

# **Subpart 216.1 - SELECTING CONTRACT TYPES**

**Parent topic:** [Part 216 - TYPES OF CONTRACTS](#)

## **216.102 Policies.**

In accordance with section 811 of the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2013 ([Pub. L. 112-239](#)), use of any cost-reimbursement line item for the acquisition of production of major defense acquisition programs is prohibited, unless the exception at [234.004\(2\)\(ii\)](#) applies.

## **216.104 Factors in selecting contract type.**

Contracting officers shall follow the principles and procedures in Principal Director, Defense Pricing and Contracting memorandum dated April 1, 2016, entitled "[Guidance on Using Incentive and Other Contract Types](#)," when selecting and negotiating the most appropriate contract type for a given procurement. See [PGI 216.104 Factors in selecting contract type](#).

### **216.104-70 Research and development.**

Follow the procedures at PGI [216.104-70](#) for selecting the appropriate research and development contract type, and see [235.006](#) (b) for additional approval requirements.