Complete with XYZ stage and Mapping Control Software.	Yes / No / Explain		

19	Vibration-	Vibration isolated mapping stage	Yes / No / Explain		
20	Scan range-	50 mm x 50 mm x 25 mm or better. (exact scan range to be specified, Other stages can be quoted as option.)	Yes / No / Explain		
21	Spatial resolution-	0.1 x 0.1 micrometer or better (XY) 0.1 micrometer (Z)	Yes / No / Explain		
22	Sample size-	100 x 100 x 25 mm (only indicative, minimum and maximum sample sizes possible to be mentioned)	Yes / No / Explain		

23	Software and Data system-	<p>Latest applicable hardware configuration (with 19 inch or higher LCD display) with compatible operating system (original licensed software) and color laser printer to be included. External hard disk with 1 TB. The software should be capable of:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Instrument control and data acquisition, image capture for viewing and saving of white light images. 2. Fully integrated data analysis and presentation, spectral editing, spectral subtraction, library creation, automated image analysis, producing line, area and depth maps, making contour and 3D plots, sample size calibration, Cluster analysis, Principal component analysis, Advanced fitting tool, Data cropping and reduction, Image overlay, etc. <p>LIBRARIES - Raman Spectral Database for polymers, minerals, inorganic, organic and ceramic materials</p>	Yes / No / Explain		
24	Laser	<p>i.532 nm, 75 mW (min.) ii.785nm (100 mW) Min. Laser beam defocus facility to reduce sample heating To be supplied with suitable safety enclosures, safety goggles and filters and laser power meter. Automatic switch over between lasers should be possible.</p>	Yes / No / Explain		

25	Spares -	List of spares to be specified and quoted separately.	Yes / No / Explain		
26	Training & application support-	Onsite training of about 5-6 days must be provided to VSSC Scientists on the installed equipment for operation and data processing. The supplier should also provide continued application support for the system on yearly basis.	Yes / No / Explain		
27	Warranty/Guarantee-	Comprehensive 3 years warranty/guarantee on the system should be included. Separate quote for AMC for five years after the warranty period should be included.	Yes / No / Explain		
28	Specific Conditions	The bidder should be ready to demonstrate performance of the instrument using VSSC supplied samples during the time of tender evaluation using the quoted model of the instrument. The same needs to be demonstrated again after installation in VSSC facility for the same results.	Yes / No / Explain		
29	Optional items	Objectives-long WD and water and oil immersion objectives Polarizer kit- Polarizer module suitable for the Lasers quoted Calibration lamp- Standard calibration lamp for spectrometer calibration Mapping stage- Mapping stage with higher scan range Laser-UV laser (280/266/325 nm)	Yes / No / Explain		

Common Specifications (Applicable for all items)

SI No	Specification	Value	Compliance	Offered Specification	Remark
1	Confocal Raman Microscope	High performance Raman system for the characterization of organic compounds, nanomaterials, polymers, composites and ceramics. Applications include analysis of allotropes of carbon, 2D nano materials, high performance polymers, ceramic matrix composites, coatings on carbon fibre (including thickness estimation), anode/cathode materials for lithium-ion cells, etc.	Yes / No / Explain		
2	Throughput	more than 60 percentage	Yes / No / Explain		
3	Rayleigh line filters	Easily attachable Rayleigh line rejection filters for the offered excitations, allowing ripple free measurement of Raman spectrum to min. 50 cm ⁻¹ from respective laser line.	Yes / No / Explain		
4	Laser power control	Power levels variable from 0.05 to 100%.	Yes / No / Explain		
5	Excitation wavelengths	Spectrometer should support lasers from 280 to 785 nm The system should support a minimum of 3 excitation lasers	Yes / No / Explain		

6	Spectral range	50-4000 cm ⁻¹ or better (for 532 & 785 nm Lasers) (Standard spectral range to be specified and accessories required for lower frequency detection to be quoted as option)	Yes / No / Explain		
7	Spectral Resolution	0.4 cm ⁻¹ (full width at half maximum) or better (for 532 nm laser using 1800 lines/mm grating)	Yes / No / Explain		
8	Focal length	500mm or higher	Yes / No / Explain		
9	Fluorescence suppression	Should have provision for suppressing Fluorescence	Yes / No / Explain		
10	Automation	Auto alignment and optimization of input laser power with fully automated and self-validating system, auto align of laser, self-validation using built-in internal or external reference sample, built-in self-calibration and intensity correction.	Yes / No / Explain		
11	Grating	Software controlled motorized grating stage with 1800, 600 lines/mm and 300 lines/mm	Yes / No / Explain		
12	Sampling kit	Liquid, solid, and powder sampling accessories (if specially required) and optical interface kit	Yes / No / Explain		
13	Detector	CCD array detector, Peltier cooled (-60°C, minimum). 1024 x 256 pixels minimum. Peak Quantum efficiency > 95 %	Yes / No / Explain		

14	Microscope	Good quality research grade optical microscope with high resolution CCD camera. System should include an integrated trinocular supporting simultaneous binocular viewing and collection of video camera images and switching between visual viewing mode and Raman mode must be automated and controlled through software. The system should include autoalignment. Should be supplied with CCD video camera and white light LED Kohler illumination.	Yes / No / Explain		
15	Air Objective	10x, 20x ,50x and 100x Should specify the aperture and working distance for each	Yes / No / Explain		
16	Minimum laser spot size	1 µm or better.	Yes / No / Explain		
17	Confocal depth resolution@ 532nm	1 µm or better	Yes / No / Explain		
18	Mapping Stage	Automated, computer controlled XYZ stage for mapping with joy stick (for easy manual navigation) and software control, for scatter, line/spot and area mapping and confocal depth profiling. Complete with XYZ stage and Mapping Control Software.	Yes / No / Explain		
19	Vibration	Vibration isolated mapping stage	Yes / No / Explain		
20	Scan range	50 mm x 50 mm x 25 mm or better. (exact scan range to be specified, Other stages can be quoted as option.)	Yes / No / Explain		

21	Spatial resolution	0.1 x 0.1 μm or better (XY) 0.1 μm (Z)	Yes / No / Explain		
22	Sample size	100 x 100 x 25 mm (only indicative, minimum and maximum sample sizes possible to be mentioned)	Yes / No / Explain		
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24	Laser	i. 532 nm, 75 mW (min.) ii. 785nm (100 mW) Min. Laser beam defocus facility to reduce sample heating To be supplied with suitable safety enclosures, safety goggles and filters and laser power meter.	Yes / No / Explain		
25	Spares	List of spares to be specified and quoted separately.	Yes / No / Explain		
26	Warranty/Guarantee	Comprehensive 3 years' warranty/guarantee on the system should be included. Separate quote for AMC for five years after the warranty period should be included.	Yes / No / Explain		
27	Specific Condition	The bidder should be ready to demonstrate performance of the instrument using VSSC supplied samples during the time of tender evaluation using the quoted model of the instrument. The same needs to be demonstrated again after installation in VSSC facility for the same results.	Yes / No / Explain		
28	Optional items	Objectives-long WD and water and oil immersion objectives Polarizer kit-Polarizer module suitable for the Lasers quoted Calibration lamp-Standard calibration lamp for spectrometer calibration Heating stage-Heating stage RT-200°C Mapping stage-Mapping stage with higher scan range Laser UV-laser (280/266/325 nm)	Yes / No / Explain		

Supporting Documents required from Vendor

1. Price split-up (Price Bid Related)

2. Budgetary offer (Price Bid Related)

3. Instrument brochure

4. Technical offer

5. Specification compliance matrix

6. PDF format of your offer

5 additional documents can be uploaded by the vendor

C.2 Commercial Terms / Bid

Sl. No.	Description	Compliance	Vendor Terms
1	Comprehensive 3 years warranty/guarantee on the system should be included	Yes / No / Explain	
2	VSSC shall have the option of mentioning the AMC charges in the Purchase Order itself.	Yes / No / Explain	
3	Party shall submit the quote for AMC after expiry of warranty along with the offer itself. Separate quote for AMC for five years after the warranty period should be included.	Yes / No / Explain	
4	The Class-I & II local supplier should provide a Self Certification along with your offer in PDF format indicating that the item offered meets the minimum local content as called for in the tender as mentioned above and provide the % of local content along with details of the location(s) at which the local value addition is made. In case of two part tenders, it is mandatory to indicate compliance to MLC(minimum local content) in technical bid itself. Confirm attachment of Self declaration along with the offer.	Yes / No / Explain	
5	PO Ordering Address with Name and Contact Details of Sales Person concerned (e-mail and phone number).	Yes / No / Explain	
6	This is a TWO-PART tender i.e. Techno-Commercial Bid (Part-I) and Price Bid (Part-II) shall be submitted separately. All technical and commercial terms and conditions shall be furnished in the Techno-Commercial Bid while price shall be indicated only in the Price Bid and price bid related form only. Uploading price details anywhere else other than the price-bid/price bid related form shall lead to unconditional rejection of the tender. Please make note of the same.	Yes / No / Explain	
7	AMC charges will be considered for evaluating L1. AMC charges shall be separately mentioned.	Yes / No / Explain	
8	Cost split up shall be provided in the "Price Bid related " part only. Price details revealing anywhere else other than Price bld and "Price Bid related " part will lead to rejection of offer.	Yes / No / Explain	

9	Any Other Terms	Yes / No / Explain	
10	Taxes and other costs,	Yes / No / Explain	
11	Security Deposit (Applicable if Offer Value is Rs. 5 Lakhs or above. MSME/NSIC Units are NOT EXEMPTED from the payment of SD. Bank Guarantee @ 3% of Order Value valid till 60 days from the date of supply to be submitted. Mandatory compliance required. Only Government Bodies/PSUs/PSEs can submit Indemnity Bond in lieu of BG. In the event of non-performance of contractual obligations, SD will be forfeited).	Yes / No / Explain	
12	Delivery Terms (FOR VSSC).	Yes / No / Explain	
13	Delivery Period (Detailed delivery period specifically mentioning time required for supply and installation shall be mentioned)	Yes / No / Explain	
14	Liquidated Damages (Applicable beyond the delivery period mentioned in this tender @ 0.5% per week or part thereof on the undelivered portion subject to a maximum of 10% of the contract value. Mandatory compliance required).	Yes / No / Explain	
15	Warranty (3years)	Yes / No / Explain	
16	AMC (Non comprehensive AMC for a period of 5 years with 2 preventive maintenance visits and 2 break down visits per year	Yes / No / Explain	
17	Scope of work for Raman microscope includes Laser health monitoring , laser alignment and optics cleaning	Yes / No / Explain	
18	Performance Bank Guarantee (PBG) Bank Guarantee @ 3% of Order Value valid till the completion of warranty period plus 2 months claim period to be submitted. Mandatory compliance required. Only Government Bodies/PSUs/PSEs can submit Indemnity Bond in lieu of BG. In the event of non-performance of warranty obligations, PBG will be forfeited).	Yes / No / Explain	

19	Payment Term: (Our Default payment term: For indigenous orders: 100% within 30 days after receipt and acceptance of item at our site. NOTE: CONSEQUENT TO COVID 19 PANDEMIC AND AS PER EXTANT GUIDELINES FROM DEPARTMENT OF SPACE, NO ADVANCE PAYMENT IS PAYABLE TO THIS TENDER).	Yes / No / Explain	
20	Definitions: A supplier or service provider, whose goods, services or works offered for procurement, has local content: a) Equal to or more than 50% : Class-I local supplier. b) More than 20% but less than 50% : Class-II local supplier. c) Less than or equal to 20% : Non-local supplier. Mention your category.	Yes / No / Explain	
21	Local content means the amount of value added in India (i.e. indigenous items/services added in the offered products/services/works) be the total value of the item offered (excluding net domestic indirect taxes) minus the value of imported content in the item (including all customs duties/IGST) as a proportion of the total value (excluding net domestic indirect taxes), in percent. Indicate extent of Minimum Local Content in offered product/service and location of such value additions.	Yes / No / Explain	

C.3 Price Bid

Sl. No.	Item	Quantity	Unit Price	Currency	Total Price	Remark
1	Confocal Raman Spectrometer (NA)	1.00 Nos.		-		

Common charges (Applicable for all items)

P&F Charges	
Freight charge	
AMC Charges for 1st Year after warranty period	

AMC Charges for 2nd Year after warranty period	
AMC Charges for 3rd Year after warranty period	
AMC Charges for 4th Year after warranty period	
AMC Charges for 5th Year after warranty period	
Essential Spares Cost (lumpsum)	
Installation & Commissioning Charges	
Any Other Charges (Amount)	
Documentation & Hadnling charges	