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# 1-7. Micro-purchase Thresholds (MPT)

The definition and current dollar values are located at [FAR 2.101\(b\)](#) and summarized in Table 1-2.

Table 1-2: DoD Micro-purchase Thresholds

## DoD Micro-purchase Thresholds

|   | <b>Function</b>  | <b>Threshold</b>    | <b>Authority</b>  |
|---|--|---------------------|---|
| 1 | Federal-Wide Open Market   | \$10,000            | FAR 2.101, FAR 13.2   |
| 2 | Construction subject to 40 USC Chapter 31, subchapter IV, Davis-Bacon Wage Rate Requirements | \$2,000             | FAR 2.101, FAR 13.2   |
| 3 | Services subject to 41 USC Chapter 67, Service Contract Labor Standards                      | \$2,500             | FAR 2.101, FAR 13.2   |
| 4 | GPC Emergency-Type Operations (ETO) Inside U.S.  | \$20,000            | FAR 2.101, DFARS 213.270(c)(3) DFARS PGI 213.201                                  |
| 5 | GPC ETO Outside U.S.   | \$35,000            | FAR 2.101, DFARS 213.270(c)(3) DFARS PGI 213.201                                  |
| 6 | Federal-Wide Higher Education Open Market  | \$10,000 or greater | Class Deviation 2018-00018  |
| 7 | GPC Convenience Checks (General - Unrelated to ETO and Other Emergency Uses)                 | \$5,000             | P.L. 115-91, National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2018, Sec. 806(b) |
| 8 | GPC Convenience Checks for ETO and Other Emergency Uses (Inside U.S.)                        | \$10,000            | P.L. 115-91, National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2018, Sec. 806(b) |

9 GPC Convenience Checks for ETO  
and Other Emergency Uses (Outside \$17,500  
U.S.)

P.L. 115-91, National  
Defense Authorization Act  
for Fiscal Year  
2018, Sec. 806(b)

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