Table 10.21-- DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE PRIME CONTRACTS AWARDED, BY SELECTED TYPE OF BUSINESS: 2021 TO 2024

[In number and thousands of dollars. Prime contracts are generally reported at the location where work is performed. Use of prime contract data is not a means of measuring the total volume of defense work performed within a state, as a substantial amount of the work may be subcontracted. Transactions include the initial contract award and amendments and modifications to that award. Negative values may reflect refunds, or other contract adjustments. Fiscal years ending September 30]

Category 1/	2021	2022	2023	2024
Total contract actions (number)	41,633	42,038	28,925	28,018
Total contract actions value	2,325,716	2,826,908	3,609,263	5,104,659
Small bus. contract actions (number)	25,198	29,138	21,974	21,045
Small bus. contract actions as % of total	60.5	69.3	76.0	75.1
Small business contract actions value	1,091,154	1,355,444	1,244,469	2,160,885
Small business actions value as % of total	46.9	47.9	34.5	42.3
Small disadvantaged business	649,443	739,555	715,008	1,566,162
Women-owned business	176,978	180,223	177,617	243,694
HUBZone 2/	88,197	148,436	145,511	128,224
Veteran-owned	166,430	164,816	195,192	140,369
Service-disabled veteran-owned	90,688	115,259	152,548	121,898
8(a) firm	413,278	514,390	468,362	1,240,548
AbilityOne Program 3/	24,358	25,969	31,475	31,184
HBCU 4/	-	-	-	-
Educational institutions	21,297	37,944	19,122	28,115
Asian Pacific	335,768	533,423	731,086	758,967
Minority institutions	-	-	12	38
Local government	-	-	-3	-
State government	26,611	47,476	26,624	33,901
U.S. Tribal government	-	-	113	42
American Indian	43,365	43,540	34,091	47,579
Native American	358,790	434,571	372,704	973,791
Indian tribe 5/	12,254	313	-121	193
Native Hawaiian Organization-owned	182,035	228,382	224,826	746,409
Tribally-owned	38,582	24,480	35,521	49,328
Alaskan Native-owned	149,337	157,372	107,446	225,345
Asian Indian	35,962	87,535	79,917	48,939
Minority-owned	722,740	1,065,425	1,165,295	1,912,099
Black-owned	27,296	23,394	29,736	17,333
Hispanic-owned	56,602	50,169	20,747	170,924
Non-profit organization	26,314	26,808	32,547	32,020
Emerging small business	2,050	915	451	-70
Hospital	-13	-	87	77

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- 1/ Contract action is any oral or written action that results in the purchase, rent, or lease of supplies or equipment, services, or construction using appropriated dollars over the micro-purchase threshold, or modifications to these actions regardless of dollar value.
 - 2/ HUBZone Historically underutilized business zone.
 - 3/ Formerly named Javits-Wagner-O'Day Program.
 - 4/ HBCU Historically Black Colleges and Universities.
 - 5/ Federally recognized.

Source: System for Award Management (SAM), Geographic Report by Place of Performance FY2021 https://sam.gov/reports/awards/standard accessed July 11, 2022; FY 2022

https://sam.gov/reports/awards/standard accessed July 9, 2023; FY 2023 accessed https://sam.gov/reports/awards/standard accessed June 25, 2025.