

Joint Military Intelligence Program (JMIP)

DESCRIPTION

The JMIP, established in 1995, provides oversight of selected DoD intelligence programs and resources under the Deputy Secretary of Defense. The JMIP consists of the following component programs:

- Defense Cryptologic Program (DCP)
- Defense Imagery and Mapping Program (DIMAP)
- Defense Joint Counterintelligence Program (DJCIP)
- Defense General Intelligence and Applications Program (DGIAP) which is comprised of:
 - Defense Airborne Reconnaissance Program (DARP)
 - Defense Intelligence Counterdrug Program (DICP)
 - Defense Intelligence Tactical Program (DITP)
 - Defense Space Reconnaissance Program (DSRP)
 - Defense Intelligence Special Technology Program (DISTP)

The JMIP funds the RDT&E and procurement associated with the Marine Corps Joint Service Imagery Processing System (JSIPS) National Input Segment (NIS) at Camp Pendleton, CA, and the Common Imagery Ground/Surface System (CIGSS) TEG development in the DARP. The NIS, operated by the Marine Corps Imagery Support Unit (MCISU), became fully operational in 1996. The DARP also funds the Unmanned Aerial Vehicles (UAV) System RDT&E and procurement to include the Marine Corps Pioneer and the Tactical UAV programs. Although in Navy funding, the DARP has provided the RDT&E and procurement dollars for the Advanced Tactical Air Reconnaissance System (ATARS). The Marine Corps will receive 24 ATARS for use on the F/A-18D aircraft.

DCP RDT&E funding has led to marked improvements in the tactical SIGINT collection and processing capabilities of the Marine Corps. DCP investment led to fielding and/or improvements to the Team Portable Collection System (TPCS), Technical Control and Analysis Center (TCAC), and Mobile Electronic Warfare Support System (MEWSS). Under the Radio Battalion Modernization and Concept Exploration project, DCP RDT&E investment improved radio direction-finding capability, special intelligence communications, and signal intercept capability.

JMIP support to the Marine Corps also provides funds for pay and allowances, travel, and per diem for Marine Corps Reserve intelligence personnel to augment and support CINCs, CINC-supported exercises and activities, and other joint production and exercise functions.