

Defence Artificial Intelligence Centre (DAIC) Data Labelling Request for Information

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Please refer to the associated request for information (RFI) instructions within the 'DAIC Data Labelling RFI Instructions & Background' document to assist with your response or the Buyer contact in the Contracts Finder RFI notice if you experience any issues responding.

* Required

Company Information

1. Please provide the name of your company. *

2. Is your company headquartered in the UK? *

☐ Yes

☐ No

3. Does your company have a UK-based company entity? *

☐ Yes

☐ No

4. How many employees does your company have? *

- ☐ 1 - 10
- ☐ 11 - 49
- ☐ 50 - 249
- ☐ 250+

Working with the Ministry of Defence

5. Has your company worked with the UK Ministry of Defence, other national Defence Ministries or wider UK public sector departments before in any capacity? Your response will not impact your ability to respond to any future procurement. *

☐ Yes

☐ No

6. Does your company hold security cleared staff? Please tick all applicable. Your response at this stage will not impact your ability to respond to any future procurement. *

☐ No security clearance

☐ BPSS

☐ SC

☐ DV

AI Data Labelling Capability

7. Has your company labelled data for AI solutions? *

☐ Yes

☐ No

8. If you have answered 'Yes' to Question 7, please provide details of relevant experience and examples where your company has provided data labelling services for AI solutions. If you have answered 'No' to Question 7, please insert 'N/A'. *

9. Are you able to host data on your own infrastructure to label data? *

☐ Yes

☐ No

10. What type of data modality can your company label? Please tick all applicable and/or provide details under 'Other'. *

☐ Text Data

☐ Image Data

☐ Audio Data

☐ Video Data

☐ Time Series

☐ Other

11. How does your company provide Data Labelling services to customers? Please tick all applicable and/or provide details under 'Other'. *

☐ Employee data labelling (manual labelling of data using internal expertise)

☐ Synthetic labelling (labels data using synthetic data generated from pre-existing datasets)

☐ Programmatic labelling (provides a semi-automated tool to label data)

☐ Outsourcing (outsources data labelling to a third party)

☐ Crowdsourcing (uses a tool to ask open source users to label data)

☐ Other

12. Can your company label all data for the expected requirement within the UK? *

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No

13. Please explain how your products / services could meet the AI Data Labelling functional requirements set out in the 'DAIC Data Labelling RFI Instructions & Background' document, 'Section 3 - Data Labelling High-Level Functional/Non-Functional Requirements'. *

Enter your answer

14. Please explain how your products / services could meet the AI Data Labelling non-functional requirements set out in the 'DAIC Data Labelling RFI Instructions & Background' document, 'Section 3 - Data Labelling High-Level Functional/Non-Functional Requirements'. *

15. What dependencies or pre-requisites would you expect to be provided by the Ministry of Defence ahead of being able to use any Data Labelling products / services you could provide? Please tick all applicable and/or provide details under 'Other'. *

- ☐ Data Generation
- ☐ Data Collection
- ☐ Data Cleansing
- ☐ Data Processing
- ☐ Data Quality Checks
- ☐ Data Transfer
- ☐ Data Storage
- ☐ Provision of Data Labelling Platform
- ☐ Other

16. What are the key technical risks that you think the Ministry of Defence needs to mitigate against when procuring Data Labelling capabilities? Please tick all applicable and/or provide additional risks under 'Other'. *

- ☐ Availability of data
- ☐ Integrity of data
- ☐ Integration into MOD systems
- ☐ Business process and change management
- ☐ Other

17. What are the key commercial risks that you think the Ministry of Defence needs to mitigate against when procuring Data Labelling capabilities? Please tick all applicable and/or provide additional risks under 'Other'. *

- ☐ Considerations about IP
- ☐ Availability of funding
- ☐ Lack of security clearances
- ☐ Lengthy and complex procurement processes
- ☐ Other

Industry Day & Future Competition

18. If the Ministry of Defence ran an industry engagement event in the first quarter of 2025 for Data Labelling products / services, would you like to express your interest in attending? *

☐ Yes

☐ No

19. If the Ministry of Defence were to host an industry day for Data Labelling products / services in the first quarter of 2025, what information would you find useful to understand whether your company could support in the future? Please also provide any suggestions around how this event could be run. *

20. If the Ministry of Defence were to run a commercial competition for Data Labelling products / services in the future, what information would you require to be included in the proposal request to help inform your company's decision to bid? *

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