

Contract Types

Connections II is a global, multi-year contract.

- Awarded October 2011
- 3 year, 3 month base with 6 one year options
- Multiple awards to pre-qualified small and large businesses

Service Types

Connections II telecommunications services include:

- Defining requirements
- Assessing alternatives
- Designing solutions
- Installing and operating equipment, including cabling, routers, and switches
- Support services, including project managers, technicians, and Web architects
- Customized solutions, including network engineering and operations support

Additional Capabilities

- Legacy voice, data, and video teleconferencing solutions
- IP and converged solutions
- Cable and wire management
- Billing and account management
- Customer service and technical support

How to Order

You can achieve fair opportunity and order directly from Connections II's industry partners using the email address link on our website; www.gsa.gov/connectionsii. You can also order with GSA assistance, contact information can be found on the upper right corner of the website.

More Information

If you have questions, please contact the Connections contract team at (877) 387-2001 or visit www.gsa.gov/connectionsii.

One-Stop Solutions for Telecommunications: Connections II

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Examples of Connections II Solutions

- Enterprise architecture: interoperability and centralization
- Security: protecting your telecommunications infrastructure
- Continuity of Operations Plan (COOP) and Disaster Recovery
- Information management: storage and system integration
- Consolidation of billing
- Connectivity: on-site cabling and wiring

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Connections II, our latest acquisition solution, offers all of the services provided by its predecessor, Connections, and more.

Connections II provides convenient, one-stop shopping to support all of your telecommunications, networking, and network-centric application needs at the LAN, building, and enterprise level.

Special Benefits Include:

- Simplified competition process, and extremely fast contract modifications for adding new equipment
- Performance-based contracting
- Small and large businesses as prime contractors
- Ability to draw value from existing Networx and other ITS Network Services contracts
- Commercial off-the-shelf (COTS), customized solutions, or a strategic combination of both
- Global availability
- Supply chain risk management
- Sustainable procurement options

Connections II fosters lower prices and increased quality in a performance based environment. Use GSA as your end-to-end solution provider by combining our local and long-distance telecommunications contracts with Connections II.

