

**AUTHORIZED FEDERAL SUPPLY SERVICE  
INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY SCHEDULE PRICELIST  
GENERAL PURPOSE COMMERCIAL INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY  
EQUIPMENT, SOFTWARE AND SERVICES**

This price list covers Frontline Systems' Solver products for optimization and simulation of user models defined in Microsoft Excel or in a programming language. **Premium Solver** and **Premium Solver Platform** are compatible upgrades to the basic Solver included with Excel (which Frontline Systems developed for Microsoft), capable of solving much larger problems at much higher speeds. **Risk Solver Engine** performs high-speed Monte Carlo simulation of Excel models, and works with Premium Solver and Premium Solver Platform to find solutions for simulation optimization models. **Solver Platform SDK** supports optimization and simulation of models defined in C/C#/C++, Visual Basic/VB.NET, Java and MATLAB; its object model is compatible with the Premium Solver and Risk Solver object models. **Large-Scale Solver Engines** "plug in" to both Premium Solver Platform and Solver Platform SDK, to solve very large scale optimization models. In-depth descriptions and trial versions of these products are available at [www.solver.com](http://www.solver.com).

**SIN 132-3 LEASING OF PRODUCT**

**SIN 132-4 DAILY / SHORT TERM RENTAL**

**SIN 132-8 PURCHASE OF EQUIPMENT**

FSC CLASS 7010 - SYSTEM CONFIGURATION

- End User Computers/Desktop Computers
- Professional Workstations
- Servers
- Laptop/Portable/Notebook Computers
- Large Scale Computers
- Optical and Imaging Systems
- Other Systems Configuration Equipment, Not Elsewhere Classified

FSC CLASS 7025 - INPUT/OUTPUT AND STORAGE DEVICES

- Printers
- Display
- Graphics, including Video Graphics, Light Pens, Digitizers, Scanners, and Touch Screens
- Network Equipment
- Other Communications Equipment
- Optical Recognition Input/Output Devices
- Storage Devices including Magnetic Storage, Magnetic Tape Storage and Optical Disk Storage
- Other Input/Output and Storage Devices, Not Elsewhere Classified

FSC CLASS 7035 - ADP SUPPORT EQUIPMENT

- ADP Support Equipment

FSC Class 7042 - MINI AND MICRO COMPUTER CONTROL DEVICES

- Microcomputer Control Devices
- Telephone Answering and Voice Messaging Systems

FSC CLASS 7050 - ADP COMPONENTS

- ADP Boards

FSC CLASS 5995 - CABLE, CORD, AND WIRE ASSEMBLIES: COMMUNICATIONS EQUIPMENT

- Communications Equipment Cables

FSC CLASS 6015 - FIBER OPTIC CABLES

Fiber Optic Cables

FSC CLASS 6020 - FIBER OPTIC CABLE ASSEMBLES AND HARNESSSES

Fiber Optic Cable Assemblies and Harnesses

FSC CLASS 6145 - WIRE AND CABLE, ELECTRICAL

Coaxial Cables

FSC Class 5805 - TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH EQUIPMENT

Telephone Equipment

Audio and Video Teleconferencing Equipment

FSC CLASS 5810 - COMMUNICATIONS SECURITY EQUIPMENT AND COMPONENTS

Communications Security Equipment

FSC CLASS 5815 - TELETYPE AND FACSIMILE EQUIPMENT

Facsimile Equipment (FAX)

FSC CLASS 5820 - RADIO AND TELEVISION COMMUNICATION EQUIPMENT, EXCEPT AIRBORNE

Two-Way Radio Transmitters/Receivers/Antennas

Broadcast Band Radio Transmitters/Receivers/Antennas

Microwave Radio Equipment/Antennas and Waveguides

Satellite Communications Equipment

FSC CLASS 5821 - RADIO AND TELEVISION COMMUNICATION EQUIPMENT, AIRBORNE

Airborne Radio Transmitters/Receivers

FSC CLASS 5825 - RADIO NAVIGATION EQUIPMENT, EXCEPT AIRBORNE

Radio Navigation Equipment/Antennas

FSC CLASS 5826 - RADIO NAVIGATION EQUIPMENT, AIRBORNE

Airborne Radio Navigation Equipment

FSC CLASS 5830 - INTERCOMMUNICATION AND PUBLIC ADDRESS SYSTEMS, EXCEPT AIRBORNE

Pagers and Public Address Systems (wired and wireless transmissions, including background music systems)

FSC CLASS 5841 - RADAR EQUIPMENT, AIRBORNE

Airborne Radar Equipment

FSC CLASS 5895 - MISCELLANEOUS COMMUNICATION EQUIPMENT

Miscellaneous Communications Equipment

- Special Physical, Visual, Speech, and Hearing Aid Equipment
- Used Equipment
- Installation (FPDS Code N070) for Equipment Offered
- Deinstallation (FPDS N070)
- Reinstallation (FPDS N070)

NOTE: Installation must be incidental to, in conjunction with and in direct support of the products sold under SIN 132-8 of this contract and cannot be purchased separately. If the construction, alteration or repair is segregable and

exceeds \$2,000, then the requirements of the Davis-Bacon Act apply. In applying the Davis-Bacon Act, ordering activities are required to incorporate wage rate determinations into orders, as applicable.

**SIN 132-12 - MAINTENANCE OF EQUIPMENT, REPAIR SERVICE, AND REPAIR PARTS/SPARE PARTS (FPDS Code J070 - Maintenance and Repair Service)(Repair Parts/Spare Parts - See FSC Class for basic equipment)**

- Maintenance
- Repair Service
- Repair Parts/Spare Parts
- Third Party Maintenance

**SIN 132-32 - TERM SOFTWARE LICENSES**

FSC CLASS 7030 - INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY SOFTWARE

Large Scale Computers

- Operating System Software
- Application Software
- Electronic Commerce (EC) Software
- Utility Software
- Communications Software
- Core Financial Management Software
- Ancillary Financial Systems Software
- Special Physical, Visual, Speech, and Hearing Aid Software

Microcomputers

- Operating System Software
- Application Software
- Electronic Commerce (EC) Software
- Utility Software
- Communications Software
- Core Financial Management Software
- Ancillary Financial Systems Software
- Special Physical, Visual, Speech, and Hearing Aid Software

**NOTE: Offerors are encouraged to identify within their software items any component interfaces that support open standard interoperability. An item's interfaces may be identified as interoperable on the basis of participation in a Government agency-sponsored program or in an independent organization program. Interfaces may be identified by reference to an interface registered in the component registry located at <http://www.core.gov>.**

**SIN 132-33 - PERPETUAL SOFTWARE LICENSES**

FSC CLASS 7030 - INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY SOFTWARE

Large Scale Computers

- Operating System Software
- Application Software
- Electronic Commerce (EC) Software
- Utility Software
- Communications Software
- Core Financial Management Software
- Ancillary Financial Systems Software
- Special Physical, Visual, Speech, and Hearing Aid Software

Microcomputers

Operating System Software  
 Application Software  
 Electronic Commerce (EC) Software  
 Utility Software  
 Communications Software  
 Core Financial Management Software  
 Ancillary Financial Systems Software  
 Special Physical, Visual, Speech, and Hearing Aid Software

NOTE: Offerors are encouraged to identify within their software items any component interfaces that support open standard interoperability. An item's interface may be identified as interoperable on the basis of participation in a Government agency-sponsored program or in an independent organization program. Interfaces may be identified by reference to an interface registered in the component registry located at <http://www.core.gov>.

**SIN 132-34 - MAINTENANCE OF SOFTWARE**

**SIN 132-50 - TRAINING COURSES FOR INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY EQUIPMENT AND SOFTWARE (FPDS Code U012)**

**SIN 132-51 - INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY (IT) PROFESSIONAL SERVICES**

- FPDS Code D301 IT Facility Operation and Maintenance
- FPDS Code D302 IT Systems Development Services
- FPDS Code D306 IT Systems Analysis Services
- FPDS Code D307 Automated Information Systems Design and Integration Services
- FPDS Code D308 Programming Services
- FPDS Code D310 IT Backup and Security Services
- FPDS Code D311 IT Data Conversion Services
- FPDS Code D313 Computer Aided Design/Computer Aided Manufacturing (CAD/CAM) Services
- FPDS Code D316 IT Network Management Services
- FPDS Code D317 Creation/Retrieval of IT Related Automated News Services, Data Services, or Other Information Services (All other information services belong under Schedule 76)
- FPDS Code D399 Other Information Technology Services, Not Elsewhere Classified

**Note 1:** All non-professional labor categories must be incidental to and used solely to support hardware, software and/or professional services, and cannot be purchased separately.

**Note 2:** Offerors and Agencies are advised that the Group 70 – Information Technology Schedule is not to be used as a means to procure services which properly fall under the Brooks Act. These services include, but are not limited to, architectural, engineering, mapping, cartographic production, remote sensing, geographic information systems, and related services. FAR 36.6 distinguishes between mapping services of an A/E nature and mapping services which are not connected nor incidental to the traditionally accepted A/E Services.

**Note 3:** This solicitation is not intended to solicit for the reselling of IT Professional Services, except for the provision of implementation, maintenance, integration, or training services in direct support of a product. Under such circumstances the services must be performance by the publisher or manufacturer or one of their authorized agents.

**SIN 132-52 - ELECTRONIC COMMERCE (EC) SERVICES**

- FPDS Code D304 Value Added Network Services (VANs)
- FPDS Code D304 E-Mail Services
- FPDS Code D304 Internet Access Services
- FPDS Code D304 Navigation Services
- FPDS Code D399 Other Data Transmission Services, Not Elsewhere Classified - Except "Voice" and Pager Services

NOTE: Electronic Commerce Services are not intended to supersede or be substitute for any voice requirements of FTS2001.

**SPECIAL ITEM NO. 132-53 WIRELESS SERVICES (FPDS CODE D304) Excluding local and long distance voice, data, video, and dedicated transmission services which are NOT mobile.)**

Paging Services  
Cellular/PCS Voice Services

**AUTHENTICATION PRODUCTS AND SERVICES** – Authentication products and services provide for authentication of individuals for purposes of physical and logical access control, electronic signature, performance of E-business transactions and delivery of Government services. Authentication Products and Services consist of hardware, software components and supporting services that provide for identity assurance. Refer to clause C.65 Authentication Products and Services for requirements that must be met prior to award.

**SPECIAL ITEM NO. 132-60 ACCESS CERTIFICATES FOR ELECTRONIC SERVICES (ACES) PROGRAM (FPDS D399)**

Digital Certificate Products and accompanying PKI Services for *external* users to conduct electronic transactions with Federal agency applications. This facilitates secure electronic access to government information and services using public key infrastructure/digital signature technology. Digital Certificate Products and Services provide the speed and immediacy of electronic transactions while protecting business-critical information from interception, tampering, and unauthorized access.

**SPECIAL ITEM NO. 132-61 PUBLIC KEY INFRASTRUCTURE (PKI) SHARED SERVICE PROVIDER (SSP) PROGRAM (FPDS D399)**

X.509 Digital Certificate Products and accompanying PKI Services for *internal* use in Federal agencies and systems. This facilitates physical and electronic access to government facilities and networks by authorized personnel using public key infrastructure/digital signature technology that meets the U.S. Federal Public Key Infrastructure (PKI) Common Policy Framework, and is a key enabler of identity assurance within the Federal sector for access control protecting Federal networks and information systems from unauthorized access, interception, and tampering.

**SPECIAL ITEM NO. 132-62 HSPD-12 PRODUCT AND SERVICE COMPONENTS (FPDS D399)**

Personal Identity Verification (PIV) Credentials and Services. This facilitates trusted physical and electronic access to government facilities and networks using smart card technology. PIV Credentials and Services is a key enabler of identity assurance for access control and protects Federal facilities and information systems from unauthorized access, interception, and tampering.

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General Services Administration  
Federal Supply Service

Pricelist current through Modification #0, dated March 2, 2007.

Products and ordering information in this Authorized FSS Information Technology Schedule Pricelist are also available on the GSA Advantage! System. Agencies can browse GSA Advantage! by accessing the Federal Supply Service's Home Page via the Internet at <http://www.fss.gsa.gov/>

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**1. INFORMATION FOR ORDERING ACTIVITIES APPLICABLE TO ALL SPECIAL ITEM NUMBERS**

**SPECIAL NOTICE TO AGENCIES: Small Business Participation**

SBA strongly supports the participation of small business concerns in the Federal Supply Schedules Program. To enhance Small Business Participation SBA policy allows agencies to include in their procurement base and goals, the dollar value of orders expected to be placed against the Federal Supply Schedules, and to report accomplishments against these goals.

For orders exceeding the micropurchase threshold, FAR 8.404 requires agencies to consider the catalogs/pricelists of at least three schedule contractors or consider reasonably available information by using the GSA Advantage!™ on-line shopping service (www.fss.gsa.gov). The catalogs/pricelists, GSA Advantage!™ and the Federal Supply Service Home Page (www.fss.gsa.gov) contain information on a broad array of products and services offered by small business concerns.

This information should be used as a tool to assist ordering activities in meeting or exceeding established small business goals. It should also be used as a tool to assist in including small, small disadvantaged, and women-owned small businesses among those considered when selecting pricelists for a best value determination.

For orders exceeding the micropurchase threshold, customers are to give preference to small business concerns when two or more items at the same delivered price will satisfy their requirement.

**1. GEOGRAPHIC SCOPE OF CONTRACT:**

*Domestic delivery* is delivery within the 48 contiguous states, Alaska, Hawaii, Puerto Rico, Washington, DC, and U.S. Territories. Domestic delivery also includes a port or consolidation point, within the aforementioned areas, for orders received from overseas activities.

*Overseas delivery* is delivery to points outside of the 48 contiguous states, Washington, DC, Alaska, Hawaii, Puerto Rico, and U.S. Territories.

Offerors are requested to check one of the following boxes:

- The Geographic Scope of Contract will be domestic and overseas delivery.
- The Geographic Scope of Contract will be overseas delivery only.
- The Geographic Scope of Contract will be domestic delivery only.

For Special Item Number 132-53 Wireless Services ONLY, if awarded, list the limited geographic coverage area:

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**2. CONTRACTOR’S ORDERING ADDRESS AND PAYMENT INFORMATION:**

Fax orders to (775) 831-0314, or mail to Frontline Systems, Inc., P.O. Box 4288, Incline Village, NV 89450-4288.

Contractors are required to accept credit cards for payments equal to or less than the micro-purchase threshold for oral or written delivery orders. Credit cards will be acceptable for payment above the micro-purchase threshold. In addition, bank account information for wire transfer payments will be shown on the invoice.

The following telephone number(s) can be used by ordering activities to obtain technical and/or ordering assistance: (888) 831-0333 or (775) 831-0300. Assistance via email is available at info@solver.com.

**3. LIABILITY FOR INJURY OR DAMAGE**

The Contractor shall not be liable for any injury to ordering activity personnel or damage to ordering activity property arising from the use of equipment maintained by the Contractor, unless such injury or damage is due to the fault or negligence of the Contractor.



**4. STATICAL DATA FOR GOVERNMENT ORDERING OFFICE COMPLETION OF STANDARD FORM 279:**

Block 9: G. Order/Modification Under Federal Schedule  
Block 16: Data Universal Numbering System (DUNS) Number: 19-467-6144  
Block 30: Type of Contractor - B

- A. Small Disadvantaged Business
- B. Other Small Business
- C. Large Business
- G. Other Nonprofit Organization
- L. Foreign Contractor

Block 31: Woman-Owned Small Business - No  
Block 36: Contractor's Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN): 77-0154538

- 4a. CAGE Code: 1JAT4
- 4b. Contractor has registered with the Central Contractor Registration Database.

**5. FOB DESTINATION**

**6. DELIVERY SCHEDULE**

a. **TIME OF DELIVERY:** The Contractor shall deliver to destination within the number of calendar days after receipt of order (ARO), as set forth below:

SPECIAL ITEM NUMBER	DELIVERY TIME (Days ARO)
<u>132-33 Standard</u>	<u>6-8</u> Days
<u>132-33 Expedited</u>	<u>4-5</u> Days

b. **URGENT REQUIREMENTS:** When the Federal Supply Schedule contract delivery period does not meet the bona fide urgent delivery requirements of an ordering activity, ordering activities are encouraged, if time permits, to contact the Contractor for the purpose of obtaining accelerated delivery. The Contractor shall reply to the inquiry within 3 workdays after receipt. (Telephonic replies shall be confirmed by the Contractor in writing.) If the Contractor offers an accelerated delivery time acceptable to the ordering activity, any order(s) placed pursuant to the agreed upon accelerated delivery time frame shall be delivered within this shorter delivery time and in accordance with all other terms and conditions of the contract.

**7. DISCOUNTS:** Prices shown are NET Prices; Basic Discounts have been deducted.

- a. Prompt Payment: 0% - 30 days from receipt of invoice or date of acceptance, whichever is later.
- b. **SIN 132-33:** Discount for licenses ordered for specific combinations of product items, for delivery at the same time, on the same P.O. or order form:
  - Risk Solver Engine *and* either Premium Solver or Premium Solver Platform – deduct \$184.30.
  - Large-Scale LP Solver (Standard or Extended) *and* Premium Solver – deduct \$242.50.
  - Any Large-Scale Solver Engine *and* Premium Solver Platform – deduct \$242.50.

Quantity discount for multiple licenses ordered of the *same* product item, or multiple licenses of the specific product item combinations listed above, for delivery at the same time, on the same P.O. or order form:

- 1 license = 0%
- 2 licenses = 5%
- 3 licenses = 10%
- 4 licenses = 15%
- 5 or more = 20%.

For specific combinations of items, apply the above percentages to the net cost of the combination after applying the special combination discount. For example, Risk Solver Engine (\$674.15) and Premium Solver (\$722.65) less combination discount of \$184.30 = \$1,212.50. For two licenses of both items, apply 5% quantity discount:  $\$1,212.50 * 0.95 = \$1,151.88$  per combination, times two for a total cost of \$2,303.76.

**SIN 132-34:** No combination or quantity discounts. Please note that each order for a software license (132-33) must be accompanied by an order for Annual Support/Maintenance (132-34) for that software license. In accordance with Part 2 Section 4 of this price list (Terms and Conditions for Software Maintenance), Contractor will invoice Annual Support/Maintenance items on a quarterly basis in arrears.

c. Dollar Volume

d. Government Educational Institutions:

Please contact Frontline Systems at (888) 831-0333, (775) 831-0300 or info@solver.com for information on special prices (discounted as much as 69% from Schedule prices generally available to Government users) available for use of the products on this price list for *research* or *teaching* purposes (not for administration or other purposes). An *Academic Certification* form confirming the intended use of the products, signed by a responsible faculty member, must accompany each order placed at these prices. These special prices apply only to software licenses (SIN 132-33), not to Annual Support/Maintenance (SIN 132-34).

e. Other

**8. TRADE AGREEMENTS ACT OF 1979, as amended:**

All items are U.S. made end products, designated country end products, Caribbean Basin country end products, Canadian end products, or Mexican end products as defined in the Trade Agreements Act of 1979, as amended.

**9. STATEMENT CONCERNING AVAILABILITY OF EXPORT PACKING:**

**10. Small Requirements:** The minimum dollar value of orders to be issued is **\$100**.

**11. MAXIMUM ORDER (All dollar amounts are exclusive of any discount for prompt payment.)**

a. The Maximum Order value for the following Special Item Numbers (SINs) is \$500,000:

Special Item Number 132-33 - Perpetual Software Licenses

Special Item Number 132-34 – Maintenance of Software

**12. ORDERING PROCEDURES FOR FEDERAL SUPPLY SCHEDULE CONTRACTS**

Ordering activities shall use the ordering procedures of Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR) 8.405 when placing an order or establishing a BPA for supplies or services. These procedures apply to all schedules.

a. FAR 8.405-1 Ordering procedures for supplies, and services not requiring a statement of work.

b. FAR 8.405-2 Ordering procedures for services requiring a statement of work.

**13. FEDERAL INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY/TELECOMMUNICATION STANDARDS**

**REQUIREMENTS:** ordering activities acquiring products from this Schedule must comply with the provisions of the Federal Standards Program, as appropriate (reference: NIST Federal Standards Index). Inquiries to determine whether or not specific products listed herein comply with Federal Information Processing Standards (FIPS) or

Federal Telecommunication Standards (FED-STDS), which are cited by ordering activities, shall be responded to promptly by the Contractor.

**13.1 FEDERAL INFORMATION PROCESSING STANDARDS PUBLICATIONS (FIPS PUBS):**

Information Technology products under this Schedule that do not conform to Federal Information Processing Standards (FIPS) should not be acquired unless a waiver has been granted in accordance with the applicable "FIPS Publication." Federal Information Processing Standards Publications (FIPS PUBS) are issued by the U.S. Department of Commerce, National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST), pursuant to National Security Act. Information concerning their availability and applicability should be obtained from the National Technical Information Service (NTIS), 5285 Port Royal Road, Springfield, Virginia 22161. FIPS PUBS include voluntary standards when these are adopted for Federal use. Individual orders for FIPS PUBS should be referred to the NTIS Sales Office, and orders for subscription service should be referred to the NTIS Subscription Officer, both at the above address, or telephone number (703) 487-4650.

**13.2 FEDERAL TELECOMMUNICATION STANDARDS (FED-STDS):** Telecommunication products under this Schedule that do not conform to Federal Telecommunication Standards (FED-STDS) should not be acquired unless a waiver has been granted in accordance with the applicable "FED-STD." Federal Telecommunication Standards are issued by the U.S. Department of Commerce, National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST), pursuant to National Security Act. Ordering information and information concerning the availability of FED-STDS should be obtained from the GSA, Federal Supply Service, Specification Section, 470 East L'Enfant Plaza, Suite 8100, SW, Washington, DC 20407, telephone number (202)619-8925. Please include a self-addressed mailing label when requesting information by mail. Information concerning their applicability can be obtained by writing or calling the U.S. Department of Commerce, National Institute of Standards and Technology, Gaithersburg, MD 20899, telephone number (301)975-2833.

**14. CONTRACTOR TASKS / SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS (C-FSS-370) (NOV 2001)**

(a) Security Clearances: The Contractor may be required to obtain/possess varying levels of security clearances in the performance of orders issued under this contract. All costs associated with obtaining/possessing such security clearances should be factored into the price offered under the Multiple Award Schedule.

(b) Travel: The Contractor may be required to travel in performance of orders issued under this contract. Allowable travel and per diem charges are governed by Pub .L. 99-234 and FAR Part 31, and are reimbursable by the ordering agency or can be priced as a fixed price item on orders placed under the Multiple Award Schedule. The Industrial Funding Fee does NOT apply to travel and per diem charges.

NOTE: Refer to FAR Part 31.205-46 Travel Costs, for allowable costs that pertain to official company business travel in regards to this contract.

(c) Certifications, Licenses and Accreditations: As a commercial practice, the Contractor may be required to obtain/possess any variety of certifications, licenses and accreditations for specific FSC/service code classifications offered. All costs associated with obtaining/ possessing such certifications, licenses and accreditations should be factored into the price offered under the Multiple Award Schedule program.

(d) Insurance: As a commercial practice, the Contractor may be required to obtain/possess insurance coverage for specific FSC/service code classifications offered. All costs associated with obtaining/possessing such insurance should be factored into the price offered under the Multiple Award Schedule program.

(e) Personnel: The Contractor may be required to provide key personnel, resumes or skill category descriptions in the performance of orders issued under this contract. Ordering activities may require agency approval of additions or replacements to key personnel.

- (f) Organizational Conflicts of Interest: Where there may be an organizational conflict of interest as determined by the ordering agency, the Contractor's participation in such order may be restricted in accordance with FAR Part 9.5.
- (g) Documentation/Standards: The Contractor may be requested to provide products or services in accordance with rules, regulations, OMB orders, standards and documentation as specified by the agency's order.
- (h) Data/Deliverable Requirements: Any required data/deliverables at the ordering level will be as specified or negotiated in the agency's order.
- (i) Government-Furnished Property: As specified by the agency's order, the Government may provide property, equipment, materials or resources as necessary.
- (j) Availability of Funds: Many Government agencies' operating funds are appropriated for a specific fiscal year. Funds may not be presently available for any orders placed under the contract or any option year. The Government's obligation on orders placed under this contract is contingent upon the availability of appropriated funds from which payment for ordering purposes can be made. No legal liability on the part of the Government for any payment may arise until funds are available to the ordering Contracting Officer.

**15. CONTRACT ADMINISTRATION FOR ORDERING ACTIVITIES:** Any ordering activity, with respect to any one or more delivery orders placed by it under this contract, may exercise the same rights of termination as might the GSA Contracting Officer under provisions of FAR 52.212-4, paragraphs (l) Termination for the ordering activity's convenience, and (m) Termination for Cause (See C.1.)

## **16. GSA ADVANTAGE!**

GSA Advantage! is an on-line, interactive electronic information and ordering system that provides on-line access to vendors' schedule prices with ordering information. GSA Advantage! will allow the user to perform various searches across all contracts including, but not limited to:

- (1) Manufacturer;
- (2) Manufacturer's Part Number; and
- (3) Product categories.

Agencies can browse GSA Advantage! by accessing the Internet World Wide Web utilizing a browser (ex.: NetScape). The Internet address is <http://www.fss.gsa.gov/>.

## **17. PURCHASE OF OPEN MARKET ITEMS**

NOTE: Open Market Items are also known as incidental items, noncontract items, non-Schedule items, and items not on a Federal Supply Schedule contract. ODCs (Other Direct Costs) are not part of this contract and should be treated as open market purchases. Ordering Activities procuring open market items must follow FAR 8.402(f).

For administrative convenience, an ordering activity contracting officer may add items not on the Federal Supply Multiple Award Schedule (MAS) -- referred to as open market items -- to a Federal Supply Schedule blanket purchase agreement (BPA) or an individual task or delivery order, **only if-**

- (1) All applicable acquisition regulations pertaining to the purchase of the items not on the Federal Supply Schedule have been followed (e.g., publicizing (Part 5), competition requirements (Part 6), acquisition of commercial items (Part 12), contracting methods (Parts 13, 14, and 15), and small business programs (Part 19));
- (2) The ordering activity contracting officer has determined the price for the items not on the Federal Supply Schedule is fair and reasonable;
- (3) The items are clearly labeled on the order as items not on the Federal Supply Schedule; and

- (4) All clauses applicable to items not on the Federal Supply Schedule are included in the order.

## **18. CONTRACTOR COMMITMENTS, WARRANTIES AND REPRESENTATIONS**

a. For the purpose of this contract, commitments, warranties and representations include, in addition to those agreed to for the entire schedule contract:

- (1) Time of delivery/installation quotations for individual orders;
- (2) Technical representations and/or warranties of products concerning performance, total system performance and/or configuration, physical, design and/or functional characteristics and capabilities of a product/equipment/ service/software package submitted in response to requirements which result in orders under this schedule contract.
- (3) Any representations and/or warranties concerning the products made in any literature, description, drawings and/or specifications furnished by the Contractor.

b. The above is not intended to encompass items not currently covered by the GSA Schedule contract.

## **19. OVERSEAS ACTIVITIES**

The terms and conditions of this contract shall apply to all orders for installation, maintenance and repair of equipment in areas listed in the pricelist outside the 48 contiguous states and the District of Columbia, except as indicated below:

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Upon request of the Contractor, the ordering activity may provide the Contractor with logistics support, as available, in accordance with all applicable ordering activity regulations. Such ordering activity support will be provided on a reimbursable basis, and will only be provided to the Contractor's technical personnel whose services are exclusively required for the fulfillment of the terms and conditions of this contract.

## **20. BLANKET PURCHASE AGREEMENTS (BPAs)**

The use of BPAs under any schedule contract to fill repetitive needs for supplies or services is allowable. BPAs may be established with one or more schedule contractors. The number of BPAs to be established is within the discretion of the ordering activity establishing the BPA and should be based on a strategy that is expected to maximize the effectiveness of the BPA(s). Ordering activities shall follow FAR 8.405-3 when creating and implementing BPA(s).

## **21. CONTRACTOR TEAM ARRANGEMENTS**

Contractors participating in contractor team arrangements must abide by all terms and conditions of their respective contracts. This includes compliance with Clauses 552.238-74, Industrial Funding Fee and Sales Reporting, i.e., each contractor (team member) must report sales and remit the IFF for all products and services provided under its individual contract.

## **22. INSTALLATION, DEINSTALLATION, REINSTALLATION**

The Davis-Bacon Act (40 U.S.C. 276a-276a-7) provides that contracts in excess of \$2,000 to which the United States or the District of Columbia is a party for construction, alteration, or repair (including painting and decorating) of public buildings or public works with the United States, shall contain a clause that no laborer or mechanic employed directly upon the site of the work shall receive less than the prevailing wage rates as determined by the Secretary of Labor. The requirements of the Davis-Bacon Act do not apply if the construction work is incidental to the furnishing of supplies, equipment, or services. For example, the requirements do not apply to simple installation or alteration of a public building or public work that is incidental to furnishing supplies or equipment under a supply contract. However, if the construction, alteration or repair is segregable and exceeds \$2,000, then the requirements of the Davis-Bacon Act applies.

The ordering activity issuing the task order against this contract will be responsible for proper administration and enforcement of the Federal labor standards covered by the Davis-Bacon Act. The proper Davis-Bacon wage determination will be issued by the ordering activity at the time a request for quotations is made for applicable construction classified installation, deinstallation, and reinstallation services under SIN 132-8.

**23. SECTION 508 COMPLIANCE.**

If applicable, Section 508 compliance information on the supplies and services in this contract are available in Electronic and Information Technology (EIT) at the following:

The EIT standard can be found at: [www.Section508.gov/](http://www.Section508.gov/).

**24. PRIME CONTRACTOR ORDERING FROM FEDERAL SUPPLY SCHEDULES.**

Prime Contractors (on cost reimbursement contracts) placing orders under Federal Supply Schedules, on behalf of an ordering activity, shall follow the terms of the applicable schedule and authorization and include with each order –

- (a) A copy of the authorization from the ordering activity with whom the contractor has the prime contract (unless a copy was previously furnished to the Federal Supply Schedule contractor); and
- (b) The following statement:

This order is placed under written authorization from \_\_\_\_\_ dated \_\_\_\_\_. In the event of any inconsistency between the terms and conditions of this order and those of your Federal Supply Schedule contract, the latter will govern.

**25. INSURANCE—WORK ON A GOVERNMENT INSTALLATION (JAN 1997)(FAR 52.228-5)**

- (a) The Contractor shall, at its own expense, provide and maintain during the entire performance of this contract, at least the kinds and minimum amounts of insurance required in the Schedule or elsewhere in the contract.
- (b) Before commencing work under this contract, the Contractor shall notify the Contracting Officer in writing that the required insurance has been obtained. The policies evidencing required insurance shall contain an endorsement to the effect that any cancellation or any material change adversely affecting the Government's interest shall not be effective—
  - (1) For such period as the laws of the State in which this contract is to be performed prescribe; or
  - (2) Until 30 days after the insurer or the Contractor gives written notice to the Contracting Officer, whichever period is longer.
- (c) The Contractor shall insert the substance of this clause, including this paragraph (c), in subcontracts under this contract that require work on a Government installation and shall require subcontractors to provide and maintain the insurance required in the Schedule or elsewhere in the contract. The Contractor shall maintain a copy of all subcontractors' proofs of required insurance, and shall make copies available to the Contracting Officer upon request.

**26. SOFTWARE INTEROPERABILITY.**

Offerors are encouraged to identify within their software items any component interfaces that support open standard interoperability. An item's interface may be identified as interoperable on the basis of participation in a Government agency-sponsored program or in an independent organization program. Interfaces may be identified by reference to an interface registered in the component registry located at <http://www.core.gov>.

**27. ADVANCE PAYMENTS**

A payment under this contract to provide a service or deliver an article for the United States Government may not be more than the value of the service already provided or the article already delivered. Advance or pre-payment is not authorized or allowed under this contract. (31 U.S.C. 3324)

## 2. TERMS AND CONDITIONS

<p><b>TERMS AND CONDITIONS APPLICABLE TO TERM SOFTWARE LICENSES (SPECIAL ITEM NUMBER 132-32), PERPETUAL SOFTWARE LICENSES (SPECIAL ITEM NUMBER 132-33) AND MAINTENANCE (SPECIAL ITEM NUMBER 132-34) OF GENERAL PURPOSE COMMERCIAL INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY SOFTWARE</b></p>
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### 1. INSPECTION/ACCEPTANCE

The Contractor shall only tender for acceptance those items that conform to the requirements of this contract. The ordering activity reserves the right to inspect or test any software that has been tendered for acceptance. The ordering activity may require repair or replacement of nonconforming software at no increase in contract price. The ordering activity must exercise its postacceptance rights (1) within a reasonable time after the defect was discovered or should have been discovered; and (2) before any substantial change occurs in the condition of the software, unless the change is due to the defect in the software.

### 2. GUARANTEE/WARRANTY

a. Unless specified otherwise in this contract, the Contractor's standard commercial guarantee/warranty as stated in the contract's commercial pricelist will apply to this contract.

The following terms replace Contractor's standard commercial warranty for the purpose of this contract:

Contractor warrants that the CD-ROM, diskette or other media on which the Software is distributed and the accompanying User Guide (collectively, the "Goods"), but not the digital or printed content recorded thereon, is free from defects in materials and workmanship under normal use and service for a period of ninety (90) days after purchase, and any implied warranties on the Goods are also limited to ninety (90) days. In the event any defects in the Goods are found during the warranty period, Contractor will promptly replace the defective Goods.

Provided that the user of the Software ("User") purchases and maintains Annual Support/Maintenance (SIN 132-34) for the Software as offered by Contractor, Contractor warrants, during the term of Annual Support, that the Software will perform substantially as described in the User Guide, when it is properly used as described in the User Guide. Contractor's entire liability and User's exclusive remedy under this warranty shall be to make reasonable commercial efforts to correct any "bugs" (failures to perform as so described) reported by User, and to timely provide such corrections in the Software to User. If User allows Annual Support to expire, then this warranty provision shall lapse on the date of such expiration.

The particular purpose of the Software is as a general purpose tool for optimization and/or simulation, as described in the User Guide. User understands and agrees that any results obtained through its use of the Software are entirely dependent on User's design and implementation of an optimization or simulation model, for which User is entirely responsible. User understands and agrees that THE ENTIRE RISK AS TO THE RESULTS AND PERFORMANCE OF THE SOFTWARE AS USED WITH USER'S OPTIMIZATION OR SIMULATION MODEL IS ASSUMED BY USER.

b. The Contractor warrants and implies that the items delivered hereunder are merchantable and fit for use for the particular purpose described in this contract.

c. Limitation of Liability. Except as otherwise provided by an express or implied warranty, the Contractor will not be liable to the ordering activity for consequential damages resulting from any defect or deficiencies in accepted items.

### 3. TECHNICAL SERVICES

The Contractor, without additional charge to the ordering activity, shall provide a hot line technical support number (775) 831-0300 or email to support@solver.com for the purpose of providing user assistance and guidance in the implementation of the software. The technical support number is available from 8:00 am to 5:00 pm Pacific Time, Monday through Friday.

#### **4. SOFTWARE MAINTENANCE**

a. Software maintenance service shall include the following:

All software updates and upgrades for the software product released by Contractor for general availability during the maintenance term; access to protected support-related pages on Contractor's website; ability to "trade in" a product license during the maintenance term for full purchase price credit against a license purchase for a different product that provides a superset of the functionality or performance of the previously licensed product.

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b. Invoices for maintenance service shall be submitted by the Contractor on a quarterly or monthly basis, after the completion of such period. Maintenance charges must be paid in arrears (31 U.S.C. 3324). PROMPT PAYMENT DISCOUNT, IF APPLICABLE, SHALL BE SHOWN ON THE INVOICE.

#### **5. PERIODS OF MAINTENANCE (132-34)**

a. The Contractor shall honor orders for periods for the duration of the contract period or a lesser period of time.

b. Maintenance may be discontinued by the ordering activity on thirty (30) calendar days written notice to the Contractor.

c. Annual Funding. When annually appropriated funds are cited on an order for maintenance, the period of the maintenance shall automatically expire on September 30 of the contract period, or at the end of the contract period, whichever occurs first. Renewal of the maintenance orders citing the new appropriation shall be required, if the maintenance is to be continued during any remainder of the contract period.

d. Cross-Year Funding Within Contract Period. Where an ordering activity's specific appropriation authority provides for funds in excess of a 12 month (fiscal year) period, the ordering activity may place an order under this schedule contract for a period up to the expiration of the contract period, notwithstanding the intervening fiscal years.

e. Ordering activities should notify the Contractor in writing thirty (30) calendar days prior to the expiration of an order, if the maintenance is to be terminated at that time. Orders for the continuation of maintenance will be required if the maintenance is to be continued during the subsequent period.

#### **6. CONVERSION FROM TERM LICENSE TO PERPETUAL LICENSE**

a. The ordering activity may convert term licenses to perpetual licenses for any or all software at any time following acceptance of software. At the request of the ordering activity the Contractor shall furnish, within ten (10) calendar days, for each software product that is contemplated for conversion, the total amount of conversion credits which have accrued while the software was on a term license and the date of the last update or enhancement.

b. Conversion credits which are provided shall, within the limits specified, continue to accrue from one contract period to the next, provided the software remains on a term license within the ordering activity.

c. The term license for each software product shall be discontinued on the day immediately preceding the effective date of conversion from a term license to a perpetual license.

d. The price the ordering activity shall pay will be the perpetual license price that prevailed at the time such software was initially ordered under a term license, or the perpetual license price prevailing at the time of conversion from a term license to a perpetual license, whichever is the less, minus an amount equal to \_\_\_\_\_% of all term license payments during the period that the software was under a term license within the ordering activity.

#### **7. TERM LICENSE CESSATION**



- a. After a software product has been on a continuous term license for a period of \_\_\_\_\_ \* months, a fully paid-up, non-exclusive, perpetual license for the software product shall automatically accrue to the ordering activity. The period of continuous term license for automatic accrual of a fully paid-up perpetual license does not have to be achieved during a particular fiscal year; it is a written Contractor commitment which continues to be available for software that is initially ordered under this contract, until a fully paid-up perpetual license accrues to the ordering activity. However, should the term license of the software be discontinued before the specified period of the continuous term license has been satisfied, the perpetual license accrual shall be forfeited.
- b. The Contractor agrees to provide updates and maintenance service for the software after a perpetual license has accrued, at the prices and terms of Special Item Number 132-34, if the licensee elects to order such services. Title to the software shall remain with the Contractor.

**8. UTILIZATION LIMITATIONS – (132-32, 132-33, AND 132-34)**

- a. Software acquisition is limited to commercial computer software defined in FAR Part 2.101.
- b. When acquired by the ordering activity, commercial computer software and related documentation so legend shall be subject to the following:
- (1) Title to and ownership of the software and documentation shall remain with the Contractor, unless otherwise specified.
  - (2) Software licenses are by site and by ordering activity. An ordering activity is defined as a cabinet level or independent ordering activity. The software may be used by any subdivision of the ordering activity (service, bureau, division, command, etc.) that has access to the site the software is placed at, even if the subdivision did not participate in the acquisition of the software. Further, the software may be used on a sharing basis where multiple agencies have joint projects that can be satisfied by the use of the software placed at one ordering activity's site. This would allow other agencies access to one ordering activity's database. For ordering activity public domain databases, user agencies and third parties may use the computer program to enter, retrieve, analyze and present data. The user ordering activity will take appropriate action by instruction, agreement, or otherwise, to protect the Contractor's proprietary property with any third parties that are permitted access to the computer programs and documentation in connection with the user ordering activity's permitted use of the computer programs and documentation. For purposes of this section, all such permitted third parties shall be deemed agents of the user ordering activity.
  - (3) Except as is provided in paragraph 8.b(2) above, the ordering activity shall not provide or otherwise make available the software or documentation, or any portion thereof, in any form, to any third party without the prior written approval of the Contractor. Third parties do not include prime Contractors, subcontractors and agents of the ordering activity who have the ordering activity's permission to use the licensed software and documentation at the facility, and who have agreed to use the licensed software and documentation only in accordance with these restrictions. This provision does not limit the right of the ordering activity to use software, documentation, or information therein, which the ordering activity may already have or obtains without restrictions.
  - (4) The ordering activity shall have the right to use the computer software and documentation with the computer for which it is acquired at any other facility to which that computer may be transferred, or in cases of disaster recovery, the ordering activity has the right to transfer the software to another site if the ordering activity site for which it is acquired is deemed to be unsafe for ordering activity personnel; to use the computer software and documentation with a backup computer when the primary computer is inoperative; to copy computer programs for safekeeping (archives) or backup purposes; to transfer a copy of the software to another site for purposes of benchmarking new hardware and/or software; and to modify the software and documentation or combine it with other software, provided that the unmodified portions shall remain subject to these restrictions.
  - (5) "Commercial Computer Software" may be marked with the Contractor's standard commercial restricted rights legend, but the schedule contract and schedule pricelist, including this clause, "Utilization Limitations" are the only governing terms and conditions, and shall take precedence and supersede any different or additional terms and conditions included in the standard commercial legend.

**9. SOFTWARE CONVERSIONS – (132-32 AND 132-33)**

Full monetary credit will be allowed to the ordering activity when conversion from one version of the software to another is made as the result of a change in operating system , or from one computer system to another. Under a perpetual license (132-33), the purchase price of the new software shall be reduced by the amount that was paid to purchase the earlier version. Under a term license (132-32), conversion credits which accrued while the earlier version was under a term license shall carry forward and remain available as conversion credits which may be applied towards the perpetual license price of the new version.

**10. DESCRIPTIONS AND EQUIPMENT COMPATIBILITY**

The Contractor shall include, in the schedule pricelist, a complete description of each software product and a list of equipment on which the software can be used. Also, included shall be a brief, introductory explanation of the modules and documentation which are offered.

**11. RIGHT-TO-COPY PRICING**

The Contractor shall insert the discounted pricing for right-to-copy licenses.

SOFTWARE PRODUCTS PRICE LIST

SIN	Product Name	Product Number	GSA Price
132-33	Premium Solver V7.0	010PREMPV70	\$722.65
132-33	Premium Solver Platform V7.0	030PLATPV70	\$1,450.15
132-33	Risk Solver Engine V7.0	310RISKPV70	\$674.15
132-33	Solver Platform SDK V7.0 – Windows 32/64	230SDKWIN70	\$1,450.15
132-33	Solver Platform SDK V7.0 – Linux 32/64	230SDKLIN70	\$1,450.15
132-33	Std. Large-Scale LP Solver Engine V7.0 – Windows 32/64	040LSLPWIN7	\$2,905.15
132-33	Std. Large-Scale LP Solver Engine V7.0 – Linux 32/64	040LSLPLIN7	\$2,905.15
132-33	Ext. Large-Scale LP Solver Engine V7.0 – Windows 32/64	045LSLPWIN7	\$4,845.15
132-33	Ext. Large-Scale LP Solver Engine V7.0 – Linux 32/64	045LSLPLIN7	\$4,845.15
132-33	Std. Large-Scale GRG Solver Engine V7.0 – Windows 32/64	060LGRGWIN7	\$1,212.50
132-33	Std. Large-Scale GRG Solver Engine V7.0 – Linux 32/64	060LGRGLIN7	\$1,212.50
132-33	Ext. Large-Scale GRG Solver Engine V7.0 – Windows 32/64	065LGRGWIN7	\$2,425.00
132-33	Ext. Large-Scale GRG Solver Engine V7.0 – Linux 32/64	065LGRGLIN7	\$2,425.00
132-33	Large-Scale SQP Solver Engine V7.0 – Windows 32/64	070LSSQPWIN7	\$3,875.15
132-33	Large-Scale SQP Solver Engine V7.0 – Linux 32/64	070LSSQPLIN7	\$3,875.15
132-33	KNITRO Solver Engine V7.0	100KNITWIN7	\$3,875.15
132-33	MOSEK Solver Engine V7.0 – SOCP	110MSEKWIN7	\$3,875.15
132-33	MOSEK Solver Engine V7.0 – SOCP/NLP	115MSEKWIN7	\$4,845.15
132-33	OptQuest Solver Engine V7.0	080OPTQWIN7	\$2,425.00
132-33	XPRESS Solver Engine V7.0 – LP/MIP Only	050XPRSWIN7	\$5,815.15
132-33	XPRESS Solver Engine V7.0 – LP/QP/MIP	055XPRSWIN7	\$7,464.15

Where “Windows 32/64” and “Linux 32/64” are indicated above, both 32-bit and 64-bit versions of the software are included in the license; however software maintenance for 32-bit versions and 64-bit versions is priced separately (see SIN 132-34 below) and *both* must be purchased if *both* 32-bit and 64-bit versions are to be used.

SOFTWARE MAINTENANCE PRICE LIST

Please note: First year maintenance is required for all new software license (SIN 132-33) purchases. Subsequent year maintenance is at the option of the software license holder.

SIN	Product Name	Product Number	GSA Price
132-34	Annual Support / Maint - Premium Solver V7.0	010PREMSUPP	\$148.50
132-34	Annual Support / Maint - Premium Solver Platform V7.0	030PLATSUPP	\$297.00
132-34	Annual Support / Maint - Risk Solver Engine V7.0	310RISKPSUPP	\$138.60
132-34	Annual Support / Maint - Solver Platform SDK V7.0 – Specify Windows 32-bit (32W), Windows 64-bit (64W), Linux 32-bit (32L) or Linux 64-bit (64L)	230SDKSUP32W, 230SDKSUP64W, 230SDKSUP32L, 230SDKSUP64L	\$495.00
132-34	Annual Support / Maint - Std. Large-Scale LP Solver Engine V7.0 – Specify Windows 32-bit (32W), Windows 64-bit (64W), Linux 32-bit(32L) or Linux 64-bit (64L)	040LSLPSU32W, 040LSLPSU64W, 040LSLPSU32L, 040LSLPSU64L	\$594.00
132-34	Annual Support / Maint - Ext. Large-Scale LP Solver Engine V7.0 – Specify Windows 32-bit (32W), Windows 64-bit (64W), Linux 32-bit(32L) or Linux 64-bit (64L)	045LSLPSU32W, 045LSLPSU64W, 045LSLPSU32L, 045LSLPSU64L	\$990.00
132-34	Annual Support / Maint - Std. Large-Scale GRG Solver Engine V7.0 – Specify Windows 32-bit (32W), Windows 64-bit (64W), Linux 32-bit (32L) or Linux 64-bit (64L)	060LGRGSU32W, 060LGRGSU64W, 060LGRGSU32L, 060LGRGSU64L	\$257.40
132-34	Annual Support / Maint - Ext. Large-Scale GRG Solver Engine V7.0 - Specify Windows 32-bit (32W), Windows 64-bit (64W), Linux 32-bit (32L) or Linux 64-bit (64L)	065LGRGSU32W, 065LGRGSU64W, 065LGRGSU32L, 065LGRGSU64L	\$495.00
132-34	Annual Support / Maint - Large-Scale SQP Solver Engine V7.0 – Specify Windows 32-bit (32W), Windows 64-bit (64W), Linux 32-bit (32L) or Linux 64-bit (64L)	070LSSQPSU32W, 070LSSQPSU64W, 070LSSQPSU32L, 070LSSQPSU64L	\$792.00
132-34	Annual Support / Maint - KNITRO Solver Engine V7.0 – Specify Windows 32-bit (32W) or Windows 64-bit (64W)	100KNITSU32W, 100KNITSU64W	\$792.00
132-34	Annual Support / Maint - MOSEK Solver Engine V7.0 - SOCP	110MSEKSUPP	\$792.00
132-34	Annual Support / Maint - MOSEK Solver Engine V7.0 – SOCP/NLP	115MSEKSUPP	\$990.00
132-34	Annual Support / Maint - OptQuest Solver Engine V7.0	080OPTQSUPP	\$495.00
132-34	Annual Support / Maint - XPRESS Solver Engine V7.0 - LP/MIP Only	050XPRSSUPP	\$1,188.00
132-34	Annual Support / Maint - XPRESS Solver Engine V7.0 - LP/QP/MIP	055XPRSSUPP	\$1,524.60

### 3. ATTACHMENTS

#### **USA COMMITMENT TO PROMOTE SMALL BUSINESS PARTICIPATION PROCUREMENT PROGRAMS**

##### PREAMBLE

Frontline Systems, Inc. provides commercial products and services to ordering activities. We are committed to promoting participation of small, small disadvantaged and women-owned small businesses in our contracts. We pledge to provide opportunities to the small business community through reselling opportunities, mentor-protégé programs, joint ventures, teaming arrangements, and subcontracting.

##### COMMITMENT

To actively seek and partner with small businesses.

To identify, qualify, mentor and develop small, small disadvantaged and women-owned small businesses by purchasing from these businesses whenever practical.

To develop and promote company policy initiatives that demonstrate our support for awarding contracts and subcontracts to small business concerns.

To undertake significant efforts to determine the potential of small, small disadvantaged and women-owned small business to supply products and services to our company.

To insure procurement opportunities are designed to permit the maximum possible participation of small, small disadvantaged, and women-owned small businesses.

To attend business opportunity workshops, minority business enterprise seminars, trade fairs, procurement conferences, etc., to identify and increase small businesses with whom to partner.

To publicize in our marketing publications our interest in meeting small businesses that may be interested in subcontracting opportunities.

We signify our commitment to work in partnership with small, small disadvantaged and women-owned small businesses to promote and increase their participation in ordering activity contracts. To accelerate potential opportunities please contact Jodi Maxson, Vice President Sales, Marketing and Operations at (775) 831-0300, fax (775) 831-0314 or email [jodi@solver.com](mailto:jodi@solver.com).



BPA NUMBER \_\_\_\_\_

(CUSTOMER NAME)  
BLANKET PURCHASE AGREEMENT

Pursuant to GSA Federal Supply Schedule Contract Number(s) \_\_\_\_\_, Blanket Purchase Agreements, the Contractor agrees to the following terms of a Blanket Purchase Agreement (BPA) EXCLUSIVELY WITH (ordering activity):

(1) The following contract items can be ordered under this BPA. All orders placed against this BPA are subject to the terms and conditions of the contract, except as noted below:

MODEL NUMBER/PART NUMBER	*SPECIAL BPA DISCOUNT/PRICE
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

(2) Delivery:

DESTINATION	DELIVERY SCHEDULES / DATES
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

(3) The ordering activity estimates, but does not guarantee, that the volume of purchases through this agreement will be \_\_\_\_\_.

(4) This BPA does not obligate any funds.

(5) This BPA expires on \_\_\_\_\_ or at the end of the contract period, whichever is earlier.

(6) The following office(s) is hereby authorized to place orders under this BPA:

OFFICE	POINT OF CONTACT
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

(7) Orders will be placed against this BPA via Electronic Data Interchange (EDI), FAX, or paper.

(8) Unless otherwise agreed to, all deliveries under this BPA must be accompanied by delivery tickets or sales slips that must contain the following information as a minimum:

- (a) Name of Contractor;
- (b) Contract Number;
- (c) BPA Number;
- (d) Model Number or National Stock Number (NSN);
- (e) Purchase Order Number;
- (f) Date of Purchase;

(g) Quantity, Unit Price, and Extension of Each Item (unit prices and extensions need not be shown when incompatible with the use of automated systems; provided, that the invoice is itemized to show the information); and

(h) Date of Shipment.

(9) The requirements of a proper invoice are specified in the Federal Supply Schedule contract. Invoices will be submitted to the address specified within the purchase order transmission issued against this BPA.

(10) The terms and conditions included in this BPA apply to all purchases made pursuant to it. In the event of an inconsistency between the provisions of this BPA and the Contractor's invoice, the provisions of this BPA will take precedence.



BASIC GUIDELINES FOR USING  
“CONTRACTOR TEAM ARRANGEMENTS”

Federal Supply Schedule Contractors may use “Contractor Team Arrangements” (see FAR 9.6) to provide solutions when responding to a ordering activity requirements.

These Team Arrangements can be included under a Blanket Purchase Agreement (BPA). BPAs are permitted under all Federal Supply Schedule contracts.

Orders under a Team Arrangement are subject to terms and conditions of the Federal Supply Schedule Contract.

Participation in a Team Arrangement is limited to Federal Supply Schedule Contractors.

Customers should refer to FAR 9.6 for specific details on Team Arrangements.

Here is a general outline on how it works:

- The customer identifies their requirements.
- Federal Supply Schedule Contractors may individually meet the customers needs, or -
- Federal Supply Schedule Contractors may individually submit a Schedules “Team Solution” to meet the customer’s requirement.
- Customers make a best value selection.