

Response to vendor queries for “**Domestic tender notification for the procurement of a “CPU+GPU cluster for high performance computing”**”

| S.No | Query | Response |
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| 1. | Is the minimum peak performance (23 TFLOPs) the theoretical performance or against some standard benchmark? | The 23 TFLOPs CPU-only cluster performance listed in the tender corresponds to the theoretical peak performance. |
| 2. | <p>Please confirm can we quote/participate without below mentioned clauses.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Only Indian OEM or its Indian distributors are invited to submit bids. Make in India policy of Govt. of India will be followed for this tender. •Only Class-I and Class-II local suppliers as defined below are eligible to participate in this open domestic tender. •Non-local suppliers are ineligible to participate in this tender. | All bids received for this domestic tender should satisfy this requirement of Indian OEM and the directions provided in the Make in India policy of Govt. Of India. Any bid not satisfying this requirement would automatically be disqualified. |
| 3. | Request dept to allow non Indian OEMs to quote. Usually major HPC servers manufacturing units are located overseas | Only Indian OEM or its Indian distributors are invited to submit bids. Any bids not satisfying this requirement would automatically be disqualified. |
| 4. | Request dept to change the GPU to "NVIDIA A100" , since V100 is end of sale https://www.nvidia.com/en-in/data-center/a100/ | Please submit bids with V100 GPUs. |
| 5. | Please let us know whether it is online or hard copy submission | The bids have to be submitted as hard copy following the two bid format. Details are provided in the tender terms and conditions. Bids that do not follow this format would automatically be disqualified. |