

# F-35 Lightning II Program Status and Fast Facts

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## PROGRAM STATUS

### AIRCRAFT DELIVERED

665+



### FLIGHT HOURS

411,004

### TRAINING



**PILOTS**  
1,405+

**MAINTAINERS**  
10,755+

## F-35 IN ACTION

**6** F-35 OPERATIONAL MISSIONS BY SERVICE



**11** SERVICES DECLARED IOC



**9** NATIONS OPERATING ON HOME SOIL



### SERVICES FLYING



### SORTIES

235,329



### ACTIVATIONS CURRENT / FUTURE

#### BASES

21/30

#### SHIPS

7/16

TOTAL CURRENT ACTIVATIONS: **28**

### DETACHMENTS & DEPLOYMENTS COMPLETED

224+



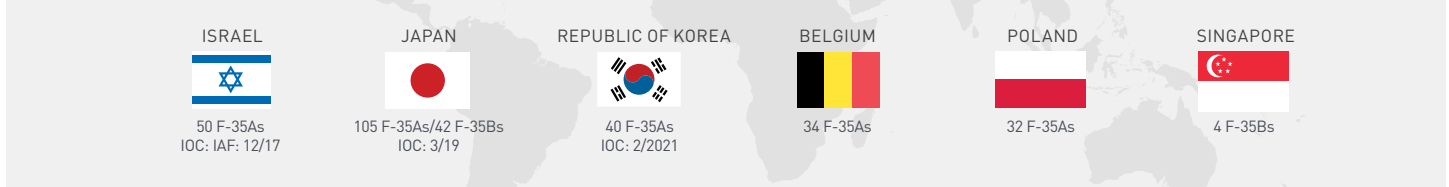
## RECENT MILESTONES

- Switzerland selects the F-35. [June 30](#)
- British F-35Bs conduct their first-ever combat mission from Royal Navy aircraft carrier HMS Queen Elizabeth. [June 18](#)
- U.S. Air Force selects Eglin Air Force Base, Florida, as the location for a second F-35A training squadron. [June 14](#)
- F-35s from the U.S. Air Force, U.S. Marine Corps, Italian Air Force, Israeli Air Force and Royal Air Force participate in exercise Falcon Strike 2021. [June 7-15](#)
- Italian F-35s deploy to Estonia in support of NATO Baltic Operations exercises. [June 6-18](#)
- Norwegian F-35As participate in the Arctic Challenge Exercise. [June 1-18](#)

## PROGRAM OF RECORD



## FOREIGN MILITARY SALES



## F-35 AFFORDABILITY

### PROGRAM COST LRIP 12-14

	Lot 12	Lot 13	Lot 14	% Reduction from Lot 11
<b>F-35A</b>	\$82.4M	\$79.2M	\$77.9M	↓ 12.8%
<b>F-35B</b>	\$108.0M	\$104.8M	\$101.3M	↓ 12.3%
<b>F-35C</b>	\$103.1M	\$98.1M	\$94.4M	↓ 13.2%

**GREATER THAN 70% UNIT COST REDUCTION SINCE LOT 1**

### COST PER FLIGHT HOUR\*

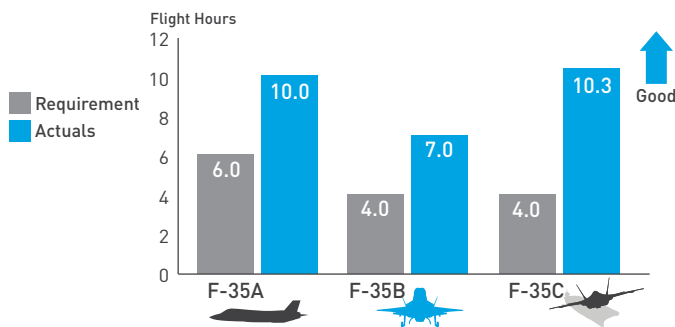


**44%  
REDUCTION  
SINCE 2015**

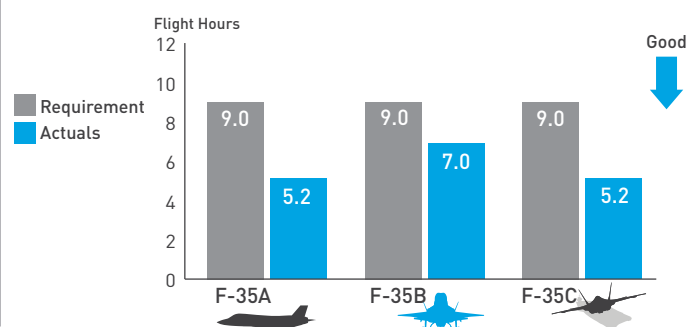
\*Lockheed Martin owned portion of CPFH

## F-35 ENGINEERING FOR SUSTAINMENT

### RELIABILITY: MEAN FLIGHT HOUR BETWEEN FAILURE

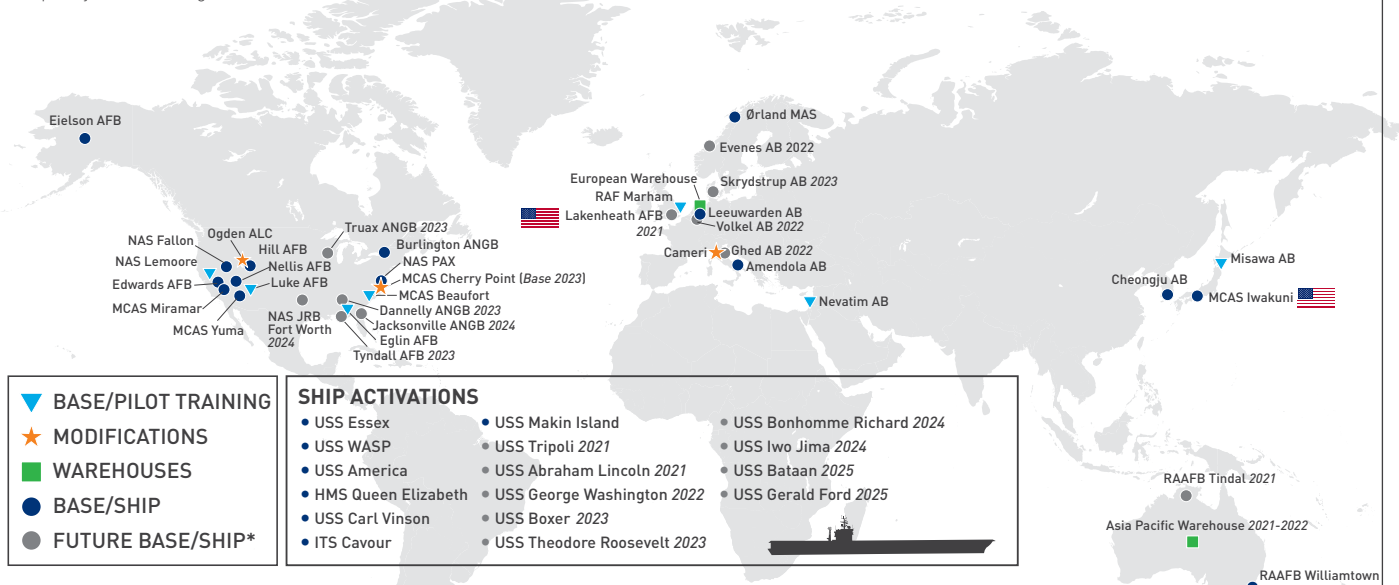


### MAINTAINABILITY: MAINTENANCE MAN HOUR PER FLIGHT HOUR



## F-35 SUSTAINMENT DELIVERING TODAY

\*Base/Ship Projections through 2025



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REGIONAL WAREHOUSE STANDUP



**6/6**

DEPOT AIR VEHICLE ACTIVATIONS (2020)



**32/68**

COMPONENT REPAIR ACTIVATIONS (2024)

All information current as of July 1, 2021

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