



# DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY SBIR/STTR PROGRAMS

The Department of the Navy Small Business Innovation Research and Small Business Technology Transfer Programs (DON SBIR/STTR) provide opportunities for domestic small businesses and start-ups to deliver solutions to meet naval needs through Federal Research/Research and Development (R/R&D).

These competitive awards-based programs advance innovations through three phases with an aim toward transitioning the resulting technologies to the Fleet and Force and commercialization in private markets.

## Delivering Innovation to the Warfighter

### FY24 Results

<p><b>Naval Research Enterprise Needs</b> National Defense Strategy, Acquisition, Sustainment, Modernization</p>	▶	<b>151 Topics</b>
<p><b>Innovative Proposals</b> Start-ups and Small Businesses</p>	▶	<b>3,139 Proposals</b>
<p><b>Feasibility Study (Phase I)</b> Scientific or technical merit of an idea</p>	▶	<b>472 Phase I Awards</b>
<p><b>Technology Development (Phase II)</b> Build and test prototypes</p>	▶	<b>286 Phase II Awards</b>
<p><b>Commercialization (Phase III)</b> Sales to defense and private sector markets</p>	▶	<b>\$1.6B</b>

<b>NEAR-TERM FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES</b>	➔	PROGRAM	PRE-RELEASE	OPEN	CLOSE
		DoD SBIR/STTR 2025.4/Release 5	2/5/2025	2/26/2025	3/26/2025
		DoD SBIR/STTR 2025.2/B	4/2/2025	4/23/2025	5/21/2025
		DoD SBIR/STTR 2025.3/C	8/6/2025	8/27/2025	9/24/2025

*\*Dates subject to change*

**HOW TO  
PARTICIPATE**

1

How the Program Works

2

Research Topics

3

Read the BAA

4

Submit the Proposal

Scan the QR codes with your mobile device camera or tablet to get more information on *How to Participate*.

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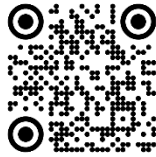
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for Small  
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*7 Websites to  
Get You Ready  
for Success!*

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Official website of the  
DON SBIR/STTR Programs



[navysbirsearch.com](https://navysbirsearch.com)  
Navy site for contextual searches of  
SBIR/STTR awards



[dodsbirsttr.mil/submissions/login](https://dodsbirsttr.mil/submissions/login)  
Official website of the DoD Proposal  
Submission Portal



[sbir.gov](https://sbir.gov)  
Official website of the  
Federal SBIR/STTR  
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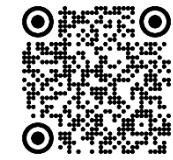
[navystp.com](https://navystp.com)  
Official website of the DON  
SBIR/STTR Transition Program  
(STP)



<https://www.navysbir.com/sec>  
Official website of the DON SBIR  
Experimentation Cell  
(DON-SEC)



<https://www.apexaccelerators.us/#/>  
Official website of  
the DoD Apex Accelerators  
Program



**Navy 25.2/B Funding  
Opportunity**

The Department of the Navy (DON) SBIR 25.2 and 25.B topics will be pre-released on April 2, 2025. The pre-release period allows direct public communication between small businesses and topic technical points of contact (TPOCs) to answer technical questions about the topics.

The DoD and DON SBIR 25.2 and STTR 25.B BAAs will officially open for proposal submissions on April 23, 2025, and close on May 21 at 12:00 PM ET.

**Phase III Success Stories**

The DoN SBIR/STTR Success Stories webpage features samples of DON Phase III projects and their impacts to the DON and the associated small businesses.

The webpage content is formatted for users to easily locate success stories by year, firm name, state, Navy Systems Command (SYSCOM), as well as keywords. For more information please visit <https://www.navysbir.com/success/>

**Navy 25.2/B BAA Schedule**



More information related to the DON SBIR 25.2 and STTR 25.B topics, including specific areas of DON need, complete instructions on developing and submitting proposal will be available at <https://navysbir.com> starting April 2, 2025.

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