



BLUF: President Trump released the FY21 Department of Defense (DoD) budget request on 10 February, and it includes several requests affecting the National Guard, such as proportional fielding of new aircraft for the Army National Guard (ARNG) and reduction of 40 aircraft from the total aircraft inventory (TAI) of the Air National Guard (ANG).

Defense Authorizations

President's Budget Release	House Committee NDAA	House-passed NDAA	Senate Committee NDAA	Senate-passed NDAA	Conference Committee	Signed Into Law
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Summary Funding: The president's budget requests \$740.5B in total national defense spending, includes:

- \$705B for the Department of Defense (DoD)
 - \$636.4B in DoD base and discretionary funding
 - \$69B in Overseas Contingency Operations (OCO) funding

Army National Guard

- Requests funding for ARNG end strength at 336,500 soldiers (500 more than FY20 levels)
- \$792M for modernization of 50 AH-64 Apache Block IIIA helicopters for the Army, includes \$461.9 million and 24 aircraft designated for the ARNG
- \$69.1M for 2 AH-64 Apache Block IIIB new-build helicopters for the Army
- \$742.9M for 36 UH-60 Black Hawk M model helicopters for the Army, including:
 - \$492M and 23 aircraft designated for the ARNG
- \$172.7M for 24 UH-60 Black Hawk L and V model helicopters for the Army, including:
 - \$100.8m and 14 aircraft designated for the ARNG
- \$211.2M for 7 CH-47 Chinook helicopters for the Army
- \$1B for the Abrams Upgrade Program to modernize 89 M1 Abrams tanks for the Army

- \$894.4M for Joint Light Tactical Vehicles (JLTVs) for the Army
 - \$95.8M designated for the ARNG
- \$321.4M for ARNG military construction (MILCON), includes requested funding for projects in 14 states, Puerto Rico, and the U.S. Virgin Islands
- Maintains 27 ARNG Brigade Combat Teams (BCTs) and 10 Combat Aviation Brigades (CABs)/Theater Aviation Brigades
- The Army will conduct 24 brigade-level Combat Training Center (CTC) rotations in FY21, includes 4 for the ARNG

Air National Guard

- Requests funding for ANG end strength at 108,100 airmen (400 more than FY20 levels)
- \$4.5B for 48 F-35A Lightning II aircraft for the Air Force
- \$1.2B for 12 F-15EX aircraft for the Air Force
- \$2.8B for 15 KC-46A Pegasus aircraft for the Air Force
- \$1.1B for 19 HH-60W Combat Rescue Helicopters for the Air Force
- \$64.2M for ANG MILCON, includes requested funding for projects in 3 states
- Maintains 21 ANG Combat Coded Squadrons and decreases ANG TAI from 1,043 to 1,003
 - Air Force documentation cites ANG divestment of 39 A-10 Thunderbolt II and 24 C-130H Hercules aircraft, as well as addition of 19 C-130J Super Hercules aircraft

Joint-Personnel

- Supports a 3.0 percent military personnel pay raise
- \$94.2M for the National Guard Counter-drug program
- \$5.5M for National Guard Counter-drug Schools

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