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8(a) STARS III Snapshot - January 2023

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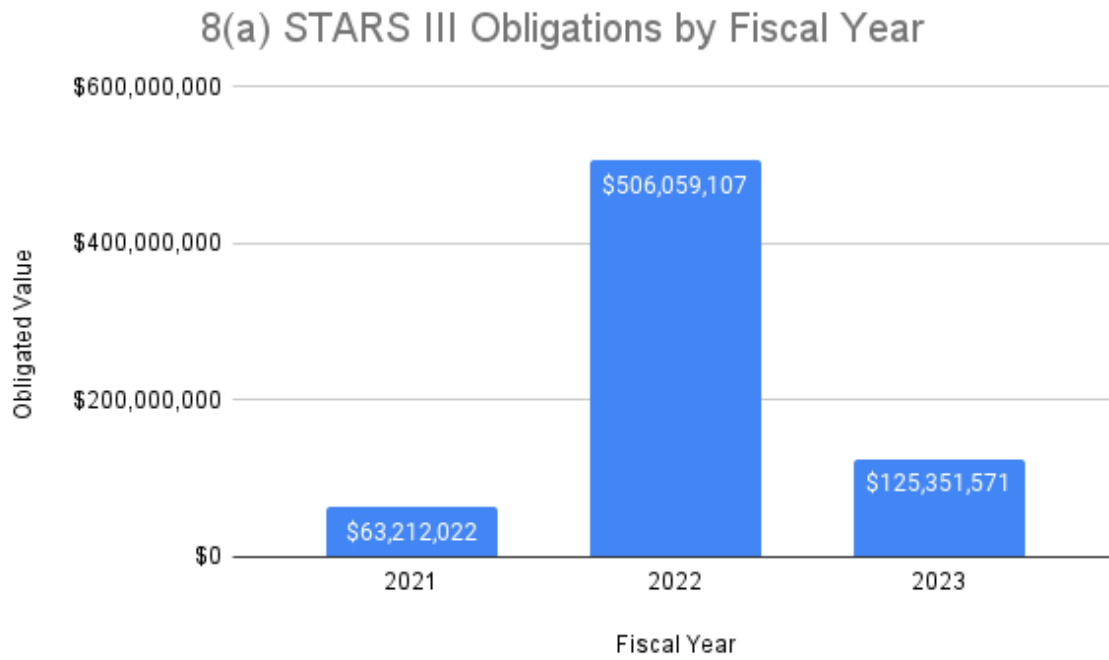
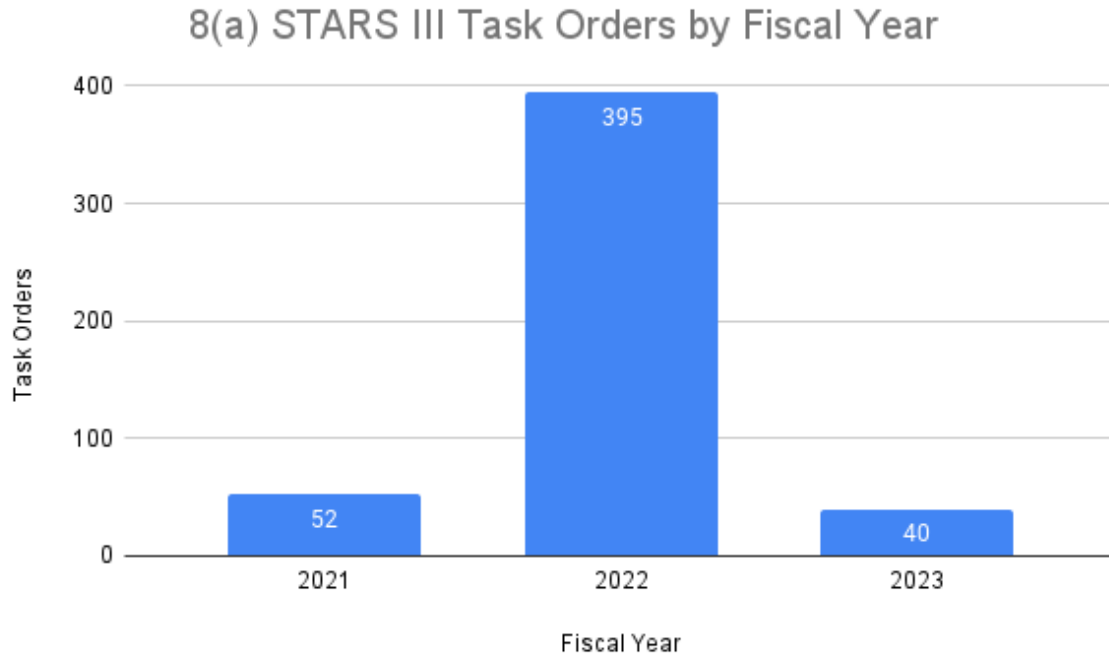
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8(a) STARS III Sales



Top 10 Agencies

Top 10 Agency Users	Task Orders	Obligated Value
DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY	81	\$120,245,623.39
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES	53	\$87,836,387.30
DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY	45	\$70,522,376.67
DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE	48	\$65,037,680.93
SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION	12	\$59,059,588.89
DEPARTMENT OF LABOR	24	\$42,975,337.19
DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY	26	\$37,105,028.68
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE	26	\$29,035,702.55
DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE	25	\$26,332,743.20
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR	19	\$25,243,044.95

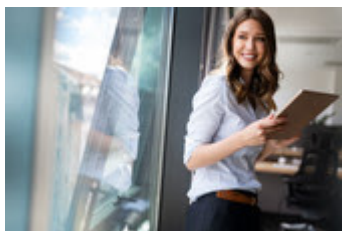
Source: GWAC Dashboards—www.gsa.gov/gwacsdashboards



Rising STARS

Industry Partners Receiving their First Task Order Awards in January.

CREATIVE IT SOLUTIONS, LLC
CREST SECURITY ASSURANCE LLC
BAREX TECHNOLOGIES LLC
FEDWRITERS, INC.



GSA eBuy Postings

Scope/Scope Sub-Area	RFPs	RFIs
Main Scope	10	20
Emerging Technology	0	4
OCONUS	0	1



DPA Training Schedule

Live Webinar Training

- Tuesday, February 14th
- Tuesday, March 14th

24/7 On Demand DPA Training

- YouTube

Be sure to share these training opportunities with your customers.

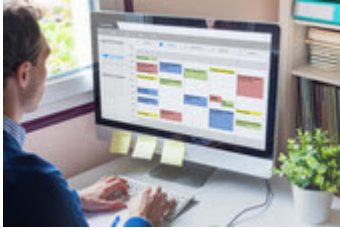
DPAs Issued - 32 added in January

AGENCY	# of DPA Holders
Department of Homeland Security	131
General Services Administration	93
Department of Defense	75
Department of the Air Force	66
Department of the Interior	64
Department of Agriculture	55
Department of the Army	52
Department of Health and Human Services	51
Department of the Treasury	51
Department of Commerce	38
Department of the Navy	35
Department of Justice	22
Department of Transportation	20
Department of State	19
Small Business Administration	17
32 DPAs were issued in January	
905 Total DPAs have been issued	



Useful Information

- Members of the 8(a) STARS III team will be attending the 2023 National Small Business Conference in New Orleans February 14-15. If you will also be attending the event and would like to arrange a time to meet with members of the team, please let us know by sending an email to s3@gsa.gov. **Conference attendance is optional and is not required or endorsed by the government.**
- The first 8(a) STARS III Listen & Learn webinar has been added to the [8\(a\) STARS III Resource Center](#). Listen & Learn webinar recordings are business development conversations between GSA and industry partners who have received 8(a) STARS III task order awards. The 8(a) STARS III team will continue working with industry partners to add new Listen & Learn recordings. Please contact the 8(a) STARS III team at s3@gsa.gov if you are interested in participating in the Listen & Learn series.
- [GSA Training Opportunity - Making Market Research Easy - Enhancing Industry Partnerships](#) Learn more about Requests for Information (RFI) and how they can be a useful tool for your business. This webinar will bring innovative insights on how to respond to GSA's RFIs by providing tips and tricks from the experts.
- Our team would like to take a moment to inform you about our new inquiry collection system. The linked [Governmentwide Acquisition Contract \(GWAC\) Contractor Payment Reporting Module \(CPRM\) Inquiries Google Form](#) makes it very quick and easy to submit inquiries and questions that you have previously sent to the reportinginquiries@gsa.gov email box. Please



Reminders

- Include the GSA contract access fee (CAF) as a **separate element / line item** on all quotes/proposals in accordance with section B.6.3 of your contract.
- Please do not include stars3awardees@gsa.gov in the "to" or "cc/bcc" line when replying to emails that were sent to your STARS3 group email address. Including only the intended recipients ensures that your email is not mass distributed to all 8(a) STARS III industry partners.
- Add "ReportingInquiries@gsa.gov" to your approved sender list. A team of program analysts supporting the STARS III team will send notices when required reporting is delinquent from the "ReportingInquiries@gsa.gov" email address. Failure to report timely or respond to a request for action will impact your STARS III performance record!
- If you need assistance with CPRM, you can find self-paced training modules on the CPRM homepage under the Access to Training Modules link (<https://assist.gsa.gov/assist2-web/help>) You can filter training offerings by selecting CPRM from the Tab filter.
- Do you need help keeping track of the 8(a) STARS III contract deliverables? Consider downloading the "8(a) STARS III Contract Deliverables" table from the 8(a) STARS III Resource Center. This resource is located in the Contract Resources section.
- The 8(a) STARS III GWAC has a new logo. Industry partners are encouraged to download the new logo for use on 8(a) STARS III marketing materials. Both .jpg and .png file



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