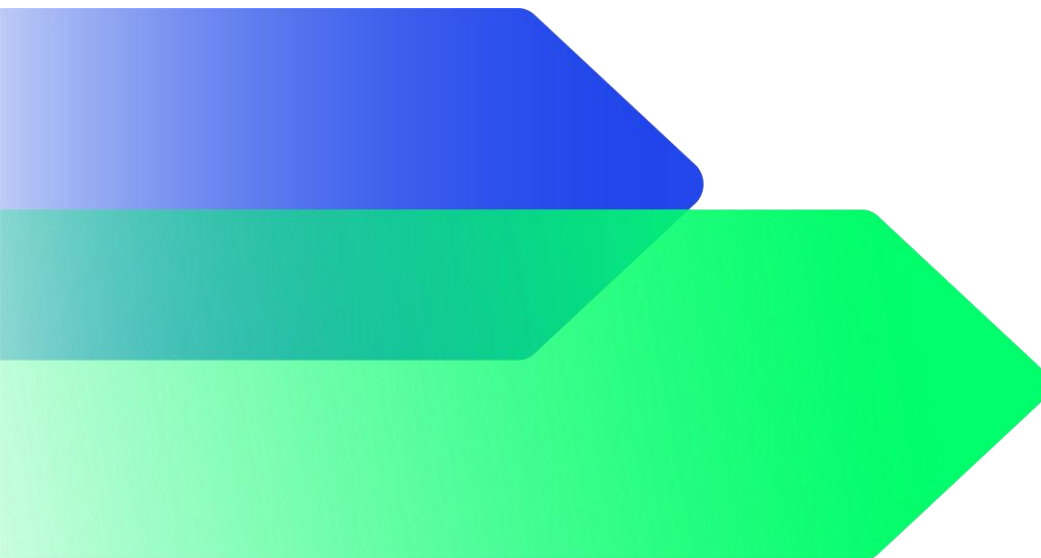


FLOATING WIND JOINT INDUSTRY PROGRAMME S3P1

Clarification Question Responses

Maximum Operating Sea-State Evaluation (MOSE)

January 2023



#	Type	Question	Response
1	Generic	Section 6 – Tender Evaluation Criteria The tender evaluation criteria includes 20% weighting for Price. This comprises 10% for the ‘fixed price for the project’ (assumed to be the Approved Maximum Cost as defined elsewhere in the ITT, i.e. the time & materials cap), and 10% for ‘day rates and man-hours for all staff grades’. Please can you clarify how this second criteria will be evaluated and compared between tenderers? For example, it may be possible to achieve the same approved maximum cost with low rates and high hours, or with high rates and low hours, depending on the make up of the project team. Similarly, an average of the day rates for project team members may not adequately reflect the distribution of effort amongst the team.	The fixed price for the project is the approved maximum cost. Bidders are required to complete table 1 within the ITT document and include this to demonstrate their proposed costs. By detailing an hour breakdown for the planned different graded individuals who would work on the project this provides an overall blended rate for each respective work pack which can then be used and compared with other submissions. Bidders are required to detail accurately the intended spread of resources with respect to their number of hours and respective day rate.
2	Project specific	WP3: Load impact and cost savings analysis In WP3 it is stated that “FLWJIP partners are to select one floater concept that will use the 15MW reference designs turbine.” Please clarify if this means that Contractor will be instructed to consider a particular floater concept by the FLWJIP partners, and if so will Contractor be provided with a numerical model and/or sufficient data to enable Contractor to produce a model of the floater?	The contractor will be provided with a copy of the FLWJIP reference designs 15MW turbine and within these they contain models of four different floater designs. The reference floater designs are provided as numerical model input files for OpenFAST and Orcaflex.

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