

**United States Department of Agriculture**  
**1400 Independence Avenue,**  
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Room 3522-S, STOP 0239  
Washington, DC 20036

**Information**

Description: **12-3J14-20-B-0225**  
Bid invitation number: **2000006722**  
Purchasing Group: **AMS-Fruit and Veg**

**SOLICITATION**  
**Domestic Commodity Invitation**

**Bid invitation Overview**

Bid Timezone: Central Time  
Start Date: 01/23/2020 13:00:00  
Offer Due Date : 02/06/2020 13:00:00  
  
Opening date: 02/06/2020 13:00:00  
  
Invitation Type : Definite Delivery

**Additional requested information:**

**Tendering text - Header :**

Dehydrated Potatoes, SOLICITATION NO: 2000006722  
The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) invites offers to sell Dehydrated Potatoes pursuant to the AMS Master Solicitation for use in the National School Lunch Program and other Federal Food and Nutrition Assistance Programs. Acceptances will be announced by midnight, February 20, 2020. Deliveries are to be made between April 1, 2020 and June 30th 2020.

Offerors who intend to use more than one processing plant and shipping point for contracts awarded under this solicitation, other than the processing plant and shipping point entered in their bids, may submit a list of their approved processing plants and shipping points on a separate sheet of paper to be uploaded in WBSCM, and to be submitted with their bids.

This Solicitation may show multiple stops on some line items; however, the number of stops will be limited to a maximum of three. To determine the number of destinations, review the "Tendering Text" for the lot, which will indicate the City and State for each stop. Bidders may submit different prices for each stop. However, a price is required on all line items within the lot.

For offshore destinations (Puerto Rico, Hawaii, etc.), offerors have the option to choose to enter their bids direct to the offshore destination or to the port.

Purchases will be made on an f.o.b. destination basis to cities on this Solicitation. Destination quantities listed are estimates and subject to adjustment based on offerings, changes in recipient needs, market conditions, and program operations.

All prime vendors are reminded that they are prohibited from subcontracting with companies or individuals that have been suspended or debarred.

Offers must be submitted electronically via the Web-Based Supply Chain Management System (WBSCM). Offers submitted by any means other than WBSCM will be deemed nonresponsive. Offerors must be active in WBSCM and have the required bidder roles in order to submit offers under this solicitation. Once connected, follow the online procedures. A "HELP" button provides detailed instructions or call (202) 720-4517 for assistance.

Offerors are cautioned to bid only quantities they can reasonably expect to produce and deliver. Inquiries about the Master Solicitation dated October 1, 2019; Commodity Specification for Dehydrated Potatoes dated May 2019 or this Solicitation should be directed to the Contracting Officer; USDA, AMS, Room 3522-South; 1400 Independence Avenue, S.W.; Washington, D.C. 20250-0239. Telephone: (202) 720-4517. FAX: (202) 720-2782.

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**See attached documents:**

- 1 . Master Solicitation
- 2 . Commodity Specification for Dehydrated Potato Products

**Attributes :**

OFFEROR CERTIFIES THAT THE OFFER IS MADE SUBJECT TO THE MASTER SOLICITATION; COMMODITY SUPPLEMENT AND/OR SPECIFICATION(S); THIS SOLICITATION; THE AGRICULTURE ACQUISITION REGULATIONS (AGAR) AND THE FEDERAL ACQUISITION REGULATIONS (FAR).

Timely performance: Offeror and any subcontractor have completed required performance of any USDA contract prior to this bid opening.

- Permitted values:
- There are no existing contracts/purchase orders
  - Have not been delivered, but the Offeror has notified the Contracting Officer
  - Have not been delivered
  - Have been delivered

OFFEROR REQUESTS HUBZONE SMALL BUSINESS PRICE EVALUATION PREFERENCE. APPLIES ONLY TO FIRMS CERTIFIED IN THE SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION#S HUBZONE PROGRAM (FAR SUBPART 19.13).MUST BE THE MANUFACTURER/PRODUCER OF THE PRODUCT TO RECEIVE A PRICE PREFERENCE

Furnish name, title, phone number, fax number, and e-mail address of person submitting this bid (must be an officer of the company or a person authorized to execute contracts/purchase orders on behalf of the bidder).

IS THE OFFEROR AN ENTITY THAT HAS FILED ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION IN ONE OF THE FIFTY STATES, THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, OR THE VARIOUS TERRITORIES OF THE UNITED STATES? YOU MUST ANSWER THE NEXT 3 QUESTIONS IF THE ANSWER FOR THIS QUESTION IS YES.

HAS THE OFFEROR BEEN CONVICTED OF A FELONY CRIMINAL VIOLATION UNDER FEDERAL OR STATE LAW IN THE 24 MONTHS PRECEDING THE DATE OF OFFER?

HAS THE OFFEROR HAD ANY OFFICER OR AGENT OF OFFEROR CONVICTED OF A FELONY

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CRIMINAL VIOLATION FOR ACTIONS TAKEN ON BEHALF OF OFFEROR UNDER FEDERAL OR STATE LAW IN THE 24 MONTHS PRECEDING THE DATE OF OFFER?

DOES THE OFFEROR HAVE ANY UNPAID FEDERAL TAX LIABILITY ASSESSED, WHICH ALL JUDICIAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE REMEDIES HAVE BEEN EXHAUSTED/LAPSED, THAT IS NOT BEING PAID IN A TIMELY MANNER PURSUANT TO AGREEMENT WITH THE AUTHORITY RESPONSIBLE FOR COLLECTING IT?

Offeror acknowledges receipt of the amendment(s) to the solicitation. Select N/A if no amendment was issued to the solicitation.

Permitted values:     - N/A  
                               - No  
                               - Yes

**Bid invitation Item details**

Item	Material	Description	Required by	ZipCode	Quantity	
<b>10 VEGETABLE, DRIED</b>						
<b>20 POTATOES DEHYDRATED FLKS PKG-12/1 LB</b>						
<b>30 COMMERCE CA</b>						
40	100337	POTATOES DEHYDRATED FLKS PKG-12/1 LB	05/01/2020-05/15/2020	90040	2,500.000	CS
50	100337	POTATOES DEHYDRATED FLKS PKG-12/1 LB	05/16/2020-05/31/2020	90040	2,500.000	CS
60	100337	POTATOES DEHYDRATED FLKS PKG-12/1 LB	06/01/2020-06/15/2020	90040	2,500.000	CS
70	100337	POTATOES DEHYDRATED FLKS PKG-12/1 LB	06/16/2020-06/30/2020	90040	2,500.000	CS
<b>80 FRESNO CA</b>						
90	100337	POTATOES DEHYDRATED FLKS PKG-12/1 LB	06/16/2020-06/30/2020	93725	2,500.000	CS
<b>100 BLOOMFIELD CT</b>						
110	100337	POTATOES DEHYDRATED FLKS PKG-12/1 LB	04/01/2020-04/15/2020	06002	2,500.000	CS
<b>120 EAST POINT GA</b>						
130	100337	POTATOES DEHYDRATED FLKS PKG-12/1 LB	05/16/2020-05/31/2020	30344	2,500.000	CS
<b>140 SAVANNAH GA</b>						
150	100337	POTATOES DEHYDRATED FLKS PKG-12/1 LB	04/01/2020-04/15/2020	31404	2,500.000	CS
<b>160 NAMPA ID</b>						
170	100337	POTATOES DEHYDRATED FLKS PKG-12/1	04/01/2020-04/15/2020	83687		CS

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		LB			5,000.000	
180	100337	POTATOES DEHYDRATED FLKS PKG-12/1	05/01/2020-05/15/2020	83687		CS
		LB			2,500.000	
190	100337	POTATOES DEHYDRATED FLKS PKG-12/1	06/01/2020-06/15/2020	83687		CS
		LB			5,000.000	
<b>200 OAK PARK MI</b>						
210	100337	POTATOES DEHYDRATED FLKS PKG-12/1	06/16/2020-06/30/2020	48237		CS
		LB			2,500.000	
<b>220 MAPLEWOOD MN</b>						
230	100337	POTATOES DEHYDRATED FLKS PKG-12/1	05/01/2020-05/15/2020	55109		CS
		LB			2,500.000	
<b>240 BRIDGETON MO</b>						
250	100337	POTATOES DEHYDRATED FLKS PKG-12/1	04/01/2020-04/15/2020	63044		CS
		LB			2,500.000	
<b>260 KANSAS CITY MO</b>						
270	100337	POTATOES DEHYDRATED FLKS PKG-12/1	04/01/2020-04/15/2020	64161		CS
		LB			2,500.000	
280	100337	POTATOES DEHYDRATED FLKS PKG-12/1	04/16/2020-04/30/2020	64161		CS
		LB			2,500.000	
290	100337	POTATOES DEHYDRATED FLKS PKG-12/1	05/01/2020-05/15/2020	64161		CS
		LB			5,000.000	
300	100337	POTATOES DEHYDRATED FLKS PKG-12/1	05/16/2020-05/30/2020	64161		CS
		LB			2,500.000	
310	100337	POTATOES DEHYDRATED FLKS PKG-12/1	06/01/2020-06/15/2020	64161		CS
		LB			2,500.000	
320	100337	POTATOES DEHYDRATED FLKS PKG-12/1	06/16/2020-06/30/2020	64161		CS
		LB			2,500.000	
<b>330 HILLSIDE NJ</b>						
340	100337	POTATOES DEHYDRATED FLKS PKG-12/1	04/01/2020-04/15/2020	07205		CS
		LB			5,000.000	
<b>350 NEPTUNE NJ</b>						
360	100337	POTATOES DEHYDRATED FLKS PKG-12/1	04/01/2020-04/15/2020	07753		CS
		LB			2,500.000	
<b>370 PENNSAUKEN NJ</b>						
380	100337	POTATOES DEHYDRATED FLKS PKG-12/1	04/01/2020-04/15/2020	08110		CS
		LB			2,500.000	
<b>390 VINELAND NJ</b>						

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400	100337	POTATOES DEHYDRATED FLKS PKG-12/1 LB	04/01/2020-04/15/2020	08360	7,500.000	CS
410	100337	POTATOES DEHYDRATED FLKS PKG-12/1 LB	04/16/2020-04/30/2020	08360	2,500.000	CS
<b>420 SYRACUSE NY</b>						
430	100337	POTATOES DEHYDRATED FLKS PKG-12/1 LB	04/01/2020-04/15/2020	13209	2,500.000	CS
440	100337	POTATOES DEHYDRATED FLKS PKG-12/1 LB	05/01/2020-05/15/2020	13209	2,500.000	CS
450	100337	POTATOES DEHYDRATED FLKS PKG-12/1 LB	06/01/2020-06/15/2020	13209	2,500.000	CS
<b>460 SAN ANTONIO TX</b>						
470	100337	POTATOES DEHYDRATED FLKS PKG-12/1 LB	06/01/2020-06/15/2020	78277	2,500.000	CS
<b>480 NORFOLK VA</b>						
490	100337	POTATOES DEHYDRATED FLKS PKG-12/1 LB	04/16/2020-04/30/2020	23504	2,500.000	CS
<b>500 VERONA VA</b>						
510	100337	POTATOES DEHYDRATED FLKS PKG-12/1 LB	06/01/2020-06/15/2020	24482	2,500.000	CS
<b>520 MILWAUKEE WI</b>						
530	100337	POTATOES DEHYDRATED FLKS PKG-12/1 LB	04/01/2020-04/15/2020	53207	2,500.000	CS
<b>540 LOT: 1021 GASSAWAY WV / HUNTINGTON WV /</b>						
550	100337	POTATOES DEHYDRATED FLKS PKG-12/1 LB	05/01/2020-05/15/2020	26624	1,666.000	CS
560	100337	POTATOES DEHYDRATED FLKS PKG-12/1 LB	05/01/2020-05/15/2020	25701	834.000	CS
<b>570 LOT: 7590161 DAYTON OH / LIMA OH / LO...</b>						
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 7590161 DAYTON OH / LIMA OH / LOGAN OH /						
580	100337	POTATOES DEHYDRATED FLKS PKG-12/1 LB	04/01/2020-04/15/2020	45417	700.000	CS
590	100337	POTATOES DEHYDRATED FLKS PKG-12/1 LB	04/01/2020-04/15/2020	45804	960.000	CS
600	100337	POTATOES DEHYDRATED FLKS PKG-12/1 LB	04/01/2020-04/15/2020	43138	840.000	CS
<b>610 LOT: 278081866 DAYTON OH / FAIRFIELD ...</b>						
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 278081866 DAYTON OH / FAIRFIELD OH /						

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		SPRINGFIELD OH /				
620	100337	POTATOES DEHYDRATED FLKS PKG-12/1 LB	04/01/2020-04/15/2020	45417	730.000	CS
630	100337	POTATOES DEHYDRATED FLKS PKG-12/1 LB	04/01/2020-04/15/2020	45014	1,150.000	CS
640	100337	POTATOES DEHYDRATED FLKS PKG-12/1 LB	04/01/2020-04/15/2020	45503	620.000	CS
<b>650 LOT: 295793631 COLUMBIA MO / KANSAS C...</b>						
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 295793631 COLUMBIA MO / KANSAS CITY MO /						
660	100337	POTATOES DEHYDRATED FLKS PKG-12/1 LB	06/01/2020-06/15/2020	65202	1,250.000	CS
670	100337	POTATOES DEHYDRATED FLKS PKG-12/1 LB	06/01/2020-06/15/2020	64129	1,250.000	CS
<b>680 LOT: 316998772 FORT MYERS FL / SARASO...</b>						
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 316998772 FORT MYERS FL / SARASOTA FL / TAMPA FL /						
690	100337	POTATOES DEHYDRATED FLKS PKG-12/1 LB	05/01/2020-05/15/2020	33901	1,250.000	CS
700	100337	POTATOES DEHYDRATED FLKS PKG-12/1 LB	05/01/2020-05/15/2020	34240	625.000	CS
710	100337	POTATOES DEHYDRATED FLKS PKG-12/1 LB	05/01/2020-05/15/2020	33605	625.000	CS
<b>720 LOT: 585453439 MILTON FL / TALLAHASSE..</b>						
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 585453439 MILTON FL / TALLAHASSEE FL /						
730	100337	POTATOES DEHYDRATED FLKS PKG-12/1 LB	06/01/2020-06/15/2020	32583	1,250.000	CS
740	100337	POTATOES DEHYDRATED FLKS PKG-12/1 LB	06/01/2020-06/15/2020	32310	1,250.000	CS
<b>750 LOT: 597884824 CLINTON TOWNSHIP MI / ...</b>						
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 597884824 CLINTON TOWNSHIP MI / WARREN MI /						
760	100337	POTATOES DEHYDRATED FLKS PKG-12/1 LB	04/01/2020-04/15/2020	48036	1,250.000	CS
770	100337	POTATOES DEHYDRATED FLKS PKG-12/1 LB	04/01/2020-04/15/2020	48091	1,250.000	CS
<b>780 LOT: 611760204 BENTON HARBOR MI / CLA...</b>						
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 611760204 BENTON HARBOR MI / CLARE MI / DETROIT MI /						
790	100337	POTATOES DEHYDRATED FLKS PKG-12/1	04/01/2020-04/15/2020	49022		CS

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		LB			625.000	
800	100337	POTATOES DEHYDRATED FLKS PKG-12/1 LB	04/01/2020-04/15/2020	48617		CS
		LB			575.000	
810	100337	POTATOES DEHYDRATED FLKS PKG-12/1 LB	04/01/2020-04/15/2020	48238		CS
		LB			1,300.000	
<b>820 LOT: 715445777 ODESSA TX / PLANO TX /</b>						
830	100337	POTATOES DEHYDRATED FLKS PKG-12/1 LB	04/01/2020-04/15/2020	79761		CS
		LB			1,250.000	
840	100337	POTATOES DEHYDRATED FLKS PKG-12/1 LB	04/01/2020-04/15/2020	75075		CS
		LB			1,250.000	
<b>850 LOT: 727476700 CHICAGO IL / PEORIA IL /</b>						
860	100337	POTATOES DEHYDRATED FLKS PKG-12/1 LB	04/16/2020-04/30/2020	60632		CS
		LB			1,250.000	
870	100337	POTATOES DEHYDRATED FLKS PKG-12/1 LB	04/16/2020-04/30/2020	61605		CS
		LB			1,250.000	
<b>Total Quantity for POTATOES DEHYDRATED FLKS PKG-12/1 LB</b>						CS
					120,000.000	
<b>Total Quantity for Invitation</b>						CS
					120,000.000	



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