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ANU signs on for DUG McCloud

The DUG Technology group (ASX: DUG) (“**DUG**”) is pleased to announce that it has signed a master service agreement and work order with the Australian National University (“**ANU**”), School of Computing to provide high-performance computing (“**HPC**”) services, storage and training using DUG McCloud.

Committed revenue is A\$500,000 (ex GST) over a contract term of 24 months.

The ANU signing has further cemented DUG in the tertiary education sector, having already signed agreements with Curtin University of Technology, University of Western Australia, Australian Catholic Universities and Imperial College London.

Commenting on the agreement, DUG Managing Director Dr Matthew Lamont said: “We are very pleased with this agreement and look forward to expanding our working relationship with ANU. With DUG McCloud and our green HPC offerings, we are excited to play a role in turbocharging ANU’s scientific endeavours and helping them achieve their sustainability goals. The McCloud platform is ideal for meeting the advanced security and system integrity needs of their research initiatives.”

Additionally, DUG has recently received positive feedback from a number of Software and HPCaaS clients regarding their experience on the DUG McCloud platform.

IT numerical modelling specialist Dr Guido Cadenazzi said: “I have been using the DUG infrastructure for a little under a year. They are, by a wide margin, the best cloud-computing provider I’ve ever worked with. The combination of having both HPC and physics-modelling experts on staff is incredibly powerful. On numerous occasions, and as a matter of regular operations, DUG experts have suggested small but valuable improvements to my weather-model workflows. Altogether, this amounts to significant improvements in efficiency and throughput. As the end-user, by working with DUG, I get my results sooner, with more reliability and at a better price than the competition. I cannot recommend them highly enough.”

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About DUG

DUG is an ASX listed technology company, headquartered in Australia, that specialises in analytical software development and reliable, green, high-performance computing (HPC). The company is built on a strong foundation of applied science and a history of converting research into practical, real-world solutions. DUG delivers innovative software products and cost-effective, cloud-based HPC as a service backed by bespoke support for technology onboarding. DUG's expertise in algorithm development and code optimisation enables clients to leverage big data and solve complex problems.

DUG is a global company with offices in Perth, London, Houston and Kuala Lumpur, supporting a diverse industrial client-base that includes radio-astronomy, biomedicine and meteorology, as well as the resource, government and education sectors. DUG designs, owns, and operates a network of some of the largest and greenest supercomputers on Earth. The company continues to invest and innovate at the forefront of software and HPC, working towards a climate-positive future.

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