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FA8251

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Solicitation `FA8251-26-R-CICU`

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RFP DETECTOR SCORE

High data confidence

Score at publication: 67 (B)

Frozen when the RFP closed; closed RFPs never show a live score

B
67

Strong (B, 67/100): posted today, active buyer ($1.1B FY24–FY26); but small typical award (~$100K).

+9.0 Freshness | −7.7 Value | +6.6 Issuer & market | +5.4 Time & stage

Informational, not advice. How the score works: rfpdetector.com/methodology/score

At a glance

ESTIMATED VALUE	SET-ASIDE	NAICS	PSC
~$100K Estimated: median award, FY24–FY26	None Full and open competition	811210 Electronic and Precision Equipment Repair and Maintenance	Not stated
PLACE OF PERFORMANCE	**POSTED**	**RESPONSE DUE**	**LISTING**
Not stated	Aug 19, 2026	Sep 18, 2026, 4:00 PM MDT Closed	Official federal notice Updated Aug 19, 2026

Our summary

Department of the Air Force (FA8251 AFSC PZABB), part of the Department of Defense, posted a sources sought notice titled “FA8251” under solicitation number FA8251-26-R-CICU. It was first posted on Aug 19, 2026 and has been updated once since. The response deadline was Sep 18, 2026, 4:00 PM MDT. It is classified under NAICS 811210 (Electronic and Precision Equipment Repair and Maintenance). No set-aside is listed. The listed point of contact is Paige LaPoint.

Summary by RFP Detector.

Timeline

- **Posted** Aug 19
- **Response due** Sep 18
- **Archive** Aug 19

02 Score breakdown

Every RFP starts at 50. Each factor adds or subtracts points depending on how this RFP compares with a typical one, scaled by its weight and by how sure we are of the data. Unknown data has no effect.

Factor		◀ lowers the score · raises the score ▶	Points	Range
Value	ESTIMATED		−7.7	−18.0 / +18.0 w 20 · conf 80%
No value published. Typical award is about $100K: the median of 1,264 Air Force contracts over $25K awarded in NAICS 811210, FY24–FY26.				
Competition & access	MEASURED		−0.2	−18.0 / +18.0 w 20 · conf 100%
Full and open competition. The largest recipient took 22% of these dollars in FY24–FY26.				
Issuer & market	MEASURED		+6.6	−23.4 / +12.6 w 20 · conf 100%
Air Force obligated $1.1B on NAICS 811210 across 2,021 contracts in FY24–FY26. 16 other notices from this office in the past 12 months.				
Time & stage	MEASURED		+5.4	−14.9 / +12.2 w 15 · conf 100%
Sources sought (market research, not a bid): 30 days to respond (due Sep 18, 2026, 4:00 PM MDT).				
Clarity & completeness	ESTIMATED		+4.1	−18.9 / +8.1 w 15 · conf 75%
Documents not listed, 2 named contacts with email and phone, 719-word description.				
Freshness	MEASURED		+9.0	−9.0 / +9.0 w 10 · conf 100%
Posted today.				

Starts at 50 · contributions sum to **67.2**

Score at publication **67** **(B)**

Score trend

Recorded whenever the score changes, last 30 days

Closed RFPs keep their score at publication, so there is no live trend.

Evaluated Aug 19, 2026, 1:00 PM EDT · version 1.0.0

How the score works

Value	weight 20 · −18.0 to +18.0
Competition & access	weight 20 · −18.0 to +18.0
Issuer & market	weight 20 · −23.4 to +12.6
Time & stage	weight 15 · −14.9 to +12.2
Clarity & completeness	weight 15 · −18.9 to +8.1
Freshness	weight 10 · −9.0 to +9.0

Measured data counts fully, estimated data counts less, unknown data counts zero. Grades: A 80–100 · B 65–79 · C 50–64 · D 35–49 · F 0–34. Data confidence (92/100) is how much of the score rests on measured data.

Full methodology: rfpdetector.com/methodology/score

03 Market intelligence

Federal contract awards for Department of the Air Force, NAICS 811210. Award counts and sizes cover new awards in FY24–FY26; dollars are obligations in the same window.

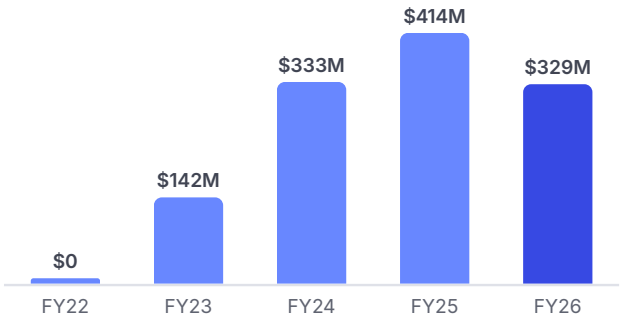
CONTRACTS AWARDED
2,021
New awards, FY24–FY26

TOTAL OBLIGATED
$1.1B
Obligated FY24–FY26

MEDIAN AWARD OVER $25K
$100K
1,264 awards above $25K

Obligations by fiscal year

Department of the Air Force, NAICS 811210



Award size

Air Force NAICS 811210 contracts, FY24–FY26 (log scale)



For reference, the typical federal contract award above $25K across all agencies is about $69K.

Largest recipients in this market

Share of obligated dollars, FY24–FY26

1	Northrop Grumman Systems Corp	$233M	22%
2	Motorola Solutions, Inc.	$109M	10%
3	Lockheed Martin Corporation	$88.6M	8%
4	Raytheon Company	$72.8M	7%
5	L3 Technologies, Inc.	$69.6M	6%

These are the largest recipients across this agency and NAICS code, not the incumbent of this RFP. Concentration feeds the Competition & access factor.

How this market feeds the score

Value −7.7
Small typical award (~$100K)

Competition & access −0.2
Full and open

Issuer & market +6.6
Active buyer ($1.1B FY24–FY26)

Federal award history: contract award types A–D, FY24–FY26, updated Nov 13, 2026.

04 Requirements & logistics

Facts from the notice. Confirm every requirement and date on the official notice before responding.

Eligibility

SET-ASIDE

Full and open competition: any responsible business may respond.

NAICS

811210 Electronic and Precision Equipment Repair and Maintenance

Place & submission

PLACE OF PERFORMANCE

Not stated

HOW TO SUBMIT

As instructed in the official solicitation

OFFICIAL SOLICITATION

Open the official solicitation at rfpdetector.com (free account)

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Documents

No documents are listed on the notice.

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This RFP is closed

Responses are no longer accepted, so the response checklist is omitted. The facts above stay available for reference and for similar bids; see similar open RFPs and more from this issuer on page 5.

05 Related RFPs

Open RFPs with the same NAICS industry group or category (same state first, then by score), and more from this issuer. Each title links to its page on RFP Detector.

Similar open RFPs

- B | 76 **Computer, Digital**
  Department of the Navy · Due Dec 10
- B | 72 **IT Solution for UIN**
  Department of State · Due Dec 11
- B | 72 **New HTM V20 ECG Management System Support Base Plus Four**
  Department of Veterans Affairs · Due Nov 23
- B | 70 **Ctrl P/S C11690A, in Repair/Modification of**
  Department of the Navy · Due Dec 21
- B | 70 **Alcon Constellation Lxt Phacoemulsification Units & Embedded Lasers Pmi**
  Department of Veterans Affairs · Due Nov 27

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- D | 45 **Repair of the F16 UCADC**
  Department of the Air Force · Due Nov 20
- F | 30 **Repair of F-16 and A-10 Avionics Components (25 NSNs) Sole Source to Elbit America, Inc.**
  Department of the Air Force · Due Nov 30
- B | 67 **AIS Engineering Services for ATE**
  Department of the Air Force · Due Dec 16
- C | 51 **Multi-Award Repair Contract "fly Fix Fight" (Marc F3)**
  Department of the Air Force · Due Apr 16

Data and as-of times

Notice data	Official federal notice, first seen Nov 13, 2026, updated Aug 19, 2026
Market data	Federal award history, contract award types A–D, FY24–FY26, updated Nov 13, 2026
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