

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 capabilities and affordable lifecycle costs.

Proven: Four Decades of Allied Missions

- More than 4,500 produced and operated by 25 countries
- Interoperable with allied and coalition forces
- 13+ million sorties and counting
- Estimated 19.5 million flight hours
- Operating costs typically less than other 4th generation aircraft
- Industry-leading 12,000 hour service life

Powerful: Building Partnerships Around the World

- New production Block 70/72 chosen by five nations and counting with 128-jet backlog
- New production and upgrade enhancements bring significant and advanced 4th generation capabilities to the mission
- ~600 active suppliers worldwide support the F-16 across the lifecycle
- Thousands of jobs around the world across development, production and sustainment

Recent Milestones

- Lockheed Martin and Oman sign agreement to provide upgrades to the Royal Air Force of Oman’s F-16s and C-130Js. (July 2022)
- Jordan signs Letter of Offer and Acceptance for the sale of eight new F-16 Block 70 aircraft. (June 2022)
- Israel Aerospace Industries’ celebrates delivery of first sets of F-16 aerostructures and 200th F-35 Wing to Lockheed Martin. (June 2022)
- Portugal F-16 fleet hits 100,000 flight hour milestone. (May 2022)
- Egypt celebrates 40th anniversary of F-16 operations. (May 2022)
- Lockheed Martin cuts ribbon on F-16 component assembly facility in Johnstown, PA. (April 2022)
- F-16 and F-15 conduct first joint test of Lockheed Martin’s Legion Pod infrared tracker. (April 2022)

Operators Past & Current



USAF US Navy	Belgium	Denmark	Netherlands	Norway	Israel	Republic of Korea	Portugal	Egypt	Pakistan
Singapore	Greece	Thailand	Indonesia	Bahrain	Venezuela	Taiwan	Jordan	UAE	Turkey
Italy	Chile	Oman	Poland	Morocco	Iraq	Romania	Slovakia	Bulgaria	

All information current as of August 2022. For additional questions and the latest data, please contact [Leslie Farmer](#).