

Type	Title	Platform	Log-in Requirement (Yes/No)	Title/Synopsis	Site/Link
Policy	FAR 15.305	govinfo.gov	no	Cost or price evaluation	https://www.govinfo.gov/content/pkg/CFR-2019-title48-vol1/pdf/CFR-2019-title48-vol1-sec15-305.pdf
Policy	FAR 15.4	govinfo.gov	no	Contract Pricing	https://www.govinfo.gov/content/pkg/CFR-2019-title48-vol1/pdf/CFR-2019-title48-vol1-part15-subpart15-4.pdf
Policy	FAR 15.404-1	govinfo.gov	no	Proposal analysis techniques	https://www.govinfo.gov/content/pkg/CFR-2019-title48-vol1/pdf/CFR-2019-title48-vol1-sec15-404-1.pdf
Policy	FAR 15.404-1(b)	govinfo.gov	no	Price Analysis	https://www.govinfo.gov/content/pkg/CFR-2019-title48-vol1/pdf/CFR-2019-title48-vol1-sec15-404-1.pdf
Policy	FAR 15.404-1(c)	govinfo.gov	no	Cost Analysis	https://www.govinfo.gov/content/pkg/CFR-2019-title48-vol1/pdf/CFR-2019-title48-vol1-sec15-404-1.pdf
Policy	FAR 15.404-1(d)	govinfo.gov	no	Cost realism analysis	https://www.govinfo.gov/content/pkg/CFR-2019-title48-vol1/pdf/CFR-2019-title48-vol1-sec15-404-1.pdf
Policy	FAR 15.404-1(e)	govinfo.gov		Unbalanced pricing	https://www.govinfo.gov/content/pkg/CFR-2019-title48-vol1/pdf/CFR-2019-title48-vol1-sec15-404-1.pdf
Policy	FAR 12.209	govinfo.gov	no	Determination of price reasonableness for Commercial Items and Services	https://www.govinfo.gov/content/pkg/CFR-2019-title48-vol1/pdf/CFR-2019-title48-vol1-sec12-209.pdf
Policy	Protest against Cost Analysis Used in Proposal Evaluation	GAO.gov	no	A protester to a contract award contended that the cost evaluation was erroneous and, if the evaluation had been performed properly, it would have been the successful offeror.	https://www.gao.gov/products/105302
Policy	DFARS 215.4	acq.osd.mil/dpap/	no	Contract Pricing	https://www.acq.osd.mil/dpap/dars/dfars/html/current/215_4.htm
Policy	PGI 215.4	acq.osd.mil/dpap/	no	Contract Pricing	https://www.acq.osd.mil/dpap/dars/pgi/pgi.htm/PGI215_4.htm#215_402
Training	BCF 130 Fundamentals of Cost Analysis	DAU.edu	Must enroll in the online course	Covers policies and techniques use in cost analysis	catalog.dau.edu/onlinecatalog/courses.aspx?crs_id=2090
Training	BCF 132v Applied Cost Analysis	DAU.edu	Must enroll in the virtual course	Expands on techniques covered in BCF 130	catalog.dau.edu/onlinecatalog/courses.aspx?crs_id=12394
Training	BCF 230v Intermediate Cost Analysis	DAU.edu	Must enroll in the virtual course	Expands on techniques covered in BCF 132	catalog.dau.edu/onlinecatalog/courses.aspx?crs_id=12397
Training	CMC 235 Selection and Use of Indices	DAU.edu	Must enroll in the virtual course	Addresses aspects of indices, when and how to use	catalog.dau.edu/onlinecatalog/courses.aspx?crs_id=12230
Training	CON 170V Fundamentals of Cost and Price Analysis	DAU.edu	Must enroll in the virtual course	Overview of regulations and processes for cost and price analyses	catalog.dau.edu/onlinecatalog/courses.aspx?crs_id=12346
Training	CON 270V Intermediate Cost and Price Analysis	DAU.edu	Must enroll in the virtual course	Builds upon the fundamentals covered in CON 170	catalog.dau.edu/onlinecatalog/courses.aspx?crs_id=12404
Training	CON 370 Advanced Cost and Price Analysis	DAU.edu	Must enroll in the virtual course	Scenario based approach to provide a deeper understanding	catalog.dau.edu/onlinecatalog/courses.aspx?crs_id=1974
Training	Armed Services Pricing Manual - Volume 1	DAU.edu	No	Contains instructional material on the whole range of contract pricing	https://www.dau.edu/tools/Lists/DAUTools/Attachments/23/ASPM_v1_1986.pdf
Training	Armed Services Pricing Manual - Volume 2 Pricing	DAU.edu	No	Contains instructional material on price analysis	https://www.dau.edu/tools/Lists/DAUTools/Attachments/24/ASPM_v2_1987.pdf
Best Practices	A Guide to Best Practices for Performance -Based Service Contracting	OMB.gov	No	This OFPP Guide contains best practices for drafting statements of work, solicitations, and quality assurance plans, and in awarding and administering performance-based service contracts. Citations to existing "How to" manuals are included at Appendix 1	https://www.whitehouse.gov/sites/whitehouse.gov/files/omb/procurement/pbsa/guide_pbsc.html
Best Practices	Quick Guide to Cost and Price Analysis for HUD Grantees and Funding Recipients	HUD.gov	No	FAQ	https://www.hud.gov/program_offices/cpo/grantees/cstprice
Best Practices	Federal Transit Administration FAQ	Transit.dot.gov	No	FAQ	https://www.transit.dot.gov/funding/procurement/third-party-procurement/costprice-analysis
Best Practices	Wifcon	Wifon.com	yes	web based forum	http://www.wifcon.com/
Best Practices	Cost/Price Analysis Plan	DAU.edu	No	Template to identify which member of the Government team is responsible for reviewing each component of the contractor's proposal and to establish expectations (organization, format, level of detail) and due dates for evaluation products	https://www.dau.edu/cop/pricing/_layouts/15/WopiFrame.aspx?sourceid=/cop/pricing/DAU%20Sponsored%20Documents/Cost_Price%20Analysis%20Plan%20worksheet.xlsx&action=default
Best Practices	Sole Source Streamlining Toolbox	DAU.edu	No	A tool to aid in conducting the evaluation of large-dollar proposals as efficiently as possible without sacrificing the quality of the deal	https://www.dau.edu/tools/Lists/DAUTools/Attachments/289/DoD%20Sole%20Source%20Streamlining%20Toolbox%202.12%2010-20.pdf
Best Practices	Priced Paid Portal	GSA.gov	Yes	A tool to aid in Negotiation	https://hallways.cap.gsa.gov/app/#/
Resources	CALC	GSA.gov	No	Awarded Ceiling rates for Labor Categories. Search for information by vendor, contract number or labor categories	https://calc.gsa.gov/
Resources	Cost Analyst Spreadsheet Toolbox	DAU.edu	No	Tutorial and Workbook with tabs for different EXCEL functions	dau.edu/tools/t/Cost-Analyst-Spreasheet-Toolbox
Resources	Contract Pricing Reference Guides (CPRG)	DAU.edu	No	5 Volume Set that includes Price Analysis and Cost Analysis	dau.edu/tools/p/cprg
Resources	CPRG Guidebook Volume 1	DAU.edu	No	Volume 1: Price Analysis	https://www.dau.edu/guidebooks/_layouts/15/WopiFrame.aspx?sourceid=/guidebooks/Shared%20Documents/CPRG_Vol1%20(rev2020).pdf&action=default
Resources	CPRG Guidebook Volume 2	DAU.edu	No	Volume 2: Quantitative Techniques	https://www.dau.edu/guidebooks/_layouts/15/WopiFrame.aspx?sourceid=/guidebooks/Shared%20Documents/CPRG_Vol2_.pdf&action=default
Resources	CPRG Guidebook Volume 3	DAU.edu	No	Volume 3: Cost Analysis	https://www.dau.edu/guidebooks/_layouts/15/WopiFrame.aspx?sourceid=/guidebooks/Shared%20Documents/CPRG_Vol3_.pdf&action=default
Resources	CPRG Guidebook Volume 4	DAU.edu	No	Volume 4: Advanced Issues	https://www.dau.edu/guidebooks/_layouts/15/WopiFrame.aspx?sourceid=/guidebooks/Shared%20Documents/CPRG_Vol4_.pdf&action=default
Resources	CPRG Guidebook Volume 5	DAU.edu	No	Volume 5: Negotiation Techniques	https://www.dau.edu/guidebooks/_layouts/15/WopiFrame.aspx?sourceid=/guidebooks/Shared%20Documents/CPRG_Vol5_.pdf&action=default
Resources	Labor Statistics on Inflation and Prices	BLS.gov	No	Overview of Bureau of Labor Statistics on Inflation and Prices	https://www.bls.gov/bls/inflation.htm
Resources	Consumer Price Index	BLS.gov	No	Consumer Price Index	https://www.bls.gov/cpi/v
Resources	Consumer Price Index Databases	BLS.gov	No	Consumer Price Index Databases	https://www.bls.gov/cpi/data.htm
Resources	How to Use the Consumer Price Index for Escalation	BLS.gov	No	Escalation factsheet for comparing pricing	https://www.bls.gov/cpi/factsheets/escalation.htm
Resources	CPI Inflation Calculator	BLS.gov	No	Calculator for inflation	https://www.bls.gov/data/inflation_calculator.htm
Resources	Article on VAO	gotovao.com	Yes	Article on Cost and Price analysis	https://www.gotovao.com/index.cfm?Action=search_v2&search=Cost+and+Price+Analysis+best+practices&chkCOR_Toolkit=0

Resources	ARRT Cost Estimation	DAU.edu	No	The tool that guides you through the process of estimating costs of services detailed in the Performance Work Statement and helps you create an Independent Government Cost Estimate (IGCE).	https://www.dau.edu/tools/Documents/SAM/resources/ARRT_Home.html#:~:text=The%20ARRT%20Requirements%20Definition%20is,Performance%20Requirement%20Summaries%20(PRS).
Resources	4P	GSA.gov	No	Horizontal price analysis for COTS products; Supply Chain Risk Identification (ETS, Non- TAA, MIA Misrepresentation, amongst others); Demand Analysis	https://sites.google.com/a/gsa.gov/4p/home
Resources	IGCE Builder	GSA.gov	Yes	Budget Planning and Estimation; Pre-award government estimates; Option exercise price analysis	https://hallways.cap.gsa.gov/app/#/igce
Resources	Prices Paid Portal	GSA.gov	Yes	Gov't Wide Category Management Users across the Federal Government; CO/CORs Market Research tool across Fed Gov.	https://p3.cap.gsa.gov/gui/
Resources	GWAC Prices Paid	GSA.gov	No	Supports new task order price analysis and price negotiations; Pre-award government estimates; development of independent government estimates (IGCE); Market research and pricing data analytics. Customers can view actual pricing compared to awarded pricing; determining an average cost avoidance per labor category.	https://d2d.gsa.gov/customer/gwac-prices-paid
Resources	Networkx Pricer	GSA.gov	No	Supports new task order price analysis and price negotiations; Pre-award government estimates; development of independent government estimates (IGCE); Industry can perform competitive analysis. There is evidence of Networkx contractors lowering prices based upon price reductions by other contractors.	https://networkx-public-pricer.nhc.noblis.org/
Resources	WITS 3 Pricer	GSA.gov	No	Supports new task order price analysis and price negotiations; Pre-award government estimates; development of independent government estimates (IGCE); Industry can perform competitive analysis. There is evidence of Networkx contractors lowering prices based upon price reductions by other contractors.	https://www.gsa.gov/technology/technology-purchasing-programs/telecommunications-and-network-services/local-telecommunications-services/wits-3/wits-3-resources#1
Resources	EIS Pricer	GSA.gov	Yes	Supports new task order price analysis and price negotiations; Pre-award government estimates; development of independent government estimates (IGCE); Industry can perform competitive analysis. There is evidence of Networkx contractors lowering prices based upon price reductions by other contractors.	https://portal.nhc.noblis.org/secureauth6/secureportal.aspx
Resources	Labor Rate Census Tool	dcma.mil	No	This workbook provides the user with a tool to estimate a fully burdened labor wrap rate using the most current data from the US Dept. of Labor's Bureau of Labor Statistics and the US Census Bureau	https://www.dcma.mil/Portals/31/Documents/CIG/Labor%20rate%20analysis%20-%20escalation%20to%202018%20using%20BLS%20-%2029%20NOV%202018_public.xlsx
Resources	Other Transactions Guide	DAU.edu	No	This guide provides advice and lessons learned on the planning, publicizing, soliciting, evaluating, negotiation, award, and administration of OTs, to include all three types of OT agreements: Research, Prototype, and Production.	https://www.dau.edu/guidebooks/Shared%20Documents/Other%20Transactions%20(OT)%20Guide.pdf
Resources	Other Transactions - Price Evaluation Elements	dcma.mil	No	This document is simply an informational list of elements to consider when evaluating price in an OT.	https://www.dcma.mil/Portals/31/Documents/CIG/EvaluatingPrice_OtherTransactions_OTs_V6.pdf
Resources	Commercial Item Resources	dcma.mil	No	Website that provides an Excel Repository of Commercial Items and links to other commercial item pricing resources.	https://www.dcma.mil/commercial-item-group/
Resources	Defense Pricing and Contracting	acq.osd.mil/dpap/	No	Website for with links to helpful resources, for all Pricing, Contracting, and Procurement policy matters, including e-Business, in the Department of Defense (DoD).	acq.osd.mil/dpap/
Resources	Cost and Price Analysis Workbook	hallways.cap.gsa.gov/app/#/	No	Customizable template for performing cost and price analysis, stored at GSA's Acquisition Gateway under "Document Library."	https://hallways.cap.gsa.gov/app/#/doclib