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COST (\$ in Millions)	Prior Years	FY 2014	FY 2015	FY 2016 Base	FY 2016 OCO	FY 2016 Total	FY 2017	FY 2018	FY 2019	FY 2020	Cost To Complete	Total Cost
Total Program Element	-	31.423	47.232	68.302	-	68.302	66.845	66.142	66.436	67.679	Continuing	Continuing
664597: Air Force Test Investments	-	31.423	47.232	68.302	-	68.302	66.845	66.142	66.436	67.679	Continuing	Continuing
Quantity of RDT&E Articles	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		

A. Mission Description and Budget Item Justification

This PE provides planning, improvements, and modernization for test capabilities at three Air Force Test Center (AFTC) organizations: 96 Test Wing at Eglin AFB FL (to include 96 Test Group at Holloman AFB NM, and operating locations at Wright-Patterson AFB OH), Arnold Engineering Development Complex (AEDC) at Arnold AFB TN and the 412 Test Wing at Edwards AFB CA. The purpose is to help test organizations improve and develop their test infrastructure and capabilities to keep pace with improvements in weapon system technologies.

The improvement and modernization (I&M) requirements are defined through the AF Test Investment Planning & Programming (TIPP) Process. All projects have been reviewed through the Tri-Service Reliance process (to communicate AF efforts to the other Services and avoid unwarranted duplication of effort) and are documented in the Technology Development Acquisition Program (TDAP) database. Each project has its own planning, development, equipment acquisition, equipment installation, and checkout phases which often require significant differences in funding from one year to the next. As such, the changes in category funding from year to year do not necessarily indicate program growth, but rather a planned phasing of improvement and modernization efforts. The test capabilities at these locations enable testing through all phases of weapon system acquisition, from system concept exploration through component and full-scale integrated weapon system testing to operational testing. These test organizations are a part of the Major Range and Test Facility Base (MRTFB), operated and maintained by the Air Force for DoD test and evaluation. These national test assets are available to others requiring their unique capabilities.

The 96 TW, at Eglin AFB FL, conducts and supports developmental test and evaluation (DT&E) of non-nuclear air armaments; Command, Control, Communications, Computers, Intelligence, Surveillance, Reconnaissance (C4ISR) systems; target acquisition and weapon delivery systems; navigation systems; provides a climatic simulation capability; determines target/test item spectral signatures; and provides Cyber testing capabilities as part of the Joint Information Operations (IO) Range. The 96 TG at Holloman AFB, NM provides independent test and evaluation of inertial navigation systems, Global Positioning System (GPS) and integrated systems used for aircraft navigation and missile guidance systems, including vulnerability to electronic interference; provides the liaison function for coordinating and scheduling all US Air Force test operations at White Sands Missile Range; provides subsonic through hypersonic ground testing of aircraft and missiles in a flight-representative environment under highly instrumented conditions; and executes flight test and test support for advanced avionics and weapons development of joint, international and commercial test programs. The 96 TG, OL-AC at Wright-Patterson AFB, OH provides independent test and evaluation (T&E) in support of aircraft survivability and full-scale aircraft landing gear T&E. These T&E activities include the development, T&E of aircraft landing gear components supporting engineering acquisition, design, safety, and performance evaluations. In addition, they provide an independent T&E capability for component qualification.

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AEDC, at Arnold AFB TN, provides pre-flight and reliability ground environmental test support for DoD aeropropulsion, flight systems, and space and missile programs. The center has 53 test facilities providing: aerodynamic testing of scale model aircraft, missiles, and space systems; testing of large and full-scale satellites, sensors, and space vehicles in a simulated space environment; altitude environmental testing for aircraft, missile, and spacecraft propulsion systems; and testing of large-scale models such as space boosters together with their propulsion systems.

The 412th Test Wing, at Edwards AFB CA, conducts and supports DT&E and Operational Test and Evaluation (OT&E) of aircraft and aircraft systems, aerospace research vehicles, unmanned aerial vehicles, cruise missiles, parachute delivery/recovery/systems, and cargo handling systems.

I&M efforts within this PE are identified in four mission area categories: Airframe/Propulsion/Avionics (APA); Armament/Munitions (A/M); Command, Control, Communications, Computers, Intelligence, Surveillance, Reconnaissance (C4ISR)/Cyber; and Space. These categories describe general types of effort that will be conducted in this PE. APA provides planning, improvements, and modernization needed for test capabilities to conduct and support DT&E and OT&E of aircraft and aircraft systems, aerospace research vehicles, unmanned aerial vehicles, cruise missiles, parachute delivery/recovery systems, cargo handling systems, and turbine engines. APA focuses on evaluation of the vehicle airframe, propulsion system, and avionics systems, as well as overall systems integration testing. It encompasses both ground test facilities, on-board test aircraft systems, and open-air range infrastructure, including instrumentation and data processing. A/M provides planning, improvements and modernization to conduct DT&E of air-to-ground and air-to-air armaments and munitions, which include gun, chaff and flare systems, as well as aerial decoy and target systems. The A/M category encompasses the full range of DT&E from digital modeling and simulation, to precision measurement testing, to hardware-in-the-loop and installed systems testing, to open-air range testing. Elements of A/M DT&E include environmental, warhead effectiveness, arena blast/ fragmentation, guidance navigation and control, aerodynamics, propulsion, electromagnetic interference and compatibility, mass properties, seeker and signature measurement, survivability, lethality, integration, reliability, net-centric and terminal effects testing. A/M also involves the design and development of systems needed to support A/M DT&E including the design and development of sleds, targets, range support systems and various instrumentation and measurement systems. C4ISR provides planning, improvements and modernization to conduct DT&E of systems that support Command and Control (C2) functions which range from air campaign planning at the theater level to wing level C2 operations, to planning individual missions, to putting weapons on target using concepts such as machine to machine targeting. C4ISR includes ground and flight performance testing of airborne C2 networks and tactical data links, air operation centers, mission planning systems, multilevel security systems, radio and communication systems, ISR systems, information assurance systems, and radar systems such as those used by Joint Surveillance Target Attack Radar Systems (JSTARS) and air traffic control systems. C4ISR conducts DT&E on a full range of systems covering the sensor (detection) to the shooter (weapon), including functional and environmental testing of these systems. C4ISR/Cyber also includes DT&E for offensive and defensive Cyber capabilities. Space provides planning, improvements, and modernization needed for test capabilities to perform developmental and operational testing for space and launch acquisition and sustainment programs. Test capabilities include launch vehicle, satellite, missile, sensor, thermal protection system, signature, hardness, and interface testing. The capabilities reside at Vandenberg, Kirtland, Arnold, Patrick, Schriever, Peterson, Holloman Air Force Bases and others. Infrastructure includes launch sites, mobile control units, thermal vacuum chambers, sled tracks, arc heated wind tunnels, ballistic test ranges, signature collection, and the requisite personnel.

This program is in Budget Activity 6, RDT&E Management Support, because this budget activity includes research, development, test and evaluation efforts and funds to sustain and/or modernize the installations or operations required for general research, development, test and evaluation.

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B. Program Change Summary (\$ in Millions)	FY 2014	FY 2015	FY 2016 Base	FY 2016 OCC	FY 2016	Total	
Previous President's Budget	32.341	47.232	68.755	-	- 68.7		
Current President's Budget	31.423	47.232	68.302	-	- 68.3		
Total Adjustments	-0.918	-	-0.453	-	-(0.453	
Congressional General Reductions	-	-					
 Congressional Directed Reductions 	-	-					
 Congressional Rescissions 	-	-					
Congressional Adds	-	-					
 Congressional Directed Transfers 	-	-					
 Reprogrammings 	-	-					
 SBIR/STTR Transfer 	-0.918	-					
Other Adjustments -		-	-0.453	-		-0.453	
C. Accomplishments/Planned Programs (\$ in Millions)				FY 20	014 FY 2015	FY 2016	
Title: Airframe/Propulsion/Avionics T&E I&M				20	0.593 33.755	54.70	
FY 2014 Accomplishments:							

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C. Accomplishments/Planned Programs (\$ in Millions)		FY 2014	FY 2015	FY 2016
The Advanced Small Military Engine Capability (ASMEC) completed procurem system, completed critical design and procurement activities on the air supply preliminary design efforts on the plant control systems to upgrade AEDC's T3 funding reductions, remaining portions of the ASMEC project were cancelled a	and mechanical bypass systems, and completed high speed altitude test facility. However, due to			
The Improved Transonic Test Capability (IMTTC) developed an adaptive acquestion Analysis of Alternative (AoA) and preliminary design for high priority DoD test of 16T transonic wind tunnel systems with productivity and efficiency enhancement Control Systems (TACS) and data networks by removing obsolete equipment hardware integration and software development lab that will reduce potential in	capability needs: increasing throughput of AEDC's ents to Data Acquisition Systems (DAS), Test Article with modern technology. Initiated procurement for a			
The Test Instrumentation, Data Systems & Control (TIDSC) completed the device used to procure Digital Temperature Scanners (DTS) and Digital Voltage S completed detailed design for the C1 Test Cell; completed data distribution ne of some C1 Test Cell DTS/DVS units; developed a priority list and order of upg Engine Test and Space & Missiles mission areas.	canners (DVS) throughout the TIDSC Program; twork upgrade for J2 Test Cell; initiated procurement			
The Ultra High Accuracy Reference System (UHARS) project at Holloman AFI installation and checkout of the GPS and non-GPS based reference systems r guidance systems. The T&E Board of Directors led tri-service investment plan Service Secretaries.	needed to test and evaluate future navigation and			
FY 2015 Plans: JAII will continue executing instrumentation systems upgrades to remaining Al initiate development efforts on airborne instrumentation network solutions. TS remaining TM antenna systems; complete C-band capability modifications to the complete efforts to address TM frequency coverage gaps on the flight line and	IS will complete remote control upgrades to the he remaining ground-based TM receivers; and will			
ALMEC will complete the Main Drive Exciter project by installing and verifying first of four upgrade outages for Engine Test Facility (ETF) plant control system control room; install new isolation valves on the air supply water system, complete design and procurement for the second of four upgrade efforts on the ETF planch A3B switchgear and unit substation upgrade project; complete detailed design project and initiate major GFE procurements; complete H1 heater tube procurements	ms; upgrade the ETF plant controls network and pleting the scope of this project; complete detailed nt controls project; award a GFE contract for the for the A3B switchgear and unit substation upgrade			

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C. Accomplishments/Planned Programs (\$ in Millions)	Γ	FY 2014	FY 2015	FY 2016
begin design activity for modification of the remaining exhaust intercooler for the H1 Heater Bank 1 roof upgrade.	he C1 and C2 test cells; and begin design activity for			
IMTTC will complete detailed designs for DAS, TACS (Cart 3 and Cart 1), and funding profile to accelerate major procurements that will reduce potential schimplement design solutions that will increase commonality with the TIDSC Prolinitiate concept development phase to upgrade Test Conditions Controls (TCC (PSP).	edule impacts for MDAP test customers in FY16-18. ogram toward a future AEDC enterprise data system.			
TIDSC will complete the ETF core switch data distribution network upgrade; complete the full C1 upgrade by installing DTS and DVS infrastructure and inscomplete the detailed design and hardware procurement for the Arcs facility up the detailed design and hardware procurement for the J2 facility measurement	stalling new data distribution network infrastructure; pgrade (H1, H2, and H3 Test Cells), and complete			
UHARS will conduct close-out activities. The Common Range Integrated Instruil begin Analysis of Alternative (AoA) studies to address time, space, position development and procurement options for upgrading range TSPI instrumentat (LGTF) Modernization Program will start their Dynamometer upgrades. This waspects of the acquisition process. The T&E Board of Directors will continue to Reliance efforts as directed by the Service Secretaries.	n information (TSPI) gaps and address design, ion capabilities. The Landing Gear Test Facility will include development of the specification and			
FY 2016 Plans: JAII will continue executing instrumentation systems upgrades to remaining Albegin developing solutions to address and mitigate spectrum loss.	FMC's instrumented airborne test platforms and			
ALMEC will complete the upgrade of H1 Heater Bank 2, which completes the major upgrade outages for the ETF controls project; complete the procurement and unit substation project; complete the installation of H1 Heater Bank 1 Roo procure the tube material required for the final exhaust intercooler upgrade to design and procurement for the third of four major upgrades for the ETF control	nt, installation, and checkout of the A3B switchgear of, which will complete the scope of this project; be performed in FY17; and complete the detailed			
IMTTC will complete final detailed design for TACS (Cart 2); complete acceler potential schedule impacts for MDAP test customers in FY16-18. Begin prelin for TCC and PSP.				

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TIDSC will complete the Arcs facility (H1, H2, and H3 test cells) upgrade, com complete the detailed design and hardware procurement for the C2 facility upgnade.				
CRIIS Production will complete the AoA studies to address TSPI gaps and add for upgrading range TSPI instrumentation capabilities. CRIIS Production will a and Evaluation Investment Program (CTEIP) developed CRIIS TSPI Increment support infrastructure. Purchase and delivery of initial CRIIS equipment will for	also begin Lot 1 procurement of OSD Central Test at two pods, aircraft internal mounts, and ground			
AFMC will initiate improvement and modernization projects to support AF vision Planning & Programming (TIPP) process; these may include Advanced Freque improvements, Mission Control/Communications Upgrades, and Radar time, s	ency Control & Analysis, DoD Transonic Test			
The LGTF Modernization Program will continue with their acquisition processe This includes system design, fabrication, and installation.	es and expand to include Phase II of the upgrade.			
Common Airborne Networked Instrumentation System (CANIS) will begin by s Integrated Network Enhanced Telemetry (iNET) project by implementing the a implementing spirals 0, 1, and 2 of the CANIS acquisition approach. Spiral 0 r policies and procedures and makes use of tier 1 waveforms; Spiral 1 implementant transceiver conversions; and Spiral 2 establishes a test asset networked data	irborne solutions. FY16 activity will include modifies Air Force Test Center (AFTC) telemetry nts multi-band and C-Band transmitter and			
Next Generation Turbine Engine Test Capability (NGTETC) restores the capal efficient, effective, and responsive to emerging test requirements. It will meet turbine engines. FY16 will implement a detailed 6th generation turbine engine each supporting need (i.e., exhaust cooler, venturi upgrades, cluster valves, coexhaust sprays, and thermal and power management). The cooler, venturi, clube completed by FY18.	the emerging test requirements of 6th generation test capability analysis of alternatives (AoA) for ompressor in-bleeds, exhaust expansion joint,			
Modular Mission Control Room Upgrade (MMCRU) will begin in FY16. The interpretation (spiral 1), situational awareness integration (spiral 2), implementation. MMCRU establishes a "cloud type" mission control room architectribution of data through internet protocol (IP) networks.	and applications migration of the MMCRU			

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Improved Plant Reliability and Efficiency/Transonic Aero Propulsion Test Capability components and sub-systems in AEDC Wind Tunnel 16T (and to some extent Wird a reliable and fully capable tunnel asset for future test customers. FY16 will begin motors (re-wind main drive motors M1 and M4), C1 compressor (replace both C1 drive motor sub-systems (refurbish/replace), C1 compressor sub-systems (refurbish/replace primary Propulsion Wind Tunnel (PWT) facility main drive electrons.	nd Tunnel 16S) primary drive systems to provide to restore the capabilities of the main drive compressor rotor blades and spacers), main sh/replace), and the electrical support systems			
Voice Communication System Upgrade (VCSU) will begin in FY16. FY16 efforts a communication system [i.e., Federated Digital Switch (FEDS) voice communication IP (VOIP) based system to meet current and future point-of-use configurable voice test participants. FY16 will include conducting the initial VCSU design study to an costs, migrate the external interface (EI) to software, design options and impacts for capability, examine options for hybrid solutions, and prototype selected software of	on switch] with a modern architecture voice over e switching and conferencing of all associated halyze options and impacts to minimize hardware for red (secure)/black (non-secure) switch			
Tunnel 16S Reactivation. DoD lacks a suitable capability to meet emerging super for next generation high speed aircraft (i.e., Next Generation Air Dominance (NGA support large supersonic aircraft test models (i.e., wingspans and lengths greater exceeding 1.6M) that require high quality testing and aerodynamic data suitable for AEDC Wind Tunnel 16S met the T&E need, but it has been mothballed. In FY14 abeen and are being performed to determine reactivation feasibility. These activities check run to evaluate major system operability. FY16 funding will be used to impridentified in this assessment deemed inadequate to meet the emerging T&E requidate.	AD), etc.). Supersonic capabilities are needed to than 3-ft. and 5-ft. respectively at Mach numbers or aircraft development. Prior to inactivation, and into FY15 major system assessments had so will culminate in FY15 with an operational rove or modernize those Tunnel 16S systems			
The T&E Board of Directors will continue to lead tri-service investment planning an Service Secretaries.	nd joint T&E Reliance efforts as directed by the			
Title: Armament/Munitions T&E I&M		10.830	10.574	8.88
Description: Improvement and modernization of the AF capability to test and eva	lluate Armament/Munitions (A/M)			
FY 2014 Accomplishments: The Advanced Command Destruct System (ACDS) project completed Independer and final report activities to close out the program. The Advanced Munitions Test				

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integration and acceptance of the Millimeter Wave (MMW) and advanced GPS simulators, real-time scene generation software upgrades, and seeker integration with the MMW and Imaging Infrared simulators to support weapon testing. The Gulf Range Test and Training Control Center (GRTTCC) project completed a critical power system upgrade to the 96 TW's Central Control Facility (CCF); completed integration and checkout of high-resolution video, data distribution and display system hardware; and continued procurement and integration of next generation TM processing systems and upgrades to mission control room computer systems and fiber data links. The Joint Gulf Range Area Network Development (JGRAND) completed design efforts and made preparations to award a contract for development of an Alternate Range Network Operations Control Center (Alt RNOCC) at Eglin test site C-3; continued installation of fiber optical cable to connect test sites D-84 to D-1B and D-84 to Bldg 44; and continued to procure network protocol and security hardware to improve range data communication capabilities at the 96 TW. The Combined High-Speed/High-Resolution (CHSHR) EO/IR Imaging project completed procurement and delivery of approximately 50% of the high-speed digital camera systems and 30% of the infrared camera systems; eliminated dependency on film processing at the Holloman High-Speed Test Track (HHSTT) and procured a new ultra high speed digital camera system for the HHSTT; completed modernization of four Cinetheodolite (Cine-T) long range optical tracking systems at Eglin test site B-70; initiated modernization efforts for four additional Cine-T long range optical tracking systems at Eglin test site C-72; and continued to develop remote C2 operations to provide improved tracking capabilities of IR and long-range optical tracking systems at Eglin AFB. The Next Generation Munitions Test Environment (NGMTE) project initiated environmental approval and range clearing efforts to begin installation of a new insensitive munitions pad at Eglin test site C-80B; completed preparation efforts to award a contract in FY15 to construct a new drop tower on C-80B to support insensitive munitions testing; completed acceptance testing of a new 8,300 foot/second gun system to support insensitive munitions testing and meet MIL-STD 2105 requirements; and continued procurement and installation of new data acquisition and fragment scoring systems supporting the ballistic test ranges and arena test range C-80B to improve gun and munitions test capabilities and meet Joint Munitions Effectiveness Model (JMEM) requirements. FY 2015 Plans: GRTTCC will complete integration and checkout of next generation TM processing systems, and will complete upgrades to mission control room computer systems and fiber data links at the 96 TW's CCF. JGRAND will award a contract to develop the Alt RNOCC facility at Eglin test site C-3; continue installation of fiber optical cable to connect test sites D-84 to D-1B and D-84 to Bldg 44; and continue to procure network protocol and security hardware to improve range communication capabilities at the 96 TW. CHSHR EO/IR Imaging will continue procurement and delivery of approximately 70% of the high-speed digital camera systems and 50% of the infrared camera systems; will complete evaluation of the new ultra high speed digital camera system for the HHSTT and will procure additional ultra-high speed and ultra-high resolution digital cameras for the HHSTT; will complete modernization of the four Cine-T long range optical tracking systems at Eglin test site C-72; and will continue to develop remote C2 operations to provide improved tracking capabilities of IR and long-range optical tracking systems at Eglin AFB. NGMTE will continue installation of a new insensitive munitions pad at Eglin test range C-80B; will award a contract to construct a new drop

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tower on C-80B to support insensitive munitions testing; will begin efforts to up supporting munitions development; will replace and modernize the hydraulic continue procurement and installation of new data acquisition and fragment so and arena test range C-80B to improve gun and munitions test capabilities at E	ontrol systems on the ballistic test ranges; and will oring systems supporting the ballistic test ranges			
FY 2016 Plans: JGRAND will complete development of the Alt RNOCC facility at Eglin test site test sites D-84 to D-1B and D-84 to Bldg 44, and network protocol and security communication capabilities at the 96 TW. CHSHR EO/IR Imaging will complet of the high-speed digital camera systems and 75% of the infrared camera syst range Cine-T optical tracking systems; and will continue to develop remote C2 capabilities at Eglin AFB. NGMTE will continue to upgrade aging gun and mur common data instrumentation and acquisition systems, and replace environmentarena test capabilities. AFMC will initiate improvement and modernization proj AF Test Investment Planning & Programming (TIPP) process, these may include capability upgrades.	whardware upgrades to improve range the procurement and delivery of approximately 80% tems; will continue modernization of IR and long-operation upgrades to provide improved tracking initions test infrastructure, develop and procure tental test chambers/facilities supporting gun and jects to support AF vision 2023 prioritized by the			
Title: C4ISR T&E I&M		-	2.903	4.706
Description: Improvement and modernization of the AF capability to test and	evaluate C4ISR			
FY 2014 Accomplishments: C4ISR/Cyber received no I&M funding in FY2014 due to higher priority investm I&M projects, Improved Command and Control (C2) Test Operations Center (I-(CDTC), both of which receive funding in FY15. I-C2TOC will develop net-cen evaluation capabilities, improve communication interfaces and data collection, support C4ISR end-to-end weapon system testing at Eglin AFB. CDTC will pro and tools necessary to determine cyber defense effectiveness and mission successions.	-C2TOC) and Cyber Defense Test Capability tric C2 battle management operations test and handling, analysis and display capabilities to ovide an environment, methodology, techniques,			
FY 2015 Plans: I-C2TOC will begin preliminary design and development activity on secure nets C2 battle management operations and test control capabilities, improve commanalysis and display capabilities supporting C4ISR end-to-end weapon system	unication interfaces and data collection, handling,			
CDTC will begin with the first phase of a Federally-Funded Research and Development of the draft six-step DoD cybersecurity test and evaluation process.	. , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,			

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D. Other Program Funding Summary (\$ in Millions)

Cost To FY 2016 FY 2016 FY 2016

Line Item FY 2014 FY 2015 OCO FY 2017 FY 2018 FY 2019 FY 2020 Complete Total Cost Base Total

Remarks

E. Acquisition Strategy

This program element uses several different contracting strategies to provide the most cost effective T&E investment solutions. The main acquisition strategy is to use full and open competition wherever possible to improve and modernize existing test capabilities.

F. Performance Metrics

Please refer to the Performance Base Budget Overview Book for information on how Air Force resources are applied and how those resources are contributing to Air Force performance goals and most importantly, how they contribute to our mission.

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