

Solicitation 6400016227 - GCC Accelerator Support

Questions and Responses

To: All Prospective Offerors

Questions have been submitted concerning this solicitation. The questions and the responses are as follows:

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1. Are negotiations possible between proposal and final award?

Response: Yes

2. The patent rights clauses that do not apply to Open Source Software

Response: Your proposal should reflect that Open Source Software is involved and that the patent rights clauses do not apply.

3. Concerning Task 9 of the Statement of Work, the OpenMP 5.1 specification not releasing until November 2020. How should scoping a not completely defined future task be handled?

Response: Do not provide a fixed price for Task 9. The price for Task 9 will be developed with the awardee(s) once the standard is release. The pricing will in-part be based on the Fully Burdened Rates incorporated into an award.

4. Attachment 1 page 1, appears to be mistakenly duplicated from GCC Solicitation

Response: Attachment 1 has been revised by removing the page that had been included by mistake.

5. Is the value of this opportunity really expected to be “<\$1M”? This is the link we are referring to: <https://smallbusiness.ornl.gov/business-opportunities/gnu-compiler-collection-gcc-support-basic-ordering-agreement>

Response: The value has been corrected and is now “> \$2M”.

6. Is there a formatting issue relative to Technical and Business Management Proposal (page 4, item 5) and then again on page 6, Section 6 subsection c.

Response: Revisions or clarifications have been made and highlighted.

7. Can you provide an example task order document?

Response: Unfortunately, I am not able to provide this. Each task order will provide the funding and completion date for task being performed. All other requirements will be derived from the basic ordering agreement.

8. The GCC Solicitation asks for resumes of members of the team and yet there is a 10-page limit on our response. Would it be acceptable for us to summarize relevant data points on our team members in the body of the response and then reference an attachment with full blown resumes that are not part of the 10-page limit?

Response: The resumes are not part of the page count and the solicitation has been revised accordingly.

9. Are Offerors allowed to submit a proposal for a portion of the RFP?

Response: Yes. Please see the revised Basis of Award – Tradeoff clause on page 2 of the GCC Solicitation 6400016227.