

# F-35 Lightning II Fast Facts

October 2, 2024



## Program Status

 <b>1,040+</b> Deliveries	 <b>922,000+</b> Flight Hours	 <b>2,630+</b> Pilots Trained	<b>17,060+</b> Maintainers Trained
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## Recent Milestones

- The Netherlands declares Full Operational Capability with its F-35 fleet. [September 26](#)
- Japanese F-35s intercept a Russian military plane in Japan's airspace. [September 23](#)
- Ebbing Air National Guard Base completes new facilities to train international F-35 pilots. [September 20](#)
- U.S. Air Force F-35As operate on a Finnish highway for the first time. [September 17](#)
- The first East Coast-based U.S. Marine F-35C arrives in North Carolina. [September 17](#)

## F-35 In Action

Activations Current / Future <i>Through 2028*</i> Bases <b>33/57</b>   Ships <b>12/21</b> Total Current Activations: <b>45</b> <i>*Projections vary at customer discretion</i>	Services Flying <b>14</b>	Detachments & Deployments Completed <b>608+</b>	Operational Missions by Service <b>8</b>
	Nations Operating on Home Soil <b>10</b>	Sorties <b>557,000+</b>	Services Declared IOC <b>14</b>









## F-35: Enabling 21st Century Security®

The F-35 is the most advanced 21st Century Security® solution, contributing to recent global exercises such as:














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| <a href="#">Exercise Northern Lighting 2024</a> | <a href="#">Arctic Challenge Exercise 2023</a> |
| <a href="#">Red Flag 24-2</a>                   | <a href="#">Northern Edge 23-1</a>             |
| <a href="#">Steadfast Defender 24</a>           | <a href="#">Pacific Edge 23</a>                |

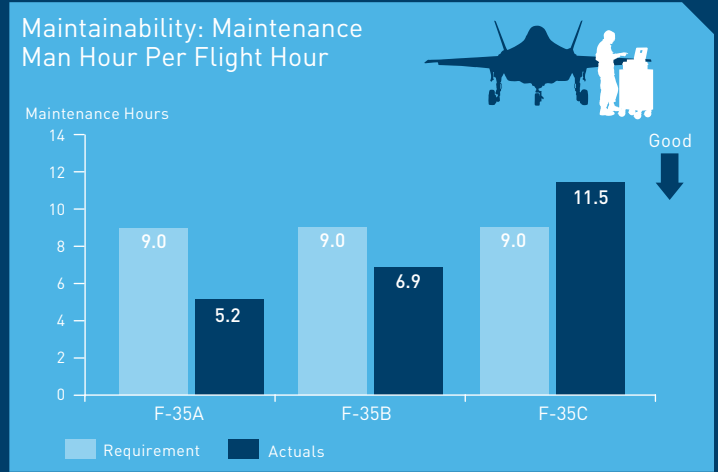
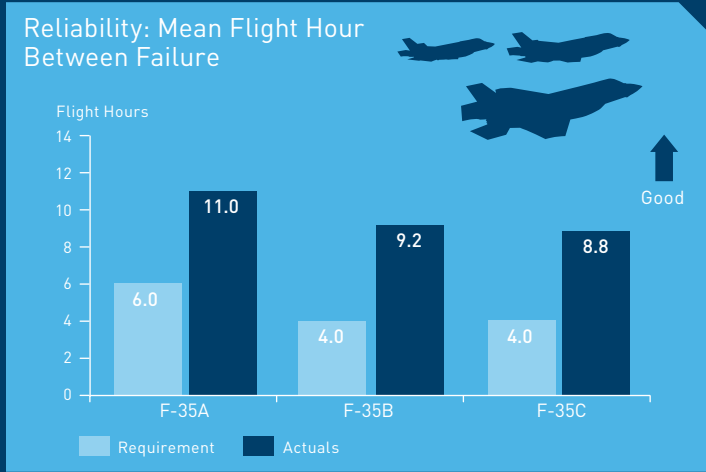
## 19 F-35 Program Participants

<b>U.S.A.</b>  USAF 1,763 F-35As USMC 353 F-35Bs / 67 F-35Cs USN 273 F-35Cs	<b>U.K.</b>  RAF/RN 138 F-35Bs	<b>ITALY</b>  60 F-35As / 30 F-35Bs	<b>NETHERLANDS</b>  52 F-35As	<b>CANADA</b>  88 F-35As	<b>AUSTRALIA</b>  100 F-35As	<b>DENMARK</b>  27 F-35As	<b>NORWAY</b>  52 F-35As
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### Foreign Military Sales

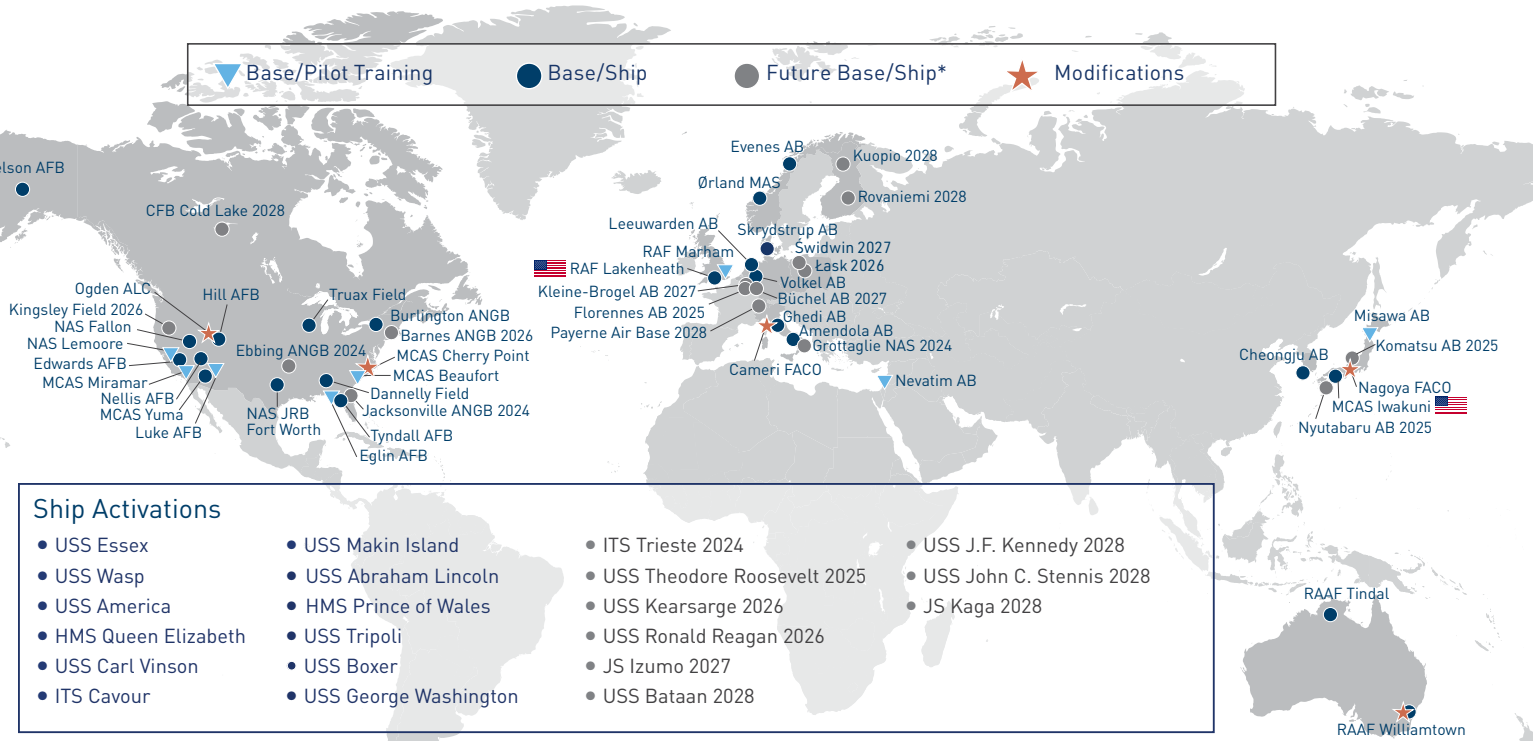
<b>ISRAEL</b>  75 F-35As	<b>JAPAN</b>  105 F-35As / 42 F-35Bs	<b>REPUBLIC OF KOREA</b>  60 F-35As	<b>BELGIUM</b>  34 F-35As	<b>POLAND</b>  32 F-35As	<b>SINGAPORE</b>  12 F-35Bs	<b>FINLAND</b>  64 F-35As	<b>SWITZERLAND</b>  36 F-35As	<b>GERMANY</b>  35 F-35As	<b>CZECH REPUBLIC</b>  24 F-35As	<b>GREECE</b>  20 F-35As
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## F-35 Engineering for Sustainment



## F-35 Sustainment Delivering Today

\*Projections through 2028



All information current as of October 2, 2024  
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