

Summary of Changes to Program Solicitation, Cyber Physical Systems Executing in Real Time (CyPhER) Forge

DARPA-PS-26-04-01

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Amendment Release Date March 27, 2026 – All changes are in yellow and listed below

1. Title Page, Program Solicitation Number, Changed Program Solicitation Number from DARPA-PS-26-04 to DARPA-PS-26-04-01.
2. Title Page, Added “Amendment Release Date March 27, 2026”
3. Header and Footer, Changed Program Solicitation Number from DARPA-PS-26-04 to DARPA-PS-26-04-01.
4. Page iv, Product Service Code (PSC), Deleted AC13 and added AC12, National Defense Research and Development Services; Department of Defense - Military; Applied Research
5. Page iv, North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) Code, Deleted 541990 and added 541715 - Research and Development in the Physical, Engineering, and Life Sciences (except Nanotechnology and Biotechnology)
6. Page iv, Dates/Times, under “Event” column, added “Amendment 01 Release Date”.
7. Page iv, Dates/Times, under “Date / Due Date and Time*” column, the following due dates were changed to:
 - a. Amendment 01 Release Date, March 27, 2026
 - b. Abstracts, April 15, 2026
 - c. Oral Proposal Package (OPP) Questions, May 27, 2026
 - d. OPP, June 15, 2026
8. Page iv, Additional Information, Attachment G, added “Amendment 01”.
9. Attachment G, slide 11, bullet 3, the formula was corrected to change 1/M factor to 1/N. See updated attachment labeled “Amendment 01”.
10. Page 15, Section 2.6.2, paragraph 4, the paragraph was changed to add “*shows the plan, timeline, and interdependencies for all major tasks and.*” The revised paragraph now reads as follows:

The Oral Proposal Package will include a detailed Integrated Master Schedule (IMS) for Phase 1 Base and Phase 2 Option that shows the plan, timeline, and interdependencies for all major tasks and demonstrates the Proposer's understanding of the program scope and their approach to executing the requirements of this PS.

11. Page 21, Section 4.2, Item 1, Technical Understanding and Approach. The item was changed to add “and assumptions underlying the proposed compute architecture and integration approach.” Item 1 now reads as follows:

The proposed technical understanding and approach is accurate, and key technical challenges risks, and assumptions underlying the proposed compute architecture and integration approach are identified. The proposed technical approach is innovative and is likely to enable revolutionary advances and is not merely an evolutionary improvement to the existing state of practice. Task breakdown and schedule are achievable and complete. Overall, the proposer’s Abstract Summary Slide and Abstract demonstrate sound engineering judgment and technical insight.

12. Page 23, Section 5.1, Item 2, Deleted “are tentatively scheduled for April 2026” and replaced with “Reference the Program Solicitation Overview Information for due date and time for”

13. Page 25, Section 5.5, Item 1, Technical Understanding and Approach. The item was changed to add “and assumptions underlying the proposed compute architecture and integration approach.” Item 1 now reads as follows:

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14. Page 33, Section 7, added the definitions for “unknown risks”, “user-defined tolerance”, and “user-defined objectives”.