Eastern Lab Calibrations Questions and Answers

RFQ 123A9426Q0022

1. I am working on a quote for lab centrifuges in the Atlanta area. I wanted to make sure prior to sending paperwork that these are ISO17025 Accredited calibration requirements, correct?

1A. Yes, these are ISO 17025 accredited calibration requirements.

2. Can you clarify what level of cal you're requesting?

2A. These are ISO 17025 accredited calibration requirements.

3. Can you provide information or previous certificates for the equipment below? We do have the capability to perform Mixers and Centrifuges onsite but only depending on the test points required by the owner and accuracies of the unit.

3A. We do not currently have the previous certificates for the equipment below. The calibrations were performed by ACS Calibration on December 8, 2025. They are calibrated to the same standards as centrifuges.

4. Also, the manufacture model number would be different than what is listed below. We would need the manufacture model number, for example: 9456TAHDUSA is a Talboys MFR model number. This provides us with the specifications/accuracies required to perform the calibrations.

Talboys	Talboys Heavy Duty Vortex 120V ADV	SHK_E09271	C308732933	
Talboys	Talboys Heavy Duty Vortex 120V ADV	SHK_E09352	C245215140	

Talboys	Talboys Heavy Duty Vortex 120V ADV	SHK_E09353	C249365207	
Talboys	Talboys Heavy Duty Vortex 120V ADV	SHK_E09355	C245241695	
Talboys	Talboys Heavy Duty Vortex 120V ADV	SHK_E09431	C245241674	

4A. Manufacturer Model # 9456TAHDUSA

5. Can you clarify if you are requesting 17025 level of calibration?

5A. This requirement is for 17025 level of calibration.

6. I will get working on your quote and just had a few questions and wanted to make sure we are on the same page. It looks like the original Email had some attachments that I cannot open. If you would not mind getting those to me?

6A. The original RFQ, 123A9426Q0022, was posted sam.gov, and the supporting documents are available to download there.

7. Also will my quote be submitted directly to this email or through a Portal?

7A. As noted on page 14 in the RFQ, please submit quotations to the contract specialist at eric.schnitzler@usda.gov.

8. We would like to know if this is a brand new contract OR if there is (was) an incumbent performing these services? If not brand new, could you please provide the current / previous contract number?

8A. This service was previously performed by ACS Calibrations under purchase order 123A9425P0014.

9. What is the current month these items are due?

9A. The anticipated period of performance is 09/03/2026 – 09/02/2027.

10. These items would be available to calibrate in a single visit?

10A. The vendor shall quote the anticipated of visits necessary to calibrate the equipment.