A Holistic Approach to Multiyear Procurements











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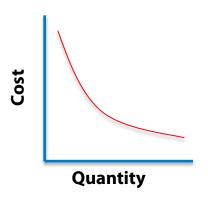
 With decreased quantities driving up costs, the program was tasked to find a way to procure requirements under existing funding

Approach

- Strategy: How to do more without more MYP planning
- Measurement: Is the program a good MY candidate?
- Analysis: Development of cost models to show yearby-year costs vs. multiyear costs

Solution

- Redesign: Improvements to process and creation of cost projection tool
- Transformation: Results and future state of program

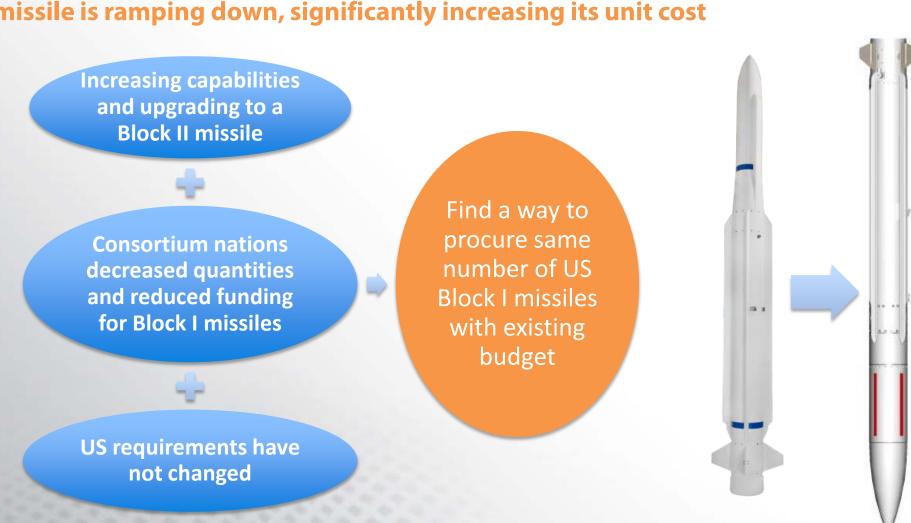








As the program transitions to the Block II missile, the production of the Block I missile is ramping down, significantly increasing its unit cost





Herren's SMART Model

STRATEGY

Holistic view of needs, constraints, and risks, allows for efficient planning and successful execution of the mission

TRANSFORMATION

Enabling programmatic improvements to transform strategy and operations so our clients can meet tomorrow's challenges

budget



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MEASUREMENT

- Analyzing historical data, conducting research, and benchmarking
- Developing meaningful, measurable indicators of program and project success
- 3. Identifying trends, drivers, and key

ANALYSIS

Evaluating cost, schedule, and resource constraints to prioritize investment alternatives and enable better management decision making

REDESIGN

Continuously improving program management tools and processes for efficiency, accuracy, and reliability

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Dr. Ashton Carter DOD Briefing On 'Better Buying Power'

THE F-18 MULTIYEAR...WILL ALLOW THE CONTRACTOR...TO MAKE A FIVE-YEAR PLAN, SMOOTH THE WORKFORCE, ORDER PARTS FOR THE FUTURE.

THESE ARE ALL THE WAYS THAT YOU GET PRODUCTIVITY IN AN INDUSTRIAL



ACTIVITY, AND WE'RE LOOKING FOR THE KIND OF PRODUCTIVITY IN OUR DEFENSE ACTIVITIES THAT...WE SEE IN THE COMMERCIAL WORLD...ONE WAY TO DO THAT IS BY GIVING THE CONDUCTORS OF THAT WORK A SPAN OF TIME THAT THEY CAN PLAN IN. – 14 SEPTEMBER 2010





What is a Multiyear Contract?

A multiyear contract realizes economies of scale by procuring larger quantities than would be procured with a year-by-year contract structure





What is a Multiyear Contract?

A Multiyear Contract is defined by its purchasing timeframe and adherence to government regulations



Procurement Requirements

Purchase of supplies and/or services for more than 1, but not more than 5 program years Government contracts for entire quantity at the outset



Government Requirements

No requirements to exercise an option for each additional program year procurement

Large multiyear contracts must be specifically approved by Congress

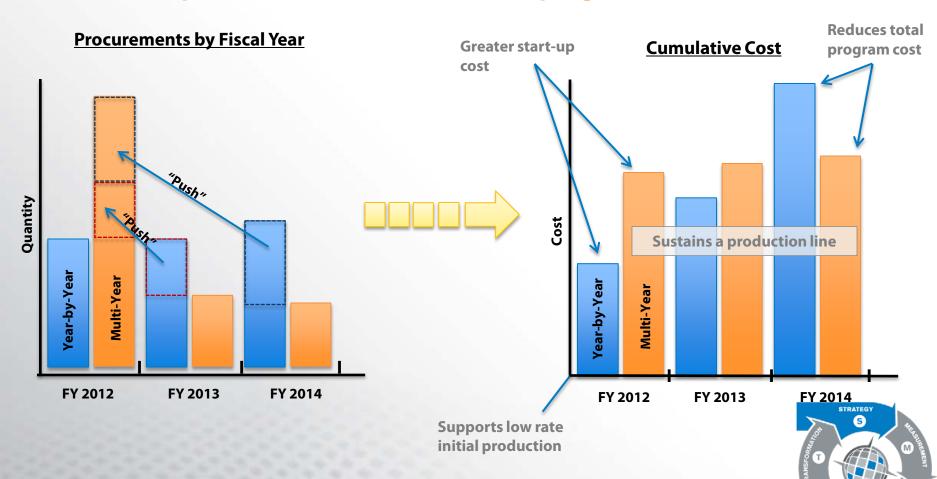
The second and subsequent years of the contract is contingent up the appropriation of funds

Complies with statutes and regulations



Economic Order Quantity

EOQ is an exception to the full funding policy that allows the use of advance procurement to purchase more than one FY of program needs





Termination vs. Cancellation

Multiyear contracts are subject to a negotiated cancellation ceiling, which differs from a conventional termination of contract

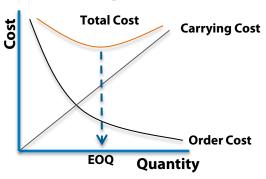
	Termination for Convenience	Cancellation		
Type of Contract	Conventional	Multiyear		
When Action May be Taken	Anytime during performance	Anytime, but usually at the start of a FY		
What the Action Affects	Either the total quantity or a portion	All subsequent FY quantities		
Reason Action is Taken	Best interest of the Government	Funds are not available for succeeding FY		
Contractor Action	Submits settlement proposal IAW FAR 52.249-2	Submits cancellation claim IAW FAR 52.217-2		
Termination Liability	As negotiated	As negotiated (cancellation charge) but within ceiling		





Multiyear contracts have lower unit costs compared to annual contracts

Purchase of parts and materials in lot buys that reflect economic order quantities (EOQ)





Improvements in production processes and efficiencies

Limited engineering changes due to design stability during the multiyear period





Cost avoidance by reducing the burden of placing and administering annual contracts





Multiyear contracts have a number of benefits in addition to lower costs



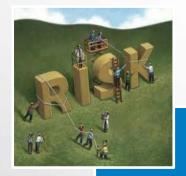
- Stabilize contractor plans and work forces
- Enhance industrial base
- Provide continuity of production
- Incentivize contractors to improve productivity
- Reduce administrative burden
- Broaden competitive base







Multiyear contracts expose the Government to additional risks



- Increase cost if contract is cancelled
- Decrease budget and program flexibility
- Require greater budgetary authority in the earlier years of the procurement

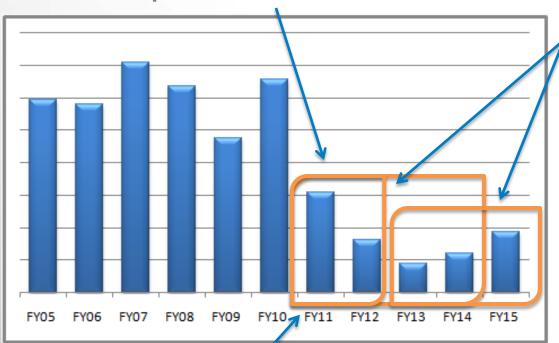




Multiyear Procurement Strategy

Increasing the number of missiles in each lot allows for affordable missiles, which avoids a production line gap and restart costs

Beginning in FY11, Block I missile quantities decreased



Final solution included a FY11/12 buy and a FY13-15 Multiyear

Originally proposed an FY11-14 Multiyear Procurement



Criteria for Multi-Year Scenario



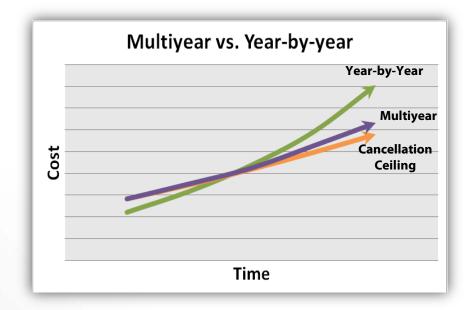
- Substantial savings
- Stable Funding
- Stable Design
- Realistic estimates of cost & savings
- Promotes national security

Is Your Program a Candidate for MY?





- Evaluation of the current state of the program
- Development of cost model
 - Evaluation of historical costs
 - Material unit prices and lot buys
 - Labor learning curves
 - Proposal preparation costs
- Year-by-year cost calculation
- Multiyear cost calculation
- Savings Analysis





[Tool Demo]



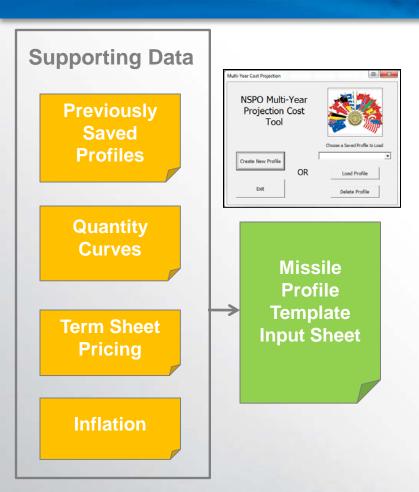


Improvements to the cost model with Visual Basic for Applications allowed for quick turnaround and cost profiles





Multiyear Projection Model Structure

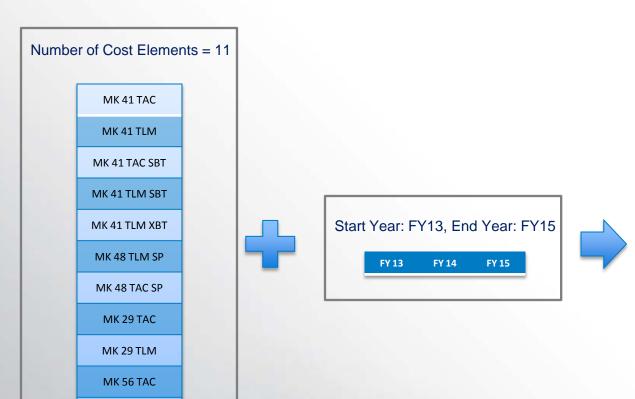


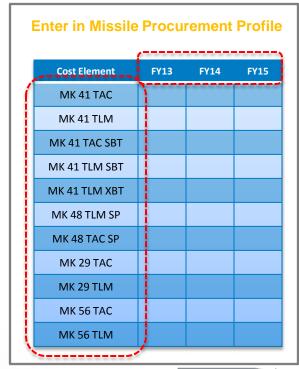




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Multiyear Model Output

Model outputs a Year-by-year and Multiyear cost comparison table that includes missile outlay profiles, unit pricing, and projected savings

YEAR:	FY13	FY14	FY15	MY	US QTY			
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MK 56 TLM								
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AVERAGE/MISSILE:	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
					(Costs for MY Procurement/Year)			



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