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

Appropriation/Budget Activity 1319: <i>Research, Development, Test & Evaluation, Navy / BA 4: Advanced Component Development & Prototypes (ACD&P)</i>	R-1 Program Element (Number/Name) PE 0603261N / <i>Tactical Airborne Reconnaissance</i>
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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	93.386	3.862	3.721	3.358	-	3.358	3.260	3.235	3.297	3.365	Continuing	Continuing
2467: <i>UxS Common Standards, Interoperability and Integration</i>	93.386	3.862	3.721	3.358	-	3.358	3.260	3.235	3.297	3.365	Continuing	Continuing

A. Mission Description and Budget Item Justification

This program element funds efforts to develop common technical and interoperability standards for current and future unmanned platforms, sensors, communications, and networking capabilities to achieve the required integration and interoperability of Unmanned Systems (UxS) represented in approved Naval Concept of Operations (CONOPS) in support of the Navy's Unmanned Campaign Framework.

This program is funded under ADVANCED COMPONENT DEVELOPMENT AND PROTOTYPES because it includes all efforts necessary to evaluate integrated technologies and representative models or prototype systems in a high fidelity and realistic operating environment.

B. Program Change Summary (\$ in Millions)	FY 2023	FY 2024	FY 2025 Base	FY 2025 OCO	FY 2025 Total
Previous President's Budget	3.562	3.721	3.431	-	3.431
Current President's Budget	3.862	3.721	3.358	-	3.358
Total Adjustments	0.300	0.000	-0.073	-	-0.073
• Congressional General Reductions	-	-			
• Congressional Directed Reductions	-	-			
• Congressional Rescissions	-	-			
• Congressional Adds	-	-			
• Congressional Directed Transfers	-	-			
• Reprogrammings	0.300	0.000			
• SBIR/STTR Transfer	-	-			
• Rate/Misc Adjustments	0.000	0.000	-0.073	-	-0.073

Change Summary Explanation

Funding: FY 2025 was decreased by \$0.073M due to rate adjustments.
 Technical: Not applicable.
 Schedule: Not applicable.

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Quantity of RDT&E Articles		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		

A. Mission Description and Budget Item Justification

The Naval Unmanned Aircraft Systems (UAS) strategy employs a family of UAS to perform various missions in support of naval and joint service missions from forward bases/platforms and naval ships.

In support of the Navy and Marine Corps' overall UAS strategy, this program develops common technical and interoperability standards for current and future unmanned platforms, sensors, communications, and networking capabilities to achieve the integration and interoperability of UAS represented in approved Naval Concept of Operations (CONOPS) in support of the Navy's Unmanned Campaign Framework. Leveraging fleet input based on current operations and informed by future operational plans, these efforts ensure the desired interoperability and integration of Unmanned Systems (UxS) throughout the battlespace is achieved. This program also establishes the common architecture, including command & control, for all unmanned systems to support and inform future CONOPS development. This effort provides for a cross program view of naval unmanned systems and is the entry point for DoN and other services to address commonality and interoperability opportunities.

Specifically:

- Provides studies and demonstrations in support of Naval UAS Family of Systems (FoS) CONOPS development.
- Horizontally integrates across the Naval UAS FoS through the development of Naval Interoperability Profiles to achieve required unmanned capabilities and interoperability.
- Provides support for development of common and interoperable UAS standards for use throughout the Department of Defense (DoD) and the North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO).
- Conducts CONOPS studies, demonstrations, advanced development/prototyping, exercises for vehicle control, targeting, and weapons, sensor and payload employment.

B. Accomplishments/Planned Programs (\$ in Millions, Article Quantities in Each)

	FY 2023	FY 2024	FY 2025 Base	FY 2025 OCO	FY 2025 Total
Title: Studies and Demonstrations	1.931	2.023	1.750	0.000	1.750
Articles:	-	-	-	-	-
Description: Studies and demonstrations to support CONOPS development from an interoperability perspective for effective integration of UAS. Develop a UAS architecture environment to allow for effective modeling and simulation of common UAS components in representative battlespace architectures.					

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B. Accomplishments/Planned Programs (\$ in Millions, Article Quantities in Each)	FY 2023	FY 2024	FY 2025 Base	FY 2025 OCO	FY 2025 Total
N/A					
<i>FY 2024 to FY 2025 Increase/Decrease Statement:</i> The decrease of \$0.090M is due to rate adjustments.					
Accomplishments/Planned Programs Subtotals	3.862	3.721	3.358	0.000	3.358

C. Other Program Funding Summary (\$ in Millions)
N/A

Remarks

D. Acquisition Strategy

The department will leverage existing government facilities and resources to develop common technical and interoperability standards for current and future unmanned sensors, communications, and networking capabilities to achieve the required interoperability and integration of unmanned systems represented in approved Naval Concept of Operations (CONOPS). Government engineering support will be used for standards development, architectural analysis, modeling and simulation efforts and testing.

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Exhibit R-3, RDT&E Project Cost Analysis: PB 2025 Navy												Date: March 2024				
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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	
Prior year Prod Dev no longer funded in the FYDP	Various	Various : Various	18.711	0.000		0.000		0.000		-		0.000	0.000	18.711	-	
Subtotal			18.711	0.000		0.000		0.000		-		0.000	0.000	18.711	N/A	
Support (\$ 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	
Studies & Demonstrations	WR	NAWCAD : Pax River, MD	6.020	0.211	Dec 2022	0.260	Dec 2023	0.258	Dec 2024	-		0.258	Continuing	Continuing	Continuing	
Standards Development	C/CPFF	Engility : Lexington Park, MD	9.545	1.548	Apr 2023	0.350	Apr 2024	0.350	Apr 2025	-		0.350	Continuing	Continuing	Continuing	
Standards Development	MIPR	Eglin AFB : Eglin, FL	0.000	0.000		0.700	Nov 2023	0.700	Nov 2024	-		0.700	0.000	1.400	-	
Prior year Support no longer funded in the FYDP	Various	Various : Various	29.815	0.000		0.000		0.000		-		0.000	0.000	29.815	-	
Subtotal			45.380	1.759		1.310		1.308		-		1.308	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	
Prior Year Developmental Test & Evaluation Not Funded FYDP (PYDT&E)	Various	Various : Various	2.627	0.000		0.000		0.000		-		0.000	0.000	2.627	-	
Subtotal			2.627	0.000		0.000		0.000		-		0.000	0.000	2.627	N/A	

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Exhibit R-4A, RDT&E Schedule Details: PB 2025 Navy		Date: March 2024
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Schedule Details

Events by Sub Project	Start		End	
	Quarter	Year	Quarter	Year
<i>UxS Common Standards, Interoperability and Integration</i>				
Studies and Demonstrations:	1	2023	4	2029
Naval Interoperability and Standardization:	1	2023	4	2029