

Determining Indigenous Business Availability

As recently announced, it has been mandated that a minimum of 5% of Government of Canada contracts are awarded to Indigenous Businesses. The following instructions will review the steps involved search the availability of Indigenous Businesses when procuring items. The instructions cover 2 sites but there are various other Business Directories available on-line

Indigenous Business Directory

<https://www.sac-isc.gc.ca/rea-ibd>

Upon clicking the link above, the following screen will appear:

The screenshot shows a search interface with a blue header that reads "Find companies that can supply your organization with the goods, services and technology it needs." Below the header, there is a search bar with a yellow background and a "Search" button. To the right of the search bar is a "Reset" link. Below the search bar, there are three columns of options: "Search Format" with radio buttons for "CSV" and "HTML" (HTML is selected); "Search For:" with radio buttons for "All of these words" (selected), "Any of these words", and "Look for this phrase"; and "Look In:" with radio buttons for "All text" (selected), "Company name", and "Product description". Below these options are several input fields: "Company Name:", "Province/Territory:" (with a dropdown menu showing "All", "Alberta", "British Columbia", and "Manitoba"), "City:", "Postal Code:", "Company Profile:", "NAICS Code:", and "GSIN Code:". There are also two buttons: "Search for NAICS Code" and "Search for GSIN Code", each preceded by an "or" label.

There are 2 different ways of searching from here. The first option is to do a detailed search of any specific keywords you are looking for. The second option is to do a search by different fields, such as by company name, province/territory, GSIN code, etc.

For example, if you search “office supplies” the following appears:

Search results - Indigenous Business Directory

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There are 41 potential firms that could supply office related items. From here you can obtain the firms contact information and view their website (if one exists) to view the items they have for sale.

Standing Offer & Supply Arrangement App (SOSA App)

<https://buyandsell.gc.ca/applications/standing-offers-and-supply-arrangements-application-SOSA-App>

After clicking the link above scroll down mid page to click “Access the SOSA App”. You will be prompted to log in using your myKey.

View details about our standing offers and supply arrangements for goods and services. The Standing Offers and Supply Arrangements Application (SOSA App) is available to federal users and authorized provincial or territorial identified users.



Learn more about the [SOSA App](#)

Access the SOSA App

Attention: Need help signing in?

Please review our guide on [how to sign into SOSA App using a myKEY or Smart Card](#).

You can also review our [Frequently Asked Questions about SOSA App registration and login](#) page to learn more about our new login requirements and troubleshoot common issues.

For authorized federal, provincial and territorial users

By using the Standing Offers and Supply Arrangements Application (SOSA App) you declare that:

Related Links

- Learn About Standing Offers and About Supply Arrangements.
- Browse GSIN Codes to find codes related to your industry. Coming in 2019, the United Nations Standard Products and Services Code (UNSPSC) will replace GSIN codes.
- Find the GSIN codes for the mandatory standing offers and supply arrangements in the [About GSIN Codes](#) page
- Access information on contracts awarded by PWGSC since 2009 from [Contract History](#) data

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Once logged in you should be directed to the below screen. From here you can search for key words. Note: if you search in the “title” field it only pulls up items with that specific title. If you search in the commodities field it will pull up all items containing those words.

My workspace

All of your tasks begin here. Use the filters below to quickly find your information, or make a selection directly from the table below.

Title ⓘ
Ex. "DELL CANADA..."

Commodities ⓘ
office supplies

Group ⓘ
Ex. "MD"

Type
Use "Ctrl" to select multiple items.
Departmental Individual Standing Offer (DISO)
National Individual Standing Offer (NISO)
National Master Standing Offer (NMSO)
Regional Individual Standing Offer (RISO)

Status
Use "Ctrl" to select multiple items.
Draft
Published
Expired

Contact name
Ex. "John Doe"

Results per page
10

Apply Reset

For a more refined search click “my agreements” in the top left corner of the screen. From this screen you can search keywords and filter by department, benefit type, commodity, etc.

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Welcome: Kyla Grabowski

Home → My workspace

Attention SOSA App users: Federal Government users of the SOSA App are now required to log in via their existing myKEY credentials in order to access the SOSA App and view Standing Offers and Supply Arrangements.

There are new expectations regarding safeguarding of confidential commercial information (e.g. price lists):

- Prior to posting documents on the SOSA App the procurement officer responsible must add appropriate security markings to relevant documents as indicated in the [following guide](#).
- The document can then be sent from ABE to SOSA App (e.g. solicitation documents), or uploaded directly into SOSA App (e.g. price lists).

There have been changes made to the attestation section that will need to be acknowledged prior to publishing agreements in SOSA App. The attestation section now also includes language around security markings and compliance with the Treasury Board of Canada Secretariat (TBS) policy on [Government Security](#).

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My groups

Search standing offers and supply arrangements

Start your search by entering a keyword in the following field. To search for a specific commodity you must enter the commodity name or a Goods and Services Identification Number (GSIN) directly into the keyword search. Please read our [Search tips](#) to learn more.

Keyword search 

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Search

Showing 1 to 10 of 7069 results.

[ADGA GROUP CONSULTANTS INC \(EN537-05IT01/002/EI\)](#)

Description:	SBIPS (Solutions Based Informatics Professional Services) (Information Processing and Related Telecommunication Services)
Mandatory commodity:	Information Processing and Related Telecommunication Services
Supplier operating name:	ADGA GROUP CONSULTANTS INC
Commodity:	D302A - Informatics Professional Services
Agreement number:	EN537-05IT01/002/EI
Department, agency or Crown corporation:	Public Works and Government Services Canada

Filter your results 

[Reset filters](#)

Departments/Agencies/Crown corporations

- Department of National Defence (6442)
- Fisheries and Oceans Canada (6257)
- Correctional Service of Canada (6079)
- Public Works and Government Services Canada (6049)
- Transport Canada (6049)

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Socio-economic benefits

- Not applicable (3880)
- Green goods or services (3168)
- Aboriginal Business (30)

Region of delivery 