Following specifications are required for **Solar simulator for solar cell studies**:

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| 2    | Measurement Range               | Voltage : 0 to 2 V  
Current : 0 to 10A                                                                                                                                                                                       |
| 3    | Data Acquisition -              | Voltage and Current ADC resolution 16 BITS, Setting Voltage resolution DAC 12 BITS.                                                                                                                                 |
| 4    | Cell Testing                    | SOLUX DC Light Sources fixed on top and Solar PV Cell placed inside a Glass Top Metal Enclosure. The contacting mechanism is a isolated top and bottom gold coated spring loaded pins mounted prong, which holds the solar cell in horizontal position. The Reference Pyranometer is mounted inside the enclosure for exact measurement of the instantaneous insolation during the characterization.  
The inside volume of the enclosure is temperature controlled with external air chiller / heater.  
The Temperature range of control is 10DegC – 80DegC.  
Thermocouple/RTD is used to sense the temperature inside the enclosure for control.                                                                 |
| 5    | Light Source                    | **Multiple** SOLUX DC Light Sources for illumination.                                                                                                                                                      |
| 6    | Illumination Uniformity         | ± 3% over entire test area                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| 7    | Reference Solar Cell /Pyranometer | A Silicon based Pyranometer Will be coupled to the electronic circuitry to monitor illumination intensity for acquiring the on-line irradiance of the Light during the characterization. |
| 8    | Variable Insolation             | 70-110mW/cm², measured by reference solar cell and acquired by micro-controller.                                                                                                                           |
| 9    | Electronic Load                 | A Microcontroller controlled SOURCEMETER electronic load for automatically varying the module load to plot the I-V curve.                                                                                   |
| 10   | Test Cell Types                 | a) Mono Crystalline ( AR coated & non AR coated )  
b) Poly crystalline ( AR coated & non AR coated )  
c) Organic Solar Cells.                                                                                                                                 |
| 11   | External Chiller                | External AIR Chiller will be provided for supplying chilled air to cool the preheated Solar Cell from HOT to COLD temperatures.                                                                             |
| 12   | Temperature Control             | The cell testing temperature is Measured from a sensor during testing to allow Temperature compensation of the I-V data. For I-V Characterization w.r.t. to the temperature, the Solar cell will be initially heated to required temperature and allowed to be cooled by pumping chilled air from the reservoir thereby reducing the temp of the cell from Hot to Cold. The Embedded Micro-controller will continuously monitor the Solar cell temperature and characterize the cell at required programmed temperatures. The system can generate |
the IV for the cell for all temperatures right from the programmed HOT and COLD temperatures in a single HOT to COLD temperature run.

13 Extrapolation of I-V data
Option in the software menu for extrapolating the data to the required temperature and Sun-Insolation.

14 Computer Interface
The System is Microcontroller based and has its own LCD displays for the parameters. However the RS-232C Interface provided enables the user to download data to a computer for storage, retrieval and printing with user friendly software.

15 Deliverables
Solar Cell Characterizer with DC SOLUX Lamps
LAPTOP for Data Acquisition.
DeskJet Printer.
External Air Chiller with Temperature Controller.
Operation Manual

16 Spares
Set of Spare Lamps
Set of Gold Coated Spring Loaded Pins for top and bottom arm.

Please send the above quotations latest by 21/9/2012

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