DEFENSE LOGISTICS AGENCY

As the Nation's Logistics Combat Support Agency, the Defense Logistics Agency (DLA) manages the global supply chain – from raw materials to end user to disposition – for the Army, Navy, Air Force, Marine Corps, Space Force, Coast Guard, 11 combatant commands, other federal agencies, and partner and allied nations. DLA also supplies 86 percent of the military's spare parts and nearly 100 percent of fuel and troop support consumables, manages the reutilization of military equipment, provides catalogs and other logistics information products and offers document automation and production services to a host of military and federal agencies. Read more about the agency's critical mission at www.dla.mil.

Small businesses can provide innovation to meet the agency's needs through the <u>Research &</u> <u>Development (R&D) Programs</u>, the <u>Small Business Innovation Programs (SBIP)</u>, and the <u>Technology Accelerator Other Transaction Authority (OTA) Program</u>.

Information about these programs, how to submit new innovative ideas for the current program announcements, and ideas not listed in announcements or topics are provided on this flyer.





The agency's R&D program is split into two areas. The first and largest area is manufacturing technology. It supports industrial preparedness by improving manufacturing processes, maintaining viable supply sources, and improving technical and logistics information. The portfolio includes advanced microcircuit emulation, batteries, castings and forgings, additive manufacturing and more.

The second area is logistics research and development. It focuses on improving logistics processes; embracing emerging technology such as unmanned vehicles and robotics; and enhancing analysis, modeling and decision support.

| DLA Manufacturing Technology (ManTech) R&D Program Investment Portfolios | DLA Logistics Technology (LogTech) R&D Program Investment Portfolios |
|---|---|
| Advanced Microcircuit Emulation | Weapon Systems Sustainment (WSS) |
| Battery Network (BATTNET) | Medical Logistics Network |
| Castings/Forgings | Strategic Distribution & Disposition (SDD) |
| Military Unique Sustainment Technology (MUST) | Supply Chain Management (SCM) |
| Subsistence Network (SUBNET) | Energy Readiness Program |
| Defense Logistics Information Research (DLIR) | Acquisition Modernization Technology Research (AMTR) |
| Additive Manufacturing | Logistics Technology Research |
| Strategic Materials | |
| Small Business Innovation Research | |

WHERE TO FIND RESEARCH & DEVELOPMENT OPPORTUNITIES

DLA R&D uses the **Federal Contract Opportunities** website at <u>SAM.gov</u> to post their opportunities using Broad Agency Announcements (BAA). Use the Search Contract Opportunities in SAM.gov to search for these opportunities by entering the BAA # from the table below into the Contract Opportunities search box. Active announcements are listed below and more detail about them can also be view at DLA R&D webpage:

| DLA R&D Project | BAA | BAA Open Period |
|-------------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Metal Casting | BAA 0001-21 | 7/15/2021-6/30/2026 |
| SUBNET | BAA 0004-21 | 7/14/2021-7/13/2026 |
| DLIR and SCM | BAA 0002-21 | 9/2/2021-9/01/2026 |
| BATTNET | BAA 0006-21 | 9/2/2021-9/16/2026 |
| MUST | BAA 0001-20 | 4/1/2021-8/2/2025 |
| SDD | BAA-0001-23 | 2/8/2023-2/7/2028 |
| Emergent IV | BAA-0001-22 | 6/13/2022-6/12/2027 |
| AMTR | <u>SP4701-23-B-0001</u> | 5/3/2023-5/29/2028 |
| Logistics Technology Research | <u>SP4701-24-B-0001</u> | 8/27/2024-8/27/2029 |
| Strategic Materials | <u>SP4701-25-B-0001</u> | 1/15/2025-1/14/2030 |
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Note: White Paper submissions for BAAs posted on <u>SAM.gov</u> go to the Contracting Office on the email listed within the announcement. If you have an innovative idea not listed within a BAA, send an email to the DLA Headquarters Logistics Research office at <u>Logistics.Research@dla.mil</u>.

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SMALL BUSINESS INNOVATION PROGRAMS & SCHEDULE

The <u>DLA Small Business Innovation Programs (SBIP)</u> consist of the Small Business Innovation Research (SBIR) and Small Business Technology Transfer (STTR) programs.

The objectives of the SBIPs are to stimulate technological innovation and increase commercialization of R&D within the DLA managed supply chains improving service to the warfighter.

The SBIR/STTR programs are structured in the following three phases.

• Phase I projects demonstrate the feasibility of technologies.

• Phase II projects develop prototype processes or products for proof-of-concept demonstrations.

• Phase III is the commercial application of the technology. (Not a set-aside)

| FY 2025 DOD SBIR/STTR Solicitation Schedule | | | | |
|---|---------------------|--------------|--------------|--|
| Solicitation Cycle | Announcement Period | | | |
| | Pre-Release Date | Open Date | Close Date | |
| SBIR 25.4/STTR 25.D Release 1 | Oct 2, 2024 | Oct 23, 2024 | Nov 20, 2024 | |
| SBIR 25.4/STTR 25.D Release 2 | Nov 6, 2024 | Dec 4, 2024 | Jan 8, 2025 | |
| SBIR 25.4/STTR 25.D Release 3 | Dec 4, 2024 | Jan 8, 2025 | Feb 5, 2025 | |
| SBIR 25.1/STTR 25.A | Dec 4, 2024 | Jan 6, 2025 | FED 5, 2025 | |
| SBIR 25.4/STTR 25.D Release 4 | Jan 8, 2025 | Jan 29, 2025 | Feb 26, 2025 | |
| SBIR 25.4/STTR 25.D Release 5 | Feb 5, 2025 | Feb 26, 2025 | Mar 26, 2025 | |
| SBIR 25.4/STTR 25.D Release 6 | Mar 5, 2025 | Mar 26, 2025 | Apr 23, 2025 | |
| SBIR 25.2/STTR 25.B | Apr 2, 2025 | Apr 23, 2025 | May 21, 2025 | |
| SBIR 25.4/STTR 25.D Release 7 | Apr 2, 2025 | Api 25, 2025 | May 21, 2025 | |
| SBIR 25.4/STTR 25.D Release 8 | May 7, 2025 | May 28, 2025 | Jun 25, 2025 | |
| SBIR 25.4/STTR 25.D Release 9 | Jun 4, 2025 | Jun 25, 2025 | Jul 23, 2025 | |
| SBIR 25.4/STTR 25.D Release 10 | Jul 2, 2025 | Jul 23, 2025 | Aug 20, 2025 | |
| SBIR 25.3/STTR 25.C | Aug 6, 2025 | Aug 27, 2025 | Sep 24, 2025 | |
| SBIR 25.4/STTR 25.D Release 11 | Aug 0, 2025 | | | |
| SBIR 25.4/STTR 25.D Release 12 | Sep 3, 2025 | Sep 24, 2025 | Oct 22, 2025 | |

WHERE TO FIND SBIP OPPORTUNITIES

DLA SBIP uses the Department of Defense's SBIR/STTR Innovation Portal (DSIP) at <u>www.dodsbirsttr.mil/submissions/login</u> which provides extensive program information, helpful contact information, and important updates.

View a list of parts that are eligible for proposal on the current SBIR Phase & DLA Topic by visiting the Small Business Programs website at <u>www.dla.mil/SmallBusiness/SmallBusinessInnovationPrograms</u>. You will see a Parts Eligible for Proposal section and the parts list is provided within that section.

Need assistance? Contact the DLA Small Business Innovation Program at DLASBIR2@dla.mil.

TECHNOLOGY ACCELERATOR OTA PROGRAM



The DLA Technology Accelerator OTA Program recently focused on growing capacity in 3D printing/additive manufacturing, and advanced manufacturing on demand.

Whitepapers are submitted on problem statements posted on the DLA Technology Accelerator OTA Program website at <u>www.dla.mil/Information-Operations/Accelerate</u>.

For questions or comments about the program, send an email to accelerate@dla.mil.

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

<u>DLA Information Technology - Vendor Relations Email</u>: Serves as the central point of contact for managing engagement with vendors seeking to demonstrate capabilities and the value they may be bring to DLA in the area of information technology that supports research and development, as well as innovation.

Email <u>strategictechnologyvendorrelations@dla.mil</u> or call 571-767-2100.

WHERE TO FIND ADDITIONAL INFORMATION & RESOURCES

Additional information and resources can be found on the DLA Small Business website <u>www.dla.mil/smallbusiness</u>

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