

REQUEST FOR INFORMATION ANALYSIS

Executive Summary

The overall supply chain needs and views, and in particular the 3rd Tier Suppliers' one, will be taken into account in VIVACE through the dedicated work package WP0.3.

The first active task in WP0.3 is task T0.3.1 related to the selection of a core group of 3rd Tier Suppliers that will join the VIVACE project. This selection leverages well-established channels (such as AeroSME or ENHANCE supply chain database), the companies that expressed their interest during the "expression of interest" phase of the project preparation and the chain of subcontractors of the key stakeholders involved in VIVACE (Airbus group, Rolls-Royce group, Avio, Eurocopter, Snecma, VAC).

The process used to select the groups of suppliers at different stages of the project is described in this document.

Selected 3rd Tier Suppliers of two types will have the responsibility to ensure the adequacy of VIVACE developed Processes, Methods and Tools for the Supply Chain needs and constraints. This will be done through WP0.3 tasks and through direct participation of technical work packages of VIVACE.

Dedicated dissemination and training activities are also planned.

The final WP 0.3 structure that takes into account all 3rd Tier suppliers expected activities is presented in this document and will be included in a future revision of VIVACE Description of Work (DoW).