Requirements / Specification Document

National Institute of Standards and Technology
U.S. Department of Commerce

TITLE: Water Bath for Microcalorimeters

Requesting Laboratory / Division / Group:

Communications Technology Laboratory
Radio Frequency Technology Division
Guided Wave Electromagnetics Group (672.01)

General Statement of Need:

The Guided Wave Electromagnetics Group needs a temperature-controlled water bath for RF power calibrations. A water bath is an insulated tank that can be filled with water, and has the ability to regulate the temperature of the water through heaters and refrigeration. Water baths often have stirrers to improve temperature uniformity. The water bath needs to have the best temperature stability and uniformity possible. It also needs to be big enough to contain NIST's RF power measurement equipment.

Item Specifications and Quantities:

Item 1:	Water bath	
Quantity:	1	
Specifications:	1.1	Temperature stability of 0.001 C, at most (when filled with water).
	1.2	Temperature uniformity of 0.005 C, at most (when filled with water).
	1.3	Able to achieve a stable water temperature between 10 degrees C and 30 degrees C, at least
	1.4	Access opening shall be at least 6 inches by 11 inches.
	1.5	Depth of the water shall be at least 16 inches.
	1.6	Should have a cart with wheels.
	1.7	Should have a way to communicate with a computer (GPIB, USB, or ethernet) and should respond to SCPI commands or similar.

Vendor Requirements

1. Possess at time of award/contracting an Export Control Classification Number (ECCN).

2. Possess at time of award/contracting a Unique Entity Identification Number (UEI) which registration is listed as "Active" on the GSA System for Award Management (SAM.gov).

Procurement Support Information and Ancillary Services:

Section	Requirements/Specifications
Planning Considerations ☒ N/A	☐ List any visits required to allow potential vendors to see site specific constraints. [Explain Requirements.] ☐ US citizen required on-site (foreign nationals require pre-registration 30 days prior to visit.) ☐ Vendor Representative On-Site more than three (3) days. ☐ Other Considerations: [List other considerations to ensure an accurate quote.]
Shipping & Delivery ☐ N/A	Shipping Address: ☒ NIST-Boulder Mail Stop: 325 Broadway Boulder, CO 80305 ☐ NIST-Gaithersburg ATTN: Mail Stop: 100 Bureau Dr Gaithersburg MD 20899 ☐ [Alternate Shipping Address] Shipping Criteria: ☐ Partial Delivery Acceptable ☐ [Enter Shipping and Delivery information by item.] ☐ Direct Delivery to OU Building Required [Explain Need for Requirement] Building /Room Number: [Enter Building/Room Number] ☐ Building has Loading Dock Containerization Preference: [Enter Container Type] Other Requirements: [List Any Other Requirement] Delivery Date Criteria: ☐ Delivery Shall Be Competed No Later Than: Click or tap to enter a date. ☐ Delivery Shall Be Made No Earlier Than: Click or tap to enter a date. ☒ Scheduled Deliveries: Item Number: 1 — Due Date: October 1, 2027 ☐ Other:

[List Other Shipping, Delivery or Special Requirements.]

Electronic Media
☒ N/A

[Enter Electronic Media Requirements by Item.]

- ☐ Software
- ☐ Electronic Manuals
- ☐ License Key
- ☐ Other:
  [List Any Other Electronic Media Requirements]
- ☐ US Government Email Address for Software Delivery:
  [Enter Address]

Installation
☒ N/A

[Enter Installation Requirements by Item]

- ☐ Vendor Technician on Site
- ☐ Rigging
- ☐ Uncrating / Unpackaging
- ☐ Removal of Packaging Material
- ☐ Equipment Set Up
- ☐ Start-Up Services
- ☐ Turnkey Installation
- ☐ Other:
  [Enter Details]

NOTE: TPOC shall be the coordination POC.

Facility / Utility Considerations
☒ N/A

[List Site Specific Utility Considerations by Item]

- ☐ OFPM Work Order Numbers
  [List Work Order Numbers]
- ☐ Power Available
  - Voltage: [Enter voltage] (V)
  - Maximum Current: [Enter max current draw] (A)
  - Phase: [Choose Phase]
  - Frequency: [Typically 60Hz] (Hz)
  - NEMA Plug Type: [Enter Plug Type] (i.e.: NEMA L5-20P)
  - Environment: [Choose Environment]
  - Other Power Considerations:
    [List Any Other Power Considerations.]
- ☐ Utility Connections:
  [List Relevant Available Utilities, Pressure(s) and Flowrate(s).]
- ☐ Other Considerations:
  [List Other Considerations to Ensure an Accurate Quote.]

Inspection and Acceptance
☒ N/A

[Inspection Requirements Per Item (Who, When, What, Where)]

- ☐ On-Site
- ☐ Acceptance Not Expected to Exceed 7 Business Days
- ☐ Acceptance Expected to Exceed 7 Business Days:
  [Duration]
- ☐ Inspection and Acceptance Plan:
  [Explanation]
- ☐ Other:
  [Enter Other Requirements]

Training
☒ N/A

Training Requirements (Who, When, What, Where)

- ☐ Number of Trainees: [Enter Number of Trainees]
- ☐ On-Site
- ☐ Off-Site Location: [Enter Location(s)]
  Is Trainee Travel Required: [Choose Answer]

Scope of Training

☐ Operation ☐ Maintenance ☐ Troubleshooting
☐ Safety ☐ Other
[Enter Other Scope of Training Requirements]

- ☐ Training Materials to be Provided by Government:
  [Describe Materials]
- ☐ Training Materials to be Provided by Vendor:
  [Describe Materials]
- ☐ Other
  [Enter Other Training Requirements]

NOTE: SME shall be coordination POC.

Warranty
☐ N/A

Base Manufacturer Warranty is acceptable
Warranty Length: [i.e. 3 - Years]
What is included?
☐ Labor ☐ Parts ☐ Travel
☐ Cost and Liability for Returns
☐ Other
[Enter Other Requirements]
☐ 1 Option Period
☐ 2 Option Periods
☐ 3 Option Periods
☐ 4 Option Periods (Maximum)

Calibration
☒ N/A

[Describe Calibration Requirements Per Item]
Calibration Plan Length: [i.e. 3 - Years]
What is Included?
☐ Labor ☐ Spare Parts ☐ Consumables
☐ Travel ☐ Cost and Liability for Shipment
☐ Software Updates ☐ Manuals
☐ Other
[Enter Other Requirements]
☐ Requirements:
[Enter Requirements] (i.e.: On-Site Within 72 hours, etc.)
☐ 1 Option Period
Length: [i.e. 1 – Year / 6 - Months]
☐ 2 Option Periods
☐ 3 Option Periods
☐ 4 Option Periods (Maximum)

Maintenance
☒ N/A

[Describe Maintenance Requirements Per Item]
Maintenance Plan Length: [i.e. 3 - Years]
What is Included?
☐ Labor ☐ Spare Parts ☐ Consumables
☐ Travel ☐ Cost and Liability for Shipment
☐ Software Updates ☐ Manuals
☐ Other
[Enter Other Requirements]
☐ Requirements:
[Enter Requirements] (i.e.: On-Site Within 72 hours, etc.)
☐ 1 Option Period
Length: [i.e. 1 – Year / 6 - Months]
☐ 2 Option Periods
☐ 3 Option Periods
☐ 4 Option Periods (Maximum)

Government Furnished Material / Equipment
☒ N/A

List Any Government Furnished Material / Equipment Per Item]
☐ Samples for Testing
☐ Equipment which will leave Government Site
Description: [Enter Description]
Serial Number: [Enter Serial Number]
NIST Property Number: [Enter NIST Property Number]
☐ Other: [Enter Other Details]

Travel
☒ N/A

[Describe any Travel Requirements Per Item]
☐ Explain:
[Enter Justification / Requirement]
☐ Other:
[Enter Other Requirements]

NOTE TO VENDOR: To the maximum extent possible, include travel requirement estimates as part of pertinent sections above (Installation, Maintenance, Repair, etc.). Otherwise, Travel will be a separate line item, reimbursable per the Federal Travel Regulation.