

F-22 Raptor Fast Facts

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- The 5th Generation F-22 is the world’s premier air dominance fighter and a proven strategic deterrent.
- The F-22 is bridging to the next generation of air dominance, enabling open systems architecture and new digital capabilities for combat aircraft.



Program Stats

 <p>December 2005 Initial Operating Capability</p> <p>September 2014 First Combat Strike</p>	<p>195 Aircraft Delivered (186 production; 9 test)</p> <p>May 2012 Last production F-22 delivered</p> 	 <p>8,000 Hour Structural Service Life Ready wherever needed for as long as needed</p>
 <p>First Operational 5th-Gen Aircraft Ushered in new era of combat air with unprecedented capabilities</p>	 <p>Collier-Award Winning Awarded in 2006 for performance in Exercise Northern Edge</p>	<p>First Combat Aircraft with Open Systems Architecture Enhancing connectivity across domains</p> 

Squadrons



An F-22 takes to the skies for a mission at the 2023 William Tell Competition in Savannah, Georgia

Recent Milestones

- The F-22 Formal Training Unit relocation from Eglin Air Force Base to Joint Base Langley-Eustis was completed early with support from Lockheed Martin field teams. (September 2023)
- We have completed over 40 capability and improved low observable coating modifications this year in support of mission readiness, tracking to complete our planned 50 by year’s end. (September 2023)
- We continue fielding critical capabilities through our Raptor Agile Capability Release (RACR) program. Release 2 modifications are ongoing. Release 3, which includes further software updates and future hardware provisioning, continues progressing toward fielding this fall. Release 4 completed a successful first flight. (September 2023)