



Are you ready to win work in the nuclear market?

Fit For Nuclear (F4N) helps manufacturers assess and develop their readiness to bid for work in nuclear new build, operations, and decommissioning.

Delivered exclusively by the Nuclear AMRC – part of the UK's High Value Manufacturing Catapult – F4N lets UK manufacturers measure their operations against the standards required to supply the nuclear industry and take the necessary steps to close any gaps.

F4N has been developed by the Nuclear AMRC with the support of its top tier partners, including reactor vendors, new build developers and the Nuclear Decommissioning Authority. These industry leaders are using F4N to identify potential companies for their own supply chains.

More than 1,000 companies – mostly SMEs – have taken the F4N assessment, with around 100 currently granted F4N status after driving improvements through a tailored action plan and maintaining continuous improvement.

In a survey, half of F4N participants said they are already experiencing meaningful business benefits, and 9 out of 10 would recommend the programme to other manufacturers.



Over 650
additional jobs created
across businesses

Over 1,550
additional jobs safeguarded
across businesses



£114 million
gross value added from
last financial year end

£28 million
private sector investment
leveraged



Over 57,350
contracts won

£1.5 billion
of contracts won

Is F4N for you?

F4N expanded to support companies which can supply control and instrumentation, electricals, and other components for nuclear plant construction and operation, and for the specialised requirements of decommissioning.

Participating companies range from contract manufacturers with no nuclear experience aiming to take a first step into the sector, to established suppliers wanting to benchmark their position and drive business excellence.

F4N is designed for businesses with 10 or more employees and a turnover of at least £1.6 million, as the principles of the programme are difficult to apply to micro-enterprises. Smaller business which can offer a niche product or service to the civil nuclear sector should still get in touch to discuss how F4N can help.

The full F4N service is open to manufacturers based in the UK.

For an informal discussion about whether F4N is right for your business, contact us at:

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Fit For Nuclear is a journey of business improvement.

The full process typically takes 12–18 months. We will support you through every step, but F4N will demand commitment and drive from your senior management team.

-  **1** Nuclear capability questionnaire
-  **2** Business excellence self-assessment
-  **3** Business excellence verification assessment
-  **4** Business excellence action plan
-  **5** Nuclear checklist
-  **6** Pre-grant visit
-  **7** F4N granted & ongoing support