

## 7.101 Definitions.

As used in this subpart-

*Acquisition streamlining* means any effort that results in more efficient and effective use of resources to design and develop, or produce quality systems. This includes ensuring that only necessary and cost-effective requirements are included, at the most appropriate time in the *acquisition cycle*, in *solicitations* and resulting contracts for the design, development, and production of new systems, or for modifications to existing systems that involve redesign of systems or subsystems.

*Life-cycle cost* means the total cost to the Government of acquiring, operating, supporting, and (if applicable) disposing of the items being acquired.

*Order* means an *order* placed under a-

(1) Federal Supply Schedule contract; or

(2) *Task-order* contract or *delivery-order* contract awarded by another agency, (*i.e.*, *Governmentwide acquisition contract* or *multi-agency contract*).

*Planner* means the designated person or office responsible for developing and maintaining a written plan, or for the planning function in those *acquisitions* not requiring a written plan.

**Parent topic:** Subpart 7.1 - Acquisition Plans