

Maryland Defense Agency Profile

Naval Air Systems Command (NAVAIR)



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Commanding Officer: Vice Adm. Dean Peters, USN

Command: Naval Air Systems Command

Branch: U.S. Navy

History & Mission: Established in 1966 as the successor to the Navy's Bureau of Naval Weapons, the Naval Air Systems Command (NAVAIR) is headquartered in Patuxent River, Md., with military and civilian personnel stationed at eight locations across the continental United States and one site overseas.

One of seven Navy acquisition systems commands, NAVAIR serves as the principal provider for naval aviation. NAVAIR's mission is to provide full life-cycle support of naval aviation aircraft, weapons and systems operated by Sailors and Marines. This support includes research, design, development and systems engineering; acquisition; test and evaluation; training facilities and equipment; repair and modification; and in-service engineering and logistics support. NAVAIR provides support (people, processes, tools, training, mission facilities, and core technologies) to Naval Aviation Program Executive Officers (PEOs) and their assigned program managers, who are responsible for meeting the cost, schedule, and performance requirements of their assigned programs.

Program Executive Offices (PEOs)

NAVAIR has four affiliated PEOs:

- Tactical Aircraft Programs
- Air Anti-Submarine Warfare, Assault and Special Mission Programs
- Unmanned Aviation and Strike Weapons
- Joint Strike Fighter (which alternates service lead with the U.S. Air Force.)

Federal Facilities Profile

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