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Wednesday 9th July | 10:00 - 14:00

HETA Training Centre, Grimsby, DN41 8FJ





Agenda

- 10:00: Welcome, Introduction to GLEAM and the Bridge, Matthew Thornton, The Bridge/GLEAM
- 10:15: Welcome and Introduction to HETA, Iain Elliott, HETA
- 10:45: Building Capability, Empowering People: How IOM3's Defence, Safety and Security Group Supports Professional Growth in Defence & Security Manufacturing, Debra Carr, IOM3 Defence, Safety and Security Group
- 11:15: Coffee and Networking
- 11:45: David versus Goliath: A route map how a micro-SME managed and still manages to enter the defence sector home and overseas, Eran Bauer, Civil Defence Supplies Ltd
- 12:15: Accelerating change the growing use of high performance composites within advanced manufacturing, Dominic Hopwood, SHD Composite Materials
- 12:45: Lunch and Networking
- 13:30: Funding Opportunities with the Defence & Security Accelerator, Jas Shanker, DASA
- 14:00: Mosquito in the Room. Tony Norton, Nortrak Ltd
- 14:30: The Greater Lincolnshire Regional Defence and Security Cluster, Amy O'Sullivan, GLRDSC
- 14:45: Close and Optional Tour of HETA



Creating a Manufacturing Community F GLEAM NETWORK

- The Greater Lincolnshire Engineering And Manufacturing (GLEAM) Network is an initiative founded by the University of Lincoln, Greater Lincolnshire Local Enterprise Partnership (GLLEP), and Business Lincolnshire and managed by the Bridge.
- GLEAM provides a knowledge-intensive business corridor locally at the heart of the manufacturing business in Greater
 Lincolnshire and is open to all manufacturing businesses in Greater Lincolnshire. Members are able to join free of charge and gain access to a range of benefits, including Affiliate Partner Membership with Make UK.

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Welcome and Introduction to HETA

Iain Elliott, HETA





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Welcome to HETA



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- Nearly 60 Years experience
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- By employers for employers
- Charitable status / Not For Profit
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- Introduction to
 - Fabrication & Welding
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•Overall EPA Achievement Rate - 94% 100% First time pass rate for Maintenance Summer 2024

• HNC Level 4 Achievement Rate - 95%

- HND Level 5 Achievement Rate 96%
- Higher Education Entry 33% of the above 100% to date
- •BEng top up Degree 100% of learners received either 1st Class or 2:1 degree
- OfSted Inspection Graded our provision as Good
- •Rated Excellent by Employers on .Gov Website
- 20% Above National Average For Overall Achievement

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Thank You Enjoy The Day!

f in HETA **(a) (b) (c) (c** Building Capability, Empowering People: How IOM3's Defence, Safety and Security Group Supports Professional Growth in Defence & Security Manufacturing

Debra Carr, IOM3 Defence, Safety and Security Group





Building capability, empowering people

Dr Debra Carr CF CEng FIMMM FCSFS djcarr@dstl.gov.uk

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Defence materials 2050

- Defence is a high priority for all nations
- What will be possible and needed?
- accelerating 'laboratory to product'
- how to address vulnerabilities in international supply chains
- proposed series of meetings (on-line and in person):
 - initial scoping meeting in November 2025
 - followed by meetings mid-March 2026, early July 2026, mid-November 2026, early-March 2027, early July 2027 and mid-November 2027
- relevant to academia and SMEs from traditional and non-traditional sectors



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Coffee and Networking

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David versus Goliath: A route map how a micro-SME managed and still manages to enter the defence sector home and overseas

Eran Bauer, Civil Defence Supplies Ltd





Eran N BAUER MEPS FICPEM FISRM MIPS Director



DAVID versus GOLIATH

Being small and agile can win



Always had a real interest in things military since childhood

Grammar School CCF









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Parachute Regiment Pathfinder Unit





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Parachute Training – RAF Abingdon – 1975 Paras, SAS and Royal Marines
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By Matthew Hickley Defence Correspondent

WITHOUT the skill and courage of British soldiers, it could easily have turned into a bloodbath.

As hundreds of demobbed

Flashpoint: Crouched behind their riot shields, the British soldiers take up position as the protesters surge nearby. But they did not fire, even when pelted with stones Ulster-style crowd control by British troops defuses deadly Basra demo

are widely despised by locals as lazy and corrupt, and yesterday's incident shows how far efforts to retrain them still have to go.

Mr Soames said: 'It is worrying that the Iraqi police have such a long way to go in such a short time, but there is nobody better placed to train and support them





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Cleaning Equipment Supplies & Associated Products 2024

NHS Supply Chain Published date: 25 June 2024 Last edited date: 29 July 2024

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Closed opportunity - This means that the contract is currently closed. The buying department may be considering suppliers that have already applied, or no suitable offers were made.

Closing: 5 August 2024, 3pm

Contract summary

Industry

Cleaning products - 39830000

Location of contract

Any region

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Value of contract

£40,000,000 to £103,000,000

£ 103m over 5 years

NHS Supply Chain

Don Valley House

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South Yorkshire

Sheffield

S4 7UQ

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21st November 2024

By email only: sent via Jaggaer eProcurement Portal

Dear Eran Bauer,

Re: Proposed framework agreement for the supply of Cleaning Equipment Supplies & Associated Products 2024 Offer Reference Number: ITT_1266 Period of framework agreement: 24 months with the option to extend for a further period of 24 months resulting in a maximum of 48 months. Find a Tender Service reference: 2024/S 000-019417

Lot(s): Lot 8 – Domestic & Dosed Chemicals Lot 9 – Higher Level Disinfectants Lot 10 – Cleaning Software

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Notification of intention to award

We have been instructed, acting on behalf of Supply Chain Coordination Ltd, to inform you that your tender for the above goods has been evaluated and, subject to the conditions set out below, your company has been selected for participation in the framework agreement to supply Cleaning Equipment Supplies & Associated Products 2024 detailed as being successfully awarded in Appendix 3, in such quantities, to such extent and at such times and locations as ordered.

Your tender was successful in respect of some of the products within the range of evaluated lines as identified in the Invitation to Tender for the Lots stated above. Details of which products are included in this proposed award are set out in Appendix 3, and **which are not**, are set out in Appendix 2. Appendix 3 also states each individual product price for the successful products.

This acceptance is subject to:

 completion of the mandatory standstill period and NHS Supply Chain being able to continue with the award process;

Operated by North of England Commercial Procurement Collaborative whose registered office is at Leeds and York Partnership NHS Foundation Trust Trust Headquarters, St Mary's House, Main House, St Mary's Road, Potternewton, Leeds, LS7 3JX





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NHS Supplier Number

15134700



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Health & Hygiene Division







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Our NHS Tender document list

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The MSAT is a modern slavery risk identification and management tool. This tool has been designed to help public sector organisations work in partnership with suppliers to improve protections and reduce the risk of exploitation of workers in their supply chains. It also aims to help public sector organisations understand where there may be risks of modern slavery in the supply chains of goods and services they have procured. On the back on PPN 02/23 all NHS Supply Chain suppliers must have a complete MSAT and update them annually.

https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/ppn-0223-tackling-modern-slavery-ingovernment-supply-chains

https://www.supplychain.nhs.uk/sustainability/net-zero-supply-chain-and-suppliers/

Sharing instructions:

Your Modern Slavery Assessment must be updated annually and this needs to be shared with NHS Supply Chain Coordination (Duns N0000456000).

- 1. Log into the portal : https://supplierregistration.cabinetoffice.gov.uk/login
- 2. In your dashboard find your Modern Slavery Assessment
- 3. Select "Share" and search for "NHS Supply Chain Coordination"

If your assessment is out of date before sharing you will need to select "view" and "Update Your Modern Slavery Assessment".

We can only accept a <u>completed</u> assessment if it shows you as <u>improving</u> this means there are improvements you will need to acknowledge to get the assessment to a <u>completed</u> stage.

If you still have problems, you will need to reach out to the support team for the portal:



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Evergreen sustainable supplier assessment

The Evergreen Sustainable Supplier Assessment is an online tool which enables suppliers to engage with the NHS on their sustainability journey and understand how to align with the NHS net zero and sustainability ambitions, including those set out in the NHS net zero supplier roadmap.

Introduction to Evergreen

The Evergreen Sustainable Supplier Assessment is a self-assessment and reporting tool for suppliers to share sustainability information with the NHS, providing a single route for information and data sharing between suppliers and the NHS.

After completing the assessment, suppliers will receive a sustainability maturity score against NHS priorities, which signposts their current position and pathway to progress. The assessment has not been designed to be included as a scored or evaluated requirement in procurement. There are two exceptions which require completion of the Evergreen Assessment noted below:

Exception	Requirement	Rationale
NHS Supply	Suppliers on existing NHS Supply	Historically, NHS Supply Chain has required suppliers
Chain	Chain Frameworks: Submission of	to complete the Carbon Waste and Water Reduction
Frameworks	the Evergreen Assessment is required by 1 February 2024.	Assessment (CWW) on the NQC platform. CWW is replaced by the Evergreen Assessment to ensure
		alignment across the NHS and remove duplication for


Being agile and clever can beat the system

There are a few really good Contract & Tender Finding portals



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Our BitStats profile 2025





Losing bids can be devastating...



Why not look elsewhere

Why not look elsewhere It's a Big World out there



Failure is not an option

There are 145 open-bid portals globally

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There are 145 open-bid portals globally



Irrespective of Trump Tariffs the USA holds massive potential

My wife Linda and our Chief Trainer Kevin Ellis in Washington DC after the Capitol Siege, called to offer advice on riot control to US Capitol Police



Dear USCIS

EB-2 VISA APPLICATION Eran Nicodemus BAUER

I am Ryan Schauf and I am a Sergeant with the United States Capitol Police Special Operations Division. I serve as a Member of the National Institute of Justice (NIJ) Special Technical Committee on Civil Disturbance Unit PPE, the Vice Chair of the Metropolitan Washington Council of Governments (MWCOG) Civil Disturbance Unit Subcommittee and a member of the American Society for Testing and Measurements E-54 Committee on Homeland Security Applications.

I am writing supporting the US Visa Petition of Mr Eran N Bauer and his wife Linda Bauer as spouse supporting his EB-2 petition, especially with references to his Extraordinary Abilities and his National Interest Waiver qualifications.

I understand that Mr Eran Bauer already holds a valid 0-1 US Visa as a Person of Extraordinary Abilities and know that Eran and his wife supports new standards and product work relating to protecting our law enforcement and military personnel, which he is currently and active and effective member of work programs ongoing within the Department of Homeland Security under ASTM E-54 programs alongside the U.S. Department of Justice's National Institute of Justice (NIJ).

I can confirm that Mr Eran Bauer is a Subject Matter Expert in the area of Civil Disturbance and Public Order. Mr Bauer has worked in developing standards for Public Order equipment and training in the United Kingdom and throughout the world. Mr. Bauer has assisted the NIJ, MWCOG and ASTM E54 committees with his expert knowledge. Mr Bauer is seeking to relocate to the United States to assist in this endeavour with his extraordinary knowledge and skills from over 40 years of experience in Public Order.

At no time have we found a current U. S. Citizen his knowledge skills and abilities in this field. With Mr Bauer's assistance US Civil Disturbance and Public Order programs will be able to update equipment and tactics that have remained unchanged for over 20 years.

His participation as a US citizen would be of immense benefit to US law and order, Human Rights observance and especially public safety therefore fully warrants categorization as a National Interest Waiver applicant of exceptional ability.

Ryan Schauf

Tel: 240 427 7854 Email <u>rsschauf@gmail.com</u>





US Freedom of Information gives Points of Contact and substantial data on Buyers names and emails, and Winner's data

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Find SAM Registrations, Federal Solicitations, Opportunities and Contracts

Use the search filters on the left to begin your search. Just looking for SAM vendor details? Try the basic SAM Lookup.

Finding and Managing Federal Contracting Opportunities Is a Challenge

There are many government websites to learn when researching contracting opportunities and most are archaic and difficult to navigate. USFCR solves this issue with the Advanced Procurement Portal (APP).

APP is a web-based contract management platform that simplifies researching and bidding on government contracting opportunities. APP has many features including:

- Live feed of opportunities based on your NAICS codes and location
- Registered vendor organization and tracking
- Government contracting personnel listing
- Awarded contract data for prospecting and competition analysis
- Saved searches and email alerts
- Combines EPDS FedBizOpps FRO.gov SAM.gov and Contract Opportunitie





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Important Dates

Date Signed: 01/16/2025 Effective Date: 01/16/2025 Completion Date: 12/23/2025 Est. Completion Date: 12/23/2025

Transaction Details

2 Contract Offers

Dollars Obligated: **\$46,800.00** Base & Exercised Options: **\$46,800.00** Base & All Options: **\$46,800.00**

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New PURCHASE ORDER 19TT1025P0135 awarded to MISCELLANEOUS FOREIGN AWARDEES for the amount of

\$46,800

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Contract Type: AWARD Reference IDV: Not Provided Award ID: 19TT1025P0135 Solicitation ID: Not Provided NAICS Code: 561612 - Security Guards And Patrol Services

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Collection Tags

Automation

Maritime

Command & Control

O Detection and Countermeasures

O Gps-denied

Marine Systems O Combat vehicles

Positioning-Navigation-Timing (PNT)

SUBMIT A SCOUT CARD TO: Engage with Capability Special Projects

Engagement Objective:

14 Apr 2025 : 01:00 BST

31 DEC 2025 : 23:59 GMT

Autonomy

Market Research

Description

Organization Overview



All Items 🐨

UK Strategic Command (UK StratCom), is a component of the U.K. Ministry of Defence (MOD), which provides the structure and organisation of the UK's Armed Forces. Cohering response to threats across all five domains - Sea, Land, Air, Cyber and Space. UK STRATCOM is also the Capability Sponsor and Integrated User for Joint, and enabling, strategic military capabilities, including UK Special Forces.

Call Overview

Capability Special Projects under UK STRATCOM is vanguarding Vulcan for UK adoption. Concurrently UK Industry has been encouraged to join the ecosystem. This call provides an opportunity for UK Industry to add scout cards, aligned with current priorities, upon joining the ecosystem.

This will allow UK Industry's to be visible, alongside existing Vulcan scoutcards, to UK Gov users as Vulcan is adopted.

Capability Special Projects Priority Areas

SPECIAL OF STATIONS CONTRACTOR

- Command, Control, Communications, Computers, Intelligence and Surveillance (C4IS)
- * Any Platform, Any Domain; Autonomy and Counter Autonomy
- * Operating in an EM Denied or Contested Environment including Alt-PNT
- * Maritime (delivery of effects by, with and through)
- Operations in Denied Environments across all Domains
- Signature Management
- Data Superiority through Exploitation and Digitisation

Submission Instructions

Please submit your scout cards by inputting UNCLASSIFIED information and answers. Each submission will be



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UK Defence and Security Exports is part of the Department for Business & Trade. We have around 100 staff in London and another 27 members in our Export Support Team. We also have a small number of diplomatic posts overseas and have access to other overseas DIT/FCO staff.

SME Engagement Team

Set up specifically to provide advice and support to UK SMEs in the defence, security and cyber security sector, the SME Engagement Team manages the UKDSE Export Faculty, organises smaller UK shows (such as DVD, DPRTE) and promotes a host of initiatives aimed at helping SMEs to internationalise. Contact the SME Team here.

Export Support Team (EST)

For queries about services provided by our specialised export support team of serving military based at Larkhill click here or visit our dedicated EST page here.

Regional Teams

UK Defence and Security Exports has two regional teams staffed by experts in their particular geographical areas and are the first point of contact for overseas customers and UK companies. These are:

- Region one which covers the Americas, Pacific and East Asia (contact RD1 here)
- Region two which covers Europe, Middle East, Africa and Central and South Asia (Contact RD2 here)

The teams provide focused government advice and they lead on all matters relating to the export of defence, security and cyber security and support specific industry-led overseas marketing campaigns.

The teams are supported by cadres of defence and security specialists who provide first hand advice on defence and security capabilities.

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Accelerating change – the growing use of high performance composites within advanced manufacturing

Dominic Hopwood, SHD Composite Materials





SHD Composite Materials Group

Accelerating change – the growing use of high performance composites within advanced manufacturing



...we are part of the team

Introduction to SHD

Company

- Founded 2010, privately owned, supported by long term investors 0
- Supplying over 400 customers in over 40 countries worldwide 0
- Revenue approx. £50m p.a. 0

Global Footprint

- 4 global sites 0
 - UK (Sleaford, Lincs) Production, HQ, R&D ٠
 - **Europe** (Krsko, Slovenia) Production ۲
 - **USA** (Mooresville, NC) Production ۲
 - USA (Tulsa, OK) Production ٠
- Central UK-based Technical Centre 0
- Different sites but same production equipment, processes and products 0
- Field sales and distribution networks across the globe 0

Quality Assurance

All sites accredited to ISO9001:2015 and EN9100:2018 technically Ο equivalent to AS9100 Rev D Aerospace Accreditation

Corporate Goal

Leaders in Composite Materials through Service, Quality and Innovation 0



UK Manufacturing, Warehouse and High-Volume Site





EU Manufacturing



Group Technical Centre



US Manufacturing – Mooresville and Tulsa

BUREAU VERITAS
Company Timeline





Manufacturing Capabilities

Manufacturing/Service

- o Hot melt prepreg fabric and uni-directional lines
 - Designed and built in-house
- Flexibility for 10m² to x 100,000m² batch quantities, maintaining excess capacity
 - Support trial volumes to full production (customers, R&D)
- Core strategy to maintain manufacturing lead times at max 2-3 weeks
- o Highly experienced and reactive teams

Products & Technology

- o Comprehensive resin matrix range, in-house formulation
 - Development of specialist products through collaboration
 - Epoxy, cyanate ester, benzoxazine, BMI, vinyl hybrid
 - Market leading bio-resin product range
 - Specialist systems, out of autoclave, flame retardant, ultra high Tg
- Large range of fibre/reinforcement
 - Carbon, glass, aramid, natural fibres, reclaimed fibres
 - Strong supplier support
- o Extensive in-house technical capabilities
- o Corporate focus on sustainability





Technical Support and R&D



Group Technical Centre

• > £500,000 spent since 2020 to upgrade test facilities with purpose-built Technical Centre

Material characterisation

- **Mechanical testing**: 30kN / 50KN / 250KN frames, with climatic chamber for elevated and subambient temperatures
- **Thermal analysis**: DSC (Differential Scanning Calorimetry) (x3), DMA (Dynamic Mechanical Analysis), TMA (Thermo-Mechanical Analysis)
- o Rheology: Rheometer (x2)
- Accelerated weathering: UV / humidity
- Infrared: FTIR / ATR
 - \rightarrow Able to offer support for programme qualifications full test packages

Technical Support

- Highly experienced technical team for reactive customer support
- Autoclave, oven and press curing equipment (support, demonstration parts, prototyping)
- Fast turnaround of development trials for both internal and external projects

Markets

Market Sectors

• Supplying a wide range of advanced composite prepreg materials into a variety of global market sectors







Markets: Motorsport

PS200 (bio-derived) Exceptional thermal and fire protection (high insulation, low combustibility) with service excursions possible over 400°C.

FRVC411 (FR epoxy)

Toughened FR system with excellent FST properties. Dry Tg of 150°C onset. UL94 V0 rated.



MTFA400/500 Film Adhesives

Medium cure adhesive films with service temperatures 110-150°C.

CEM100 (Cyanate Ester) Brake Ducts

Service temperature of 350°C from 250°C cure. Extended exposures to 400°C

MTC400 (epoxy) Engine, pressure pipes and structural components

Toughened system with max dry Tg of 225°C and wet Tg of > 160°C. Excellent chemical resistance

MTC811 (epoxy) Impact and structural components

Highly toughened with max Tg of 120°C. Excellent impact and fatigue performance.

MTC400-1 (epoxy) Structural and bodywork components

Toughened system with Tg of 145°C (135°C/1hr) and after p/c max Tg of 205°C and excellent retention of properties up to 150°C.

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Markets: Automotive

FRVC411/MTC510FRB Battery Box and Fire Containment

Versatile fire-retardant epoxy component systems with a low minimum temperature cure and increased toughness. Rated UL94 V0 rated in certain constructions

CEM100 (Cyanate Ester) Engine Bay/High – Temperature

Service temperature of 350°C from 250°C cure. Extended exposures to 400°C

MTB350 (bio-derived) Cosmetic and Trim

30% bio-derived epoxy component system with an exceptional outlife at 20°C of 6 months. Ideal for use with natural fibres.

MTC510 (epoxy) Body Panels and Cosmetic/Trim

Industry leading, high resin clarity and reduced susceptibility to discolouration for all visual applications. 130°C max dry Tg.

OPS/APS75 (epoxy) Body Panels

Rapid deposition and versatile cure 2-part body panel material. Max dry Tg 140°C and 170 °C. Reduced pre-paint preparation with excellent retained stability.



MTFA400/500 Film Adhesives Medium cure adhesive films with service temperatures 110-150°C.

MTC400/MTC400-1/ MTC811 (Epoxy) Structural High Temperature

Toughened systems. Excellent impact and fatigue performance. Widely used on structures and chassis.

PS200 (bio-derived)

Exceptional thermal and fire

combustibility) with service

protection (high insulation, low

excursions possible over 400°C.

Battery Box and Fire Containment



PS200 (bio-derived) Fire Containment

Exceptional thermal and fire protection (high insulation, low combustibility) with service excursions possible over 400°C.

MTB350 (bio-derived) Structures

30% bio-derived epoxy component system with an exceptional outlife at 20°C of 6 months. Ideal for use with natural fibres.

MTC400/MTC400-1/MTC412 (Epoxy) Structural High Temperature

Toughened systems. Excellent impact and fatigue performance, and good chemical resistance. Typically used for components around the engine and pressure pipes.

CEM100/CEM160 (Cyanate Ester) High Temperature/Space Service temperature of 350°C from 250°C cure. Extended exposures to 400°C.

VTC401/VTC410 Structures/Systems

Toughened epoxy systems with versatile curing and max (dry) Tg of 143°C and 190°C. Excellent for prototyping and series production, with good OOA processing capability.



Sustainable solution. Highly flame retardant with exceptional FST and HRR performance. Compliant with CS 25.853 and EN45545-1 to HL3. Cost effective, more environmentally friendly alternative to phenolic and FR epoxy systems.

MTC510FRB Fire Containment

General-purpose flameretardant system

MTC510 - Systems

General purpose epoxy system with a max dry Tg of 130°C. High quality, stable product widely used and proven for communications and antenna applications.

HTC400 - Structures

Toughened epoxy system with an exceptionally high max dry Tg of 263°C and dry service at ~ 200°C.

SHD composites advanced composite materials

FRVC411 – Interiors and Fire

Versatile fire-retardant epoxy

component systems with a low

minimum temperature cure and

rated in certain constructions.

increased toughness. Rated UL94 VO

Containment

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Markets: Sport & Leisure, Marine, Rail, and others

Top Systems



MTC510

Industry leading, high resin clarity and reduced susceptibility to discolouration for all visual applications.

MTC275

General purpose system also with excellent optical clarity that can be OOA processed (with care) if required.

MTC811

Highly toughened. Excellent for performance against impact and fatigue.

MTB350

30% bio-derived epoxy component system with an exceptional outlife at 20°C of 6 months. Ideal for use with natural fibres.



VTC401

Epoxy resin system designed to give an initial cure at low temperatures or snap cure at high temperatures with enhanced toughness, honeycomb bondability and higher service temperature, giving greater flexibility in component manufacture.

MTC400-1

Toughened epoxy system used elevated temperature structures as has excellent retention of properties up to 150°C. Supported by extensive database.



FR308

Highly flame retardant with exceptional FST and HRR performance. Compliant with CS 25.853 and EN45545-1 to HL3. Cost effective, more environmentally friendly alternative to phenolic and FR epoxy systems.

FRVC411

Versatile fire-retardant epoxy component systems with a low minimum temperature cure and increased toughness. Rated UL94 VO rated in certain constructions.

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Sustainability

Sustainability is not a compromise, but a factor to be considered in every part of our proposed solutions.





Sustainability – PFA

Development

SHD have developed their own Poly Furfuryl Alcohol (PFA) systems. Up to 98% bio-based and yielding technical benefits with:

- o class leading flammability
- high temperature performance
- o significantly improved LCA credentials over the incumbent petrochemical equivalent

Key Benefits

- Manufacturing using a by-product of cane sugar production
- Derived from waste stream no dedicated land / resource usage
- Secured supply chain no fossil fuel derivation. Huge source material availability.
- No hazard phases, formaldehyde-free, phenol-free
- No Hazardous Substances, "free FA" (furfuryl alcohol) reduced < 0.1%
- o Fully REACH compliant
- No VOC's, curing only produces water
- Exceptional thermal and fire protection with service excursions possible over 400°C
- o Highly flame retardant with exceptional FST and HRR performance
- o Compliant with CS 25.853 and EN45545-1 to HL3
- Cost effective, more environmentally friendly alternative to phenolic and FR epoxy systems





Bio-resin converted from food industry waste

NTRODUCING



Fully Bio-Derived Fire Retardant System





- Certified 99% bio-derived from renewable by-product
- Excellent Thermal properties very low combustibility
- Long term service temperature up to 250°C

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- 15-minute abuse temperature resistance up to 1500°C
- Mechanical performance equal to fully fossil fuel alternatives
- Natural flax, flax based hybrids and all standard reinforcements*
- Extensive supporting characterisation data
- Reduced carbon footprint solution**



PS200 - Properties and applications



Test start



15mins



Heat shielding: > cure.

Flame barrier:

• <u>ISO 2685</u>

• <u>AC 20-135</u>

- 250°C service temperature after post-Good alternative to cyanate esters
- 1100°C, 15min engine fire test* no burn-through.
 - "Environmental Test Procedures for Airborne Equipment – Resistance to Fire in Designated Fire Zones", and
- "Powerplant Installation and Propulsion System Component Fire Protection Test Methods, Standards and Criteria, Revised 1990"
- <u>UL94 V0 rating (vertical flame propagation test).</u>
 - High performance engine bays / exhaust systems
 - Sustainable mobility battery enclosures
 - Missile launchers
 - Cladding, panelling, insulation (interiors / exteriors)

SHD's bio-derived PS200 used for fire protection in series sailplane battery box production

SHD Group's unique **PS200 bio-derived prepreg system** has been chosen by Albatross Fly d.o.o. (Slovenia) for the construction of battery boxes supplied for the serial production of **FES (Front Electric Sustainer) electric propulsion systems**. FES systems are highly efficient self-launch and self-sustainer propulsion system for electric powered sailplanes, developed and produced by another innovative Slovenian company, LZ Design.

The application of SHD's PS200 in the constructions of the FES battery box has enabled the development of a very lightweight and compact propulsion system, while providing remarkable protection against the potential for the very high temperatures, pressures and fire that would be seen in the event of a battery thermal runaway reaction. As a result, the FES system has achieved the necessary **EASA Type Certification**, with over 240 sailplanes, of 11 models and from 7 different manufacturers currently equipped with the novel propulsion system

As well as providing a quite unique combination of lightweight properties, thermal performance and fire protection, PS200 resin is derived from a by-product of sugar cane processing and as such provides a highly sustainable and low carbon raw material source. A very obvious choice for designers looking for more sustainable material solutions around electric flight





In summary..... Sustainable PFA systems

SHD have developed a range of Poly Furfuryl Alcohol (PFA) systems. This up to 98% bio-based material yields technical benefits with regards to its class leading flammability and high temperature performance as well as significantly improved LCA credentials over the incumbent petrochemical equivalent.



BIO BASED

Feedstock material is a by-product of sugarcane production





> Poly

Polyfurfuryl alcohol (**PFA**)



Prepreg



HEALTH & SAFETY

No solvents or hazardous chemicals used in the production



TESTED

Certified to have passed numerous industry FST tests and standards

99% biobased advanced composite PFA + Flax fabric PFA + Carbon fabric 40% biobased semi-structural Fire resistant

components

SHD Confidential Information



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DATA

Extensive mechanical and LCA information gathered Thank you for listening.

Any questions?

SHD Composite Materials Group...

...we are part of the team

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GLEAM: Manufacturing for Defence

9th July 2025

Jas Shanker

Innovation Partner – East Midlands



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Our Mission

We find and fund exploitable innovation to support UK Defence and Security quickly and effectively, and support UK prosperity.



Our Customers

- Novelty / 'Game-Changing'
- New Capability
- Step changes in Capability
- Existing ideas novel application
- Exploitable...

Our Scope

DASA is **open to anyone with a good idea**, we support innovators based in the UK or overseas.

We are interested in:

- Any size organisation
- Any type of science and technology, nontechnology ideas, products or services:
 - Air, Land, Sea (Subsea), Space and Cyber
 - Long and broad list of subjects
- A broad range of maturity levels
 - TRL 1-6 Product Development
 - TRL 7-9 Business Development

DASA is set up to accelerate innovative ideas towards impact and help businesses succeed.

- Innovation Partners provide advice and guidance (including Bid Writing)
- Intellectual Property stays with the innovator
- Quick, simple contracting process mini steps...outlines/expressions of interest
- 100% funding through Open call and Themed Competitions
- Project Managers and Technical Partners to support delivery of the projects
- Post-funding support to help SME and Academica pull ideas through to impact



Innovators

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What do we offer?



Finding Innovation

- Market Explorations
- Innovation Portal
- Innovation Outlines
- Ideas Marketplace



Funding innovation

- Open Call for Innovation
- Themed Competitions
- Defence Technology Exploitation Programme



Building the business

- Access to mentoring and Finance
- Defence innovation Loans

The Open Call offers innovators the opportunity to submit any idea that help with defence and/or security challenges.

- Open Call
 - Defence Rapid Impact
 - Security Rapid Impact (on hold)
- Open all year round, with assessment dates scheduled across the year
- Open to any idea, concept, technology or service, aiming to reach TRL6/7
- Duration <24months</p>
- Funding <£350k, typically £200-300k</p>
- Innovation Focus Areas (IFAs) identify specific challenges



Open Call for Innovation

DASA's Themed Competitions enable Defence and Security customers to reach into industry and academia to find innovative solutions to specific challenges.

- Based on need and launched throughout the year (12-20 per year)
- Often multiphase
- 100% funding
- Access to Project Manager and Technical Partner for the length of your project
- Demonstration event to stakeholders at the end of the project



Themed Competitions

The Defence Technology Exploitation Programme (DTEP) helps SMEs join the defence supply chain through partnering with a Higher Tier supplier.

- Up to 50% grant funding to SMEs for supply chain development projects up to £1M (max £500K grant)
- Projects are aligned with MOD Enduring Capability Challenges
- The Higher Tier supplier contributes time and resources to work with the Lower Tier supplier
- The Higher Tier supplier will get early access to novel materials, technologies or processes







Defence Innovation Loans are designed to help SMEs commercialise their mature defence solutions.

- Exclusively for SMEs
- Innovations must be at TRL 6 or above
- Loans from £100,000 £1million
- Loans can cover up to 100% of project costs to aid commercialisation of the solution
- Below market interest rate, 7.4%
- In partnership with Innovate UK



Defence Innovation Loans



Defence and Security Accelerator

Open now

- Open Call Defence Rapid Impact
 - Cycle 3 open now, closes 23rd September 2025
- AUKUS Maritime Communications, Stage 2
- Innovation in Support to Operations Phase 2 ...multiple cycles to August
 - UAS Propulsion
 - Repair of 155mm Artillery barrels
 - Autonomous navigation systems for UAS and USVs
 - Seekers
 - UAS detect and destroy



Strategic Defence Review (SDR) - vision for UK Defence

The SDR vision is to make Britain safer, secure at home and abroad. A shift in deterrence and defence to:



Move to warfighting readiness – establishing a more lethal "integrated force" equipped for the a future and strengthened homeland defence.



Engine for growth – driving jobs and prosperity through a new partnership with industry, radical procurement reforms and backing UK businesses.



'NATO first' – stepping up on European security by leading in NATO, with strengthened nuclear, new tech and updated conventional capabilities. Funding opportunities – NATO DIANA



UK innovation driven by lessons from Ukraine – harnessing drones, data and digital warfare to make our Armed Forces stronger and safer.



Whole-of-society approach – widening participation in national resilience and renewing the Nation's contract with those who serve.

Innovation and Industry: A New Approach for Deterrence and Growth'

"To deliver our vision for UK Defence, business as usual is no longer an option."

Streamlining Procurement

- Mainstreaming rapid practices proven
 effective in Ukraine support
- Streamlined Procurement Pathways
- Segmented approach to procurement
- 10% of equipment procurement budget dedicated to novel technologies annually

Two new Innovation Structures

- Defence Research & Evaluation
- UK Defence Innovation (UKDI) organisation

Partnerships Driving Growth

- Defence and Security clusters (RDSCs)
- Industry engaged as partners from concept stage
- International collaboration through AUKUS, GCAP and NATO partnerships

UK Defence Innovation

The new UK Defence Innovation organisation should shape and draw on external innovation expertise to:

- Find commercial solutions including dual-use technologies
- Drive the adoption of innovation
- Coordinate a set innovation hubs across Front Line Commands and innovation competitions through DASA
- Be responsible for supporting local-national partnerships
- Build relationships with other Government departments
- Pivot to outcome-based partnerships



Meet the Team

Our Innovation Partners help innovators throughout the UK and abroad understand opportunities across the defence and security community.

How to contact us:

- Visit <u>www.gov.uk/dasa</u> and click 'Get in touch with DASA'
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Innovation for a Safer Future

Questions
Mosquito in the Room

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This small seemingly insignificant thing can cause a significant disruption or impact?





Imagine this principle in a Military context.

Small things can have a disproportionately large impact.





Sept 2024 - a series of attacks targeted Hezbollah members in Lebanon using exploding pagers and two-way radios.





Devices were modified and introduced back into the supply chain to get them to the front line for maximum effect.





In early 2025, Ukrainian military intelligence conducted a similar operation involving the sabotage of Russian drone pilot goggles with hidden explosives.





At least eight Russian soldiers were injured as a result of the explosions.





Last month, Ukraine launched an assault on Russian air bases, using over 117 drones to destroy over 40 military aircraft valued at over \$2 Billion.





Modified containers had a remotely controlled roof that reveals drones. Each drone had a dedicated pilot.

At a predetermined time the attack was launched







The containers were shipped by Russian hauliers who were contracted to deliver containers to sites close to the airfields,





The effect, in all examples was devastating.

All cases involved inserting products that had been "Modified"

Into the decentralised supply lines so they end up being used by unsuspecting Victims.



Securing supply lines in war or peace is crucial for military success, as armies rely on a steady flow of resources like food, ammunition, spares, and fuel etc. to operate effectively.



Warfare, particularly by our adversaries, will be very different in the future.

The Mosquito is definitely in the room...





"Build a better mousetrap, and the world will beat a path to your door."



A metaphor about the power of innovation...



At Nortrak we helped build a better one





Let me show you how Nortrak helped make a better Mousetrap by our enhancement of an already great APK Industries (APKI) product.





This is an APKI suitcase generator built to supply vulnerable customers of the UK Power Distribution Network Operators (DNO's)





They proved popular – with thieves

They were mis-used





Can we fit a tracker?





What else may be possible? – for instance, could we show the remaining battery power in % ?







Method 1: Clock & Data

Battery: 70 = 01000110 Output: 789 = 00000011 00010101 TX = 01000110 00000011 00010101

24 bits of data to be transmitted every few seconds.







Data from the front display panel is now available remotely





Data from the front display panel is now available remotely





From APKI client's perspective, this was a game changer...

It turned these generators into smart, accountable assets.

A Far Better Mousetrap!



- Location, Tracking, Security
- Measure Rotations, Angles, Tilts, Shocks & G-Force
- Monitor Temperature, Humidity, Movements





- Revenues in excess \$20.7 billion
- Deployed Trackers Worldwide
- Built into the Radiation Monitoring
 Overpack units Evidential Tracking





BRIDON · BEKAERT

- Revenues in excess of €5 billion
- Rotation & Angle Measurement
- High G-Force events
- Temp & Humidity Monitoring
- Regular Rotation Alerts





ISC | CONTRACTING

- Bulk Barges River Thames & Central London
- Coordinated Logistics with HGV vehicles
- Minimises Environmental Impact





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- Consignments from EU to UK
- Automated updates at key locations
- Security tracking for Valuable Products







- Real time Covert tracking
- Iridium Use, no sim tracking
- Use our API direct to their systems
- Marine vessels & Vehicles





STERIS

- Tracking Open top Sea Containers
- Sterilisation Equipment Isotopes
- Worldwide GPS Tracking





Other use cases



UNISNACKS

FI Oil & Fuel tracking – x6 teams



- F1 Tools & Equipment x8 teams
- Chilled Food Temperature Monitoring



Supertram GPS Speed Monitoring



 Cattle Tracking McLarer

RACING

Worldwide Car Shipments



Other use cases

AIG

- Automated Insurance Premiums
- Sign-Bot[®] Autonomous Road sign Monitoring system
 - TrailerSentry[®] Trailer Tracker Product
- Spire Satellites Yes really!
 - Scottish & Southern Electricity Networks Remote Fuel & Oil Tank Monitoring
 - **DEDIENNE** Aircraft Tools Tracking





Nortrak – Your trusted innovation partner

Build a smarter Mousetrap & keep the Mosquito out!

Nortrak Connecting things...

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The Greater Lincolnshire Regional Defence and Security Cluster

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The Greater Lincolnshire Regional Defence and Security Cluster (GLRDSC) is an industry-led forum that unites national and international defence organisations, manufacturers, and experts in research, development, and innovation

View the GLRDSC video here

Collaboration

Providing a network for cross-sector collaboration

Funding

Pathways to engage with stakeholders and funders

Membership

Open to both traditional and non-traditional defence and security entities

Innovation

Focus on technologies for data, communication and simulation





Collaborating with the Greater Lincolnshire RDSC



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Close and Optional Tour of HETA

