

LEVERAGED PROCUREMENT AGREEMENTS

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This section describes the various types of the State's leveraged procurement agreements (LPA), and how to use them. The categories of LPAs include: Statewide Contracts (SC) Master Agreements (MA), including Western States Contracting Alliance (WSCA) California Multiple Award Schedules (CMAS) and State Price Schedules (SPS).

Some of the topics discussed include order limits, best value determination, and soliciting offers.

Unless identified as a mandatory contract, the use of LPAs is optional, although **purchasers** are encouraged to take advantage of the benefits of these pre-established contracts.

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