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**Exhibit R-2, RDT&E Budget Item Justification: PB 2025 Army** **Date:** March 2024

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COST (\$ in Millions)	Prior Years	FY 2023	FY 2024	FY 2025 Base	FY 2025 OCO	FY 2025 Total	FY 2026	FY 2027	FY 2028	FY 2029	Cost To Complete	Total Cost
Total Program Element	-	15.554	15.323	15.733	-	15.733	15.755	15.843	15.936	16.019	Continuing	Continuing
491: <i>Information Assurance Development</i>	-	7.816	7.035	7.595	-	7.595	7.609	7.610	7.610	7.610	Continuing	Continuing
DV4: <i>Key Management Infrastructure (KMI)</i>	-	0.268	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.000	0.268
DV5: <i>Crypto Modernization (Crypto Mod)</i>	-	7.470	8.288	8.138	-	8.138	8.146	8.233	8.326	8.409	Continuing	Continuing

**Note**

In Fiscal Year 2025 (FY25), the funding in PE 0303140A, Project DV4 transitions to PE 0605144A, Project BY6 to support increased NSA requirements for Next Generation Load Device-Medium (NGLD-M).

**A. Mission Description and Budget Item Justification**

A portion of this funding line is a key enabler of the Army Modernization Priorities in support of the Communications Security (COMSEC) Key Management Infrastructure (KMI) program.

Project 491: Army Chief Information Officer/Deputy Chief of Staff, G-6 manages Information Assurance Development.

Project 491: IA Development. Supports the implementation of the National Security Agency (NSA) developed Communications Security (COMSEC) Modernization and Key Management (KM) technologies within the Army. This includes current and next generation encryption techniques, current and future Key Management Infrastructure (KMI) and technology migrations. This program provides oversight in developing policies, guidance, standard operating procedures and recommendations in integrating COMSEC and KM techniques into specific systems in support of securing the Army Tactical and Enterprise Networks. This entails architecture studies, system integration and testing, developing installation kits, and technological collaborations with NSA, DISA and other Services for enterprise and last mile implementations. The program assesses, develops and integrates Cyber Security (CS)/COMSEC tools (hardware and software) which provide protection for fixed infrastructure post, camp and station networks as well as tactical networks. The cited work is consistent with Strategic Planning Guidance (SPG) and the Army Modernization and Strategy Plan (AMSP).

IA Development funding implements and establishes functional and technical boundaries of cryptographic, key management and IA capabilities in coordination with the NSA, the DISA, and Joint Services, to secure National Security Systems (NSS), and National Security Information (NSI). Technical evaluations assess the security, operational effectiveness and network interoperability of advanced concept technologies to develop policies, standards, and fundamental building blocks for Army COMSEC capabilities that reduce the risk of future material solutions that could underperform and disrupt classified operations. Develop and publish the COMSEC Implementation Planning Guidance to identify, standardize, and govern the insertion of CS capabilities to bridge operational gaps and support the DoD and NSA

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<p>mandated requirements to enhance network capacity while providing for secure information exchange of voice, video, and data in accordance with the Army Network Campaign Plan. This will be accomplished by interoperability evaluation, standards testing, and CS, System of System Network Vulnerability Assessments (SoS NVA) for Army Capability Sets for CS/COMSEC capabilities that provide protections for tactical and fixed infrastructure post, camp, and station networks.</p> <p>The program enables the continuation of oversight for the executions of the Army's COMSEC Modernization initiatives including major Advanced Cryptographic Capabilities (ACC) updates and replacements of existing devices and systems to meet NSA mandates. Continue to support the evaluation and testing of new technologies to support DoD Cryptographic Moderation 2 (CM2) Army implementations including Transmission Security (TRANSEC), EKMS to KMI migration and tactical network/architecture future Capability Set developments. Provide proof of concepts to provide updated end-to-end, tactical-to-strategic COMSEC standardization and implementation guidance to meet Army's operational requirements. Continuous funding will enable the evaluations and maturity assessment of new COMSEC and key management capabilities developed by DoD joint KMI program for Army fielding to protect and strengthen the Army Network posture, with reduced cryptographic interoperability issues for both embedded and standalone systems. This funding also supports the risk reduction testing to document operational value of commercial products prior to insertion for Army use. Provide timely test and evaluate results to enable the Army to make sound investment strategic decisions and to reduce or eliminate duplications. Also supports efforts to update and develop policies to posture Army's operations to implement innovative cryptographic and key management tools and services.</p> <p>The Defensive Cyberspace Operations (DCO) program provides initial capabilities that enable passive and active cyberspace defense operations to preserve friendly cyberspace capabilities and protect data, networks, net-centric capabilities, and other designated systems. Big Data Pilot provides an advanced analytics capability capable of ingesting structured, semi-structured, and unstructured data from multiple data sources (e.g., Joint Regional Security Stacks (JRSS), intrusion detection systems, intrusion prevention systems, network device log files, trouble tickets, firewalls, proxies, web and applications server log files, etc) and proves situational awareness of cyberspace battlefield. It provides the computer network defense provider with common analytic platform which informs and reduces risk associated with future material solutions and forms a blueprint for future Big Data Analytics. Big Data (analysis-of-all DoD Information Network sensor data) provides two optimized and accredited clusters deployed in support of JRSS and Defense Research and Engineering Network (DREN) with a tools suite accessible to Cyber Mission Forces via secure remote access. The Army's DCO activities are a construct of active cyberspace defenses which provide synchronized, real-time capability to discover, detect, analyze, and mitigate threats to and vulnerability of DoD networks and systems.</p> <p>Project DV4: Key Management Infrastructure (KMI) &amp; Project DV5: Crypto Modernization (Crypto Mod). COMSEC is governed by the Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff Instruction (CJCSA) 6510. In order to ensure Warfighters continue to have secured communications (i.e., encrypted data and voice), Army communications systems are required to support modern cryptographic capabilities by implementing modern algorithms. These efforts are consistent with Strategic Planning Guidance (SPG). These funding lines are key enablers of the Army Modernization in support of Army 2030/2040.</p> <p>Project DV4: KMI. The Army Key Management Infrastructure (AKMI) is the Army's implementation of the National Security Agency (NSA) KMI ACAT IAM program, automating the functions of COMSEC electronic key management, control, planning, and distribution. AKMI supports the Army's ability to communicate and distribute Cryptographic data on the Army's tactical and strategic networks by limiting adversarial access to and reducing the vulnerability of, Army Command, Control, Communications, Computers, Cyber, Intelligence (C5I) systems. AKMI devices receive, store, manage, and transfer electronic key through the network to be loaded</p>		

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into communication devices such as radios and satellites to secure the network. Without this technology Warfighters are required to manually receive their cryptographic products by traveling to COMSEC account locations (which may not be co-located) and manually fill their devices.

Project DV5: Crypto Modernization (Crypto Mod). Crypto Mod performs test, evaluation, development, and configuration management for cryptographic devices that receive key through fill devices and allow for secure communication through Army devices such as radios and satellite terminals. This program utilizes National Security Agency (NSA) developed Communications Security (COMSEC) technologies within the Army providing encryption, trusted software, or standard operating procedures, and integrating these mechanisms into specified systems in support of securing the Army Tactical and Enterprise Networks. The effort supports network operations from end-to-end throughout the force thus mitigating networked vulnerabilities to Army information security systems. In order to ensure Warfighters continue to have secured communications (i.e., encrypted data and voice), Army communications systems are required to be upgraded to modern algorithms to meet emerging threat developed by our adversaries. Crypto Modernization necessitates the utilization of the latest NSA cryptographic capabilities in order to defeat adversarial efforts to decrypt, disrupt, or exploit US Army networks. COMSEC is the Army's implementation of NSA protections to create a unified network that is protected, resilient, and survivable.

Project DV4: KMI has no funding request in FY 2025.

<b>B. Program Change Summary (\$ in Millions)</b>	<b>FY 2023</b>	<b>FY 2024</b>	<b>FY 2025 Base</b>	<b>FY 2025 OCO</b>	<b>FY 2025 Total</b>
Previous President's Budget	17.209	15.323	17.786	-	17.786
Current President's Budget	15.554	15.323	15.733	-	15.733
Total Adjustments	-1.655	0.000	-2.053	-	-2.053
• Congressional General Reductions	-	-			
• Congressional Directed Reductions	-	-			
• Congressional Rescissions	-	-			
• Congressional Adds	-	-			
• Congressional Directed Transfers	-	-			
• Reprogrammings	-1.655	-			
• SBIR/STTR Transfer	-	-			
• Adjustments to Budget Years	-	-	-2.053	-	-2.053

**Change Summary Explanation**

Fiscal Year 2025 (FY25) funding decrease of \$2.053 million results from a processed realignment to support increased NSA requirements from PE 0303140A, Project DV4 to PE 0605144A, Project BY6.

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<b>COST (\$ in Millions)</b>	<b>Prior Years</b>	<b>FY 2023</b>	<b>FY 2024</b>	<b>FY 2025 Base</b>	<b>FY 2025 OCO</b>	<b>FY 2025 Total</b>	<b>FY 2026</b>	<b>FY 2027</b>	<b>FY 2028</b>	<b>FY 2029</b>	<b>Cost To Complete</b>	<b>Total Cost</b>
491: <i>Information Assurance Development</i>	-	7.816	7.035	7.595	-	7.595	7.609	7.610	7.610	7.610	Continuing	Continuing
Quantity of RDT&E Articles	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		

**A. Mission Description and Budget Item Justification**

Project 491: Information Assurance (IA) Development. Supports the implementation of National Security Agency (NSA) developed Communications Security (COMSEC) technologies within the Army enterprise and tactical networks by ensuring COMSEC devices/systems are cryptographically interoperable and standard based. This entails architecture studies, technology assessments, secured devices testing, system integration and installation kits development to provide protections for fixed infrastructure post, camps and station networks as well as tactical networks. The cited work is consistent with Army's Mission Command Implementation Plan LOE 1, Network Enable Functions.

IA Development funding Implements, establishes functional and technical boundaries of cryptographic, key management and IA capabilities In Coordination With (ICW) the NSA, the Defense Information Systems Agency (DISA), and Joint Services, to secure National Security Systems (NSS), and National Security Information (NSI). Technical evaluations assess the security, operational effectiveness and network interoperability of advanced concepts/technologies to develop policies, standards, and fundamental building blocks for Army COMSEC capabilities that reduce the risk of future materiel solutions that could underperform and disrupt classified operations.

Develop and publish COMSEC and key management implementation planning guidance to identify, standardize, and govern the insertion of IA capabilities that will bridge operational gaps and support the DoD and NSA mandated requirements to enhance network capacity while providing secure information exchange of voice, video, and data IAW the Army Network Campaign Plan. This will be accomplished by interoperability test and evaluation, standards development, technology roadmap development and System of System Network Vulnerability Assessments (SoS NVA) to provide protections for the Army Integrated Tactical Networks.

**B. Accomplishments/Planned Programs (\$ in Millions)**

	<b>FY 2023</b>	<b>FY 2024</b>	<b>FY 2025</b>
<b>Title:</b> Oversight and implementation guidance of emerging Cryptographic and CS capabilities to ensure interoperability to maintain compliance with DoD, NSA, and Army policies and regulations. (CIO/G-6)	7.816	7.035	7.595
<b>Description:</b> The program provides oversight and guidance for technical research and evaluation of Cryptographic Modernization (CM) and Key Management (KM) capabilities to ensure IA compliance and interoperability. This effort improves operational effectiveness, ensures efficient implementation, and enhances network performance by deploying standardized COMSEC capabilities that are interoperable and supportable in Army, coalition and Joint operating environments. This program enables the Army to collaborate and participate in Joint and Army capability and technology evaluations efforts to define, improve, develop and publish Cyber Security (CS) standards for new/modernized technology insertion to support the Army future networks and key management enterprise. This effort assesses and defines risk mitigation of CS network vulnerabilities in end-to-end Army network operations and Common Operating Environment. (CIO and G-6)			

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**B. Accomplishments/Planned Programs (\$ in Millions)**

***FY 2024 Plans:***

Continue to provide oversight for the executions of the Army's Communications Security (COMSEC) Modernization initiatives including major Advanced Cryptographic Capabilities (ACC) and Cryptographic Modernization 2 (CM2) updates and replacements of existing devices and systems. Continue to evaluate and test emerging technologies for Army implementation in support of, Transmission Security (TRANSEC) Initial Capabilities Document (ICD), Electronic Key Management System (EKMS) Tier 1 to Key Management Infrastructure (KMI) migration, Army last mile advanced key distribution concept development and Multi-Domain Operations (MDO) security architecture implementation. Continue to provide updated end-to-end, tactical-to-strategic COMSEC standardization and implementation guidance to meet Army's operational requirements. Continue to assess new key management technologies developed by NSA's KMI program to determine the maturity for Army fielding to protect and strengthen the Army Unified Network posture. Continue to work with DoD CIO, Joint Staff, NSA, DISA and other Services to resolve cryptographic interoperability issues for both embedded and standalone cryptographic devices/systems and perform risk reduction testing of commercial cryptographic products prior to insertion into Army for use to increase operational availability with documented operational value and rapid integration. Provide timely test and evaluation results to enable the Army to make sound strategic investment decisions and to reduce or eliminate duplications. Participate in operational assessment of NSA, DoD, Joint Staff and Service-led Joint Capability Technology Demonstrations to align new technologies to documented Army and DoD capability gaps and requirements for protecting National Security Systems and National Security Information. Continue to update and develop policies to posture Army's operations to implement innovative cryptographic and key management tools and services.

***FY 2025 Plans:***

Continue to provide oversight for the executions of the Army's Communications Security (COMSEC) Modernization initiatives including major Advanced Cryptographic Capabilities (ACC) and Cryptographic Modernization 2 (CM2) updates and replacements of existing devices and systems. Continue to evaluate and test emerging technologies for Army implementation in support of, Transmission Security (TRANSEC) Initial Capabilities Document (ICD), Electronic Key Management System (EKMS) Tier 1 to Key Management Infrastructure (KMI) migration, Army last mile advanced key distribution concept development and Multi-Domain Operations (MDO) security architecture implementation. Continue to phasing out legacy non-scalable COMSEC that will not meet the new security standards in order to meet Army's operational requirements IAW Army Unified Network Plan (AUNP) and DoD/NSA mandates. Continue to assess new key management technologies developed by NSA's KMI program to determine the maturity for Army fielding to protect and strengthen the Army Unified Network posture to enable global end-to-end connectivity. Continue direct coordination with the DoD CIO, Joint Staff, NSA, DISA and other Services to resolve cryptographic interoperability issues for both embedded and standalone cryptographic devices/systems and perform risk reduction testing of commercial cryptographic products prior to insertion into Army for use to increase operational availability with documented operational value and rapid integration. Provide timely test and evaluation results to enable the Army to make sound strategic investment decisions and to reduce or eliminate duplications. Participate in operational assessment of NSA, DoD, Joint Staff and Service-led Joint Capability Technology Demonstrations to align new technologies to documented Army and DoD capability gaps and requirements

FY 2023	FY 2024	FY 2025

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<b>B. Accomplishments/Planned Programs (\$ in Millions)</b>	<b>FY 2023</b>	<b>FY 2024</b>	<b>FY 2025</b>
for protecting National Security Systems and National Security Information. Continue to update and develop policies to posture Army's operations to implement innovative cryptographic and key management tools and services. All efforts are critical to implement a framework to modernize Army's security path to ensure technological dominance against our adversaries are tested and evaluated in order to become an MDO capable Force by 2028			
<b><i>FY 2024 to FY 2025 Increase/Decrease Statement:</i></b> Increase in FY25 was necessary to fund critical COMSEC requirements for continued test, mission sets/tools (to bring Embedded and Encryptions to the new standards avoiding future interoperability/capability issues) that establishes the foundation for an aggressive implementation plan to ensure our Army is postured to be an MDO -capable force by 2028. In addition, the increase will deploy defensive Cyber capabilities across the Unified Network to improve security standards IAW with the DoD/NSA mandates.			
<b>Accomplishments/Planned Programs Subtotals</b>	7.816	7.035	7.595

<b>C. Other Program Funding Summary (\$ in Millions)</b>											
<b>Line Item</b>	<b>FY 2023</b>	<b>FY 2024</b>	<b>FY 2025 Base</b>	<b>FY 2025 OCO</b>	<b>FY 2025 Total</b>	<b>FY 2026</b>	<b>FY 2027</b>	<b>FY 2028</b>	<b>FY 2029</b>	<b>Cost To Complete</b>	<b>Total Cost</b>
• DV5: <i>Crypto Modernization (Crypto Mod)</i>	7.470	8.288	8.138	-	8.138	8.146	8.233	8.326	8.409	Continuing	Continuing
• B96002: <i>CRYPTOGRAPHIC SYSTEMS (CRYPTO SYS)</i>	50.151	87.423	66.420	-	66.420	56.568	56.596	56.171	56.732	Continuing	Continuing
• BS9716: <i>NON PEO-SPARES</i>	4.014	3.667	3.887	-	3.887	3.901	3.903	3.906	3.945	Continuing	Continuing

**Remarks**

**D. Acquisition Strategy**

The objective of the Cryptographic Systems program is to provide adaptive, flexible, and programmable cryptographic solutions using best practices, lessons learned and programmatic management to meet the challenge of modernizing the Army's aging cryptographic systems. Associated documents include CDD, approved by CIO/G6, 15 Jul 2010; ICD, approved by JROC, 25 Mar 2011; AAO; approved by G3, 15 Dec 2011 and revised and approved, 19 Jun 2015.



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Event Name	FY 2023				FY 2024				FY 2025				FY 2026				FY 2027				FY 2028				FY 2029			
	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4
TECHNOLOGY TEST & EVALUATION (CIO/G6)																												
DEFINE SECURITY & INTEROPERABILITY STANDARDS (CIO/G6)																												
COMSEC STRATEGY & CRYPTO TECHNOLOGY ROADMAP (CIO/G6)																												

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Schedule Details

Events	Start		End	
	Quarter	Year	Quarter	Year
TEST & EVALUATION OF CRYPTOGRAPHIC SYSTEMS (PL Net E)	1	2014	4	2014
STUDY OF CURRENT AND EMERGING CRYPTO ALGORITHMS AND TECHNOLOGIES (PL Net E)	1	2015	2	2015
TEST OF INE AND WIRELESS SOLUTION (PL Net E)	1	2016	4	2018
BIG DATA PILOT (PD ES-CYBER)	1	2016	4	2016
TECHNOLOGY TEST & EVALUATION (CIO/G6)	1	2017	4	2027
DEFINE SECURITY & INTEROPERABILITY STANDARDS (CIO/G6)	1	2017	4	2027
COMSEC STRATEGY & CRYPTO TECHNOLOGY ROADMAP (CIO/G6)	1	2014	4	2027

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<b>COST (\$ in Millions)</b>	<b>Prior Years</b>	<b>FY 2023</b>	<b>FY 2024</b>	<b>FY 2025 Base</b>	<b>FY 2025 OCO</b>	<b>FY 2025 Total</b>	<b>FY 2026</b>	<b>FY 2027</b>	<b>FY 2028</b>	<b>FY 2029</b>	<b>Cost To Complete</b>	<b>Total Cost</b>
DV4: Key Management Infrastructure (KMI)	-	0.268	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.000	0.268
Quantity of RDT&E Articles	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		

**A. Mission Description and Budget Item Justification**

Communications Security (COMSEC) is governed by the Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff Instruction (CJCSA) 6510. In order to ensure Warfighters continue to have secured communications (i.e., encrypted data and voice), Army communications systems are required to support modern cryptographic capabilities by implementing modern algorithms.

The Reprogrammable Single Chip Universal Encryptor (RESCUE) is a government owned reprogrammable cryptographic chip that incorporates KMI functionality and modern algorithms to encrypt and decrypt messages for the embedding.

**B. Accomplishments/Planned Programs (\$ in Millions)**

	<b>FY 2023</b>	<b>FY 2024</b>	<b>FY 2025</b>
<b>Title:</b> Reprogrammable Cryptographic Chip Development and Evaluation	0.268	-	-
<b>Description:</b> The Reprogrammable Single Chip Universal Encryptor (RESCUE) is a reprogrammable cryptographic chip that incorporates KMI functionality and modern algorithms to encrypt and decrypt messages for the embedding device. The RESCUE is built upon a modular architecture to enable tailoring of the chip to meet the specific requirements of the embedding device. This effort creates a government owned potential universal cryptographic chip enabling the Army to decrease costs for encryption devices.			
<b>Accomplishments/Planned Programs Subtotals</b>	0.268	-	-

**C. Other Program Funding Summary (\$ in Millions)**

<b>Line Item</b>	<b>FY 2023</b>	<b>FY 2024</b>	<b>FY 2025 Base</b>	<b>FY 2025 OCO</b>	<b>FY 2025 Total</b>	<b>FY 2026</b>	<b>FY 2027</b>	<b>FY 2028</b>	<b>FY 2029</b>	<b>Cost To Complete</b>	<b>Total Cost</b>
• B96004: KEY MANAGEMENT INFRASTRUCTURE	75.541	72.289	31.585	-	31.585	31.760	28.753	24.097	24.337	0.000	288.362

**Remarks**

Line Item & Title:  
B96004: Key Management Infrastructure (OPA2)

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**D. Acquisition Strategy**

Army Key Management Infrastructure (AKMI) acquisition strategy consisted of Army, Air Force, and NSA Programs of Record (POR). AKMI is the Army's implementation of the National Security Agency (NSA) Key Management Infrastructure (KMI) ACAT IAM Program of Record. The AKMI allows the Army to manage, control, plan, and distribute electronic key for the ~1.5 million End Cryptographic Units (ECU)s necessary to communicate and distribute data on the Army's tactical and strategic networks such as radios, secure phones, and satellite terminals.

The AKMI Program includes the Simple Key Loader (SKL) and Automated Communications Engineering Software (ACES) workstation contracts managed by the Army, Tactical Key Loader (TKL) contract by the US Air Force, and the Management Clients (MGC) nodes by NSA.

The AKMI program funded development of a KMI compliant cryptographic engine, the government owned Reprogrammable Single Chip Universal Encryptor (RESCUE).

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<b>Product Development (\$ in Millions)</b>				<b>FY 2023</b>		<b>FY 2024</b>		<b>FY 2025 Base</b>		<b>FY 2025 OCO</b>		<b>FY 2025 Total</b>	<b>Cost To Complete</b>	<b>Total Cost</b>	<b>Target Value of Contract</b>
<b>Cost Category Item</b>	<b>Contract Method &amp; Type</b>	<b>Performing Activity &amp; Location</b>	<b>Prior Years</b>	<b>Cost</b>	<b>Award Date</b>	<b>Cost</b>	<b>Award Date</b>	<b>Cost</b>	<b>Award Date</b>	<b>Cost</b>	<b>Award Date</b>	<b>Cost</b>			
KMI Awareness (RESCUE Development and NSA Certification)	C/CPFF	Dynamics Research Corporation/Engility : APG, MD	17.519	0.268	Jul 2023	-		-		-		-	0.000	17.787	-
<b>Subtotal</b>			17.519	0.268		-		-		-		-	0.000	17.787	N/A
<b>Project Cost Totals</b>			17.519	0.268		-		-		-		-	0.000	17.787	N/A

**Remarks**  
Project DV4 has no funding request in FY 2025.

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Event Name	FY 2023				FY 2024				FY 2025				FY 2026				FY 2027				FY 2028				FY 2029			
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Reprogrammable Cryptographic Chip Development (RESCUE)																												

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Schedule Details

Events	Start		End	
	Quarter	Year	Quarter	Year
Reprogrammable Cryptographic Chip Development (RESCUE)	1	2019	4	2023

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<b>COST (\$ in Millions)</b>	<b>Prior Years</b>	<b>FY 2023</b>	<b>FY 2024</b>	<b>FY 2025 Base</b>	<b>FY 2025 OCO</b>	<b>FY 2025 Total</b>	<b>FY 2026</b>	<b>FY 2027</b>	<b>FY 2028</b>	<b>FY 2029</b>	<b>Cost To Complete</b>	<b>Total Cost</b>
DV5: <i>Crypto Modernization (Crypto Mod)</i>	-	7.470	8.288	8.138	-	8.138	8.146	8.233	8.326	8.409	Continuing	Continuing
Quantity of RDT&E Articles	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		

**A. Mission Description and Budget Item Justification**

Project DV5, Cryptographic Modernization (Crypto Mod) is a key enabler of the Army Modernization Priorities in support of Army 2030/2040. Communications Security (COMSEC) is governed by the Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff Instruction (CJCSA) 6510.

Crypto Mod performs test, evaluation, development, and configuration management for cryptographic devices that receive key through fill devices and allow for secure communication through Army devices such as radios and satellite terminals. In order to ensure Warfighters continue to have secured communications (i.e., encrypted data and voice), Army communications systems are required to be upgraded to modern algorithms to meet emerging threat developed by our adversaries. Crypto Modernization necessitates the utilization of the latest National Security Agency (NSA) cryptographic capabilities in order to defeat adversarial efforts to decrypt, disrupt, or exploit US Army networks. Communications Security (COMSEC) is the Army's implementation of NSA protections to create a unified network that is protected, resilient, and survivable.

To accomplish this multi-faceted effort, consistent with Strategic Planning Guidance and the Army Modernization and Strategy Plan, Crypto Mod performs evaluation of emerging threats, development of advances protections to defeat these threats, testing of commercial and government off the shelf applications developed to provide protections against identified threats, and assessment of new software and hardware updates to these end user devices and software to ensure they remain hardened against cyber-attack. This ensures that all endpoints from workstations in the strategic Enterprise to Tactical vehicles and equipment utilized by dismounted personnel forward deployed in hot zone are protected when processing the critical mission and voice data that provides the strategic overmatch required to accomplish the Army's mission.

FY 2025 funds in the amount of \$8.138 million will support the testing of all existing and emerging encryptors for Functionality, Security, and Interoperability. The program will continue testing and evaluation of COMSEC devices to confirm capability and interoperability on Army networks and tactical systems as well as identifying risk areas for compliance with COMSEC regulations and procedures.

**B. Accomplishments/Planned Programs (\$ in Millions)**

	<b>FY 2023</b>	<b>FY 2024</b>	<b>FY 2025</b>
<b>Title:</b> VINSON/ANDVT (Advanced Narrowband Digital Voice Terminal) Cryptographic Modernization (VACM) program	0.329	0.332	0.335
<b>Description:</b> This program researches, assesses, tests, plans and works to integrate VACM products for the Army. The VACM program is a NSA mandated program established to replace legacy external cryptographic devices such as the KY-57, KY-99A, KY-58, KY-99, KY-100 and CV- 3591 / KYV-5. In order to ensure the confidentiality, integrity and availability of classified			

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<b>B. Accomplishments/Planned Programs (\$ in Millions)</b>		<b>FY 2023</b>	<b>FY 2024</b>	<b>FY 2025</b>
communications, the cryptographic modules must be tested for interoperability and form fit to ensure a successful fielding. Each software release will require testing to insure comparability and interoperability.				
<p><b>FY 2024 Plans:</b> The program continues to test and evaluate new software update to VACM devices to confirm continued capability and interoperability on Army networks and different tactical platforms as well as identifying new risk areas for compliance with COMSEC regulations and procedures. Development activities are ongoing as programs continue fielding, performing site surveys and installing at both CONUS and OCONUS locations.</p> <p><b>FY 2025 Plans:</b> The program continues to test and evaluate new software update to VACM devices to confirm continued capability and interoperability on Army networks and different tactical platforms as well as identifying new risk areas for compliance with COMSEC regulations and procedures.</p> <p><b>FY 2024 to FY 2025 Increase/Decrease Statement:</b> Increase due to continuous effort to test and evaluate new software update to VACM devices.</p>				
<p><b>Title:</b> Cryptographic Systems Test and Evaluation</p> <p><b>Description:</b> This program supports the Army Cryptographic Modernization. This is accomplished by providing test and evaluation capabilities to the COMSEC community in order to assess emerging technologies before being released and approved for Army use; testing will be performed on hardware, software and network systems.</p> <p><b>FY 2024 Plans:</b> Continue to conduct testing and evaluation of COMSEC devices to confirm capability and interoperability on Army networks and tactical systems as well as identifying risk areas for compliance with COMSEC regulations and procedures, with particular emphasis on the Advanced Cryptographic Capabilities (ACC) program lead by the NSA. The program will test and evaluate Crypto Systems compliant devices, Suite B IPsec devices built on commercial standards, Cryptographic High Value Product (CHVP), and new software releases to HAIP 4.X devices in accordance with AR 700-142 Revision dated 8 June 2018. These devices provide the critical security backbone for all NIPRNET, SIPRNET, JWICS and Intelligence networks in both the Tactical and Enterprise networks. The program tests interoperability and provides ways to insert data at rest (DAR) and data in transit (DIT) technology within the existing and future network infrastructure to defend against adversary attack and exploitation.</p> <p><b>FY 2025 Plans:</b> Continue to conduct testing and evaluation of COMSEC devices to confirm capability and interoperability on Army networks and tactical systems as well as identifying risk areas for compliance with COMSEC regulations and procedures, with particular emphasis on the Advanced Cryptographic Capabilities (ACC) program lead by the NSA. The program will test and evaluate</p>		5.358	5.530	5.371

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<b>B. Accomplishments/Planned Programs (\$ in Millions)</b>		<b>FY 2023</b>	<b>FY 2024</b>	<b>FY 2025</b>
<p>Crypto Systems compliant devices, Suite B IPsec devices built on commercial standards, Cryptographic High Value Product (CHVP), and new software releases to HAIPE 4.X devices in accordance with AR 700-142 Revision dated 8 June 2018. The program tests interoperability and provides ways to insert data at rest (DAR) and data in transit (DIT) technology within the existing and future network infrastructure to defend against adversary attack and exploitation.</p> <p><b>FY 2024 to FY 2025 Increase/Decrease Statement:</b> Decrease due to the reduced requirement for lab equipment.</p>				
<p><b>Title:</b> High Assurance Internet Protocol Encryption (HAIPE) extension manager</p> <p><b>Description:</b> A management tool to configure the new extensions to the HAIPE standard and process the resulting data to provide early indications of cyber-attacks.</p> <p><b>FY 2024 Plans:</b> Continue software development efforts that will provide configuration and management of the HAIPE extensions and the user interface for collecting and analyzing the data that results from implementation of these HAIPE extensions. Addition of ACC software feature and new devices will be implemented.</p> <p><b>FY 2025 Plans:</b> Continue software development efforts that will provide configuration and management of the HAIPE extensions and the user interface for collecting and analyzing the data that results from implementation of these HAIPE extensions. New devices will be implemented.</p> <p><b>FY 2024 to FY 2025 Increase/Decrease Statement:</b> Increase due to increased NSA requirements of software development efforts and user interface of the HAIPE extensions.</p>		1.078	1.714	1.718
<p><b>Title:</b> Program Management Office Support</p> <p><b>Description:</b> Program management includes overall management of program execution, major events, reporting, funds execution, contract management, and logistical support. Includes participation in program planning and Integrated Product Team meetings.</p> <p><b>FY 2024 Plans:</b> FY 2023 funds will provide overall management and oversight to implement Crypto Mod test, evaluation, development and configuration management for cryptographic devices - to include Matrix and Contractor support.</p> <p><b>FY 2025 Plans:</b></p>		0.705	0.712	0.714

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<b>B. Accomplishments/Planned Programs (\$ in Millions)</b>	<b>FY 2023</b>	<b>FY 2024</b>	<b>FY 2025</b>
FY 2025 funds will provide overall management and oversight to implement Crypto Mod test, evaluation, development and configuration management for cryptographic devices - to include Matrix and Contractor support.			
<b><i>FY 2024 to FY 2025 Increase/Decrease Statement:</i></b> Increase due to continuous effort to provide overall management and oversight support.			
<b>Accomplishments/Planned Programs Subtotals</b>	7.470	8.288	8.138

<b>C. Other Program Funding Summary (\$ in Millions)</b>											
<b>Line Item</b>	<b>FY 2023</b>	<b>FY 2024</b>	<b>FY 2025 Base</b>	<b>FY 2025 OCO</b>	<b>FY 2025 Total</b>	<b>FY 2026</b>	<b>FY 2027</b>	<b>FY 2028</b>	<b>FY 2029</b>	<b>Cost To Complete</b>	<b>Total Cost</b>
• B96002: <i>CRYPTOGRAPHIC SYSTEMS (CRYPTO SYS)</i>	50.151	87.423	66.420	-	66.420	56.568	56.596	56.171	56.732	Continuing	Continuing
• BS9716: <i>NON PEO-SPARES</i>	4.014	3.667	3.887	-	3.887	3.901	3.903	3.906	3.945	Continuing	Continuing

**Remarks**  
 Line Item & Title:  
 B96002 - Cryptographic Systems - OPA2  
 BS9716 - NON PEO-SPARES - OPA4

**D. Acquisition Strategy**  
 The Cryptographic Systems procures off of NSA IDIQ contracts. Army RDT&E is used on existing and emerging encryptors which are tested and evaluated for Functionality, Security, Interoperability, and backward compatibility on software and hardware for both Tactical and Enterprise systems to ensure they remain hardened against cyberattack. CDD, approved by CIO/G6, 15 Jul 2010; ICD, approved by JROC, 25 Mar 2011; AAO; approved by G-3, 15 Dec 2011 and revised and approved, 19 Jun 2015.

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Exhibit R-3, RDT&E Project Cost Analysis: PB 2025 Army												Date: March 2024			
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Management Services (\$ in Millions)				FY 2023		FY 2024		FY 2025 Base		FY 2025 OCO		FY 2025 Total			
Cost Category Item	Contract Method & Type	Performing Activity & Location	Prior Years	Cost	Award Date	Cost	Award Date	Cost	Award Date	Cost	Award Date	Cost	Cost To Complete	Total Cost	Target Value of Contract
Program Management Office Support	Various	PEO C3T & CECOM : Various; APG, MD	1.301	0.705	Dec 2022	0.712	Dec 2023	0.714	Dec 2024	-		0.714	Continuing	Continuing	Continuing
<b>Subtotal</b>			1.301	0.705		0.712		0.714		-		0.714	Continuing	Continuing	N/A
Product Development (\$ in Millions)				FY 2023		FY 2024		FY 2025 Base		FY 2025 OCO		FY 2025 Total			
Cost Category Item	Contract Method & Type	Performing Activity & Location	Prior Years	Cost	Award Date	Cost	Award Date	Cost	Award Date	Cost	Award Date	Cost	Cost To Complete	Total Cost	Target Value of Contract
System Engineering	SS/LH	CCDC C5ISR S&TCD : APG, MD	8.660	1.107	Nov 2022	1.086	Nov 2023	1.091	Nov 2024	-		1.091	Continuing	Continuing	Continuing
Engineering Support	C/CPFF	CACI : Aberdeen Maryland	9.069	0.990	Feb 2023	0.960	Feb 2024	0.962	Feb 2025	-		0.962	Continuing	Continuing	Continuing
<b>Subtotal</b>			17.729	2.097		2.046		2.053		-		2.053	Continuing	Continuing	N/A
Test and Evaluation (\$ in Millions)				FY 2023		FY 2024		FY 2025 Base		FY 2025 OCO		FY 2025 Total			
Cost Category Item	Contract Method & Type	Performing Activity & Location	Prior Years	Cost	Award Date	Cost	Award Date	Cost	Award Date	Cost	Award Date	Cost	Cost To Complete	Total Cost	Target Value of Contract
Test & Evaluation	SS/LH	CCDC C5ISR S&TCD : APG, MD	3.841	1.505	Nov 2022	1.789	Nov 2023	1.797	Nov 2024	-		1.797	Continuing	Continuing	Continuing
Test & Evaluation	C/CPFF	CACI : APG, MD	11.325	3.163	Feb 2023	3.741	Feb 2024	3.574	Feb 2025	-		3.574	Continuing	Continuing	Continuing
<b>Subtotal</b>			15.166	4.668		5.530		5.371		-		5.371	Continuing	Continuing	N/A
<b>Project Cost Totals</b>			34.196	7.470		8.288		8.138		-		8.138	Continuing	Continuing	N/A
<b>Remarks</b>															

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<b>Exhibit R-4, RDT&amp;E Schedule Profile: PB 2025 Army</b>		<b>Date:</b> March 2024
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Event Name	FY 2023				FY 2024				FY 2025				FY 2026				FY 2027				FY 2028				FY 2029			
	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4
VINSON/ANDVT Cryptographic Modernization (VACM) INTEROP	[Redacted]																											
TEST AND EVALUATION OF SECURE VOICE SW & HW	[Redacted]																											
TEST AND EVALUATION OF INE SW & HW	[Redacted]																											
HAIPE EXTENSION MANAGER	[Redacted]																											

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Schedule Details

Events	Start		End	
	Quarter	Year	Quarter	Year
VINSON/ANDVT Cryptographic Modernization (VACM) INTEROPERABILITY	1	2016	4	2035
TEST AND EVALUATION OF SECURE VOICE SW & HW	4	2013	4	2035
TEST AND EVALUATION OF INE SW & HW	1	2017	4	2035
HAIPE EXTENSION MANAGER	1	2017	4	2035