Supply, Delivery, Installation, Commissioning and Training of a Gas chromatograph (GC) coupled with a flame ionization detector (FID) and a mass spectrometer with quadrupole mass analyzer (MS) - SUP/SD/25/06

Items	Specifications Required			
Brand Name	Please Specify			
Model & year of manufacturing	Please Specify			
Country of Manufacture	Please Specify			
Country of Origin	Please Specify			
1. System Requirements	The System shall comprise a gas chromatograph with flame ionization detector coupled to mass spectrometer with quadrupole mass analyzer that shall produce analytical data to determine and confirm the composition of volatile samples including essential oils (Extracted from both plant and animal tissues), oleoresins, solvent residues, balms, cosmetic, perfumes and fatty acids to trace levels in ppb to ppt levels. System shall have the following major components:			
	with quadrupole mass analyzer			
	 Automated sampler to support liquid injection Data management and acquisition Software system Suitable columns and other accessories Computer with a printer UPS with 10 kVA capacity Required gas supply with accessories 			
	Electricity requirement should be 230 V, 50 Hz.			
2. GC Mainframe	 Must be able to support at least 2 inlets, 2 detectors and 2 signal acquisitions, which means two available inlets separately connect to two separate columns where two detectors attach separately to those columns 			
	2. Must have advanced intelligent self-diagnosis feature. Electrical system, flow control systems and sensors must be fully supported by the operating software.			
	3. Must provide software that monitors GC counters and provides graphic display.			
	 Upgradability for Detector Splitting System (multiple detection capability), Detector Switching System, and/or Backflush System. 			
	5. Retention time repeatability: <0.008% (or equivalent to 0.0008min)			
	6. Area repeatability: < 1% RS			
	 Self-diagnostic feature with safety features to help prevent unexpected instrument malfunctions. 			
	8. Must support LAN communications			
3. GC Oven	1. Operating temperature range: 25°C to minimum of 400 °C			
	2. Oven temperature set point resolution must be 0.1°C.			
	 Oven must support at least 20 ramps/21 plateaus and negative ramps must be allowed. 			
	4. Maximum achievable temperature ramp rate must be 120°C/min.			
	5. Oven temperature program set point resolution for the temperature ramp rate must be 0.01°C.			
	6. Maximum run time of at least 999 minutes			

	 7. Oven cools down from 400 °C to 25 °C must be less than 4 mins (under non-specific conditions), with faster cooling speed is preferred 8. Temperature stability for < 0.01°C for a 1°C ambient change, ensuring the maintenance of oven internal temperature with respect to external fluctuations. 9. Could be Upgradable for the use of cryogenic cooling with CO₂ down to the range or -40°C. 				
	10. Could be Upgradable for the use of cryogenic cooling with liquid N2 down to the range of -80°C.				
4. Inlet (Injector)	Split/Split less				
	2. Must be suitable for all capillary columns of 50um to 530um internal diameter.				
	3. Must be able to select carrier and makeup gas types: Helium, Hydrogen, Nitrogen.				
	4. Split ratio range: 0 to 7500 must be available to avoid column overload.				
	5. Maximum operating temperature up to 400°C.				
	6. Efficient gas saver mode built-in to reduce gas consumption during standby without affecting performance.				
	7. Must have electronic septum purge flow control to eliminate carry-over.				
5. Autosampler	A robotic, fast, high precision and unattended automated sampler capable for liquid injection				
	a) Allowing approximately 1.8 mL, liquid sample vials				
	b) Sample vial Capacity – Min 100 vial positions for 1.8 mL				
	c) Syringe size: $0.1 \ \mu L - 10 \ \mu L$				
6.Ion source/ Mass Analyzer	 The quadrupoles should be cleanable. The mass spectrometer must have Electron Ionization (EI) modes supplied as standard. The system should have provision to be upgraded to house Positive Chemical Ionization (PCI) and Negative Chemical Ionization (NCI) modes and be able to switch between EI / CI mode without changing ion source when both ionizations are required. It should have a mass range of 1.5 to 1090 amu with unit mass resolution over the entire mass range. 				
	3. It should be able to perform calibration manually as well as auto-tune at m/z below 500, molecular weight below 500 Da to obtain accurate mass spectrum for high molecular weight compounds such as halogenated and derivatized compounds.				
	4. The scanning speed capability should be 20,000 amu/sec (single scan). Higher scan rates are preferred				
	5. It should have a fast scan cycles in order to obtain highly precise data for fast GCMS				
	6. The mass spectrometer should have a stability of $+0.1u / 48$ hours.				
	 The ion source and transfer line must be independently heated over a user-selectable temperature range: Ion Source: 150 to 350°C Transfer Line: 100 to 350°C 				
	8. The mass spectrometer must have a dynamic range of $5 \ge 10^6$.				
	9. It should have high performance synchronous SIM/Scan with automated SIM set up that can convert a full scan method to a SIM or SIM/Scan method. The software must automatically configure the number of SIM group, SIM cycles across the peak and the ions added to each group.				
	10. It should have a SIM capability of up to 60 groups of masses with 120 masses per group may be time programmed.				

	11. The mass spectrometer should employ a mechanism to minimize random noise				
	enhancing the Signal-to-Noise.				
	12. EI scan sensitivity: Signal-to-noise (S/N) > 2000 at m/z 272 amu for 1 pg octafluoronapthalene (OFN) in EI scan				
	13. Mass resolution – Unit mass resolution				
	14. Evacuation speeds and increases allowable column flow rates.				
	15. The mass spectrometer should have capability to install two narrow-bore/ wide- bore capillary columns into the MS simultaneously in order to eliminate the need to swap columns.				
	FID				
	 FID detector with auto ignition facility Elama out datastion facility/outomatic relignition 				
	Overheat protection system				
	 Minimum detection limit expressed as minimum mass of carbon passing through the flame per second: <1.4 pg C/s 				
	• Dynamic range $\geq 10^7$				
	• Maximum temperature: 400 ° C in steps of 0.1 ° C				
	 Vacuum system should be operated on air cooled turbo-molecular pumps with back 				
7. Vacuum System	up mechanically by rotary pump				
	 Should be able to accommodate GC carrier gas flow upto 6 mL/min Uich account (2000 L/m) 				
	 High capacity (> 250 L/s) Noise reduction cover should be included 				
	• Vacuum level indicator should be included in the scope.				
8. Data management	a. The workstation of GC-MS should integrate the control of the entire system, the				
and Instrument	auto-sampler, the operating parameters of the GC and MS from a single interface.				
Software system	supplies, instrument temperatures, electrical systems, vacuum system etc.				
(System Control)	c. The raw data and peak lists can be exported in standard formats to possibly access software packages from third parties.				
	d. Calibration modes must include external calibration and method of standard				
	additions. Correction options must include background subtraction, blank				
	subtraction and internal standard correction.				
	retention times for the analysis of established compounds in complex matrices				
	assuring reproducibility of same retention time such that no method development is				
	f. It should have a mechanism to scan given fragment ion/ ions in the TIC				
	chromatogram even in ppt level (Facility should be available in the software after running a sample); Displaying mass chromatograms from fragment table in the TIC				
	chromatogram.				
	g. Standard, latest MS spectral libraries: NIS1, wiley (or compatible) and pesticides which contains spectra with structural information, should be provided as reference				
	libraries				
	h. The software must have the ability to automatically search significant compounds against NIST, etc. and many other public and private databases.				
9. Accessories and other items	The System shall be supplied with a general consumable kit including standard solutions for system tuning;				
	It should include essential accessories kit containing:				
	 GC capillary columns with ferrules and column nuts- column 30m x 0.25mm x 0.25μm - 02 nos & 5-MS capillary column 30m x 0.25mm 				
	 Compatible ferrules and column nuts for column WAX capillary column 30m x 				
	0.25mm x 0.25µm & 5-MS capillary column 30m x 0.25µm				
	3. Compatible Glass Liners with compatible o-rings (Split -05 and spliless -05)				
	4. Oil for pump 5 litres				
	5. GC septa -2 packets (50 Nos)				
	6. GC vent trap -5 nos				

	7. gold seals for the injection port -2 nos						
	8. filaments for ion source – 2nos						
	9. 10 syringe (10 μ L) for liquid injection for robotic sampler						
	10. Autosampler vials – 300 Nos						
	11. Quadrupole cleaning accessories/ consumables						
	12. Tool kits						
10. Data Systems	Branded Intel at least Core i7 Processor with a minimum of 3.2 GHz Processor speed, 8 GB RAM, 1TB HDD, CD/DVD RW with a separate graphics card that can support multiple displays with preloaded latest possible version of Windows OS. Monitor with 23.5" for Instrument operation and Data Acquisition.						
11. System Installation and Commissioning	 a. The installation protocol must include at least full installation, qualification/performance verification and on-site familiarization. b. During commissioning the supplier should demonstrate the system performance by analyzing the performance check samples and a summary report should be submitted to laboratory with relevant data immediately after commissioning the system and should be submitted as part of the Certificate of Acceptance (CoA) c. Chemicals, reagents and other accessories (including standards, certified reference materials and columns) required for commissioning of the system should be provided by the supplier. 						
12. Performance	Performance specifications (should be tested and demonstrated on-site during						
specifications	installation) Selectivity, Sensitivity, Repeatability and Reproducibility should be proven with data generated by the system installed at the time of commissioning of the equipment. Prove Instrument Detection Limits (IDL)						
	The report for the performance specification should be provided as part of the Certificate of Acceptance.						
	Chemicals and reagents (including standards, kits and certified reference materials) required to prove performance specifications of the system should be provided by the supplier						
Supplier 13 Operation and The supplier should provide							
application Training, Service Support implementation	1. Training for at least 5 people in the beneficiary sites (10 people in total) on the operation and application of the equipment to be supplied.						
	2. Complete technical support for equipment for at least a period of 12 months. This shall include the following at no extra cost:						
	• Vendor to provide service guarantee: should the system require service during the warranty period, vendor must guarantee or replacement of instrument for free.						
	 Vendor to have logistic support to ensure that over at least 95% of the service parts are readily available and upkeep delivery within 24 hours. 						
	 The warranty shall commence only upon successful completion of the Acceptance Test or commissioning. Support will be available on working days 						
	 Operator/ software training should be provided at the beneficiaries' premises immediately after commissioning the GC-MS system. Trained application and operation specialist/consultants must be available for customized on-site training. 						
14. Warranty	• System should have 2 years comprehensive manufacturer warranty with maintenance package to be included.						
	• The supplier must specify the equipment parts covered under the warranty and consumables which are not covered under the warranty with reasons.						
	• If in case, the instrument is in out of order during the warranty period, the supplier should provide an extended warranty considering this time period.						
15. Transportation	Transportation: within 2 months upon receipt of purchase order Shipping at DAP						
including	Colombo, Sri Lanka (Incoterms 2010) including unloading as well as insurance during						
insurance	transportation as per Purchase Order template requirement and ToR. Note: full delivery address of the end-user/delivery point will be provided upon Contract						

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Optional	Autosampler with headspace. SPME and liquid injection canability					
requirements	1. The headspace autosampler shall be able to puncture and inject 1 vial at the time					
	2. The model shall have a minimum of 10 vial capacity for both 10 ml and 20 ml head					
(Ouote	space vials					
separately)	3. Vial Incubator oven with adjustable temperature and agitation speed					
• • • •	4. Incubator temperature should be from 40 to 200 °C in 1 °C steps with agitation and					
	should have capacity for 6 vials					
	5. Agitation with interval shaking up to speed of 2000 rpm should be available. Speed					
	selectable in 1rpm increments.					
	6. Syringe heating setting should be either OFF or from 40 °C to 150 °C in 1 °C steps					
	7. Incubation time range 0.1 to 600.0 min in 0.1 min increments should be available					
	8. Injection speed should be selectable 1 to 100 mL/min, in 1 mL/min increments					
	9. Syringe size should be compatible with 1ml-5.0ml					
	10.Injection speed should be selectable 1 to 100 mL/min, in 1 mL/min increments					
	11. Syringe cleaning should be done with inert gas purging of heated syringe.					
	12. The autosampler should have liquid sample injection capability					
	13. Liquid injection unit shall have a minimum of 50 vial capacity for both 2 ml vials					
	14. Should be compatible with 10μ I volume liquid injection syringes					
	15. Liquid injection speed should be selectable from 0.1 μ L/sec up to 2000 μ L/sec					
	16. Wash Station for 2 different solvents for syringe cleaning should be available					
	17. Autosampler should have the capability for liquid sample injection as well as head					
	space injection					
	headspace (HS) injection					
	19 Autosampler system with XVZ robotic mode with syringe only injection for both					
	headspace and liquid injection should be available					
	20 Should include Vortexer compatible with sample vials with volume ranging from 2ml					
	to 20ml. Should have agitation speed up to 2000 rpm or better					
	21. Should be compatible with SSL, multimode, on column, and packed injectors					
	22.Control software					
	• Shall provide an integrated control of GC and the autodsampler system. The autosampler					
	system should be fully controlled through the software without using any external					
	controllers.					
	• Headspace and liquid injection parameter shall be controlled via method dialog					
	• System actuals shall be displayed inconjunction with GC status					
	•Shall have an event log for capturing data					
	• Enhanced control of instrument sheduling parameters					
	Multimode Injector					
	• Hot/Cold					
	• split/splitless modes (compatible with merlin microseal septa)					
	 Large volumes at least upto 250 μL Temperature Pange (Cruegenie) : at least (150 ° C) with Liquid nitrogen 					
	• Temperature Range (Cryogenic): at least (-150 °C) with Equilibrium introgen • Temperature Range: ambient ± 5 to 450 °C					
	 Ability to program Temperature upto 3 ramps at rate of at least 700 ° C/min 					
	The system should have a mechanism to prevent substances and highly retained substances					
	from dirty sample matrices to foul the column and the system					
	SPME Tool compatible for autosampler with headspace, SPME and liquid injection					
	capability					
	 Suitable SPME tool with SPME syringe should be quoted 					
	Add additional GCMS library					
	 Mass Spectra of Flavors and Fragrances of Natural and Synthetic Compounds with 					
	Retention Index (FFNSC 3) latest Wiley library should be quoted.					
	• The feasibility should be clearly stated in the quotation for the existing library FFNSC					
	3 at ITI (Support system requirement:					
	Microsoft Windows 7, 8, 8. 1., 2 GB RAM, 20GB free drive space					
	Database Compilation 2015, John Wiley & Sons, Inc.					
	 Library should come with open-source architecture 					

	Software							
	• The software written in an open architecture (with source code) format to allow user							
	customization of menu lists and the ability to use user-defined macros and scripts t							
	customize the software of	operation is preferred.						
	• Customer base for the quoted item or earlier versions of the similar instrument in Sri							
	Lanka including user list							
	• Export facility should be available to transfer GC-MS results to DAT file or other type							
	in addition to PDF							
Service agreement (quote separately)	An annual service agreement for 5 years after the warranty period. Please fill the details for the yearly breakdown of service charges, terms and conditions in the following format.							
	Year from the date of Purchase	Terms and Conditions	Service Charges					
	3 rd Year	Specify (Labour charges only)						
	4 th Year	If different from the previous year,						
	5 th Year	specify						
	6 th Year							
	7 th Year							