

ECMWF Copernicus Procurement

Invitation to Tender



Copernicus Climate Change Service

Improved treatment of the stratosphere in C3S reanalyses

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VOLUME IA - TIMETABLE FOR PROCUREMENT

We envisage the following timetable for this procurement exercise (all times are CET/CEST unless otherwise stated):

Contract Notice sent to OJEU and ITT publication date	Thursday, 20 November 2025
Interested parties register their interest on the eProcurement Portal by	Wednesday, 21 January 2026 (16:00)
Last date for clarification questions	Tuesday, 6 January 2026 (Midnight)
Last date for publishing clarifications	Tuesday, 13 January 2026
Closing Date	Wednesday, 21 January 2026 (16:00)
Evaluation	End-January – February 2026
Negotiation of service details with preferred bidder(s) ⁱ	March – April 2026
Sign Contract by	End of April 2026

The Tenderer's response shall remain valid for a period of not less than 9 months after the Closing Date.

ECMWF reserves the right to postpone the dates from those published in this ITT.

ⁱ Invitations to attend the negotiation meeting will be sent to preferred bidder(s) during February 2026