

# 5309.104-1 General Standards

When determining financial capability of a contractor, contracting officers shall refer to DFARS Section [232.072](#) to obtain in-depth information to determine a contractor's financial condition/responsibility. The contracting officer shall document the contract file with the determination and findings (D&F). Contracting officers are also highly encouraged to use the [Determination and Findings -- Contractor Responsibility/Qualification](#) template.

**Parent topic:** [Subpart 5309.1 - RESPONSIBLE PROSPECTIVE CONTRACTORS](#)