

Request for Information Small Caliber Ammunition

Introduction

The Danish Defense Acquisition and Logistics Organization (DALO) plans to tender Small Caliber Ammunition in a near future. DALO plans to tender a frame agreement with a duration of 7 years (4+3). The value of the frame agreement is estimated to constitute between 347.000.000 DKK and 1.041.000.000 DKK for the 7 years in total.

Background

The purpose of this request is to understand the availability and performance of Small Caliber Ammunition and how the performance is aligned with the requirements from the end-users at the Danish Defence.

Ammunition types, weapons and use case scenarios

TYPE OF AMMUNITION	TYPE OF WEAPON	AMMUNITION TYPE	USAGE SCENARIOS
5.56x45mm	Colt Canada C7 Colt Canada C8, C8 IUR A2/A4, C8 CQB. FN Herstal Minimi	BALL (M2A1)	Ammunition will be used in semi- and full automatic weapons with calibre 5,56 x 45mm, with barrel length between 10" and 20" and with a barrel twist 1:7. The weapons can be with or without supressor.
		TRACER (M2A1)	
		BALL linked (M2A1)	
		BALL+TRACER (4+1) linked (M2A1)	Ammunition will be used in magazines or links to the specified weapon types.
		BLANK (M2A1)	
		BLANK linked (M2A1)	

TYPE OF AMMUNITION	TYPE OF WEAPON	AMMUNITION TYPE	USAGE SCENARIOS
7.62x51mm	US Ordnance M60E6	BALL linked (M2A1 and M19A1)	Ammunition will be used in semi- and full automatic weapons with caliber 7.62MM x 51, with barrel length between 14" and 24" with a barrel twist 1:12. The weapons can be with or without supressor. Ammunition will be used in links to the
	FN Herstal Minimi	BALL+TRACER (4+1) linked (M2A1 and M19A1)	
	FN Herstal MAG 58M FN Herstal MAG 58 Coax	BLANK linked (M2A1)	

TYPE OF AMMUNITION	TYPE OF WEAPON	AMMUNITION TYPE	USAGE SCENARIOS
9x19mm	SIG P210 Glock 17 Glock 26 HK USP HK MP5A5 & HK MP5SD SIG M/320	BALL (M2A1)	Ammunition will be used in semi- and full automatic weapons with caliber 9 x 19 mm, with barrel length between 3" and 12" with a barrel twist 1:16. The weapons can be with or without supressor.

TYPE OF AMMUNITION	TYPE OF WEAPON	AMMUNITION TYPE	USAGE SCENARIOS
12.7x99mm	.50 cal M2 HB QCB .50 CAL M3M MK3	BALL linked (M2A1)	Ammunition will be used in semi- and full automatic weapons with caliber 12.7x99mm with a barrel twist 1:15 and 45" barrel.
		BALL+TRACER (4+1), linked (M2A1)	
		REDUCED RANGE BALL, linked (M2A1)	
		REDUCED RANGE BALL + TRACER (4+1), linked (M2A1)	
		REDUCED RANGE BALL + TRACER (2+1), linked (M2A1)	
		BLANK, linked (M2A1)	

Process

DALO will ask potential suppliers of Small Caliber Ammunition to review and reply to the questions included in the RFI Response Sheets. The Response Sheets contains of 5 sheets : Company Information, RFI-Delivery Times and Prices, RFI-Technical 5.56mm, RFI Technical 7.62mm, RFI Technical 9mm, RFI Technical 12.7mm. Pls. fill out the areas in grey.

DALO would like to emphasize, that it will not influence your participation in a possible future tender to DALO, should you decline to participate or only partly fill out the response sheets.

We ask you to respond in writing.

DALO reserves the right to contact specific respondees in regard to further explanation of the answers given, and/or obtaining more information on the basis of the answers.

If there is anything that is unclear, please contact DALO through the ETHICS Tender System. When you have filled out the answering sheets, please upload the filled out excel to the ETHICS Tender System.

Pls. add relevant technical datasheet's and upload these as well.

We ask that you upload your response no later than Friday 1. of October 2021 at 13:00, Central European Time.

Best Regards

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