

**This document contains questions that were submitted after the OSINT RFI Question and Answer session #1 and differ from those included in the first posting on 4 May. This supplements the already posted Q&A document.**

#	Question	Response
133	What legal entity will the collection be done under (NATO as an international Organization)?	The collection envisioned to occur will be accomplished by NATO itself, since it is a legal entity under international law, separate from nations.
134	Will there be any legal constraints by allied nations? I.e. a certain nation does not allow Level 2.	Please specify, what you mean by 'legal constraints by allied nations'. Because collection is to be accomplished by NATO as an entity, all 30 nations will have already raised their legal concerns regarding the collection of data.
135	What 'level' of OSINT is required - does ACT want to go beyond Level 2?	NATO does not specify levels numerically. However, according to NATO OSINT Policy, NATO OSINT remains either Overt or Discreet as for methods of collection. NATO does not conduct Covert or Clandestine collection. Additionally, OSINT collection activities that require false persona or active human engagement entailing false information or collection processes, tools or techniques are NOT permitted by NATO personnel.
136	Does NATO have any OSINT rules or regulations that a vendor would need to be aware of outside those already in place for the US Government regarding the management of data. (access, store, process, retrieve, disseminate).	NATO is not familiar with the framework of rules and regulations used by the US Government regarding management of data. At the RFI-stage of the project, we are not considering these concerns yet since we are still in the concept phase of possibilities. We understand the concerns regarding the OSINT rules and regulations and how they may affect your proposed solutions for our RFI. However, we are restricted in our releasability of the OSINT Policy, and therefore ask that respondents use their best judgement at this early stage of our capability development process.
137	Our model works on a subscription to access data. Can this model be proposed in the RFI response ?	Yes. We are open to all possibilities since we are in the RFI stage and seeking solutions in the realm of possible.
138	Depending on your needs, we can also provide an identification software and the equipment (facial recognition and text based search tool). Should this tool also be part of the RFI response?	Yes. We are open to all possibilities since we are in the RFI stage and seeking solutions in the realm of possible. Feel free to propose any technologies you deem to be relevant to the information provided in the RFI document.
139	Are there releasable standards for FMN compliance so that we can answer Q12 of the Capability Overview? Are these rules general or do they accommodate different propositions, such as SaaS products?	See the pdf files included on the OSINT RFI webpage regarding FMN for additional information. Please keep in mind that while the final capability is required to be FMN compliant, direct knowledge and experience should not preclude submission to this RFI.
140	Also wondering whether the NATO OSINT Policy has been made releasable yet, just in case that was mentioned on today's Q&A session.	Unfortunately, we are not able to release the NATO OSINT Policy to the general public. Respondants are asked to use their best judgement as well as common industry/government standards as a reference, especially at this early stage of our capability development process.