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Intent to Award Sole Source Altair Hyperworks

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RFP DETECTOR SCORE

High data confidence

Score at publication: 30 (F)

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

Not competed (F, 30/100): not openly competed. Notice signals a sole-source or brand-name intent. The largest recipient took 7% of these dollars in FY24–FY26, and spending is spread across many vendors.

+9.7 Issuer & market | +9.0 Freshness | −7.6 Value | −5.9 Time & stage

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

At a glance

ESTIMATED VALUE	SET-ASIDE	NAICS	PSC
~$102K Estimated: median award, FY24–FY26	None Full and open competition	541519 Other Computer Related Services	7A21 Product / service code
PLACE OF PERFORMANCE	**POSTED**	**RESPONSE DUE**	**LISTING**
Wright Patterson AFB, Ohio	Nov 2, 2026 Updated Nov 13, 2026	Nov 7, 2026, 12:00 AM EST Closed	Official federal notice Updated Nov 13, 2026

Our summary

Department of the Air Force (FA2396 USAF AFMC AFRL PZL AFRL PZLE), part of the Department of Defense, posted a special notice titled “Intent to Award Sole Source Altair Hyperworks”. It was posted on Nov 2, 2026. The response deadline was Nov 7, 2026, 12:00 AM EST. It is classified under NAICS 541519 (Other Computer Related Services) and product/service code 7A21. No set-aside is listed. The place of performance is Wright Patterson AFB, Ohio. 1 document is attached to the official notice....

Summary by RFP Detector.

Timeline

Blue line: today (Nov 22)



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		−7.6	−18.0 / +18.0 w 20 · conf 80%
No value published. Typical award is about $102K: the median of 4,734 Air Force contracts over $25K awarded in NAICS 541519, FY24–FY26.				
Competition & access	MEASURED		−3.0	−18.0 / +18.0 w 20 · conf 100%
Notice signals a sole-source or brand-name intent. The largest recipient took 7% of these dollars in FY24–FY26, and spending is spread across many vendors.				
Issuer & market	MEASURED		+9.7	−23.4 / +12.6 w 20 · conf 100%
Air Force obligated $4.5B on NAICS 541519 across 5,856 contracts in FY24–FY26. 11 other notices from this office in the past 12 months.				
Time & stage	MEASURED		−5.9	−14.9 / +12.2 w 15 · conf 100%
Special notice: 5 days to respond (due Nov 7, 2026, 12:00 AM EST). Tight.				
Clarity & completeness	MEASURED		+1.2	−18.9 / +8.1 w 15 · conf 100%
1 document, named contact with email, 830-word description.				
Freshness	MEASURED		+9.0	−9.0 / +9.0 w 10 · conf 100%
Posted today.				

Starts at 50 · contributions sum to **53.4** · capped at 30: not openly competed

Score at publication **30** **(F)**

Score trend

Recorded whenever the score changes, last 30 days

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

Evaluated Nov 2, 2026, 12:00 PM EST · 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 (96/100) is how much of the score rests on measured data.

Full methodology: rfpdetector.com/methodology/score

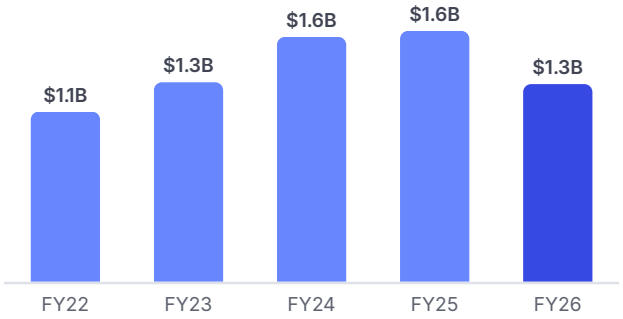
03 Market intelligence

Federal contract awards for Department of the Air Force, NAICS 541519. Award counts and sizes cover new awards in FY24–FY26; dollars are obligations in the same window.

CONTRACTS AWARDED	TOTAL OBLIGATED	MEDIAN AWARD OVER $25K
5,856	**$4.5B**	**$102K**
New awards, FY24–FY26	Obligated FY24–FY26	4,734 awards above $25K

Obligations by fiscal year

Department of the Air Force, NAICS 541519



Award size

Air Force NAICS 541519 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	**Fcn, Inc.**	$320M	7%
2	**Emergent, LLC**	$281M	6%
3	**Iron Bow Technologies, LLC**	$175M	4%
4	**Deloitte & Touche LLP**	$169M	4%
5	**General Dynamics Information Technology, Inc.**	$138M	3%

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	Competition & access	Issuer & market
−7.6	−3.0	+9.7
Small typical award (~$102K)	Sole source	Active buyer ($4.5B 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

541519 Other Computer Related Services

PRODUCT / SERVICE CODE

7A21

Place & submission

PLACE OF PERFORMANCE

Wright Patterson AFB, Ohio

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

1 listed

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Document names from the official notice. RFP Detector doesn't re-host notice documents.

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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 | 66 **Simulator Common Architecture Requirements and Standards (SCARS)**
  Department of the Air Force · Due Dec 10
- C | 63 **Automated Mission Communication Manager Request for Information (RFI)**
  Department of the Air Force · Due Nov 30
- C | 58 **Oracle User Productivity Kit (UPK) Replacement Commercial Solutions Opening (CSO)**
  Department of the Air Force · Due Jan 6
- C | 52 **UPS for Microfabrication Laboratory**
  National Aeronautics and Space Administration · Due Nov 25
- F | 30 **Intent to Award Sole Source: Optica Library Subscription**
  Department of the Air Force · Due Nov 26

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- F | 30 **Intent to Award Sole Source: Optica Library Subscription**
  Department of the Air Force · Due Nov 26
- C | 62 **Courier Services, Wright Patterson AFB**
  Department of the Air Force · Due Jan 29
- C | 53 **IEEE Artech eBook Access**
  Department of the Air Force · Closed
- F | 30 **Intent to Award Sole Source: STAR CCM+**
  Department of the Air Force · Closed

Data and as-of times

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