

# Your Everything Solution for **Logistics, Warehousing and Distribution Services**

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**For fast, flexible, cost-effective procurement, turn to GSA's Multiple Award Schedules (MAS) — meet your acquisition challenges while achieving your mission's goals.**

**Speed** – Shorten procurement lead-times and reduce your administrative burden and costs with quick and easy access to thousands of pre-qualified, industry leading contractors.

**Selection** – Compete among a vast selection of expert service and product providers to meet your mission needs from the largest, most reliable government procurement source.

**Flexibility** – Tailor RFQs and orders to your unique purchasing requirements and negotiate pricing below our ceiling rates to fit your specific needs and budget.

**Efficiency** – Streamline contracting while maintaining FAR compliance when you issue orders directly to pre-qualified contractors.

**Value** – Simplify your procurements by tapping into our pool of proven sources that have already been determined responsible and technically capable — at fair and reasonable prices.

**Transparency** – Leverage a suite of eTools that help identify qualified, small business contractors and maximize competition.

**Manage Your Procurement** – Your agency contracting officer will retain control of your procurement including requirements development, evaluation and award of the order.



While military logistics, warehousing and distribution is critical to operations on land, at sea and in the air, more than rapid delivery is needed to support the armed forces. At GSA, we understand that dependability and trust are equally vital for ensuring today's war-fighters are prepared to respond to the call of duty. With FAR-compliant contracts and online ordering systems in place, we offer you the easiest, most efficient way to get the solutions you need from trusted professionals. Whether you are looking for distribution, deployment, warehousing or transportation services, or full-scale supply chain management, we can help. Best of all, with GSA, you maintain control of the purchasing process and are able to request additional pricing discounts or concessions to accomplish the task at hand.

At GSA, we offer you an integrated approach to accessing the broadest range of logistics solutions. Your access to thousands of pre-qualified logistics service providers is simplified, allowing you to tailor orders to meet your unique requirements and letting your agency negotiate pricing below our ceiling rates. GSA can assist you in accessing the experts needed for all phases of making your organization's logistics practices more efficient, including shipping and packaging supplies, building materials, and IT products and services. The logistics services available from GSA include:

- Supply and Value Chain Management;
- Distribution and Transportation Logistics;
- Deployment Logistics;
- Logistics Training;
- Operations and Maintenance Logistics Management and Support;
- Support Products;
- Ancillary Repair and Alterations;
- Shipping, Packaging and Packing Supplies (including pallets, UID and RFID, wrapping and strapping material, and hazardous material packaging);
- Building and Building Materials, Industrial Services and Supplies (including generators, warehouse equipment, air- and water-purification equipment, fuel-management systems, prefabricated buildings, and energy-saving lighting products); and
- Commercial Information Technology Equipment, Software and Services.

The GSA Multiple Award Schedules (MAS) program is the largest and most comprehensive acquisition vehicle available to the federal government. GSA MAS contracts offer your agency complete, state-of-the-industry products and services designed to meet today's challenges with leading logistics, warehousing and distribution services and support products. These contracts are created to help agencies like yours comply with daily operational requirements. Though GSA has already negotiated fair and reasonable pricing, ordering activities can seek additional discounts with MAS contractors before placing an order.

Following is a list of four cross-MAS groupings to help you determine the products and/or services that meet your needs in the logistics arena.

#### **Logistics Worldwide ([www.gsa.gov/logworld](http://www.gsa.gov/logworld))**

GSA's Logistics Services assist federal agencies with procuring comprehensive logistics solutions. Services include: all phases of planning; acquisition and management of logistics systems; and providing expert advice, assistance, guidance, management, or operational support services that permit the deployment of supplies, equipment, materials and associated personnel. Training is provided in: system operations; automated tools for supply and value chain management; property and inventory management; distribution and transportation management; and maintenance of equipment and facilities supporting these activities. Turnkey or total solutions are available in support of a logistics functions and minor repair and alteration services — ancillary to existing Special Item Numbers (SINs) under this MAS — are also provided.

Variety of offerings includes:

- Supply and Value Chain Management;
- Distribution and Transportation Logistics;
- Deployment Logistics;
- Logistics Training;
- Operations and Maintenance Logistics Management and Support;
- Support Products; and
- Ancillary Repair and Alterations.

## Shipping, Packaging and Packing Supplies ([www.gsa.gov/shippacksupply](http://www.gsa.gov/shippacksupply))

As your one-stop resource for day-to-day packaging and shipping basics, this GSA MAS offers pallets, unique shipping containers, and accessories — all conveniently ordered from your desktop! Everything you need for preparing and transporting items securely, efficiently and cost-effectively is at our fingertips. And hundreds of pre-qualified vendors stand ready to serve you with a huge range of products, supplies and related packaging services. You can count GSA MAS contractors to help your agency work more confidently, quickly and easily because you'll get the exact supplies and services you need to get your deliveries packaged, shipped and delivered on time. They'll not only help you maximize work efficiency and productivity — thereby saving time and money — they will also help meet your agency's goals to protect and transport goods securely, in undisturbed conditions, with timely delivery for uncompromised results.

Variety of offerings includes:

- Bags and Sacks;
- Packaging Services;
- Maintenance, Repair and Modification of Containers;
- Pallets, Plastic and Wood;
- Unique Identification (UID) and Radio Frequency Identification (RFID);
- Bottles, Jars, Boxes, Cartons, Crates, Container Systems, and Metal Drums;
- Wrapping and Strapping Materials;
- Packaging and Packaging Bulk Materials;
- Performance Oriented Packaging (POP), Plastic Over Pack and Hazardous Material Packaging; and
- Aluminum Foil.

## Buildings and Building Materials, Industrial Services and Supplies ([www.gsa.gov/buildindustrial](http://www.gsa.gov/buildindustrial))

Whenever you need complete buildings, building materials, and industrial products and services, GSA MAS has it covered. Our acquisition experts make it easy for you to access our vast selection of products, which includes power-distribution equipment, warehouse supplies, air- and water-purification products, and building materials, along with the new ancillary repair and alterations (R&A) SINs.

In addition, this program offers energy-saving building supplies, alternative-energy solutions, and related services. Along with the new ancillary R&A SINs, these products and services can be ordered to create a more complete solution.

Variety of offerings includes:

- Alternative Energy Solutions, Solar Energy Solutions, Power Distribution Equipment, Generators and Batteries;
- Warehouse Equipment and Supplies;
- Air- and Water-Purification Equipment and Sewer Treatment Equipment;
- Maintenance and Repair Shop Equipment with Related Environmental Products;
- Above-ground Storage Tanks/Systems, Fuel-dispensing Units and Fuel-management Systems;
- Pre-engineered, Pre-fabricated Buildings and Structures;
- Building Materials;
- Energy Saving Lighting Products and Specialty Lighting; and
- Ancillary Repair and Alterations.

## IT Products and Services ([www.gsa.gov/schedule70](http://www.gsa.gov/schedule70))

The Information Technology (IT) Schedule 70 was established by GSA to assist agencies like yours with the procurement of IT products, services and solutions in support of your agency's logistics, warehousing and distribution services. As you know, to run an efficient and effective warehouse and distribution center within your agency, you need supporting software and databases. You may also need online training modules for the personnel within your agencies. This MAS grants your agency direct access to commercial experts who can thoroughly address your IT needs as they relate to your logistics, warehousing, and distribution services missions through 22 Special Item Numbers (SINs). These products and services cover most general-purpose commercial IT hardware, software and services, including:

- Leasing of Products;
- Daily/Short Term Rental;
- Purchase of New Equipment;
- Purchase of Used or Refurbished Equipment;
- Maintenance of Equipment, Repair Services and/or Repair/Spare Parts;
- Term & Perpetual Software License;
- Maintenance of Software as a Service;
- Information Technology Training Courses;
- Information Technology Professional Services;
- Electronic Commerce Services;
- Wireless Services;
- Commercial Satellite Communications (COMSATCOM) Transponded Capacity and Subscription Services;
- Access Certificates for Electronic Services (ACES) Program;
- Public Key Infrastructure (PKI) Shared Service Provider (SSP) Program; and
- HSPD-12 product and service components.

For more information about logistics, warehousing and distribution solutions from GSA, please visit [www.gsa.gov/logisticssolutions](http://www.gsa.gov/logisticssolutions) or e-mail [maureen.duckworth@gsa.gov](mailto:maureen.duckworth@gsa.gov).



## Flexible and Scalable Procurement

Government agencies are located worldwide, and they range in size, function and buying preferences. Our goal is to help your agency identify the best acquisition tools for your needs.

## Direct Access to Pre-Approved Contractors Online

The GSA MAS Multiple Award Schedules program establishes contracts with responsible contractors and negotiates ceiling rates for labor categories. The contracts are ready for federal government orders, saving time and effort over open market procurements. GSA's online tool, eLibrary, is a comprehensive information resource for GSA Multiple Award Schedules. The eLibrary allows users to search contracts by contractor name, contract number, Special Item Number (SIN), MAS number, and keywords. To learn more, visit [www.gsaelibrary.gsa.gov](http://www.gsaelibrary.gsa.gov).

## Complete Solution

When your requirements cross multiple disciplines or combine services and products, the strength and diversity of the GSA MAS contractor community can rise to the challenge. Many contractors can provide total solutions for complex requirements across numerous schedules. Contractor Team Arrangements (CTAs) allow MAS contractors to create their own partnerships and to provide comprehensive solutions beyond the scope of their individual contracts. And just recently approved, a deviation to the FAR (FAR Part 51.1) now expands the authority of contractors to use GSA sources of supply, including GSA MAS contracts, GSA Global Supply and VA MAS contracts. To learn more, visit [www.gsa.gov/far51deviation](http://www.gsa.gov/far51deviation).

## The Consolidated Schedule

Ready for your agency's use, the Consolidated Schedule encompasses the vast majority of services currently offered through GSA's Multiple Award Schedules (MAS) program. Essentially, the Consolidated Schedule is an amalgam of many individual services offered through various Schedules, which federal agencies like yours find particularly appealing when the time comes to procure requirements that fall under various functional domains (or Schedules). For example, your agency can use the Consolidated Schedule to issue a task order to a single company for performing a requirement that includes services falling within the scope of different Schedules. See the array of services available under the Consolidated Schedule at [www.gsa.gov/consolidatedschedule](http://www.gsa.gov/consolidatedschedule).

## GSA Assisted Services

GSA offers fee-based acquisition, project and financial management for financial services on a short- or long-term basis. We combine acquisition, project management and financial resources to deliver customized, scalable solutions throughout the project life cycle. Working through Interagency Agreements, GSA establishes the service level expectation with your agency's program, financial, contracting and legal staff to ensure requirements are met on time, within budget. To learn more, visit [www.gsa.gov/aas](http://www.gsa.gov/aas).

## GSAAvantage!®

GSAAvantage!® is the federal government's premier online ordering system that provides 24-hour access to more than 17 million product and service solutions available from 16,000-plus GSA Multiple Award Schedules (MAS) contractors — as well as all products available from GSA Global Supply™. GSAAvantage! offers: FAR-compliant purchasing; direct contact with MAS contractors to increase procurement speed and efficiency; specified grouping of products and services; easy-to-use research capabilities that narrow results and compare features, prices and delivery options; and a streamlined online experience with instant online ordering. For those state and local government entities looking to simplify their procurement process, GSAAvantage! offers them the ability to use their

own state or local government-issued charge card to access a wide variety of products and services solutions. It also provides customers with multiple payment options and online viewing of order status to ensure complete order. The Advantage Spend Analysis Program (ASAP) reporting tool is also part of GSAAvantage!; this tool serves several functions, including giving authorized users access to GSAAvantage! sales and statistical data, with the option of running valuable reports. To learn more about how GSAAvantage! can help you, visit [www.gsaadvantage.gov](http://www.gsaadvantage.gov).

## eBuy

eBuy is an online Request for Quote tool to receive information for highly complex, large quantity or big-ticket procurement requirements. eBuy streamlines the solicitation process for customers by providing a single tool to post solicitations, receive quotes from GSA Multiple Award Schedules, GWAC or other GSA technology contractors, find sources of supply, submit responses and establish and use Blanket Purchase Agreements. eBuy creates value through instant access to contractors, paperless procurement from "cradle to grave," full compliance with Section 803 of the 2002 National Defense Authorization Act, real-time RFQ management, volume discounts, electronic award notification and debriefing, and best-value practices through enhanced competition. It is ideal for customized services, with features that allow an agency to designate an RFQ as "Sources Sought," attached specification documents and describe complex or customized requirements. By using eBuy, customers can reduce the time spent on procuring products and services so that they can concentrate on their true missions. To learn more, visit [www.ebuy.gsa.gov](http://www.ebuy.gsa.gov).

## GSA Global Supply™

From office supplies to disaster relief products, GSA Global Supply™ provides fast, easy access to hundreds of thousands of established-source products for federal government agencies at the federal, state, and local levels. Depending on the customers needs, Global Supply can facilitate any requisition-based orders (with no need for comparison shopping) through worldwide delivery, 24/7 support, AbilityOne (formerly known as JWOD) guaranteed products, payment using GSA SmartPay® or AAC/DoDAAC, government-to-government transactions, and unrestricted spending limits. It also ensures that all orders comply with the Federal Acquisition Regulations and other DoD, socioeconomic, and environmental policies with which customers need to be concerned. To learn more, visit [www.GSAGlobalSupply.gsa.gov](http://www.GSAGlobalSupply.gsa.gov).

## Ensuring Re-Use with GSA Personal Property Management

Screening other agencies' excess personal property inventories is the federal government's priority source of supply. And with today's increased environmental consciousness, reusing excess property is a source of pride. To help you acquire the excess property your agency needs, GSA offers [www.gsa.gov/gsexcess](http://www.gsa.gov/gsexcess), the personal property reporting tools for the federal government. At GSAXcess®, reporting, searching and selecting excess property is convenient and user-friendly.

## Additional Information

The home base for information on Logistics, Warehousing and Distribution solutions is [www.gsa.gov/logisticsolutions](http://www.gsa.gov/logisticsolutions). This site contains links to external resources and regulations and additional resources and training.

GSA invites your questions to one of our Logistics, Warehousing and Distribution contracting experts; simply send inquiries to [maureen.duckworth@gsa.gov](mailto:maureen.duckworth@gsa.gov).



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