

ARMY CONTRACT WRITING SYSTEM (ACWS)

Deliver capabilities and take care of people



WHAT IS ACWS?

ACWS is a Business Category II Defense Business System program that will replace the Standard Procurement System/Procurement Desktop-Defense and Procurement Automated Data and Document System. ACWS will be comprised of approximately 10,000 users at ~300 sites in the United States and throughout the world.

WHAT DOES ACWS DO?

ACWS provides a single enterprise contract writing and management system to obtain business process efficiencies; supports compliance with the Federal Financial Management Act of 1996; integrates with existing enterprise resource planning (ERP) solutions; and decreases the number of complex interfaces while fostering audit readiness.

MISSION

Deliver a world-class, single enterprise-wide contract writing and management solution at the speed of relevance. Capable of meeting the current and future non-classified, classified and disconnected state missions of the Army contracting community.

FAST FACTS



ACWS will modernize Army contracting.



ACWS will be the Army Contracting Enterprise (ACE) primary weapon system providing optimal operational support to the warfighter.



TOP GOALS & PRIORITIES

ACWS will function in low bandwidth/disconnected status environments for expeditionary forces and will support unclassified networks, classified networks and end-to-end contracting requirements.

It is expected to use centralized services such as Clause Logic; standardized business rules, including contract line-item number structure; and standard data schemas like Procurement Data Standard and Standard Financial Information Structure.

- Goal #1 – Sunset two Contracting legacy systems (SPS and PADDs)
- Goal #2 – Enhance the user experience with the capability
- Goal #3 – Modernize Army Contracting



BY THE NUMBERS*

6,720

ACE Users Trained

3,300

End Users Onboarded

13,409

Actions Executed

\$2.2B

Actions Obligated

*As of 7 MAY 2025



"Failure to achieve this transition would leave the Army Contracting Enterprise (ACE) without its primary weapon system, jeopardizing its ability to function optimally and support the warfighter."

LTC Camille N. Morgan, PdM, ACWS

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