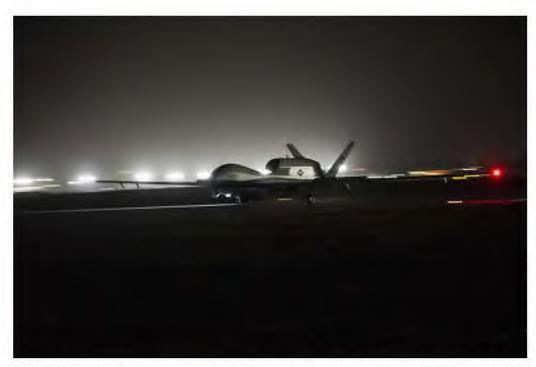
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# MQ-4C Triton Unmanned Aircraft System (MQ-4C Triton)

As of FY 2021 President's Budget

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## Common Acronyms and Abbreviations for MDAP Programs

Acq O&M - Acquisition-Related Operations and Maintenance

ACAT - Acquisition Category

ADM - Acquisition Decision Memorandum

APB - Acquisition Program Baseline

APPN - Appropriation

APUC - Average Procurement Unit Cost

\$B - Billions of Dollars

BA - Budget Authority/Budget Activity

Blk - Block

BY - Base Year

CAPE - Cost Assessment and Program Evaluation

CARD - Cost Analysis Requirements Description

CDD - Capability Development Document

CLIN - Contract Line Item Number

CPD - Capability Production Document

CY - Calendar Year

DAB - Defense Acquisition Board

DAE - Defense Acquisition Executive

DAMIR - Defense Acquisition Management Information Retrieval

DoD - Department of Defense

DSN - Defense Switched Network

EMD - Engineering and Manufacturing Development

EVM - Earned Value Management

FOC - Full Operational Capability

FMS - Foreign Military Sales

FRP - Full Rate Production

FY - Fiscal Year

FYDP - Future Years Defense Program

ICE - Independent Cost Estimate

IOC - Initial Operational Capability

Inc - Increment

JROC - Joint Requirements Oversight Council

\$K - Thousands of Dollars

KPP - Key Performance Parameter

LRIP - Low Rate Initial Production

\$M - Millions of Dollars

MDA - Milestone Decision Authority

MDAP - Major Defense Acquisition Program

MILCON - Military Construction

N/A - Not Applicable

O&M - Operations and Maintenance

**ORD** - Operational Requirements Document

OSD - Office of the Secretary of Defense

O&S - Operating and Support

PAUC - Program Acquisition Unit Cost

PB - President's Budget

PE - Program Element

PEO - Program Executive Officer

PM - Program Manager

POE - Program Office Estimate

RDT&E - Research, Development, Test, and Evaluation

SAR - Selected Acquisition Report

SCP - Service Cost Position

TBD - To Be Determined

TY - Then Year

UCR - Unit Cost Reporting

U.S. - United States

USD(AT&L) - Under Secretary of Defense (Acquisition, Technology and Logistics)

USD(A&S) - Under Secretary of Defense (Acquisition and Sustainment)

## **Program Information**

#### **Program Name**

MQ-4C Triton Unmanned Aircraft System (MQ-4C Triton)

#### **DoD Component**

Navy

MQ-4C Triton Unmanned Aircraft System (MQ-4C)

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## References

### SAR Baseline (Production Estimate)

Defense Acquisition Executive (DAE) Approved Acquisition Program Baseline (APB) dated December 20, 2016

# Approved APB

Defense Acquisition Executive (DAE) Approved Acquisition Program Baseline (APB) dated December 20, 2016

### Mission and Description

The MQ-4C Triton Unmanned Aircraft System (MQ-4C Triton) is an integrated System of Systems and a force multiplier for the Joint Force and Fleet Commander, enhancing battlespace awareness and shortening the sensor-to-shooter kill chain. The system provides multiple-sensor, persistent maritime and littoral Intelligence, Surveillance and Reconnaissance data collection and dissemination as well as an airborne communications relay capability to Combatant Commanders, Expeditionary Strike Group Commanders, Carrier Strike Group Commanders, and other designated U.S. and Joint Commanders. The incorporation of Signals Intelligence (SIGINT) payloads is part of the Navy's Maritime Intelligence, Surveillance, Reconnaissance, and Targeting (MISR&T) transition plan. The addition of a de-icing capability over the baseline Global Hawk provides operators with the capability to transition through icing conditions. The mission sensors installed on the MQ-4C Triton provide 360 degree radar and Electro-Optical/Infrared coverage. Additional functionality that optimizes the system for maritime search operations includes an Automatic Identification System and an Electronic Support Measures system. The MQ-4C Triton is a tactical, land-based, forward deployed platform that will operate from five operational sites (orbits) worldwide. It will provide surveillance when no other naval forces are present and will support operations in the littorals. Furthermore, the asset will respond to theater level operational or national strategic taskings.

December 2019 SAR

MQ-4C Triton

### Executive Summary

#### **Program Highlights Since Last Report**

At Milestone C, an additional Integrated Functional Capability (IFC) 4 Multiple Intelligence (Multi-INT) was incorporated into the program baseline. This change drove additional cost into the Program of Record (POR) from both a development and production perspective. Since that time, as a result of late discovery and correction of baseline performance deficiencies for co-site and electromagnetic interference, late IFC-4 contract award, and the technical complexities of the integration of new multiple intelligence (Multi-INT) sensors and architecture, there has been additional cost and schedule growth.

PB-21 Budget Note: The PB-21 budget submission reflects a production pause in FY 2021 and FY 2022 of MQ-4C Triton Unmanned Air Systems (UAS), deferring further procurement of production UAS until FY 2023. To provide for previously procured UAS, the budget supports preservation of some key elements of the Support costs to include trainer/training equipment, peculiar ground support equipment, government and contractor production team, and Interim Contractor Support of the Baseline Early Operational Capability (EOC). The budget defers the Multi-Function Active Sensor (MFAS) radar and Preventive Maintenance Inspection (PMI)/Structures depot requirements. To provide long-term sustainment of the UAS, the program will address deferred depot actions and other sustainment shortfalls in a future budget.

The Triton program adjusted its program plan to reflect an IOC in 4Q FY 2022 as a result of late discovery and correction of baseline performance deficiencies for co-site and electromagnetic interference, late IFC 4 contract award, and the technical complexities of the integration of new Multi-INT sensors and architecture. A new schedule is being developed and a Program Deviation Report is in work to recommend an update to the MQ-4C Triton Acquisition Program Baseline (APB). Schedule estimates provided in this report are pre-decisional pending approval of an APB.

During this reporting period, IFC 4 System III testing began, the Triton program completed the operational test period (OT-C1) of IFC 3 and COMOPTEVFOR delivered the final Operational Test report. A list of lessons learned was developed from the OT period and activities were initiated to address each of them. IFC 3.2 software was provided to the fleet in 2019, which included sensor enhancements, Link-16 capability, and interoperability functionality. Starting late September 2019, Patrol and Reconnaissance Wing ELEVEN conducted a successful Operational Readiness Evaluation on the Rotational Maintenance Detachments (RMD) and aircrew of VUP-19. In late November 2019, the squadron conducted a series of confidence flights culminating in the detachment of two Air Vehicles to Guam. In January 2020, two Fleet Air Vehicles from VUP-19 detached to Guam to initiate Triton EOC. Aircrafts B2 and B3 are progressing through IFC 4 Retrofit.

Since the April 16, 2018 ADM, the Triton program has progressed with Multi-INT IFC-4 development. The IFC 4 hardware and software build will bring a multi-mission sensor capability to replace the aging EP-3 platform as part of the Navy's Maritime Intelligence, Surveillance, Reconnaissance and Targeting transition plan. A Configuration Steering Board (CSB)/Gate 6 review was conducted May 22, 2019. The Program Manager was directed to take measurable steps to improve the quality, reliability and maintainability of the MQ-4C systems. The CSB Gate 6 ADM was signed by ASN on September 3, 2019. An action memo was signed December 16, 2019 assessing the program demonstrated sufficient improvement in quality, reliability, maintainability and performance to plan on IFC 4 Multi-INT Qualification Certification and Principal Military Deputy (PMD) recommended the program move forward with definitization of LRIP Lot 5. The LRIP Lot 5 Definitization contract awarded on December 21, 2019.

Other significant contract efforts during this period include the award of the Interim Sustaining Engineering and Support (SES) contract on March 16, 2019 and the definitization of the IFC 4 development contract in August of 2019. The LRIP Lot 4 Definitization contract awarded on December 20, 2019.

The United States of America and Commonwealth of Australia entered into a Cooperative Partnership under a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) for the Development, Production, and Sustainment of MQ-4C Triton UAS, signed on June 19, 2018. The third executive steering committee was successfully completed, November 13, 2019. Currently, the Royal Australian Air Force (RAAF) has Australian Department of Defense (ADOD) approval to procure two aircraft and all ground stations within the scope of the MOU. The Capability Acquisition Sustainment Group (CASG) supporting the RAAF procurement of Triton returned to the Australian Government in January 2020 for approval to procure the last 4 air vehicles and the first seven years of Sustainment, a decision is anticipated in mid CY 2020. A Procurement Agreement (PA-1)

agreement with Australia for Sense and Avoid (SAA) was signed in May 2019.

## History of Significant Developments Since Program Initiation

Date	History of Significant Developments Since Program Initiation Significant Development Description
April 2008	Milestone (MS) B
April 2008	System Development and Demonstration (SDD) Contract Award
January 2009	System Requirements Review
February 2010	Preliminary Design Review
February 2011	Critical Design Review (CDR)
November 2011	System Demonstration Test Article (SDTA) Contract Award
June 2012	Entered Integrated Testing with receipt of first SDD aircraft
May 2013	First Flight
March 2014	Completed Initial Envelope Expansion
4th Quarter FY 2014	Ferried three developmental test aircraft from Palmdale, California to Patuxent River Naval Air Station in Maryland (Fourth Quarter FY 2014 through First Quarter FY 2015)
December 2014	Began software installation in support of sensor testing
December 2014	Completed development of Integrated Functional Capability (IFC) 2 software
April 2015	FMS technical services case with the German Federal Ministry of Defense
June 2015	Executive Production Readiness Review
September 2016	MS C
September 2016	LRIP 1 Contract Award
December 2016	Conducted an Operational Assessment in support of MS C
December 2016	Completed flight test for IFC 2 software build demonstrating air vehicle performance, senso and communication/network functionality
May 2017	LRIP 2 Contract Award
1st Quarter FY 2018	Delivered SDTA aircraft and supporting ground station assets
November 2017	IFC 4 CDR
November 2017	Redesignated from ACAT ID to ACAT IC
December 2017	LRIP 3 Contract Award
2nd Quarter FY 2018	Baseline entrance into OT-C1
January 2019	Start of IFC 4 System III Testing
March 2019	Interim Sustaining Engineering Support (SES) Contract Award
April 2019	LRIP Lot 3 IFC 4 In Line Modification, (forward fit of B13, B14, B15) Award
April 2019	B7 delivered to VUP-19 at Point Mugu
May 2019	First Project Arrangement under the MQ-4C Triton Development, Production and Sustainment (DPS) Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) for development of a sense and avoid capability was signed
May 2019	LRIP Lot 5 AAC Contract Award
June 2019	OT-C1 Complete

July 2019	BOA IFC 4 Retrofit kits and Install delivery order (B8, B9, B10, B11, MB5, MB7) Contract Award
July 2019	LRIP IFC 4 In-line Modification for LRIP Lot 2 UA B12 Contract Award
August 2019	IFC 4 Development Contract Definitization
October 2019	Due Regard Alternate Means Of Compliance (DRAMOC) signed.
December 2019	LRIP 4 Contract Award
December 2019	LRIP 5 Contract Award
January 2020	EOC milestone reached with 2 baseline Aircraft deployed to Forward Operating Base (FOB)

#### **Threshold Breaches**

<b>APB Breach</b>	nes	
Schedule		V
Performanc	е	
Cost	RDT&E	V
	Procurement	
	MILCON	
	Acq O&M	
<b>O&amp;S Cost</b>		
<b>Unit Cost</b>	PAUC	
	APUC	

#### **Nunn-McCurdy Breaches**

Current UC	CR Baseline	
	PAUC	None
	APUC	None
Original UC	CR Baseline	

PAUC

APUC

None

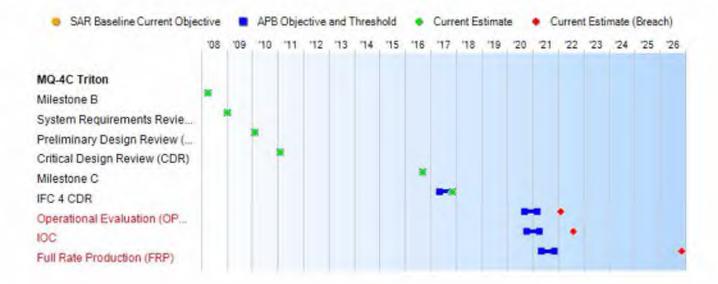
None

**Explanation of Breach** 

The schedule breach is caused by the movement of the Initial Operational Capability (IOC) from 3Q FY2021 to 4Q FY 2022 as a result of the late discovery and correction of baseline performance deficiencies for co-site and electromagnetic interference, late IFC-4 contract award, and the technical complexities of the integration of new multiple intelligence (Multi-INT) sensors and architecture.

The RDT&E cost breach is caused by the movement of the IOC from 3Q FY2021 to 4Q FY 2022. The change to IOC required a re-phasing of funding across the FYDP to accommodate developmental changes required to correct baseline performance deficiencies for co-site and electromagnetic interference as well as complete integration of Multi-INT sensors and architecture. These adjustments also resulted in changes in the test schedule and added funding in FY 2026 that was not reflected in the previous Selected Acquisition Report. Additionally, the MQ-4C Triton Modernization Program Element 0305421N includes \$142.4M of non-MDAP funding that is currently budgeted in the MDAP Project Unit.

### Schedule



Schedule Events							
Events	SAR Baseline Production Estimate	Prod	ent APB luction /Threshold	Current Estimate			
Milestone B	Apr 2008	Apr 2008	Apr 2008	Apr 2008			
System Requirements Review (SRR)	Jan 2009	Jan 2009	Jan 2009	Jan 2009			
Preliminary Design Review (PDR)	Feb 2010	Feb 2010	Feb 2010	Feb 2010			
Critical Design Review (CDR)	Feb 2011	Feb 2011	Feb 2011	Feb 2011			
Milestone C	Sep 2016	Sep 2016	Sep 2016	Sep 2016			
IFC 4 CDR	May 2017	May 2017	Nov 2017	Nov 2017			
Operational Evaluation (OPEVAL) Start	Sep 2020	Sep 2020	Mar 2021	Feb 2022			
IOC	Oct 2020	Oct 2020	Apr 2021	Aug 2022			
Full Rate Production (FRP)	May 2021	May 2021	Nov 2021	Nov 2026			

APB Breach

#### Change Explanations

(Ch-1) The current estimate for OPEVAL has changed from November 2020 to February 2022 due primarily to late discovery and correction of baseline performance deficiencies for co-site and electromagnetic interference, late IFC-4 contract award, and the technical complexities of the integration of new multiple intelligence (Multi-INT) sensors and architecture.

(Ch-2) The current estimate for IOC has changed from April 2021 to August 2022 due primarily to late discovery and correction of baseline performance deficiencies for co-site and electromagnetic interference, late IFC-4 contract award, and the technical complexities of the integration of new multiple intelligence (Multi-INT) sensors and architecture. (Ch-3) The current estimate for FRP has changed from July 2021 to November 2026 due primarily to the lack of procurement of systems (UA, MOB, FOB) in FY21 and FY22. This delay allows sufficient time to evaluate readiness for FRP decision after Production Pause.

#### Notes

Schedule estimates in this report are pre-decisional pending an approved APB.

#### **Acronyms and Abbreviations**

APN - Aircraft Procurement Navy

EOC - Early Operational Capability

FOB - Forward Operating Base

IFC - Integrated Functional Capability

INT - Intelligence

MOB - Main Operating Base

**UA - Unmanned Aircraft** 

## Performance

		Performance Chara	cteristics	
SAR Baseline Production Estimate	Prod	nt APB uction /Threshold	Demonstrated Performance	Current Estimate
Persistent multi-s	ensor maritime ISF	R at mission radius		
On station 24 hrs a day / 7 days a week for 30 consecutive days with an ETOS of >=95%	day / 7 days a a day / 7 days a week for 30 week for 30 consecutive days ith an ETOS of		ETOS of ~.89 (Estimated)	On station 24 hrs a day / 7 days a week for 7 consecutive days with an ETOS of >=88% at a mission radius of 2,000 nm with multi UA capability.
Level of Interope	rability 1-5			
BLOS and LOS from MOB/ FOB (Land Based) MCS	MOB/ FOB from MOB/ FOB from the MOB from MOB (Land Based) (Land Based) MCS (LOI 1		BLOS and LOS from MOB (Land Based) MCS	
<b>UA Mission Radiu</b>	IS			
>=3,000 nm	>=3,000 nm	>=2,000 nm	2,400 nm	>=2,000 nm
Level Of Interope	rability 2 Capability	/		
LOS/BLOS multi- ISR payload reception to Maritime Forces	LOS/BLOS multi- ISR payload reception to Maritime Forces	LOS, ISR payload sensor data reception to Maritime Forces afloat (CVN, LHA/LHD)	LOS/BLOS multi- ISR payload reception to Maritime Forces	LOS, ISR payload sensor data reception to Maritime Forces afloat (CVN, LHA/LHD)
Net Ready				
IAW CJCSI 6212.01D	IAW CJCSI 6212.01D	IAW CJCSI 6212.01D	IAW CJCSI 5123- 01G, CJCSI 3170.01I and the JCIDS Manual (Estimated)	IAW CJCSI 5123-01G, CJCSI 3170.01I and the JCIDS Manual
Operational Avail	ability			
>=0.9	>=0.9	>=0.7 at IOT&E >=0.8 at IOC plus two years	0.89 (Estimated)	>=0.86

Classified Performance information is provided in the classified annex to this submission.

## Requirements Reference

CDD in lieu of CPD dated August 2, 2016

#### **Change Explanations**

(Ch-1) Added wording "with multi UA capability" to the end of the current estimate for Persistent multi-sensor maritime ISR at mission radius.

#### **Acronyms and Abbreviations**

BLOS - Beyond Line of Sight

CJCSI - Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff Instruction

CVN - Aircraft Carrier Nuclear

ETOS - Effective Time On Station

FOB - Forward Operating Base

hrs - hours

IAW - In Accordance With

IOT&E - Initial Operational Test & Evaluation

ISR - Intelligence, Surveillance, and Reconnaissance

JCIDS - Joint Capabilities Integration Development System

LHA - Amphibious Assault Ship (General Purpose)

LHD - Amphibious Assault Ship (Multi Purpose)

LOI - Level of Interoperability

LOS - Line of Sight

MCS - Mission Control System

MOB - Main Operating Base

nm - nautical miles

UA - Unmanned Aircraft

## **Track to Budget**

Appn	BA	PE	
Navy	1319 07	0305205N	
	Project	Name	
	4020	MQ-4C Triton	(Shared) (Sunk)
Navy	1319 07	0305220N	
	Project	Name	
	4020	MQ-4C Triton	
Navy	1319 07	0305421N	
	Project	Name	
	2939	RQ-4 Modernization	
rement			
Appn	BA	PE	
Navy	1506 04	0305220N	
,,,,	Line Item	Name	
	0442	MQ-4 Triton	-
Navy	1506 05	0305220N	
	Line Item	Name	
	0596	MQ-4 Series	_
Navy	1506 06	0305220N	
	Line Item	Name	
	0605	Spares and Repair Parts	(Shared)
ON			
	(Const		
Appn	BA	PE	
Navy	1205 01	0203176N	
	Project	Name	
	00207655	BAMS Mission Control Complex	(Sunk)
Navy	1205 01	0212176N	
	Project	Name	100000
.,	00207662	BAMS Mission Control System	(Sunk)
Navy	1205 02	0212176N	
	Project	Name	10000
	00620240	Triton Mission Control Facility	(Sunk)
Navy	1205 01	0212176N	
	Project	Name	
	69232577	Triton Forward Operating Base 3rd Fleet	
	60000500		(Qual)

(Sunk)

BAMS Consolidated Maintenance Hangar

69232593

	C1002960	BAMS Operational Facilities	(Sunk)	
Navy	1205 01	0712876N		
	Project	Name		
	62995407	BAMS Triton Hangar and Operations Facility	(Sunk)	
Navy	1205 01	0805976N		
	Project	Name		
	69232607	Triton Avionics and Fuel Systems Trainer	(Sunk)	
Navy	1205 01	0815976N		
	Project	Name		
	00207153	BAMS UAS Operator Training Facility	(Sunk)	
	41557625	BAMS Forward Operational and Maintenance Hangar	(Sunk)	
	63042900	BAMS Maintenance Training Facility	(Sunk)	
	C1002154	Triton Forward Operating Base Hangar	(Sunk)	
	1205 01	0816376N		
Navy	1205 01	001007014		
Navy	Project	Name		

# **Cost and Funding**

## **Cost Summary**

		T	otal Acquis	ition Cost				
Appropriation	B)	/ 2016 \$M		BY 2016 \$M	TY \$M			
	SAR Baseline Production Estimate	Current Produc Objective/T	ction	Current Estimate	SAR Baseline Production Estimate	Current APB Production Objective	Current Estimate	
RDT&E	5383.5	5383.5	5921.9	5978.9	5341.0	5341.0	6042.5	
Procurement	9357.5	9357.5	10293.3	9704.5	11348.6	11348.6	12072.1	
Flyaway		- 4		7242.2			9150.9	
Recurring		-		6583.2	_		8387.2	
Non Recurring		++		659.0	4.		763.7	
Support	44			2462.3		**	2921.2	
Other Support				1976.0			2397.7	
Initial Spares		44.		486.3	4		523.5	
MILCON	323.3	323.3	355.6	334.0	337.5	337.5	356.8	
Acq O&M	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
Total	15064.3	15064.3	N/A	16017.4	17027.1	17027.1	18471.4	

APB Breach

#### **Current APB Cost Estimate Reference**

ICE dated September 21, 2016

#### **Cost Notes**

No cost estimate for the program has been completed in the previous year. The DoD Component Cost Estimate will be updated as part of the APB.

Total Quantity								
Quantity	SAR Baseline Production Estimate	Current APB Production	Current Estimate					
RDT&E	4	4	5					
Procurement	66	66	65					
Total	70	70	70					

#### **Quantity Notes**

Leading up to the program's Milestone C decision, the Navy and Northrop Grumman Corporation (NGC) entered into an agreement to share cost growth on the System Development and Demonstration contract by utilizing NGC capital contributions to offset future Navy budget requirements. As part of these contributions, NGC provided an Unmanned Aircraft to the Navy at no cost that they had previously built with private capital. This aircraft will be modified to the Multiple Intelligence configuration and used in development before being delivered to the fleet and offsetting one of the planned Aircraft Procurement, Navy funded aircraft procurements. Total aircraft quantity remains at 70.

# **Cost and Funding**

# **Funding Summary**

	Appropriation Summary								
FY 2021 President's Budget / December 2019 SAR (TY\$ M)									
Appropriation	Prior	FY 2020	FY 2021	FY 2022	FY 2023	FY 2024	FY 2025	To Complete	Total
RDT&E	4826.6	197.2	189.9	212.2	215.3	189.0	172.6	39.7	6042.5
Procurement	2690.6	591.7	166.8	101.8	680.4	648.6	738.4	6453.8	12072.1
MILCON	281.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	75.0	0.0	0.0	356.8
Acq O&M	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
PB 2021 Total	7799.0	788.9	356.7	314.0	895.7	912.6	911.0	6493.5	18471.4
PB 2020 Total	7740.2	907.3	680.8	801.6	804.4	842.4	786.7	4896.5	17459.9
Delta	58.8	-118.4	-324.1	-487.6	91.3	70.2	124.3	1597.0	1011.5

			Qu	antity Su	mmary					
	FY 202	1 Preside	ent's Bu	dget / De	ecember	2019 S	AR (TYS	M)		
Quantity	Undistributed	Prior	FY 2020	FY 2021	FY 2022	FY 2023	FY 2024	FY 2025	To Complete	Total
Development	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5
Production	0	12	2	0	0	4	4	5	38	65
PB 2021 Total	5	12	2	0	0	4	4	5	38	70
PB 2020 Total	5	12	2	2	3	5	5	4	32	70
Delta	0	0	0	-2	-3	-1	-1	1	6	0

# **Cost and Funding**

# **Annual Funding By Appropriation**

	131	9   RDT&E   Res	Annual Fu search, Developr		Evaluation, N	avv				
		19   RDT&E   Research, Development, Test, and Evaluation, Navy  TY \$M								
Fiscal Q Year Q	Quantity	End Item Recurring Flyaway	Non End Item Recurring Flyaway	Non Recurring Flyaway	Total Flyaway	Total Support	Total Program			
2004	-	***	149	77	9	11	17.			
2005		1.44			Ω.		39.3			
2006										
2007	1.24						26.2			
2008							83.			
2009					22		420.4			
2010		**		**	-		438.			
2011		**					525.6			
2012				**			549.8			
2013					***	(55)	612.7			
2014	**	**			**		374.8			
2015				**			449.4			
2016	144						473.7			
2017							266.0			
2018	-			**			317.8			
2019	144				144	(99)	231.8			
2020	44	2		22			197.2			
2021			44		-		189.9			
2022	44		7447		4		212.2			
2023		***	(44)	-	124		215.3			
2024		4				44.	189.0			
2025			/**		4		172.6			
2026			142			44	39.7			
Subtotal	5		1.44	**		(46)	6042.5			

Year   Quantity   Recurring   Flyaway   Flya	Total Program 21.9 46.4 29.0 92.0 459.0 472.0 553.0 569.0	Support	Flyaway  	Recurring Flyaway	Item Recurring Flyaway	Recurring Flyaway	-	Fiscal Year
2005  <	46.1 29.1 92. 459.1 472.1 553.1	- - -	-	-	-	-		2004
2006  <	29. 92. 459. 472. 553.	=======================================		-				
2007  <	29. 92. 459. 472. 553.	= = =	-					2005
2008  <	92. 459. 472. 553.					***		2006
2009  <	459. 472. 553.						-	2007
2010           2011           2012           2013           2014           2015           2016           2017	472.5 553.			**				2008
2011           2012           2013           2014           2015           2016           2017	553.						-	2009
2012            2013            2014            2015            2016            2017								2010
2013            2014            2015            2016            2017	ECO	-		<del></del>				2011
2014            2015            2016            2017	569.	44	44			4-	144	2012
2015             2016             2017	627.		44				44	2013
2016 2017	378.			164				2014
2017	448.							2015
	464.		4	4	(4)			2016
2-2-7-2	256.							2017
2018	298.	1		1	7-5		100	2018
2019	213.						144	2019
2020	178.							2020
2021	168.		2.5	-	1-2	44		2021
2022	184.							2022
2023	183.4		22			45		2023
2024	157.		-	**				2024
2025	141.					**		2025
2026	31.		4-			44		2026
Subtotal 5	5978.			**	44		5	Subtotal

Annual Funding 1506   Procurement   Aircraft Procurement, Navy										
		TY \$M								
Fiscal Year	Quantity	End Item Recurring Flyaway	Non End Item Recurring Flyaway	Non Recurring Flyaway	Total Flyaway	Total Support	Total Program			
2015		72.0	100		72.0		72.0			
2016	4	402.1		43.2	445.3	161.2	606.5			
2017	2	269.7		125.5	395.2	197.1	592.3			
2018	3	351.2		51.7	402.9	297.2	700.			
2019	3	324.5		125.7	450.2	269.5	719.7			
2020	2	178.2		91.0	269.2	322.5	591.			
2021				13.0	13.0	153.8	166.8			
2022						101.8	101.8			
2023	4	460.4		82.1	542.5	137.9	680.4			
2024	4	484.7		43.0	527.7	120.9	648.6			
2025	5	588.5	44	11.1	599.6	138.8	738.4			
2026	4	502.9		49.2	552.1	168.4	720.5			
2027	4	516.3	4-	10.0	526.3	191.2	717.5			
2028	4	525.5		10.2	535.7	164.9	700.6			
2029	4	535.3		10.4	545.7	76.0	621.7			
2030	4	545.6	44	10.6	556.2	77.5	633.7			
2031	4	550.5	/	10.7	561.2	79.1	640.3			
2032	4	561.6	1-2	10.9	572.5	80.7	653.2			
2033	4	573.1		11.1	584.2	81.2	665.4			
2034	4	537.4		11.5	548.9	82.8	631.7			
2035	2	407.7		42.8	450.5	18.7	469.2			
Subtotal	65	8387.2		763.7	9150.9	2921.2	12072.1			

1506   Procurement   Aircraft Procurement, Navy										
	1	BY 2016 \$M								
Fiscal Year	Quantity	End Item Recurring Flyaway	Non End Item Recurring Flyaway	Non Recurring Flyaway	Total Flyaway	Total Support	Total Program			
2015		70.9	100	1.55	70.9	(44)	70.			
2016	4	388.2		41.7	429.9	155.7	585.			
2017	2	255.3		118.8	374.1	186.6	560			
2018	3	326.4		48.1	374.5	276.2	650			
2019	3	295.8		114.6	410.4	245.5	655			
2020	2	159.2		81.3	240.5	288.2	528			
2021				11.4	11.4	134.7	146			
2022						87.4	87.			
2023	4	387.7		69.1	456.8	116.1	572.			
2024	4	400.1		35.5	435.6	99.8	535.			
2025	5	476.3		9.0	485.3	112.3	597			
2026	4	399.0		39.0	438.0	133.7	571			
2027	4	401.6		7.8	409.4	148.7	558.			
2028	4	400.8		7.8	408.6	125.7	534.			
2029	4	400.2		7.8	408.0	56.8	464			
2030	4	399.9	44	7.8	407.7	56.8	464			
2031	4	395.6	/+4	7.7	403.3	56.8	460			
2032	4	395.7		7.7	403.4	56.8	460			
2033	4	395.9		7.7	403.6	56.0	459			
2034	4	363.9		7.8	371.7	56.1	427			
2035	2	270.7		28.4	299.1	12.4	311			
Subtotal	65	6583.2		659.0	7242.2	2462.3	9704.			

This budget reflects a production pause in FY 2021 and FY 2022 of MQ-4C Triton UAS deferring further procurement of the Multi-INT configuration until FY 2023. End Item Related Recurring Flyaway costs reflected in FY 2021 with no End Item quantities listed in FY 2021 includes Aircraft Procurement, Navy, Budget Activity 5 funding for the procurement of hardware to convert a FOB to the Multi-INT configuration and for installation costs to convert two FOBs to the Multi-INT configuration.

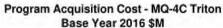
	Cost Quantity Information 1506   Procurement   Aircraft Procurement, Navy							
Fiscal Year	Quantity	End Item Recurring Flyaway (Aligned With Quantity) BY 2016 \$M						
2015	**							
2016	4	406.5						
2017	2	255.3						
2018	3	325.9						
2019	3	310.2						
2020	2	198.0						
2021								
2022								
2023	4	324.2						
2024	4	392.5						
2025	5	476.2						
2026	4	398.9						
2027	4	401.7						
2028	4	400.8						
2029	4	400.2						
2030	4	399.9						
2031	4	395.6						
2032	4	395.7						
2033	4	395.9						
2034	4	399.5						
2035	2	306.2						
Subtotal	65	6583.2						

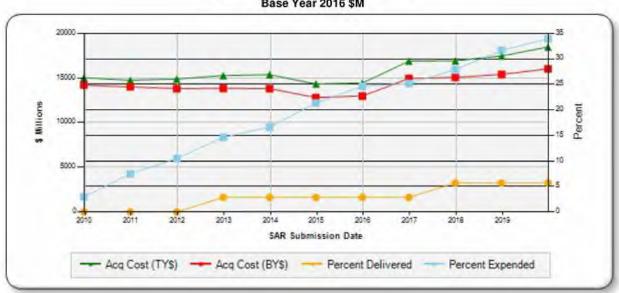
Annual Funding 1205   MILCON   Military Construction, Navy and Marine Corps					
Place I	TY \$M				
Fiscal Year	Total Program				
2011	33.0				
2012	4.5				
2013	65.0				
2014	55.5				
2015	-				
2016	51.9				
2017	71.9				
2018					
2019	-				
2020					
2021	4				
2022	-				
2023	4				
2024	75.0				
Subtotal	356.8				
Subtotal	38				

	BY 2016 \$M
Fiscal	
Year	Total Program
2011	34.0
2012	4.6
2013	65.1
2014	54.8
2015	-
2016	48.9
2017	66.5
2018	
2019	-
2020	-
2021	-
2022	14
2023	
2024	60.1
Subtotal	334.0

## Charts

MQ-4C Triton first began SAR reporting in December 2009

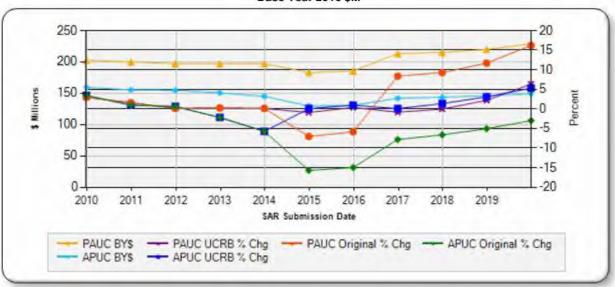




#### Quantity - MQ-4C Triton



Unit Cost - MQ-4C Triton Base Year 2016 \$M



#### Low Rate Initial Production

Item	Initial LRIP Decision	Current Total LRIP		
Approval Date	4/18/2008	9/22/2016		
Approved Quantity 10		18		
Reference	Milestone B ADM	Gate 6/Configuration Steering Board (CSB) ADM		
Start Year	2013	2013		
End Year	2015	2020		

The Current Total LRIP Quantity is more than 10% of the total production quantity due to the establishment of an initial production base for the system and an orderly and efficient increase in the production rate. The increase to 18 LRIP aircraft was authorized due to a change of FRP to 4th Quarter FY 2021. With the latest schedule update and production pause, FRP moves to 1st Quarter FY 2026. It is anticipated that there will be at least one additional LRIP buy of 4 UAs that will keep the total LRIP quantity at 18. The program will require MDA approval if additional LRIP procurements are necessary.

### Foreign Military Sales

Country	Date of Sale	Quantity	Total Cost \$M	Description
Germany	4/2/2015		4.0	Agreement number GY-P-GPT is an active technical services case which provides technical data on the MQ-4C Triton.
Australia	8/1/2013		5.0	Agreement number AT-P-GTJ is an active technical services case which provides technical data on the MQ-4C Triton.

#### Notes

In June of 2018, the USN entered into a cooperative program with the Commonwealth of Australia (CoA) for the development, production and sustainment of the MQ-4C Triton UAS. The Memorandum of Agreement was signed on June 19, 2018 and details Australia's planned system procurements and financial responsibilities. Australia's first Procurement Request currently covers the procurement for 2 of 6 air vehicles, and all necessary ground systems. The first Project Arrangement (PA-1) was signed May 29, 2019 for a Sense and Avoid capability. An FMS Case is currently in development to support export of all COMSEC and GPS gear needed for the Australian UAS procured under the DPS MOU. The program office is also executing a Technical Services Case with Germany to provide technical information on the MQ-4C Triton UAS and to develop an Airworthiness Qualification Plan (AQP) to increase the likelihood of obtaining a permanent flight clearance within German regulations. This AQP was signed in April 2018. A Letter of Offer and Acceptance (LOA) was offered in August 2018 for the procurement of three Air Vehicles, one Main Operating Base (MOB), and one Forwarding Operating Base (FOB). The offer expiration date was extended to December 2019 to allow for signature in case Germany was able to secure sufficient funding this Calendar year. In January 2020, Germany officially announced they will not pursue the MQ-4C Triton variant and instead will likely fill their capability gap with a manned system. Additional interest is being expressed by Canada, New Zealand and the United Kingdom.

# **Nuclear Costs**

None

## **Unit Cost**

Average Procurement Unit Cost

Cost

Quantity

**Unit Cost** 

Current UCR	Baseline and Current Estimate	(Base-Year Dollars)		
	BY 2016 \$M	BY 2016 \$M		
Item	Current UCR Baseline (Dec 2016 APB)	Current Estimate (Dec 2019 SAR)	% Change	
Program Acquisition Unit Cost				
Cost	15064.3	16017.4		
Quantity	70	70		
Unit Cost	215.204	228.820	+6.33	
Average Procurement Unit Cost				
Cost	9357.5	9704.5		
Quantity	66	65		
Unit Cost	141.780	149.300	+5.30	
Original UCR	Baseline and Current Estimate	(Base-Year Dollars)		
	BY 2016 \$M	BY 2016 \$M		
Item	Original UCR Baseline (Feb 2009 APB)	Current Estimate (Dec 2019 SAR)	% Change	
Program Acquisition Unit Cost	*			
Cost	13783.4	16017.4		
Quantity	70	70		
Unit Cost	196.906	228.820	+16.21	

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-2.98



APB Unit Cost History									
Book	Date	BY 201	6 \$M	TY \$M					
Item	Date	PAUC	APUC	PAUC	APUC				
Original APB	Feb 2009	196.906	153.885	216.747	177.317				
APB as of January 2006	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A				
Revised Original APB	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A				
Prior APB	Jul 2014	184.743	129.664	207.763	156.288				
Current APB	Dec 2016	215.204	141.780	243.244	171.948				
Prior Annual SAR	Dec 2018	219.927	146.129	249.427	177.852				
Current Estimate	Dec 2019	228.820	149.300	263.877	185.725				

## **SAR Unit Cost History**

		Initial (	SAR Baseli	ne to Curre	ent SAR I	Baseline (	TY \$M)		
Initial PAUC Development Estimate		PAUC							
	Econ	Qty	Sch	Eng	Est	Oth	Spt	Total	Production Estimate
216.747	-5.878	1.731	22.407	24.911	7.156	0.000	-23.830	26.497	243.24

PAUC		PAUC							
Production Estimate E	Econ	Qty	Sch	Eng	Est	Oth	Spt	Total	Current Estimate

		Initial SA	R Baselin	e to Curr	ent SAR	Baseline	(TY \$M)		
Initial APUC Development Estimate	Changes								APUC Production
	Econ	Qty	Sch	Eng	Est	Oth	Spt	Total	Estimate
177.317	-5.578	-0.850	23.765	8.085	-5.007	0.000	-25.784	-5.369	171.9

APUC Production Estimate	Changes								APUC
	Econ	Qty	Sch	Eng	Est	Oth	Spt	Total	Current Estimate
171.948	0.526	1.121	3.817	0.000	3.028	0.000	5.285	13.777	185.7

SAR Baseline History											
Item	SAR Planning Estimate	SAR Development Estimate	SAR Production Estimate	Current Estimate							
Milestone A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A							
Milestone B	N/A	Apr 2008	Apr 2008	Apr 2008							
Milestone C	N/A	May 2013	Sep 2016	Sep 2016							
IOC	N/A	Dec 2015	Oct 2020	Aug 2022							
Total Cost (TY \$M)	N/A	15172.3	17027.1	18471.4							
Total Quantity	N/A	70	70	70							
PAUC	N/A	216.747	243.244	263.877							

## **Cost Variance**

	Sui	mmary TY \$M		
Item	RDT&E	Procurement	MILCON	Total
SAR Baseline (Production Estimate)	5341.0	11348.6	337.5	17027.1
Previous Changes				
Economic	+3.5	+59.9	+2.2	+65.6
Quantity		-99.1		-99.1
Schedule	-26.8	-37.9		-64.7
Engineering				
Estimating	+244.2	+192.6	-2.1	+434.7
Other				
Support		+96.3		+96.3
Subtotal	+220.9	+211.8	+0.1	+432.8
Current Changes				
Economic	+3.8	-25.7	+0.1	-21.8
Quantity		0		
Schedule	+79.0	+286.0	+19.0	+384.0
Engineering				
Estimating	+397.8	+4.2	+0.1	+402.1
Other	4-	1	42	
Support		+247.2	ee-	+247.2
Subtotal	+480.6	+511.7	+19.2	+1011.5
Total Changes	+701.5	+723.5	+19.3	+1444.3
Current Estimate	6042.5	12072.1	356.8	18471.4

	Summ	ary BY 2016 \$M		
Item	RDT&E	Procurement	MILCON	Total
SAR Baseline (Production Estimate)	5383.5	9357.5	323.3	15064.3
Previous Changes				
Economic		940		-
Quantity	<del></del>	-69.3	42	-69.3
Schedule	-23.8	-31.3		-55.1
Engineering	4-	4		-
Estimating	+215.4	+167.8	-1.9	+381.3
Other				
Support	-	+73.7	<del>20</del>	+73.7
Subtotal	+191.6	+140.9	-1.9	+330.6
Current Changes				
Economic				
Quantity		.14		
Schedule	+64.1	+43.8	+12.5	+120.4
Engineering		-		-
Estimating	+339.7	+2.2	+0.1	+342.0
Other			-	-
Support	142	+160.1		+160.1
Subtotal	+403.8	+206.1	+12.6	+622.5
Total Changes	+595.4	+347.0	+10.7	+953.1
Current Estimate	5978.9	9704.5	334.0	16017.4

Previous Estimate: December 2018

RDT&E	\$N	
Current Change Explanations	Base Year	Then Year
Revised escalation indices. (Economic)	N/A	+3.8
Revised estimate to reflect extended Period of Performance on IFC 4 contract. (Schedule)	+64.1	+79.0
Adjustment for current and prior escalation. (Estimating)	-2.0	-2.3
Revised estimate to reflect Congressional mark to Sense and Avoid for concurrency. (Estimating)	-15.3	-16.9
Revised estimate to include Triton In The Fight capability. (Estimating)	+115.0	+138.0
Revised estimate to complete IFC 4 capability to IOC. (Estimating)	+161.6	+184.7
Revised estimate for the software support activity (SSA) Software Integration Lab (SIL). (Estimating)	+22.6	+26.1
Revised estimate to reflect B1 Conversion to Multi-Intelligence configuration. (Estimating)	+57.8	+68.2
RDT&E Subtotal	+403.8	+480.6

Procurement	\$N	
Current Change Explanations	Base Year	Then Year
Revised escalation indices. (Economic)	N/A	-25.7
Stretch-out of procurement buy profile due to program extension by two years resulting in quantity realignment of two MQ-4Cs from FY 2021 to FY 2034 and three MQ-4Cs from FY 2022 to FY 2034 and FY 2035. (Schedule)	0.0	+198.1
Additional Schedule Variance associated with moving a total of 5 aircraft from FY 2021 and FY 2022 to FY 2034 and FY 2035. (Schedule)	+43.8	+87.9
Adjustment for current and prior escalation. (Estimating)	+3.0	+3.3
Revised estimate to include in-line production change to Multi-Intelligence configuration for aircraft B12. (Estimating)	+17.4	+18.2
Revised estimate to reflect the application of new inflation indices. (Estimating)	+14.1	+18.0
Revised estimate to realign ground segment procurement to FY 2026. (Estimating)	-30.3	-35.3
Updated estimate to reflect revised Advance Procurement stategy. (Estimating)	-2.0	0.0
Adjustment for current and prior escalation. (Support)	+2.1	+2.3
Increase in Other Support resulting from production extension of two years and depot standup realignment to FY2026 and beyond. (Support)	+183.1	+274.5
Decrease in Initial Spares due to revised sparing strategy. (Support)	-25.1	-29.6
Procurement Subtotal	+206.1	+511.7

MILCON	\$N		
Current Change Explanations	Base Year	Then Year	
Revised escalation indices. (Economic)	N/A	+0.1	
Schedule variance resulting from re-phase of Triton Forward Operating Base from FY 2021 to FY 2024. (Schedule)	+12.5	+19.0	
Adjustment for current and prior escalation. (Estimating)	+0.1	+0.1	

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#### Contracts

#### **General Notes**

The program is reporting all CLINs on the System Development and Demonstration and LRIP contracts individually to increase transparency as each individual effort is over \$40M TY.

#### Contract Identification

Appropriation: RDT&E

Contract Name: Triton UAS SDD Contract FTA CLIN
Contractor: Northrop Grumman Systems Corporation

Contractor Location: 17066 Goldentop Rd

San Diego, CA 92150

Contract Number: N00019-08-C-0023/403

Contract Type: Cost (CR)

Award Date: July 13, 2016

Definitization Date: July 13, 2016

				Contract Pr	ice		
Initial Cor	tract Price	(\$M)	Current Co	ntract Price	(\$M)	Estimated Price	e At Completion (\$M)
Target	Ceiling	Qty	Target	Ceiling	Qty	Contractor	Program Manager
69.5	N/A	0	69.5	N/A	0	77.9	110.

Contract Variance					
İtem	Cost Variance	Schedule Variance			
Cumulative Variances To Date (11/22/2019)	-11.2	-6.8			
Previous Cumulative Variances	-6.3	-7.5			
Net Change	-4.9	+0.7			

#### Cost and Schedule Variance Explanations

The unfavorable net change in the cost variance is due to additional efforts for Shear/Moment/Torsion testing and assembly associated with full scale fatigue test.

The favorable net change in the schedule variance is due to the completion of Landing Gear Fatigue pre-test activities.

#### Contract Identification

Appropriation: Procurement

Contract Name: Triton UAS LRIP Contract LRIP 1 CLIN
Contractor: Northrop Grumman Systems Corporation

Contractor Location: 17066 Goldentop Rd

San Diego, CA 92150

Contract Number: N00019-15-C-0002

Contract Type: Fixed Price Incentive(Firm Target) (FPIF)

Award Date: September 27, 2016

Definitization Date: September 27, 2016

				Contract Pri	ice		
Initial Cor	ntract Price (	\$M)	Current Co	ntract Price (	\$M)	Estimated Pric	e At Completion (\$M)
Target	Ceiling	Qty	Target	Ceiling	Qty	Contractor	Program Manager
331.5	343.4	3	331.5	343.4	3	332.5	331.

Contract Variance					
Item	Cost Variance	Schedule Variance			
Cumulative Variances To Date (4/26/2019)	-1.0	-3.0			
Previous Cumulative Variances	+5.2	-5.6			
Net Change	-6.2	+2.6			

#### Cost and Schedule Variance Explanations

The unfavorable net change in the cost variance is due to Air Vehicle production and Main Operating Base (MOB) / Forward Operating Base (FOB) materials.

The favorable net change in the schedule variance is due to schedule recovery with material deliveries.

#### Contract Identification

Appropriation: Procurement

Contract Name: Triton UAS LRIP Contract LRIP 2 CLIN
Contractor: Northrop Grumman Systems Corporation

Contractor Location: 17066 Goldentop Rd

San Diego, CA 92150

Contract Number: N00019-15-C-0002/201

Contract Type: Fixed Price Incentive(Firm Target) (FPIF)

Award Date: May 16, 2017 Definitization Date: May 16, 2017

				Contract Pri	ice		
Initial Cor	ntract Price (	\$M)	Current Co	ntract Price (	\$M)	Estimated Pric	e At Completion (\$M)
Target	Ceiling	Qty	Target	Ceiling	Qty	Contractor	Program Manager
353.3	365.9	3	364.0	377.0	3	377.0	377.

#### **Target Price Change Explanation**

The difference between the Initial Contract Price Target and the Current Contract Price Target is due to B12 ECP contract modifications.

Contract Variance						
Item	Cost Variance	Schedule Variance				
Cumulative Variances To Date (11/22/2019)	+8.4	-6.2				
Previous Cumulative Variances	+9.1	-3.0				
Net Change	-0.7	-3.2				

#### Cost and Schedule Variance Explanations

The unfavorable net change in the cost variance is due to supplier quality and Triumph Wing deliveries.

The unfavorable net change in the schedule variance is due to late material deliveries.

#### Contract Identification

Appropriation: Procurement

Contract Name: Triton UAS LRIP 3 Contract

Contractor: Northrop Grumman Systems Corporation

Contractor Location: 17066 Goldentop Rd

San Diego, CA 92127

Contract Number: N00019-17-C-0018

Contract Type: Fixed Price Incentive(Firm Target) (FPIF)

Award Date: December 28, 2017

Definitization Date: May 24, 2019

				Contract Pri	ice		
Initial Cor	ntract Price (	(\$M)	Current Co	ntract Price (	\$M)	Estimated Pric	e At Completion (\$M)
Target	Ceiling	Qty	Target	Ceiling	Qty	Contractor	Program Manager
303.1	314.1	3	316.1	324.7	3	319.8	319.8

#### **Target Price Change Explanation**

The difference between the Initial Contract Price Target and the Current Contract Price Target is due to contract modifications for IFC 4 inline ECP and IFC 4 install harness kit.

C	Contract Variance	
Item	Cost Variance	Schedule Variance
Cumulative Variances To Date (11/22/2019)	+1.3	-16.4
Previous Cumulative Variances	+1.8	-0.9
Net Change	-0.5	-15.5

#### Cost and Schedule Variance Explanations

The unfavorable net change in the cost variance is due to Air Vehicle integration.

The unfavorable net change in the schedule variance is due to late material issuance.

#### Notes

The initial contract price changed in order to correct the information in the last SAR as it only included one CLIN.

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#### Contract Identification

Appropriation: Procurement

Contract Name: Triton UAS LRIP Contract LRIP 4

Contractor: Northrop Grumman Systems Corporation

Contractor Location: 17066 Goldentop Road

San Diego, CA 92127-2412

Contract Number: N00019-18-C-1028

Contract Type: Fixed Price Incentive(Firm Target) (FPIF)

Award Date: May 16, 2018

Definitization Date: December 20, 2019

				Contract Pri	ce		
Initial Con	tract Price (	\$M)	Current Co	ntract Price (	\$M)	Estimated Pric	e At Completion (\$M)
Target	Ceiling	Qty	Target	Ceiling	Qty	Contractor	Program Manager
296.1	304.0	3	296.1	304.0	3	304.0	296.

#### Cost and Schedule Variance Explanations

Cost and Schedule Variance reporting is not required on this (FPIF) contract.

### **General Contract Variance Explanation**

Contract award December 20, 2019. Reporting will not start until April 2020.

Contract Identification

Appropriation: Procurement

Contract Name: Triton UAS LRIP Contract LRIP 5

Contractor: Northrop Grumman Systems Corporation

Contractor Location: 17066 Goldentop Road

San Diego, CA 92127-2412

Contract Number: N00019-19-C-0008

Contract Type: Fixed Price Incentive(Firm Target) (FPIF)

Award Date: May 29, 2019

Definitization Date: December 21, 2019

				Contract Pri	ce		
Initial Cor	ntract Price (	(\$M)	Current Co	ntract Price (	\$M)	Estimated Pric	e At Completion (\$M)
Target	Ceiling	Qty	Target	Ceiling	Qty	Contractor	Program Manager
193.8	199.9	2	193.8	199.9	2	199.9	193.

#### Cost and Schedule Variance Explanations

Cost and Schedule Variance reporting is not required on this (FPIF) contract.

#### **General Contract Variance Explanation**

Contract award December 21, 2020. Reporting will not start until September 2020.

# **Deliveries and Expenditures**

	Deliver	ies		
Delivered to Date	Planned to Date	Actual to Date	Total Quantity	Percent Delivered
Development	4	4	5	80.00%
Production	0	0	65	0.00%
Total Program Quantity Delivered	4	4	70	5.71%

Expended and Appropriated (TY \$M)				
Total Acquisition Cost	18471.4	Years Appropriated	17	
Expended to Date	6264.8	Percent Years Appropriated	53.13%	
Percent Expended		Appropriated to Date	8587.9	
Total Funding Years		Percent Appropriated	46.49%	

The above data is current as of December 31, 2019.

## Notes

The total quantity of 70 includes 1 test asset (Fatigue Test Article), 1 stricken mishap aircraft (B6) and 68 fleet assets.

## Operating and Support Cost

#### Cost Estimate Details

Date of Estimate: December 20, 2016

Source of Estimate: CAPE ICE

Quantity to Sustain: 68
Unit of Measure: Aircraft
Service Life per Unit: 20.00 Years

Fiscal Years in Service: FY 2018 - FY 2048

The average monthly flight hour utilization rate is 256.2 flight hours/month/aircraft beginning at IOC, and the average annual flight hour utilization rate is 3,074.4 flight hours/year/aircraft. Primary Authorized Aircraft is 20, and these 20 aircraft are to be distributed equally across five orbits. The program is estimated to have a five year ramp up period, followed by a 20 year service period, followed by a four year ramp down period, and after accounting for the specific months of delivery and attrition, this results in 450.572 aircraft years. The predicted attrition rate of the Unmanned Aircraft is four per 100,000 flight hours. The quantity of aircraft to sustain is 68, comprised of three operationalized System Demonstration Test Article aircraft and 65 production aircraft. The program will not sustain the Fatigue Test Article (FTA) (B4) and the Mishap aircraft (B6). Current estimate aligned with Milestone C. Program is updating O&S estimate as part of the updated APB associated with the Program Deviation Report.

#### Sustainment Strategy

The MQ-4C Triton UAS logistics focuses on total platform supportability to include air vehicle, mission control, information technology (e.g., networks) and payload sustainment across the program life cycle. The Triton Product Support team is organized and executing the plan to establish organic supply support, repair capability, and sustaining engineering, to include Software Support, that will meet future operational readiness requirements and operating cost objectives. The prime contractor is providing Interim Contractor Support as the organic infrastructure is being established during Early Operational Capability (EOC) in FY 2020.

#### Antecedent Information

No Antecedent. The MQ-4C Triton is projected to fly significantly more hours than the closest analogous airframe and has different missions, different concept of operations, and different payloads; resulting in substantially different projected avionics repair costs (the next major O&S cost driver after the number of flight hours).

	Annual O&S Costs BY2016 \$M	
Cost Element	MQ-4C Triton Average Annual Cost Per Aircraft	No Antecedent (Antecedent) N/A
Unit-Level Manpower	4.601	0.000
Unit Operations	1.764	0.000
Maintenance	19.093	0.000
Sustaining Support	1.697	0.000
Continuing System Improvements	4.053	0.000
Indirect Support	1.654	0.000
Other	0.000	0.000
Total	32.862	

		Total O&S	Cost \$M	
Item	MQ-4C 1	riton		No Antonio
item	Current Production APB Objective/Threshold		Current Estimate	No Antecedent (Antecedent)
Base Year	14806.7	16287.4	14806.7	0.0
Then Year	20551.1	N/A	20551.1	0.0

#### **Equation to Translate Annual Cost to Total Cost**

Total Aircraft O&S = Unitized cost \* number of operational aircraft years (\$14,806.7M = \$32.862M \* 450.572 aircraft years)

O&S Cost Variance				
Category	BY 2016 \$M	Change Explanations		
Prior SAR Total O&S Estimates - Dec 2018 SAR	14806.7			
Programmatic/Planning Factors	0.0			
Cost Estimating Methodology	0.0			
Cost Data Update	0.0			
Labor Rate	0.0			
Energy Rate	0.0			
Technical Input	0.0			
Other	0.0			
Total Changes	0.0			
Current Estimate	14806.7			

## **Disposal Estimate Details**

Date of Estimate: December 20, 2016

Source of Estimate: CAPE ICE

Disposal/Demilitarization Total Cost (BY 2016 \$M): 17.5

Disposal of attrition aircraft is included in the Disposal estimate.