

F-16 Fighting Falcon Fast Facts

- The F-16 provides advanced interoperable capabilities that enhance and strengthen partnerships with allies.
- For decades, the Fighting Falcon has proved resilient and effective, and today remains the best value among 4th generation aircraft for its advanced capabilities and affordable lifecycle costs.



Program Stats



~3,000 F-16s Operating in 25 Countries



New Block 70/72 orders:

Flight Hours 19500000



Structural Service Life 12,000 hour (Block 70/72)



-127 Jet Backlog for 6 Nations







































































Joining the Commander of the Royal Bahraini Air Force, Major General Hamad Al Khalifa, Deputy Under Secretary of the Air Force for International Affairs, Major General Julian Cheater and Lockheed Martin's Executive Vice President of Aeronautics, Greg Ulmer sign certificates to commemorate the official delivery to the U.S. government and Royal Bahraini Air Force.

Recent Milestones

- On March 10, Bahraini, American and Lockheed Martin officials celebrated the first F-16 Block 70 for the Royal Bahraini Air Force at Lockheed Martin in Greenville, South Carolina. (March 2023)
- First F-16 Block 70, for Bahrain, was formally accepted by the Defense Contract Management Agency with the signing of Department of Defense Form 250 (DD-250) on Feb. 23. (February 2023)
- Launching a new era of F-16, the first F-16 Block 70, for Bahrain, completes its maiden flight in Greenville, South Carolina on Jan. 24 at 9:27 a.m. ET. (January 2023)
- Lockheed Martin, Hellenic Aerospace Industry, and the Hellenic Air Force (HAF) held a ceremony to mark the inauguration of several industrial projects at HAI and to celebrate the delivery of the fifth HAF jet to be upgraded to the F-16 "Viper" configuration. (January 2023)