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Intent to Sole Source for LP33333 Batteries

National Aeronautics and Space Administration › NASA Armstrong Flight Research Cntr

Solicitation `80AFRC27SS003`

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RFP DETECTOR SCORE

F
29

Medium data confidence

Not competed · 29 / 100

Not competed (F, 29/100): not openly competed. Notice signals a sole-source or brand-name intent. The largest recipient took 23% of these dollars in FY24–FY26.

−11.4 Time & stage | −7.2 Competition & access | −5.6 Value | +2.0 Issuer & market

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

At a glance

ESTIMATED VALUE	SET-ASIDE	NAICS	PSC
~$77K Estimated: median award, FY24–FY26	None Full and open competition	335910 Battery Manufacturing	6140 Product / service code
PLACE OF PERFORMANCE	**POSTED**	**RESPONSE DUE**	**LISTING**
Not stated	Nov 7, 2026	Nov 21, 2026, 12:00 PM PST Less than a day left	Official federal notice Updated Nov 7, 2026

Our summary

National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA Armstrong Flight Research Cntr) posted a sources sought notice titled “Intent to Sole Source for LP33333 Batteries” under solicitation number 80AFRC27SS003. It was posted on Nov 7, 2026. Responses are due Nov 21, 2026, 12:00 PM PST. It is classified under NAICS 335910 (Battery Manufacturing) and product/service code 6140. No set-aside is listed. The listed point of contact is Jamill Richter.

Summary by RFP Detector.

Timeline

Blue line: today (Nov 20)



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		−5.6	−18.0 / +18.0 w 20 · conf 50%
No value published. Typical award is about $77K: the median of 1,795 federal contracts over $25K awarded in NAICS 335910, FY24–FY26.				
Competition & access	ESTIMATED		−7.2	−18.0 / +18.0 w 20 · conf 78%
Notice signals a sole-source or brand-name intent. The largest recipient took 23% of these dollars in FY24–FY26.				
Issuer & market	ESTIMATED		+2.0	−23.4 / +12.6 w 20 · conf 45%
Across all agencies, NAICS 335910 saw 13,091 contracts worth $583M in FY24–FY26. No agency-specific history found. 4 other notices from this office in the past 12 months.				
Time & stage	MEASURED		−11.4	−14.9 / +12.2 w 15 · conf 100%
Sources sought (market research, not a bid): 1 day to respond (due Nov 21, 2026, 12:00 PM PST). Very tight.				
Clarity & completeness	ESTIMATED		+0.5	−18.9 / +8.1 w 15 · conf 75%
Documents not listed, 2 named contacts with email and phone, 166-word description.				
Freshness	MEASURED		+0.6	−9.0 / +9.0 w 10 · conf 100%
Posted 13 days ago.				

Starts at 50 · contributions sum to **28.9** · capped at 30: not openly competed

Score **29** **(F)**

Score trend

Recorded whenever the score changes, last 30 days



Nov 13: 30 Nov 20: 29

Evaluated Nov 20, 2026, 3:25 AM 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 (71/100) is how much of the score rests on measured data.

Full methodology: rfpdetector.com/methodology/score

03 Market intelligence

Federal contract awards for all agencies, NAICS 335910 (no agency-specific history found). Award counts and sizes cover new awards in FY24–FY26; dollars are obligations in the same window.

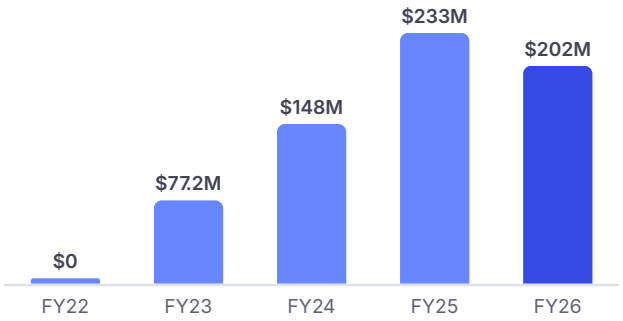
CONTRACTS AWARDED
13,091
New awards, FY24–FY26

TOTAL OBLIGATED
$583M
Obligated FY24–FY26

MEDIAN AWARD OVER $25K
$77K
1,795 awards above $25K

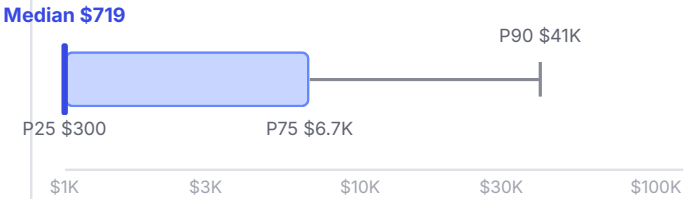
Obligations by fiscal year

all agencies, NAICS 335910



Award size

All agencies NAICS 335910 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	Enersys Energy Products Inc.	$134M	23%
2	Eaglepicher Technologies LLC	$45.5M	8%
3	Fiamm Energy Technology (usa) LLC	$42M	7%
4	Stryten Energy LLC	$30.1M	5%
5	C&d Technologies, Inc.	$27.3M	5%

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 −5.6
Small typical award (~$77K)

Competition & access −7.2
Sole source

Issuer & market +2.0
Active market ($583M FY24–FY26)

Federal award history: contract award types A–D, FY24–FY26, updated Nov 15, 2026. No agency-specific bucket had at least 20 awards, so all agencies are shown.

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

335910 Battery Manufacturing

PRODUCT / SERVICE CODE

6140

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.

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

Before you respond

Confirm on the official notice

- [ ] Read every attachment and amendment on the official solicitation
- [ ] Confirm the response deadline and time zone
  Nov 21, 2026, 12:00 PM PST
- [ ] Check you meet the set-aside / eligibility requirement
  Full and open competition
- [ ] Make sure your federal entity registration (UEI) is active
  Federal awards require an active entity registration
- [ ] Confirm how to submit
  See the official solicitation

Bid / no-bid questions

For your own decision

- [ ] Do you have relevant past performance for this scope and customer?
- [ ] Can you staff and deliver on time with a compliant response?
- [ ] Can you perform where the work is located?
- [ ] Does your pricing fit the typical award range ($300–$6.7K)?
- [ ] Do you need a teaming partner or subcontractors to cover the full scope?

A generic checklist, not advice to bid or not bid.

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

- A | 87 **155mm Modular Artillery for Combat Effectiveness (MACE)**
  Department of the Army · Due Nov 30
- A | 84 **Re-manufacture of the KC-135 Gearbox Assembly**
  Department of the Air Force · Due Dec 17
- A | 83 **Repair of C-135 and B-52 Altitude Computer**
  Department of the Air Force · Due Dec 21
- A | 82 **Actuator, Mechanical**
  Defense Logistics Agency · Due Dec 21
- A | 82 **Processor, Vsled, in Repair/Modification of**
  Department of the Navy · Due Dec 21

More from NASA Armstrong Flight Research Cntr

- F | 20 **NASA Flight Crew Training**
  National Aeronautics and Space Administration · Due Nov 23
- F | 15 **Intent to Sole Source OEM Landing Gear Tires**
  National Aeronautics and Space Administration · Due Dec 3
- B | 69 **Final Request for Proposal for NASA Suborbital/Hosted Orbital Flight and Payload Integrat...**
  National Aeronautics and Space Administration · Closed
- C | 64 **Ground Recording System (GRS)**
  National Aeronautics and Space Administration · Closed

Data and as-of times

Notice data	Official federal notice, first seen Nov 13, 2026, updated Nov 7, 2026
Market data	Federal award history, contract award types A–D, FY24–FY26, updated Nov 15, 2026
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