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Welcome to Carpe Datum's **Federal Data Prospector** (Vol. 2, Issue #37). We continue to scour the U.S. Federal Government's contract opportunity postings, using our machine learning engine, in search of prospective data and data analytics deals for our community members to pursue. We welcome any and all feedback -- so please don't hesitate to share! Likewise, please be sure to spread the love and share our free pub with any and all friends and colleagues: [click on this link to sign-up.](#)

- **Request for Quote (RFQ) – Department of the Army – Media Monitoring and Social Media Listening Tool** -- Real-Time media monitoring based on keywords, allowing the ability to target or specific industries, media outlets, or reporters, that will automatically generate links to or provide full article text and associated multimedia products. This must cover print and broadcast news, blogs, social media and podcasts and support the Command's global mission and overseas locations. Monitoring should include analysis of positive, negative, or neutral coverage.

In other data news, on August 21st, **TechCrunch** published an interesting article entitled "**As the pandemic creates supply chain chaos, Craft raises \$10M to apply some intelligence**" in which the author, Mike Butcher, describes how Craft, the enterprise intelligence company, announced it has closed a \$10 million Series A financing round to build what it characterizes as a "supply chain intelligence platform."

- "The problem Craft is attacking is a lack of visibility into complex global supply chains. For obvious reasons, COVID-19 disrupted global supply chains, which tended to reveal a lot of risks, structural weaknesses across industries and a lack of intelligence about how it's all holding together. Craft's solution is a proprietary data platform, API and portal that integrates into existing enterprise workflows.
- While many business intelligence products require clients to bring their own data, Craft's data platform comes pre-deployed with data from thousands of financial and alternative sources, such as 300+ data points that are refreshed using both Machine Learning and human validation. Its open-to-the-web company profiles appear in 50 million search results, for instance."

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Opportunities & Solicitations

Dept. of Defense

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Real-Time media monitoring based on keywords, allowing the ability to target or specific industries, media outlets, or reporters, that will automatically generate links to or provide full article text and associated multimedia products...

Social Media Analysis Tool
Dept. of Defense

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The Air Force District of Washington (AFDW/PK) is issuing this full and open competitive proposal for the procurement of a Social Media Analysis Tool...

70--Data Analytics Software
Dept. of Defense

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A web-based application subscription, 12 months in length, that is a multi-lingual, geo-enabled and text analytics publicly available information (PAI) and open source intelligence (OSINT) tool...

**BUSINESS INTELLIGENCE AND GLOBAL TRADE
DATA SUBSCRIPTION**
Dept. of the Treasury

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Treasury's Office of Foreign Assets Control (OFAC) and the Treasury Office of Intelligence and Analysis (OIA) require direct access to the business intelligence that will enhance the efficiency and effectiveness of their mission to administer and enforce economic and trade sanctions...

- Request for Quote - Social Network Site (SNS) Discovery, Reporting, and Removal Solution. - *Dept. of Defense*
- Program Announcement for AIE - *Dept. of Defense*
- Electronic Congressional Legislative Subscription Tool - *Dept. of Defense*
- Web service subscription for comprehensive news, journalism and legislative analysis. - *Dept. of Defense*
- Active Pharmaceutical Ingredients' (API) Manufacturer Data Acquisition - *Dept. of Health and Human Services*
- TEAMS-Next Intelligence and Counter-Insider Threat HQ0858-20-R-0007 - *MDA*
- ONLINE MEDIA CONTACTS / MANAGEMENT SYSTEM DATABASE SUBSCRIPTION - *Dept. of Commerce*
- NASA REQUEST FOR INFORMATION (RFI): Information on the Planetary Data Ecosystem (PDE) - *NASA*
- OCEANOGRAPHIC DATA THROUGH AI - *Dept. of the Interior*



Sole Source Opportunities

**Intent to Sole Source Meltwater Media and
Communication Platform Subscription**
Department of the Treasury

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The Department of the Treasury, Bureau of the Fiscal Service (BFS), on behalf of the U.S. Election Assistance Commission (EAC), intends to make a firm fixed price award to The Winvale Group for a 12-month subscription for a Meltwater media and communication platform...

Notice of Intent for ECONOMIC MULTIPLIERS AND DATA FOR USACE REGIONAL ECONOMIC SYSTEM

Dept. of Defense.

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The Government is specifically intending to acquire the most recent (2018) IMPLAN data used in RECONS...

Congressional Quarterly Subscription

Dept. of Health and Human Services

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The Government intends to award a firm-fixed price purchase order resulting from this solicitation to the responsible offeror whose offer conforming to the solicitation...

Notice of Intent to Award Sole Source

Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation

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The Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation (PBGC) intends to make a sole source award to the University of Chicago for subscription renewal for the Center for Research in Security Prices (CRSP) database...

Opportunity Updates

XBRL Subscription Services for 130 Licenses.

Securities and Exchange Commission

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Subscription Services for 130 Licenses - Q&A August 18, 2020

Persistent Cyber Training Environment (PCTE) Cyber

Innovation Challenge #4 (CIC #4)

Dept. of Defense

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Industry Day Slides - August 18, 2020

- [Collecting Nutrition Data for top 100 Restaurant Chains -Dept. of Health and Human Services](#)
- [6910--Supply: Electronic evidence-based database package library Subscription - Dept. of Veterans Affairs](#)
- [EMS Data Access - Dept. of Health and Human Services](#)



Contract Awards

Dataminr to Notify DoD About Global Events via Web-Based Tool

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Dataminr has secured a three-month, \$12.2M contract from the U.S. Air Force to deliver web-based news alerts that will inform authorized Department of Defense personnel about events worldwide...

Accenture : Federal Services Wins Position on U.S. Air Force Strategic Transformation Contract

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Accenture Federal Services (AFS), a subsidiary of Accenture (NYSE: ACN), is one of eight firms awarded a position on a contract to help the U.S. Air Force manage and execute enterprise-wide transformation efforts...



Agency News

DOD Leaders Provide Digital Modernization Updates

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Data will be the fuel and the engine for everything the Defense Department has to do to bring intelligence and operations together...

US Secret Service Document Reveals Purchase of “Locate X”

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According to the details given in an internal Secret Service document, the American federal agency purchased “Locate X.” ...

USDA appointed assistant chief data officers to lead agency analytics

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No two agencies define their chief data officer role the same way, and the U.S. Department of Agriculture has gone a step further by appointing assistant CDOs across its eight mission areas in addition to the department CDO role...

Senate Intel Committee releases final volume of Russian election interference report

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On August 18, U.S. Senate Select Committee on Intelligence Acting Chairman Marco Rubio (R-FL) and Vice Chairman Mark Warner (D-VA) released the fifth and final volume of the Committee’s bipartisan Russia investigation titled, “Volume 5: Counterintelligence Threats and Vulnerabilities,” which examines Russia’s attempts to gain influence in the American political system during the 2016 elections...

- Committee creating the Federal Data Service to finally meet
- Department of Energy Announces \$37 Million for Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning at DOE Scientific User Facilities
- New AI consortium for first responders fuses efforts from DOE, JAIC and Microsoft
- Why CMMC Could Be Our Best Weapon to Fight Back Against Chinese IP Theft
- Lawmakers Ask Watchdog to Review New Coronavirus Data Reporting System Housed Within HHS
- TSA issues RFI on physical ID alternatives
- Feds aim to digitize, overhaul public health data reporting: 5 details
- Pentagon Acquisition Chief Clarifies Temporary Extension for Implementing Chinese Equipment Ban



General Government News

Opinion: Here's what the Government did wrong... in a word

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NO ONE, least of all me, underestimates the difficulties this government has faced in trying to deal with the first major pandemic in over a century...

AI may not predict the next pandemic, but big data and machine learning can fight this one

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In Spain, a new observatory processes epidemiological, mobility and environmental data to manage COVID...

Data Democracy in the Data Age

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The next decade will usher us into a true Data Age where data can be used by anybody and influences all aspects of our world...

The hidden opportunity agencies must seize in zero trust

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Government agencies are facing a dizzying array of cyber threats. As the U.S. Cyberspace Solarium Commission recently concluded, our country is at risk, “not only from a catastrophic cyber attack, but from the millions of daily intrusions disrupting everything from financial transactions to the inner workings of our electoral system.”...

- Number of Foreign Companies Within Defense Supply Chain Grew Over Past Decade, Report Says
- National Data Service Must Be Shaped by Agencies' Needs, Experts Say
- Tamil Nadu government plans massive database to link every citizen to state departments
- How remote sensing satellite data & deep tech solutions are helping distressed farmers
- Artificial Intelligence Drives Indian Economy Towards Growth



As the pandemic creates supply chain chaos, Craft raises \$10M to apply some intelligence

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During the COVID-19 pandemic, supply chains have suddenly become hot...

Palantir still relies heavily on government contracts despite push for more corporate customers

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The data mining company has not turned a profit since it was founded in 2003...

Foursquare becomes first company to receive MRC location-data accreditation

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New certification will soon become a must-have third party approval...

Waters Rankings 2020: Best Alternative Data Provider—FactSet

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As the universe of alternative data continues to expand, investment firms are able to get their hands on a wealth of information that, 10 years ago, they could only dream of...

- [The Intelligence Community's Role in Countering Malign Foreign Influence on Social Media](#)
- [LexisNexis Risk Solutions Joins Patient ID Coalition in Support of a National Unique Patient Identifier](#)
- [Leaked S-1 screenshots show Palantir losing \\$579M in 2019](#)
- [Los Angeles settles Weather Channel lawsuit, lets it keep selling location data to advertisers](#)
- [FullContact promotes exec to CEO](#)
- [How two martech companies are taking on the cookieless world](#)
- [S.African fraudster tricks credit bureau Experian into handing over data](#)
- [NICE Actimize Unveils Xceed, A Next-Generation AI-Powered Financial Crime Risk Management Cloud Platform](#)
- [Elsevier Acquires SciBite to Accelerate Solutions for Life Sciences and Corporate R&D Industries](#)
- [Informatica Acquires GreenBay Technologies, BlueConic, Decibel Add Execs & More News](#)
- [From recovery to reinvention: A Q&A with Equifax CTO Bryson Koehler](#)
- [Amazon Makes Machine Learning Courses Available to All](#)
- [Blis keeps finger on the pulse of consumer behaviour with global sentiment tracker](#)
- [ZoomInfo announces plans for secondary offering](#)
- [Blue J Launches Free Tools to Help Determine COVID-19 Relief Eligibility](#)
- [Planet Labs completes high-resolution Earth imaging constellation](#)
- [Risk: Pandemic-modelling collaboration](#)
- [TransUnion Acquires Signal, 'People-Based' Data Firm](#)
- [LookingGlass Cyber Solutions Announces Engagement with Defense Innovation Unit](#)

- Port of Halifax Enhances Business Development Efforts for Containerized Cargo Operations
- American Express acquires fintech company Kabbage
- Deloitte buys Spatial Access to augment advertising, marketing advisory solutions
- HireRight Launches COVID-19 Screening
- Clarivate Launches Coronavirus, Virology, and Infectious Disease (CVID) Data Lake to Accelerate Research, Preparedness and Response to Future Pandemics
- Leadspace Expands Capabilities of its Leading B2B CDP with Summer '20 Product Release
- Validity Launches Everest, the Industry's Most Comprehensive Email Marketing Success Platform



Industry Events

Big Data & Analytics Strategies Summit

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September 15 -16

Utilize big data profitably, innovate your analytics, drive business forward



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