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Common Acronyms and Abbreviations 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(A&S) - Under Secretary of Defense (Acquisition and Sustainment) USD(AT&L) - Under Secretary of Defense (Acquisition, Technology and Logistics)

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Mission and Description

The LPD 17 Flight I San Antonio Class Amphibious Transport Dock Ship (LPD 17) is the functional replacement for the LPD 4 Austin class, LSD 36 Anchorage class, LKA 113 Charleston class, and LST 1179 Newport classes of Amphibious Ships for embarking, transporting and landing elements of a Marine landing force in an assault by helicopters, landing craft, amphibious vehicles, and by a combination of these methods to conduct the primary amphibious warfare mission in order to win the current and future fight.

The LPD 17 Flight II ships are the functional replacement for the LSD 41/49 Class ships.

These ships support amphibious assault, special operations or expeditionary warfare missions and serve as aviation platforms for amphibious warfare. They are agile, versatile, multi-mission platforms that are adaptable with wide ranging utility. Core missions for an independently operating LPD 17 and embarked Marines include: Embassy Reinforcement, Maritime Interception Operations, Non-Combatant Evacuation Operations, Humanitarian Assistance/Disaster Response, Theater Security Cooperation, Tactical Recovery of Aircraft and Personnel, and Limited Amphibious Raids. All of these missions require an LPD 17 with organic aviation capacity, sufficient command and control capability to support all platform and embarked force needs, and sufficient medical capability and capacity required to support the operational force.

Executive Summary

Program Highlights Since Last Report

The LPD 17 Class has delivered 11 Flight I Ships currently operating as Fleet assets. Collectively they have successfully completed 28 deployments since the program inception in 1994. The final two Flight I Ships are under construction at Huntington Ingalls Industries (Ingalls) in Pascagoula, Mississippi. LPD 28 and LPD 29 are transition ships to phase in design, producibility, and fact-of-life changes as the program moves from LPD Flight I to LPD Flight II baselines. LPD 30 is the first LPD Flight II ship.

FORT LAUDERDALE (LPD 28) is 98.9% complete as of January 2022. Christening was completed August 21, 2021, and Builders Trials was conducted October 12, 2021. Acceptance trials completed January 28, 2022. Upcoming milestones planned for CY 2022 include: Delivery; Post Delivery Test & Trial events, such as Industrial Post Delivery Availability and Post Delivery Availability; Crew Move Aboard, Sail Away, and Commissioning. LPD 28 delivered March 11, 2022.

RICHARD M. McCOOL JR. (LPD 29) is 67.8% complete as of January 2022. LPD 29's launch was achieved on January 4, 2022. The ship's construction has been impacted by Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) and the projected delivery date is July 2023.

HARRISBURG (LPD 30) is 17.7% complete as of January 2022. Start of Fabrication was achieved on March 17, 2020. The ship's construction has been impacted by COVID-19 and the projected delivery date is February 2025.

PITTSBURGH (LPD 31) detail design and construction contract was awarded on April 3, 2020. Start of Fabrication is planned for April 2022.

There are no significant software-related issues with this program at this time.

History of Significant Developments Since Program Initiation

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Date	Significant Development Description
September 1990	Joint Requirements Oversight Council Validates LX Mission Needs Statement.
January 1993	Defense Acquisition Board Milestone I Approval.
October 1994	PMS 317 Program Office established.
May 1996	Operational Requirements Document (Rev. 03) Approval.
June 1996	Defense Acquisition Board Milestone II Approval.
December 1996	Lead ship (LPD 17) contract award.
July 2005	Lead ship (LPD 17) delivered.
August 2005	Hurricane Katrina causes significant damage to the Gulf Coast with the shipyards at Avondale, LA and Pascagoula, MS.
January 2006	Lead ship commissioned (LPD 17).
August 2008	First deployment of lead ship (LPD 17).
April 2014	LX(R) Analysis of Alternatives completed.
February 2016	LX(R) Capability Development Document Signed.
April 2018	LPD Flight II Acquisition Decision Memorandum Signed. LX(R) subsumed into the SAN ANTONIO Class Program.
August 2018	Long Lead Time Material contract for first LPD Flight II ship (LPD 30) awarded.
November 2018	Flight II Acquisition Strategy signed.
January 2019	Acquisition Program Baseline revised to add LPD 17 Flight II ships.
March 2019	LPD Flight II lead ship (LPD 30) Detail Design and Construction contract award.

Schedule

Schedule Events

		Schedule	Events		
Events	Development APB Objective	Deve	ent APB lopment e/Threshold	Current Estimate/Actual	Deviatior
Milestone I	Jan 1993	Jan 1993	Jan 1993	Jan 1993	
DT&E (DT-I)					
Start	Mar 1993	Mar 1993	Mar 1993	Mar 1993	
Complete	Feb 1996	Feb 1996	Feb 1996	Feb 1996	-
OT&E (OT-IA)					
Start	Jan 1995	Jan 1995	Jan 1995	Jan 1995	
Complete	Mar 1995	Mar 1995	Mar 1995	Mar 1995	
OT&E (OT-IB)					
Start	Feb 1996	Feb 1996	Feb 1996	Feb 1996	
Complete	Apr 1996	Apr 1996	Apr 1996	Apr 1996	
Milestone II	Jun 1996	Jun 1996	Jun 1996	Jun 1996	
Lead Ship Award	Aug 1996	Dec 1996	Dec 1996	Dec 1996	
DT&E (DT-IIA)					
Start	Sep 1996	Apr 1997	Apr 1997	Apr 1997	
Complete	Aug 1998	Mar 2003	Mar 2003	Mar 2003	
OT&E (OT-IC)					
Start	Sep 1998	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Complete	Mar 1999	N/A	N/A	N/A	
OT&E (OT-IIA)					
Start	Jun 2003	May 1999	May 1999	May 1999	
Complete	Sep 2003	May 2000	May 2000	May 2000	
DIT (OT-IIB)					
Start	N/A	Jan 2002	Jan 2002	Jan 2002	
Complete	N/A	May 2003	May 2003	May 2003	
DT&E (DT-IIB)					
Start	Sep 1998	Sep 2002	Sep 2002	Sep 2002	1
Complete	Jun 2002	Jul 2005	Jul 2005	Jul 2005	
Lead Ship Delivery	Jun 2002	Jul 2005	Jul 2005	Jul 2005	
DT&E (DT-IIC)					
Start	Jul 2002	Jul 2005	Jul 2005	Jul 2005	1
Complete	Jan 2004	May 2007	May 2007	May 2007	

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IOT&E (OT-IIC)					
Start	N/A	Jan 2006	Jan 2006	Jan 2006	
Complete	N/A	Dec 2008	Dec 2008	Dec 2008	
Milestone III	Aug 2007	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Lead Ship IOC	Jan 2004	Apr 2008	Apr 2008	Apr 2008	
FOT&E (OT-III)					
Start	Jan 2011	Jul 2010	Jul 2010	Jul 2010	
LPD Flight II Lead Ship Contract Award	N/A	Jan 2019	Jul 2019	Mar 2019	
LPD Flight II Lead Ship Start Fabrication	N/A	May 2020	Nov 2020	Mar 2020	
LPD Flight II Lead Ship Delivery	N/A	Feb 2025	Aug 2025	Feb 2025	
LPD Flight II IOC	N/A	Jun 2026	Dec 2026	Jun 2026	

Acronyms and Abbreviations

DIT - Design Integration Testing DT - Developmental Test DT&E - Developmental Test and Evaluation EASR- Enterprise Air Search Radar FOT&E - Follow-on Operational Test and Evaluation IOT&E - Initial Operational Test and Evaluation NGSSR- Next Generation Surface Search Radar OT - Operational Test OT&E - Operational Test and Evaluation OWLD - Obligation Work Limiting Date SSDS- Ship Self-Defense System

SHIP	Delivery	Obligation Work Limiting Date (OWLD)
LPD 28	March 2022	September 2023
LPD 29	July 2023	February 2025
LPD 30	February 2025	October 2026
LPD 31	February 2027	August 2028
LPD 32	February 2029	August 2030

Significant Schedule Risks

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	Current Estimate (December 2021)
1	. Enterprise Air Search Radar (EASR) Integration and Test (also a Technical risk): LPD 29 will be the first ship to test, integrate, and operate the EASR radar. If the EASR system is not fully integrated into the combat system, then it will impact Post Delivery and Developmental Test / Operational Test schedule and cost. MITIGATION: Ensure resources and prioritization for EASR/SSDS integration timeline.
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NGSSR, then starting with LPD 29 and LPD 30, additional shipbuilder Non-Recurring Engineering (cost) to accommodate the new design and topside design (cost/technical/schedule) may impact antenna (fwd/aft) foundations, structure, and implement necessary conjunctive changes with other systems. MITIGATION: Utilize NGSSR engineering reviews and program milestone reviews to ensure close coordination with all stakeholders.

3. COVID-19 pandemic caused prolonged, significant, and unpredictable labor manning shortages for ships in construction. Onsite vendor services to assist Ingalls with troubleshooting and integrating ship systems had been severely curtailed. Current vendor support is mixed. LPDs in construction continue to experience differing impacts. LPD 28 is sporadically lacking key personnel / system expertise / vendor support. LPD 29 has lacked manning in key crafts, specifically Ingalls Hull Department and Pipe Department, which has led to consumption of all planned schedule float. LPD 30 has not been able to ramp up manning levels per plan and has consistently remained 40-60% below the pre-COVID-19 baseline. If COVID-19 pandemic continues to exacerbate already experienced prolonged, significant, and unpredictable labor manning shortages for ships in construction, then LPD 29, LPD 30 and LPD 31 will realize further schedule delays and shifting delivery dates, as well as associate increased costs.

MITIGATION: Schedule re-baselining and impact assessment and efforts are currently on-going.

Performance

	Performan	ce Characteris	stics		
Development APB Objective	Current APB Development Objective/Threshold		Demonstrated Performance (include Date of Demonstration)	Current Estimate/Actual	Deviatio
Mobility Sustained Speed (Kts)				
23	23	21.5	24 5/3/2005	24	
Mobility Endurance ((NM)(K) @ Kts)				
10/22	10/22	9.5/20	10.6/20 12/14/2007	10.6/20	
Amphibious Warfare Emba	rkation (Net)	Troops			2
750	750	650	720 12/3/2005	720	
Amphibious Warfare Emba	rkation (Net)	Vehicles (Sq	Ft) (k)		
25	25	22	22 5/3/2005	22	
Amphibious Warfare Emba	rkation (Net)	Cargo (Cubic	Feet) (k)		
25	25	22	34 12/3/2005	34	
Amphibious Warfare Emba	rkation (Net)	Bulk Fuel (Ga	lls) (k)		
325	325	250	307 12/14/2007	307	
Amphibious Warfare Emba	rkation (Net)	LCAC			
2	2	1(+1)	2 12/3/2005	2	
Amphibious Warfare Emba (CH-46 or CH-53E or MV-22		VTOL Land/L	aunch Spots		
4/3/2	4/3/2	4/2/2	4/2/2 12/3/2005	4/2/2	
Amphibious Warfare Embarkation (Net) VTOL Maint/Storage (CH-46 or CH-53E or MV-22)					
3/1/1	3/1/1	2/1/1	2/1/1 12/14/2007	2/1/1	
Ship To Shore Capability (LCAC) Sustained Operations (reload 6 LCACs)(mins)					
220	220	285	274	274	

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	Performan	ce Characterist	ics		
Development APB Objective			Demonstrated Performance (include Date of Demonstration)		Deviatio
			12/7/2007		
Operational Availability (Ao)					
.90	.90	.80	.92 1/29/2010	.92	
LPD Flight II Operational Availability (Ao)					
N/A	.80	(T=O) .80		.80	-
LPD Flight II Bulk Fuel (Gallons) (K)					
N/A	310	(T=O) 310		310	
LPD Flight II Troops					
N/A	552	(T=O) 552		552	
LPD Flight II Vehicles (Square Feet) (K)					
N/A	20.88	(T=O) 20.88		20.88	
LPD Flight II Cargo (Cubi Feet) (K)	c				
N/A	28 (after 0.75 broken stow factor is applied)	(T=O) 28 (after 0.75 broken stow factor is applied)		28 (after 0.75 broken stow factor is applied)	
LPD Flight II LCAC/SSC / LCU Spots					
N/A	2/1	(T=O) 2/1		2/1	
LPD Flight II Aircraft Refueling and Arming					
N/A	Simultaneous refueling and electrical service of four (4) aircraft and rearming/de- arming of two (2) aircraft in any combination of MV-22,	(T=O) Simultaneous refueling and electrical service of four (4) aircraft and re-arming/de- arming of two (2) aircraft in any combination		Simultaneous refueling and electrical service of four (4) aircraft and rearming/ de-arming of two (2) aircraft in any combination of MV-22, CH-53, H-1, and H-60	

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	Performan	ice Characteris	tics		
Development APB Objective	Devel	nt APB opment /Threshold	Demonstrated Performance (include Date of Demonstration)	Current Estimate/Actual	Deviation
	CH-53, H-1, and H-60	of MV-22, CH-53, H-1, and H-60			
LPD Flight II VTOL Land and Launch Spots					
N/A	Two (2) primary and four (4) expanded launch spots	(T=O) Two (2) primary and four (4) expanded launch spots		Two (2) primary and four (4) expanded launch spots	

Acronyms and Abbreviations

Ao - Operational Availability BT - Builder's Trials Gals - gallons IOT&E - Initial Operational Test and Evaluation K/k - Thousands Kts - Knots LCAC - Landing Craft Air Cushion mins - minutes NM - Nautical Miles OPEVAL - Operational Evaluation Sq Ft - square feet VTOL - Vertical Take-Off and Landing

Requirements Source: Operational Requirements Document Revision 3 dated April 8, 1996 and Capability Development Document for Amphibious Ship Replacement Program (LX9R)) dated October 17, 2014 (LDP Flight II only).

Acquisition Budget Estimate

Total Acquisition Cost

		Development APB	(Cur	Name rent) 5/2019		Estimate 2023	
Category	Base Year	Objective (BY\$)	Objective (BY\$)	Threshold (BY\$)	BY\$	TY\$	Deviation
RDT&E	1996	78.7	276.1	303.7	263.8	348.5	
Procurement	1996	8939.4	29073.7	31981.1	28121.4	49872.5	
MILCON	1996	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
Acq. O&M	1996	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
Total		9018.1	29349.8	N/A	28385.2	50221.0	
PAUC	1996	751.508	1128.838	1241.722	1091.7	1931.6	
APUC	1996	744.950	1118.219	1230.041	1081.6	1918.2	

Total End Item Quantity

Quantity Category	Current APB Quantity	Current Estimate Quantity
Development	0	0
Procurement	26	26

Quantity Notes:

Program of Record quantity of 26 ships to remain as is pending final results of the Amphibious Force Structure Study previously directed by Secretary of the Navy.

Risk and Sensitivity Analysis

Risks and Sensitivity Analysis

Current Procurement Cost (December 2021)

 An Assistant Secretary of the Navy for Research, Development & Acquisition (ASN (RD&A)) Acquisition Decision Memorandum dated April 10, 2018, directed that LX(R) shall be subsumed into the SAN ANTONIO Class Acquisition Category IC Program and managed as LPD Flight II. An Acquisition Program Baseline (APB) update reflecting an increase in the number of ships in the class from 13 to 26 was signed on January 8, 2019.

Original Baseline Estimate (June 1996)

1. The original baseline estimate for the program is from the Milestone II development APB decision of June 17, 1996.

Revised Original Estimate (October 2005)

1. The revised original baseline estimate for the program is from the restructure APB decision of October 31, 2005.

Current Baseline Estimate (January 2019)

1. The current baseline estimate reflects the POE for the APB, approved by the ASN (RD&A) on January 8, 2019.

Unit Cost

Current Baseline Compared with Current Estimate

Category (\$M)	Current APB	Current Estimate	% Change	NMC Breach
PAUC				
Cost	29349.8	28385.2	-	
Quantity	26	26	8	-
Unit Cost	1128.838	1091.740	-3.29%	
APUC				
Cost	29073.7	28121.4	9.1	
Quantity	26	26	÷	
Unit Cost	1118.219	1081.594	-3.28%	

Original Baseline Compared with Current Estimate

Category (\$M)	Current APB	Current Estimate	% Change	NMC Breach
PAUC				
Cost	12955.2	28385.2	-	
Quantity	12	26		le n
Unit Cost	1079.600	1091.740	1.12%	
APUC				
Cost	12842.4	28121.4	-	-
Quantity	12	26	4	100
Unit Cost	1070.200	1081.594	1.06%	

Contracts

	Cont	tract Data (\$T)	(M)			
Contract Number	N00024-16-C-2431					
Effort Number	28					
Modification Number	A00246					
Award Date	12/19/2016					
Definitization Date	12/19/2016					
Order Number						
CAGE Code/CAGE Legal Name	34293					
Contract Title	LPD 28					
Contract Address	Access Road	Access Road Pascagoula MS 39581				
Con	tracts/Effort Price	e, Quantity, an	d Performance (\$M)			
Initial Target Price		Current Target Price				
1434.0		1485.8				
Initial Ceiling Price		Current Ceiling Price				
1573.0		1629.8				
Contract's EAC		PM's EAC				
Initial Quantity	Current Quan	titv	Delivered Quantity			
1	1		1			
BAC	BCWP		ACWP			
BCWS Cost Varia		9	Schedule Variance			

Contract Notes:

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	Cont	tract Data (\$TYM)	
Contract Number	N00024-16-C	-2431	
Effort Number	29		
Modification Number	A00246		
Award Date	02/16/2018		
Definitization Date	02/16/2018		
Order Number			
CAGE Code/CAGE Legal Name	34293		
Contract Title	LPD 29		
Contract Address	Access Road	Pascagoula MS 39581	
Con	tracts/Effort Price	e, Quantity, and Performance (\$M)	
Initial Target Price		Current Target Price	
1399.0		1413.6	
Initial Ceiling Price		Current Ceiling Price	

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1534.0 Contract's EAC		1550.1 PM's EAC		
Initial Quantity	Current Quantit	lity	Delivered Quantity	
1	1	La como	0	
BAC	BCWP		ACWP	_
BCWS	Cost Variance	1	Schedule Variance	

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	Cont	ract Data (\$T	YM)		
Contract Number	N00024-18-C-	-2406			
Effort Number	30				
Modification Number	A00170				
Award Date	03/25/2019				
Definitization Date	03/25/2019				
Order Number	1 3 1 3 1 M 1 4 M				
CAGE Code/CAGE Legal Name	34293				
Contract Title	LPD 30	LPD 30			
Contract Address	Access Road	Pascagoula	MS 39581		
Cor	ntracts/Effort Price	, Quantity, an	nd Performance (\$M)		
Initial Target Price		Current Target Price			
1435.0		1475.9			
Initial Ceiling Price		Current Ceiling Price			
1577.0		1602.7			
Contract's EAC		PM's EAC			
Initial Quantity	Current Quant	tity	Delivered Quantity		
1	1	ity	0		
BAC	BCWP		ACWP		
BCWS	Cost Variance	ř,	Schedule Variance		

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	Contr	act Data (\$7	YM)			
Contract Number		N00024-18-C-2406				
Effort Number	31					
Modification Number	A00170					
Award Date	04/03/2020					
Definitization Date	04/03/2020					
Order Number						
CAGE Code/CAGE Legal Name	34293					
Contract Title	LPD 30	LPD 30				
Contract Address	Access Road I	Pascagoula	MS 39581			
Cor			nd Performance (\$M)			
Initial Target Price		Current Ta	arget Price			
1488.7		1490.9				
Initial Ceiling Price		Current Ceiling Price				
1608.7		1621.8				
Contract's EAC		PM's EAC				
Initial Quantity	Current Quant	ity	Delivered Quantity			
1	1		0			
BAC	BCWP		ACWP	_		
BCWS Cost Varia			Schedule Variance			

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Deliveries and Expenditures

Deliveries						
Delivered to Date	Planned to Date	Actual to Date	Total Quantity	Percent Delivered		
Development	0	0	0	0.00%		
Production	12	12	26	46.15%		
Total Program Quantity Delivered	12	12	26	46.15%		

Expended and Appropriated (TY \$M)

Total Acquisition Cost: 50221.0 Expended to Date: 22807.5 Percent Expended: 45.41% Total Funding Years: 54 Years Appropriated: 34 Percent Years Appropriated: 62.96% Appropriated to Date: 28522.7 Percent Appropriated: 56.79%

The above data is current as of April 18, 2022.

Low Rate Initial Production

Item	Initial LRIP Decision	Current Total LRIP
Approval Date	6/17/1996	4/10/2018
Approved Quantity	12	15
Reference	Milestone II ADM	LPD Flight II ADM
Start Year	1996	1996
End Year	2016	2021

Rationale if Current Total LRIP Quantity exceeds 10% of the total Procurement quantities:

The Current Total LRIP Quantity is more than 10% of the total production quantity, which is standard for shipbuilding programs.

Operating and Support Costs

Total Program O&S Cost Compared with Baseline

	Current APB Objective (BY\$)	Current APB Threshold (BY\$)	Current Estimate (BY\$)	Current Estimate (TY\$)	Deviation
Total O&S (\$Millions)	57876.0	63663.6	53134.0	167379.0	

Annual O&S Cost Breakdown BY 1996 SM

Category (BY\$ Million)	LPD
Unit-Level Manpower	16.200
Unit Operations	4.500
Maintenance	11.200
Sustaining Support	1.100
Continued System	4.100
Improvements	
Other	14.000
Total O&S	51.100

Cost Estimate Source: Program Office Estimate dated December 31, 2019 **O&S Cost Notes:**

- Disposal/Demilitarization Cost Estimate and Source of Estimate: Date of Estimate: 12/31/2019 Source of Estimate:
 - Disposal Total Cost (BY 1996 \$M)

Program Office Estimate 132.6

b. Sustainment Strategy:

Life cycle engineering and support contracts with the shipbuilder and the Integrated Shipboard Electronics contractor, along with In Service Engineering Agent support contracts, are in place to support sustainment efforts. Responsibilities have been divided to leverage strengths; the shipbuilder maintains the planning yard while the in-service program office manages life-cycle maintenance, modernization, and logistics. Phased maintenance and dry dock availabilities are planned on a standard cycle; and continuous maintenance availabilities are conducted in between. This strategy has proven to be effective for the first thirteen ships of the class and will be adopted for the Flight II ships.

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c. For Each Acquired System or System Variant:

i.	Quantity to Sustain:	26

- 2005 First Operational Fiscal Year: ii.
- Final Operational Fiscal Year: 2083 iii.
- iv. Unit Expected Service Life: 40.0
- d. Antecedent System(s) O&S Costs:

The LPD 17 San Antonio Class Amphibious Transport Dock Ship (LPD 17) is the functional replacement for the LPD 4, LSD 36, LKA 113, and LST 1179 classes of amphibious ships. Of these four ship classes, the LPD 4 class is most analogous to the LPD 17 class in terms of profile, configuration, and crew size; and thus, the LPD 4 class was selected as the antecedent for purposes of O&S cost comparisons. The cost element data for the LPD 4 class was pulled from the Naval VAMOSC database for all available years of data. The LPD 4 average annual cost per ship was extended using a quantity of 26 ships and expected service life of 40 years to mirror the LPD 17 Class profile and expected service life. The estimate also incorporated actual LPD 4 commissioning and decommissioning profiles. The average annual costs per LPD 4 class ship were calculated in BY 1996 dollars for each cost element. The cost element estimates for the LPD 4 class were not revised since last year's SAR submission; with the decommissioning of USS PONCE in 2017, all LPD 4 class ships have been decommissioned. Average crew size for an LPD 4 class ship was 364.