



# Alliant 2 Small Business GWAC

Supporting Your Mission with Government-wide Acquisition Contracts

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## Introduction to the Alliant 2 Small Business GWAC

GSA's Alliant 2 Small Business (A2SB) will be a multiple-award, indefinite-delivery, indefinite-quantity (IDIQ) Government-wide Acquisition Contract (GWAC) offering comprehensive and flexible IT solutions worldwide. A2SB will provide best-value information technology (IT) solutions to federal agencies, while strengthening opportunities in federal contracting for small businesses.

The scope of A2SB is aligned with the Federal Enterprise Architecture, which encompasses all components of an integrated IT solution, including new technologies that may emerge during the life cycle of the contract. This GWAC will provide IT solutions through performance of a broad range of services, which may include the integration of various technologies critical to the services being acquired.

Features	Benefits
A \$15 billion dollar program ceiling and a five-year base period with one five-year option	Allows for long-term planning of large-scale program requirements
Scope aligned with Federal Enterprise Architecture (FEA) and Department of Defense Enterprise Architecture (DODEA)	Conforms to Office of Management and Budget (OMB) policy mandates for IT investments and coincides with the current IT definition at any given time
All contract types, e.g., fixed-price, cost-reimbursement, labor-hour and time-and-materials	Offers flexibility of contract types for optimal risk mitigation
Ancillary support permitted when it is integral to and necessary for the IT services-based outcome	Facilitates integrated IT solutions
Access to exceptionally qualified industry partners	Enables innovative solutions at competitive prices from experienced providers
Pre-competted, easy-to-use contract with streamlined ordering procedures based on FAR 16.505	Saves time and money by reducing procurement lead time
Complimentary scope-compatibility reviews	Promotes contract compliance and reduces risk of adverse audits
Supports Fair Opportunity	Enhances solutions and fosters competition
No protests on orders \$10 million and under, except on the grounds that the order increases the scope, period of performance, or maximum value of the GWAC	Minimizes protest risk and supports timely order award for optimal mission support

## Ordering

Prior to issuing orders under Alliant 2 Small Business, federal contracting officers (COs) must receive training on the use of the contract and be granted a written delegation of procurement authority from the GWAC program office.

Future training will be offered at no cost via:

- On-site training conferences and events
- Conference calls
- Web or video conference
- A self-paced, online course at the Defense Acquisition University – [www.dau.mil](http://www.dau.mil)

## For More Information

For more information about how the Alliant 2 Small Business GWAC can provide your agency with state-of-the-art IT solutions, contact the Small Business GWAC Acquisition Center at (877) 327-8732, email [A2SB@gsa.gov](mailto:A2SB@gsa.gov), or visit [www.gsa.gov/alliant2](http://www.gsa.gov/alliant2).

