

Federal Acquisition Regulation

19.1005

19.1002 Definitions.

Emerging small business, as used in this subpart, means a small business concern whose size is no greater than 50 percent of the numerical size standard applicable to the North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) code assigned to a contracting opportunity.

Emerging small business reserve amount, for the designated groups described in 19.1005, means a threshold established by the Office of Federal Procurement Policy of—

- (1) \$25,000 for construction, refuse systems and related services, and non-nuclear ship repair; and
- (2) \$50,000 for architectural and engineering services.

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19.1003 Purpose.

The purpose of the Program is to—

(a) Assess the ability of small businesses to compete successfully in certain industry categories without competition being restricted by the use of small business set-asides. This portion of the program is limited to the four designated industry groups listed in section 19.1005.

(b) Expand small business participation in 10 targeted industry categories through continued use of set-aside procedures, increased management attention, and specifically tailored acquisition procedures, as implemented through agency procedures.

(c) Measure the extent to which awards are made to a new category of small businesses (ESB's), and to provide for certain acquisitions to be reserved for ESB participation only. This portion of the program is also limited to the four designated industry groups listed in section 19.1005.

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19.1004 Participating agencies.

The following agencies have been identified as participants in the demonstration program:

- The Department of Agriculture.
- The Department of Defense, except the National Imagery and Mapping Agency.
- The Department of Energy.
- The Department of Health and Human Services.
- The Department of Interior.
- The Department of Transportation.
- The Department of Veterans Affairs.
- The Environmental Protection Agency.
- The General Services Administration.
- The National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

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19.1005 Applicability.

- (a) *Designated industry groups.*

NAICS code	NAICS description
Construction (except dredging)	
Subsector 233—Building, Developing, and General Contracting	
23311	Land Subdivision and Land Development.
23321	Single Family Housing Construction.
23322	Multifamily Housing Construction.
23331	Manufacturing and Industrial Building Construction.
23332	Commercial and Institutional Building Construction.
Subsector 234—Heavy Construction	
23411	Highway and Street Construction.
23412	Bridge and Tunnel Construction.
23491	Water, Sewer, and Pipeline Construction.
23492	Power and Communication Transmission Line Construction.
23493	Industrial Nonbuilding Structure Construction.
23499	All Other Heavy Construction.
Subsector 235—Special Trade Contractors	
23511	Plumbing, Heating, and Air-Conditioning Contractors.