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QRs/TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS OF MICRO UNMANNED AERIAL VEHICLE (UAV) SYSTEM

1. Micro UAV system should consist of the following sub-systems:-

- a) UAV Bird with battery pack
- b) Ground Control station with data link equipment
- c) Daylight Camera Payload
- d) Night Camera Payload
- e) Universal Battery Charger with Power Supply System

2. Micro UAV characteristics:-

Sl. No.	Parameter	Specifications
2.1	Role	Surveillance, reconnaissance and detection during day and night.
2.2	Launch and Recovery mode	i) Vertical Take Off and Landing (VTOL) from within an area of 25m X 25m clearing or less. ii) Payload should not damage during recovery of UAV
2.3	Aural Signature	<40dbs at 300 meters
2.4	Payloads carrying capability	Should have capable to carry electro Optic (EO) for day and Thermal Imager (TI) for night one at a time.
2.5	Flight Modes	a) Fully Autonomous Vertical Take Off b) Fully Autonomous Vertical Landing c) Hover at defined waypoint (position hold better than 25m) d) Autonomous waypoint navigation (pre-defined as well as dynamically adjustable waypoints during flight) e) Remote Piloted mode for video based user navigation. f) Vision based Autonomous Target Tracking of fixed and moving targets. g) Should be controllable in real time from the GCS up to recovery. h) Fully autonomous and stabilized.
2.6	Endurance	40 minutes or more with all payloads at Mean Sea Level.
2.7	Operating Altitude	400m AGL (Above Ground Level) or more.
2.8	Max Launch Altitude	2000m AMSL (Above Mean Sea Level)
2.9	Range of Operation	Minimum 4km line of sight
2.10	Cruise Speed	25 km/h or more
2.11	Operating Wind Conditions	a) Take off: 20 km/h or more b) Landing: 20 km/h or more c) Operate: 20 km/h or more
2.12	Failsafe features	a) Return to Home on communication failure b) Return to Home/Land on low battery c) Multiple GPS on-board for GPS failure redundancy
2.13	Propulsion system	Electrical with rechargeable batteries

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3. Payload characteristics:-

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3.1	Payloads required	a) Electro Optic (EO) for day (colour) b) Thermal Imager (TI) for night c) Combined in single payload or different payloads for day and night
3.2	Payload and Video Stabilization	a) All payloads should be gimbals stabilised on-board. b) Video output should be digitally stabilised at all zoom levels. c) Quality of video should not be affected by UAV vibrations.
3.3	Electro optic (EO) Daylight Payload	a) Colour Camera with 360° pan and 90° tilt control. b) Resolution: 640 x 480 pixels or better b) Optical Zoom: 10x zoom with minimum FOV 5° or less. Additionally, 4x digital zoom. Max. FOV: 45° (wide field). c) Should be able to detect Human size target at 600m or more
3.4	Thermal Imager (TI) Night Payload	a) Thermal Camera with 360° pan and 90° tilt control. b) Resolution: 320 x 240 pixels or better c) White/Black Hot modes d) Digital Zoom: 4X or more e) Should be able to detect human size target at 300m or more
3.5	Night Recovery Beacon	Switchable (from GCS) LED light when operating with Night Payload

4. Ground Control Station characteristics:-

Sl. No.	Parameter	Specifications
4.1		GCS should have a MIL-STD-810 and IP65 rugged, water and dust resistant design for the flexibility to work freely in nearly any environment, top with a multicolour, anti-glare, sunlight readable.
4.2	Computing Hardware :-	
	CPU	Intel Core i5 v Pro Processor, 1.9 GHz or better
	Storage	At least 200GB
	Memory	2GB or more
	Display	10 inch - 1024 x 768 XGA sunlight viewable
	Audio	Integrated speaker
	Keyboard & input	Touch screen
4.3	Battery Operation	Minimum two hours at peak utilisation.
4.4	Battery Charging time	Should be less than 3.5 hours
4.5	Data portability	Ports for data transfer to external secondary storage devices
4.6	Interface	VGA, Headphone/speaker, Microphone/ Line-in Serial, USB, IEEE 1394a, 10/100/1000 Ethernet.
4.7	Capability	a) Transmit control commands to UAV. b) Receive UAV flight and propulsion parameters. c) Receive, display and record real time day and night video from UAV. d) Capability to control UAV while on the move.

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4.8	GCS Application Software	<p>a) Geographic Map along with UAV location, UAV trajectory, camera view polygon, waypoints and flight plan</p> <p>b) Real-time video from the UAV with on-screen display of important parameters like UAV co-ordinates, target (payload) co-ordinates and range from UAV, true North indication etc.</p> <p>c) Geographic map and real-time video should be displayed at all times during the flight</p> <p>d) Geographic map and real-time video views should be resizable and/or switchable to allow user to switch between big map/small video and small map/big video views through a single click/button input</p> <p>e) Artificial Horizon indicating UAV attitude</p>
4.9	Map Formats	<p>a) Should have the capability to integrate geo-referenced raster maps provided in at least one of the commonly used digital map formats (gif, tiff etc.)</p> <p>b) Should be able to work with Google Maps, application should have the capability to download maps automatically after specifying location GPS co-ordinates</p>
4.10	Payload Controls	<p>a) Selection and switch on/off of payload</p> <p>b) Pan/Tilt/Zoom Controls</p> <p>c) Point payload to ground co-ordinate function</p> <p>d) Recording on/off</p> <p>e) Switch on/off Night Recovery Beacon</p>
4.11	Video	<p>a) Video should be recorded in any commonly portable video formats (AVI, MPEG, MP4 etc.)</p> <p>b) Video of the full flight should be recorded</p> <p>c) Should have capability to take image snapshots at any time during flight</p> <p>d) Software should be provided that will facilitate extraction of imagery from the recorded video post flight</p>
4.12	Pre-flight checks	Self-test of UAV system, Output: go/no go

5. Communication Link:-

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5.1	Communication link equipment capability	<p>i) Transmit control commands from GCS to UAV</p> <p>ii) Transmit parameter of UAV and payload to GCS</p> <p>iii) Transmit day and night video from UAV to GCS</p>
5.2	Type of link	Secured digital uplink & downlink with AES encryption.
5.3	Frequency Band	System should operate on UHF frequency Band uplink and down link, preferably on license free band i.e 2.4Ghz.

6. General System requirements:-

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6.1	Size	<p>i) Length & width (Maximum) :: 120 cm X 120 cm</p> <p>ii) Height (Maximum) :: 60 cm</p>
6.2	Weight	The weight of complete Micro UAV bird including battery pack & one payload should be less than 4kg.

6.3	Assembly/ Disassembly time	Less than 10 minutes each.
6.4	Life of Micro UAV	The total technical life of micro UAV should not be less than 500 landings.
6.5	Environmental Conditions for Operation and Storage	The UAV and associated systems should be certified for operation and storage for following environment conditions. i) Damp Heat: 40 °C at RH not less than 95% ii) Operating temperature & Storage temp:- -10°C to +55°C iii) Ability to withstand dust, drizzle and humid conditions
6.6	Portability and Operation	The Micro UAV should be battery operated portable, light in weight, compact, for day and night surveillance, capable of being carried and operated by two men.
6.7	Battery	The intelligent standard lithium based battery pack should have the back up of minimum- 40 minutes.
6.8	Battery Charger	Suitable universal battery charger to charge the batteries within two to three hours.
6.9	Accessories	a) Ergonomic Water- proof Back Packs: 1 set b) Field Repair kit: 1 No's c) Lithium based Battery packs; 3No's d) Spare propeller Sets: 2 No's e) Spare Landing Gear sets: 1 No's f) Associated Cables & Mountings: 1set g) Ruggedized transportation boxes: 1set h) User, Technical & Maintenance Manual: 1set i) Log book : 1 set

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