



NAICS Matching and Eligibility Guide

How to use industry codes without mistaking classification for qualification

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What NAICS does

NAICS codes classify economic activity. They help locate solicitations and inform size-standard analysis, but they do not prove technical capability or award eligibility.

Build the code inventory

Document primary and secondary codes, supporting revenue or employee size data, actual products and services, and evidence of past performance.

Check each solicitation

Confirm the NAICS code assigned to the procurement, current applicable size standard, set-aside restrictions, registration representations and solicitation-specific eligibility.

Improve match relevance

Combine codes with scope keywords, agency history, geography, security requirements, contract type and procurement stage. Review false positives monthly.

Quality checklist

Record the exact solicitation version and amendment date; assign a human reviewer; do not infer eligibility solely from an AI-generated match score.

Implementation checklist

Assign an accountable owner, validate information against the latest solicitation and official agency sources, record decisions, and review outcomes after each pursuit. Treat AI outputs as research

assistance rather than authoritative eligibility or legal advice.

Put the framework into practice

Explore Dakdan.ai at dakdan.ai, start a 30-day trial at dakdan.ai/register, or schedule a consultation at [Dakdan.ai consultation booking](#).

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