

**United States Department of Agriculture**  
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Washington, DC 20036

**Information**

Description: **12-3J14-21-B-0442**  
Bid invitation number: **2000007917**  
Purchasing Group: **AMS-Domestic**

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

**Bid invitation Overview**

Bid Timezone: Central Time  
Start Date: 07/09/2021 08:00:00  
Offer Due Date : 07/23/2021 13:00:00  
  
Opening date: 07/23/2021 13:00:00  
  
Invitation Type : Definite Delivery

**Additional requested information:**

**Tendering text - Header :**

CEREAL OAT CIRCLES BOWL, SOLICITATION NO: 2000007917

The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) invites offers to sell fortified ready-to-eat cereal pursuant to the AMS Master Solicitation for use in the National School Lunch Program and other Federal Food and Nutrition Assistance Programs. Bids are due by 1pm CT on July 23, 2021. Acceptances will be announced by 5pm CT on July 30, 2021. Deliveries are to be made between October 1, 2021 through December 31, 2021.

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 August 13, 2020, the Commodity Specification for Fortified RTE Cereal dated February 2019, 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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1400 Independence Ave., SW, Washington, DC 20250-9410 or call (866) 632-9992 (Toll-free Customer Service), (800)877-8339 (Local or Federal relay), (866) 377-8642 (Relay voice users)."

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**Certification Questions :**

ALL QUESTIONS MUST BE ANSWERED. WHEN ANSWERING QUESTIONS, PLEASE UTILIZE ATTACHED BID CERTIFICATION QUESTIONS DOCUMENT.

**See attached documents:**

- 1 . Master Solicitation for Commodity Procurement (Domestic)
- 2 . Commodity Requirements Document
- 3 . Bid Certification Questions

**Attributes :**

1. FOOD SAFETY MODERIZATION ACT
2. DUNS NUMBER
3. SIZE STANDARD
4. SAM REPRESENTATIONS AND CERTIFICATIONS
5. AMENDMENTS TO SOLICITATION
6. ON TIME DELIVERIES
7. COMMERCIAL BRAND
8. PLACE OF PERFORMANCE
9. PLANTS
10. NON-MANUFACTURERS
11. SUPPLIER AGREEMENT
12. PERSON SUBMITTING OFFER
13. EMERGENCY CONTACT

**Bid invitation Item details**

Item	Material	Description	Required by	ZipCode	Quantity
<b>10</b>		<b>CEREAL, FORTIFIED</b>			
	<b>20</b>	<b>CEREAL OAT CIRCLES BOWL PKG 96/1 OZ</b>			
		<b>30 PHOENIX AZ</b>			
	40	111100 CEREAL OAT CIRCLES BOWL PKG 96/1 OZ	10/01/2021-10/15/2021	85043	6,480.000 LB
	<b>50</b>	<b>POMONA CA</b>			
	60	111100 CEREAL OAT CIRCLES BOWL PKG 96/1 OZ	10/01/2021-10/15/2021	91767	6,480.000 LB

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<b>70 SACRAMENTO CA</b>					
80	111100	CEREAL OAT CIRCLES BOWL PKG 96/1 OZ	10/01/2021-10/15/2021	95814	LB 6,480.000
<b>90 GRANITE CITY IL</b>					
100	111100	CEREAL OAT CIRCLES BOWL PKG 96/1 OZ	12/01/2021-12/15/2021	62040	LB 6,480.000
<b>110 TAUNTON MA</b>					
120	111100	CEREAL OAT CIRCLES BOWL PKG 96/1 OZ	10/01/2021-10/15/2021	02780	LB 12,960.000
<b>130 NEWPORT MN</b>					
140	111100	CEREAL OAT CIRCLES BOWL PKG 96/1 OZ	11/01/2021-11/15/2021	55055	LB 6,480.000
<b>150 NEWARK NJ</b>					
160	111100	CEREAL OAT CIRCLES BOWL PKG 96/1 OZ	12/01/2021-12/15/2021	07114	LB 6,480.000
<b>170 WAYNE NJ</b>					
180	111100	CEREAL OAT CIRCLES BOWL PKG 96/1 OZ	12/01/2021-12/15/2021	07470	LB 6,480.000
<b>190 BROOKLYN NY</b>					
200	111100	CEREAL OAT CIRCLES BOWL PKG 96/1 OZ	12/01/2021-12/15/2021	11207	LB 6,480.000
210	111100	CEREAL OAT CIRCLES BOWL PKG 96/1 OZ	12/01/2021-12/15/2021	11236	LB 6,480.000
<b>220 MCALESTER OK</b>					
230	111100	CEREAL OAT CIRCLES BOWL PKG 96/1 OZ	12/01/2021-12/15/2021	74501	LB 6,480.000
<b>240 FIFE WA</b>					
250	111100	CEREAL OAT CIRCLES BOWL PKG 96/1 OZ	10/01/2021-10/15/2021	98424	LB 6,480.000
<b>260 LOT: 3532 AUBURNDALE FL / PLANT CITY ...</b>					
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 3532 AUBURNDALE FL / PLANT CITY FL /					
270	111100	CEREAL OAT CIRCLES BOWL PKG 96/1 OZ	10/16/2021-10/31/2021	33823	LB 4,392.000
280	111100	CEREAL OAT CIRCLES BOWL PKG 96/1 OZ	10/16/2021-10/31/2021	33563	LB 2,088.000
<b>290 LOT: 125481 CREEDMOOR NC / SALISBURY ...</b>					
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300	111100	CEREAL OAT CIRCLES BOWL PKG 96/1 OZ	10/01/2021-10/15/2021	27522		LB
					3,240.000	
310	111100	CEREAL OAT CIRCLES BOWL PKG 96/1 OZ	10/01/2021-10/15/2021	28147		LB
					3,240.000	
<b>320 LOT: 125670 CREEDMOOR NC / SALISBURY ...</b>						
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 125670 CREEDMOOR NC / SALISBURY NC /						
330	111100	CEREAL OAT CIRCLES BOWL PKG 96/1 OZ	10/01/2021-10/15/2021	27522		LB
					3,240.000	
340	111100	CEREAL OAT CIRCLES BOWL PKG 96/1 OZ	10/01/2021-10/15/2021	28147		LB
					3,240.000	
<b>350 LOT: 81279351 MAYAGUEZ PR / PONCE PR /</b>						
360	111100	CEREAL OAT CIRCLES BOWL PKG 96/1 OZ	12/01/2021-12/15/2021	00708		LB
					3,240.000	
370	111100	CEREAL OAT CIRCLES BOWL PKG 96/1 OZ	12/01/2021-12/15/2021	00731		LB
					3,240.000	
<b>380 LOT: 147681536 ARECIBO PR / BAYAMON PR /</b>						
390	111100	CEREAL OAT CIRCLES BOWL PKG 96/1 OZ	11/01/2021-11/15/2021	00616		LB
					3,240.000	
400	111100	CEREAL OAT CIRCLES BOWL PKG 96/1 OZ	11/01/2021-11/15/2021	00956		LB
					3,240.000	
<b>410 LOT: 174316464 ALGONA WA / SPOKANE VA...</b>						
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 174316464 ALGONA WA / SPOKANE VALLEY WA /						
420	111100	CEREAL OAT CIRCLES BOWL PKG 96/1 OZ	10/01/2021-10/15/2021	98001		LB
					4,140.000	
430	111100	CEREAL OAT CIRCLES BOWL PKG 96/1 OZ	10/01/2021-10/15/2021	99216		LB
					2,340.000	
<b>440 LOT: 210999955 CAGUAS PR / CANOVANAS ...</b>						
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450	111100	CEREAL OAT CIRCLES BOWL PKG 96/1 OZ	10/01/2021-10/15/2021	00725		LB
					3,330.000	
460	111100	CEREAL OAT CIRCLES BOWL PKG 96/1 OZ	10/01/2021-10/15/2021	00629		LB
					3,150.000	
<b>470 LOT: 218208364 CINCINNATI OH / CLEVEL...</b>						
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 218208364 CINCINNATI OH / CLEVELAND OH /						
480	111100	CEREAL OAT CIRCLES BOWL PKG 96/1 OZ	12/01/2021-12/15/2021	45241		LB
					2,400.000	
490	111100	CEREAL OAT CIRCLES BOWL PKG 96/1 OZ	12/01/2021-12/15/2021	44135		LB
					4,080.000	

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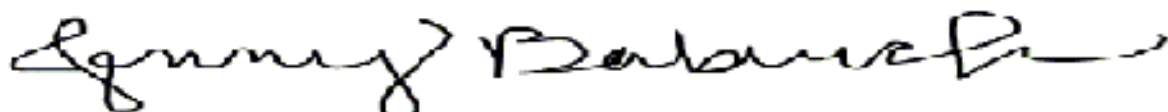
Item	Material	Description	Required by	ZipCode	Quantity	
<b>500 LOT: 291449396 ARECIBO PR / BAYAMON PR /</b>						
510	111100	CEREAL OAT CIRCLES BOWL PKG 96/1 OZ	12/01/2021-12/15/2021	00616		LB
					3,240.000	
520	111100	CEREAL OAT CIRCLES BOWL PKG 96/1 OZ	12/01/2021-12/15/2021	00956		LB
					3,240.000	
<b>530 LOT: 379563530 MAYAGUEZ PR / PONCE PR /</b>						
540	111100	CEREAL OAT CIRCLES BOWL PKG 96/1 OZ	10/01/2021-10/15/2021	00708		LB
					2,736.000	
550	111100	CEREAL OAT CIRCLES BOWL PKG 96/1 OZ	10/01/2021-10/15/2021	00731		LB
					3,744.000	
<b>560 LOT: 473248429 MAYAGUEZ PR / PONCE PR /</b>						
570	111100	CEREAL OAT CIRCLES BOWL PKG 96/1 OZ	11/01/2021-11/15/2021	00708		LB
					3,240.000	
580	111100	CEREAL OAT CIRCLES BOWL PKG 96/1 OZ	11/01/2021-11/15/2021	00731		LB
					3,240.000	
<b>590 LOT: 482610947 HELENA MT / OGDEN UT /</b>						
600	111100	CEREAL OAT CIRCLES BOWL PKG 96/1 OZ	10/01/2021-10/15/2021	59620		LB
					3,636.000	
610	111100	CEREAL OAT CIRCLES BOWL PKG 96/1 OZ	10/01/2021-10/15/2021	84401		LB
					2,844.000	
<b>620 LOT: 566063967 NEWARK NJ / VINELAND NJ /</b>						
630	111100	CEREAL OAT CIRCLES BOWL PKG 96/1 OZ	12/01/2021-12/15/2021	07114		LB
					3,240.000	
640	111100	CEREAL OAT CIRCLES BOWL PKG 96/1 OZ	12/01/2021-12/15/2021	08360		LB
					3,240.000	
<b>650 LOT: 643101510 ARECIBO PR / BAYAMON PR /</b>						
660	111100	CEREAL OAT CIRCLES BOWL PKG 96/1 OZ	10/01/2021-10/15/2021	00616		LB
					3,210.000	
670	111100	CEREAL OAT CIRCLES BOWL PKG 96/1 OZ	10/01/2021-10/15/2021	00956		LB
					3,270.000	
<b>680 LOT: 778203833 NEWARK NJ / VINELAND NJ /</b>						
690	111100	CEREAL OAT CIRCLES BOWL PKG 96/1 OZ	10/01/2021-10/15/2021	07114		LB
					3,240.000	
700	111100	CEREAL OAT CIRCLES BOWL PKG 96/1 OZ	10/01/2021-10/15/2021	08360		LB
					3,240.000	
<b>710 LOT: 807760693 CINCINNATI OH / CLEVEL..</b>						
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 807760693 CINCINNATI OH / CLEVELAND OH /						
720	111100	CEREAL OAT CIRCLES BOWL PKG 96/1 OZ	10/01/2021-10/15/2021	45241		LB

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					2,400.000	
730	111100	CEREAL OAT CIRCLES BOWL PKG 96/1 OZ	10/01/2021-10/15/2021	44135		LB
					4,080.000	
<b>740 LOT: 900660717 MADISON HEIGHTS VA / R..</b>						
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 900660717 MADISON HEIGHTS VA / RICHMOND VA /						
750	111100	CEREAL OAT CIRCLES BOWL PKG 96/1 OZ	10/01/2021-10/15/2021	24572		LB
					2,208.000	
760	111100	CEREAL OAT CIRCLES BOWL PKG 96/1 OZ	10/01/2021-10/15/2021	23230		LB
					4,272.000	
<b>Total Quantity for CEREAL OAT CIRCLES BOWL PKG 96/1 OZ</b>						<b>LB</b>
					194,400.000	
<b>Total Quantity for Invitation</b>						<b>LB</b>
					194,400.000	



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