



MCNEESE STATE UNIVERSITY

LAKE CHARLES, LOUISIANA 70609

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REQUEST FOR BID

DATE	BID NUMBER
08/26/25	L2600032

PURCHASING CONTACT	PHONE	REQUEST NO.	DEPARTMENT	VENDOR I.D. NO.
Kayla DeVillier	--	R2600917	Chief Information Tec	000007815

SEE STANDARD TERMS & CONDITIONS TO BIDDERS.

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VENDOR:

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RESPONSE DUE 08/29/25 Bid due @ 10:30 AM

No.	Quantity	Description	Unit	Unit Price	Extension
		<p>Request for Faxed Bid (FB)</p> <p>*****</p> <p>THIS IS A COMPETITIVE BID FOR META QUEST 3 (512 GB) ALL-IN-ONE MIXED REALITY HEADSET WHICH INCLUDES A 3-MONTH TRIAL OF META HORIZON+ SUBSCRIPTION & A ONE-YEAR LIMITED WARRANTY WITH EVERY META QUEST HEADSET AND IN-BOX ACCESSORY.</p> <p>-</p> <p>THE USE OF A BRAND NAME IS FOR THE PURPOSE OF DESCRIBING THE STANDARD OF QUALITY, PERFORMANCE, AND CHARACTERISTICS DESIRED AND IS NOT INTENDED TO LIMIT OR RESTRICT COMPETITION.</p> <p>*****</p> <p>BIDDERS PROPOSING AN EQUIVALENT BRAND OR MODEL SHOULD SUBMIT WITH THE BID INFORMATION (SUCH AS ILLUSTRATIONS, DESCRIPTIVE LITERATURE, TECHNICAL DATA) SUFFICIENT TO EVALUATE QUALITY, SUITABILITY, AND COMPLIANCE WITH THE SPECIFICATIONS IN THE SOLICITATION. FAILURE TO SUBMIT DESCRIPTIVE INFORMATION MAY CAUSE THE BID TO BE REJECTED. ANY CHANGE MADE TO A MANUFACTURER'S PUBLISHED SPECIFICATIONS SUBMITTED FOR A PRODUCT SHALL BE</p>			
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1	21	Meta Quest 3 512GB VR Goggles The ultimate mixed reality device with Unfinite Display for the widest and most expansive field of view of any Quest, 4K resolution, premium comfort, and the most storage. Two displays (2064x2208 resolution per eye) combined with Meta's Infinite Display optical stack. (Box contains: Meta Quest 3 Headset with adjustable pre-installed Standard Facial Interface, 2 Touch Plus Controllers wrist straps and AA Batteries, charging cable and power adapter) INCLUDES A 3-MONTH TRIAL OF META HORIZON+ AND 1 YEAR LIMITED WARRANTY ON EVERY	EA		

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PROPOSALS: The proposal must be received by the Purchasing Department, McNeese State University, before the time set for receiving bids. Bids received after the time set will not be considered. Bidder shall assume full responsibility for timely delivery at location designated for receipt of bids. Prices must be clear and be written in ink or typewritten, and the ITB AND Terms & Conditions must be signed in ink. Be sure bid number and due date are clearly shown on outside of package or envelope. Please see return address on the face of the bid form.

STANDARDS OF QUALITY AND ANY ALTERNATE: Any product or service bid shall conform to all applicable Federal and State Laws and Regulations and the specifications contained in the solicitation. Unless otherwise specified in the solicitation, any manufacturer's name, trade name, brand name, or catalog number used in the specification is for the purpose of describing the standard of quality, performance, and characteristics desired and is not intended to limit or restrict competition. Bidder must specify the brand and model number of the product offered in his bid. Bids not specifying brand and model number shall be considered as offering the exact products specified in the solicitation.

When a Pre-Bid Conference is scheduled, no alternative will be considered unless the above conditions are complied with and the "Request for Approval of Alternate" form is completed and returned. This form will be attached when applicable. Only alternates which are approved and acknowledged by addendum following the Pre-Bid Conference will be considered for award at the bid opening. **DO NOT SUBMIT BIDS ON UNAPPROVED ALTERNATES.**

The burden of proof of the merit of the proposed substitute is upon the proposer. The Purchasing Director's decision of approval or rejection of a proposed substitute shall be final.

SAMPLES/DESCRIPTIVE LITERATURE: The envelope/package containing samples and/or descriptive literature submitted by mail for consideration at the Pre-Bid Conference must be labeled in accordance with the instructions given on the "Request for Approval of Alternate" form.

When requested, samples submitted will be returned at bidder's risk and expense provided they have not been made useless through tests.

PRICES: Unless otherwise specified by McNeese in the solicitation, bid prices must be complete, including transportation prepaid by bidder to destination and firm for acceptance for a minimum of 30 days. If accepted, prices must be firm for the contractual period. Bids other than F.O.B. destination may be rejected. Prices should be quoted in the unit (each, box, case, etc.) as specified in the solicitation.

BID OPENING: Bidders may attend the bid opening, but no information or opinions concerning the ultimate contract award will be given at the bid opening or during the evaluation process. Bids may be examined within 72 hours after bid opening. Information pertaining to completed files may be secured by visiting McNeese during normal working hours. Written bid tabulations will not be furnished.

AWARD OF BIDS: McNeese State University reserves the right to award items separately, grouped, or on an all-or-none basis, and to reject any or all bids and waive any informalities incident thereto.

DELIVERY FAILURE: If the vendor fails to make delivery within the time specified on bid documents or within a reasonable time if no delivery time is specified McNeese reserves the right to cancel the item and to purchase it elsewhere. Any increase in price and/or cost of handling will be charged to the vendor making the original unsatisfactory delivery. Consistent unsatisfactory deliveries will be considered just cause for deleting a vendor from bid lists.

TERMINATION OF THIS AGREEMENT FOR CAUSE/CONVENIENCE: McNeese may terminate this agreement for cause based upon the failure of Contractor to comply with the terms and/or conditions of the Agreement, or failure to fulfill its performance obligations pursuant to this agreement, provided that McNeese shall give the Contractor written notice specifying the Contractor's failure. If within thirty (30) days after receipt of such notice, the Contractor shall not have corrected such failure or, in the case of failure which cannot be corrected in thirty (30) days, begun in good faith to correct such failure and thereafter proceeded diligently to complete such correction, then McNeese may, at its option, place the Contractor in default and the Agreement shall terminate on the date specified in such notice.

The Contractor may exercise any rights available to it under Louisiana law to terminate for cause upon the failure of McNeese to comply with the terms and conditions of this agreement, provided the Contractor shall give McNeese written notice specifying McNeese's failure and a reasonable opportunity for McNeese to cure the defect.

McNeese may terminate the Contract at any time by giving thirty (30) days written notice to the Contractor of such termination or negotiating with the Contractor an effective date.

SOLICITATIONS FOR (MOST) GOODS, NOT SERVICES, INCLUDE THE LOUISIANA PRODUCT PREFERENCE AS STATED BELOW:
IN ACCORDANCE WITH LOUISIANA REVISED STATUTES 39:1604, A PREFERENCE MAY BE ALLOWED FOR PRODUCTS MANUFACTURED, PRODUCED, GROWN, OR ASSEMBLED IN LOUISIANA OF EQUAL QUALITY.

PREFERENCES SHALL NOT APPLY TO SERVICE CONTRACTS.

Do you claim this Preference? YES _____ NO _____

Specify Line Number(s): _____

Specify location within Louisiana where this product is manufactured, produced, grown or assembled: _____
NOTE: If more space is required, include on separate sheet.)

Do you have a Louisiana business workforce? YES _____ NO _____

If so, do you certify that at least fifty percent (50%) of your Louisiana business workforce is comprised of Louisiana residents? YES _____ NO _____

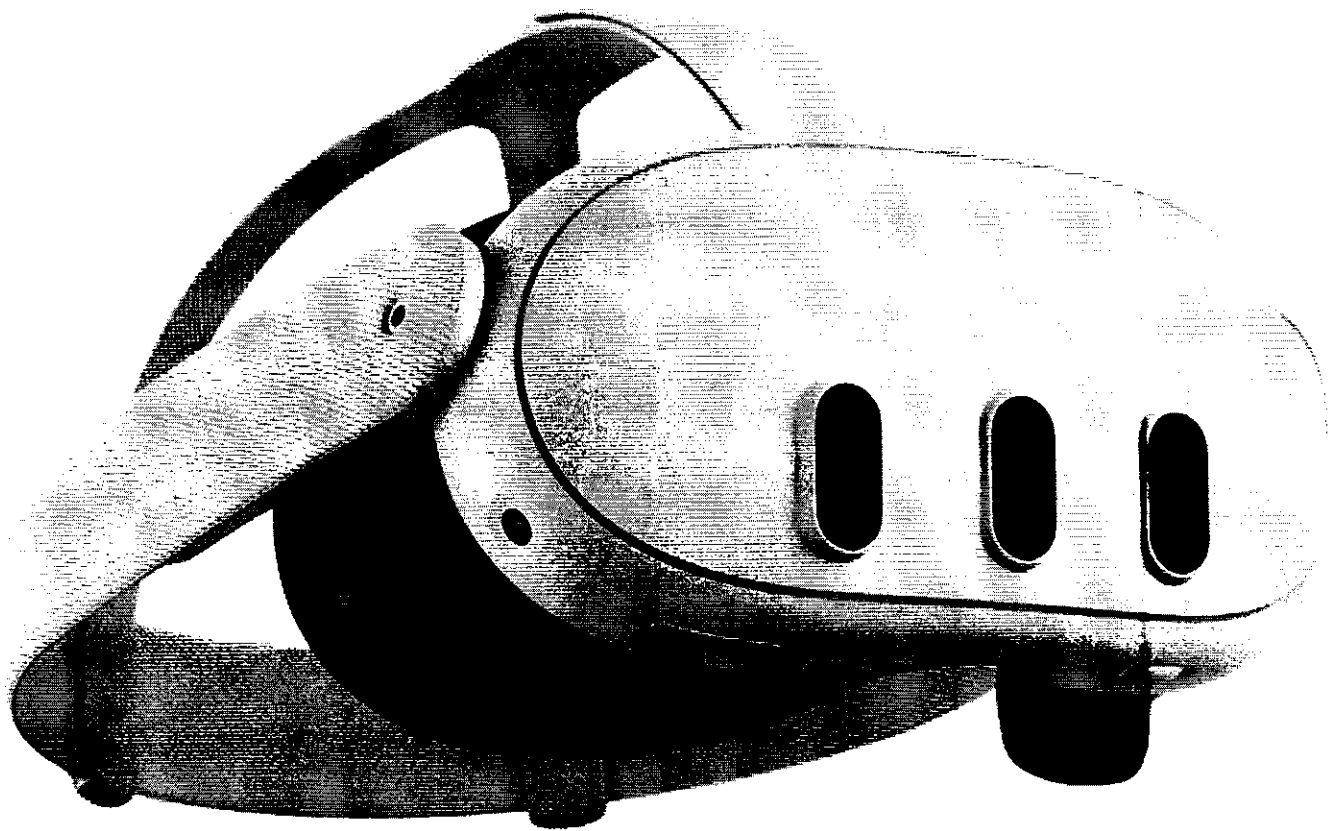
IN ACCORDANCE WITH L.R.S. 39:1594 (ACT 121), THE PERSON SIGNING THE BID MUST BE:

1. A current corporate officer, partnership member or other individual specifically authorized to submit a bid as reflected in the appropriate records on file with the Secretary of State; or
2. An individual authorized to bind the vendor as reflected by a corporate resolution, certificate or affidavit; or
3. Other documents indicating authority which are acceptable to the public entity.

By signing and returning this document (along with bid), you are certifying compliance with all Terms and Conditions set forth.

Signature & Company Name

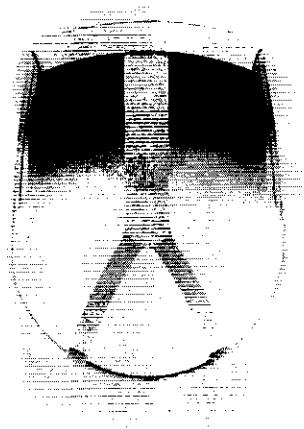
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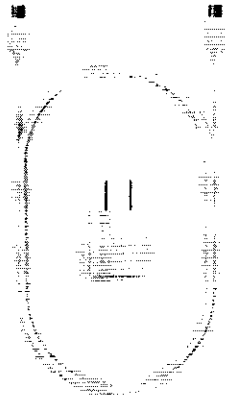
- High definition
- 2.2-hour battery life
- 512GB of storage

In the box



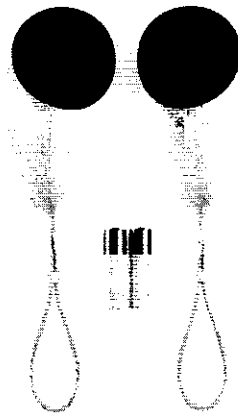
All-in-one headset

Meta Quest 3 Headset with adjustable pre-installed Standard Facial Interface



Universal Power Adapter

Power adapter comes with 1-meter USB-C
charging and data cable



Touch Plus Controllers

2 Touch Plus Controllers with wrist straps and 2
AA Batteries

1y WARRANTY

One-year limited warranty

Every Meta Quest headset and in-box accessory
comes with a 1-year limited warranty.

Meta Horizon+

Meta Horizon+ subscription

Enjoy a catalog of games, plus 2 curated titles
each month with your 3-month trial.**

ERGONOMICS

Comfort

Premium slim design for balanced, lightweight comfort.

Strap design

Soft adjustable strap accommodates a variety of head shapes and hairstyles; Hard strap is available and sold separately.

Depth adjustment

Easily adjust the facial interface closer or farther from your face to improve comfort and field of view.

Headset weight

515 grams. Quest 3 is 30% slimmer than Quest 2.*

*Excluding the facial interface.

Display and optics technology

Display resolution

2064x2208 pixels per eye enhances resolution by nearly 30% compared to Meta Quest 2 for next-level clarity and lifelike graphics. 4K+ Infinite Display with 25 PPD and 1218 PPI brings the best resolution across the entire Quest line of devices.

Refresh rate

72Hz, 90Hz, 120Hz.

Field of view

110 degrees horizontal and 96 degrees vertical. This extends your peripheral vision to let you see more of virtual worlds,

Tech specs

Core overview

Power

Advanced hardware stack and the first headset with the Snapdragon XR2 Gen 2, delivering double the GPU processing power for faster load times and more seamless gameplay compared to Meta Quest 2. This brings enough power to support heavy applications like fast-action gaming, seamless full-color, high-resolution passthrough and so much more.

Storage

512GB. Higher storage allows you to download more experiences to your headset, or video content for offline viewing.

Mixed reality

2 RGB cameras with 18 PPD for 4.5X better passthrough resolution, in full color, compared to Quest 2. Delivers high-fidelity views of your surroundings while you see virtual objects appear in your physical space. Accurate depth projection and room mapping gives you freedom to move throughout your space and interact with virtual characters or objects in the room around you.

Audio

Integrated stereo speakers with 3D spatial audio places you in your space with 40% louder audio range, bass range and optimal L/R matching capabilities. 3.5mm audio jack for headphones and sound output to external audio devices.

DRAM

Eye tracking

Not featured.

Meta Quest Touch Plus Controllers

Comfort

Play comfortably with a streamlined, ring-free design. Experience more natural movement and precise input as if they're a natural extension of your hands.

Haptics

TruTouch variable haptics provide tactile feedback, enabling a more holistic range of in-experience sensations so you can touch, move and react realistically within virtual environments.

Experience

Mixed reality passthrough

2 RGB Color cameras and depth projector for improved depth and resolution.

Direct touch hand tracking

Advanced hybrid computer vision and machine learning sensors follow your gestures, with 4 IR cameras and 2 RGB cameras to enable controller-free navigation and more intuitive control. Simply move your hands to tap, scroll, navigate and play.

Content library

Thousands of experiences. There's something for everyone to discover in more immersive ways, thanks to mixed reality and better performance enabling faster load times, seamless play and ultra-realistic graphics.

Backwards compatibility

scattered light artifacts.*

Lens adjustment

Accommodated IPD range: 53-75 mm, with mechanical lens spacing adjustment wheel for smooth adjustment and better visual clarity.

Our innovative optical design allows for an eye box that covers a wider range of interpupillary distances than ever before. Use the table to understand if your IPD is within the Quest 3 accommodated range:

Mechanical Lens Spacing (mm) Distance you see in headset	IPD range acommodated (mm)
58 (min)	53-63
59	54-64
60	55-65
61	56-66
62	57-67
63	58-68
64	59-69
65	60-70
66	61-71
67	62-72
68	63-73

PC support

Supported with Meta Quest Link Cable and Air Link to connect your headset to the power of your PC to unlock yet another level of gameplay (available separately).

Charging

Battery life

Up to 2.2 hours of usage on average

Gaming: 2.4 hours of usage on average

Social: 2.2 hours of usage on average

Productivity: 1.5 hours of usage on average

Media: 2.9 hours of usage on average

As with most battery powered devices, battery life is dependent on various factors such as device settings, usage, age of battery, Bluetooth usage, and wireless conditions.

Charge time

Approximately 2.3 hours with the included 18W power adapter (headset only).

Easy charging

Built-in USB-C port for charging and connectivity. Contact pads on bottom of device simplify charging, when combined with the external dock accessory (available separately).

Wi-Fi



Wi-Fi 6E certified (region permitting).