Navy Enterprise Resource Planning

“The Navy ERP System is approved as the financial system of record for the Naval Air Systems Command (NAVAIR) activities currently using this system. This certification will also apply to all future users of this system.”
– Dr. Douglas A. Brook, ASN FM&C

The Navy Enterprise Resource Planning (ERP) program is an integral part of the Navy’s business transformation. When fully implemented, the Navy ERP system will serve 85,000 users worldwide and be used to manage 53.8 percent ($85 billion) of the Navy’s Total Obligation Authority, the total money the Navy is authorized to spend.

What is Navy ERP?

- Navy ERP is an integrated business management system that modernizes and standardizes Navy business operations. The system provides managers unprecedented visibility of relevant information across all parts of the enterprise, and increases effectiveness and efficiency.
- Navy ERP allows the Navy to unify, standardize and streamline all its financial, program management, and workforce management business activities into one system, achieving the highest standards for information that is secure, reliable, accessible and current.
- Navy ERP provides financial managers a view of the status of money all across the enterprise and program managers the ability to see where assets are anywhere in the system. Navy ERP better informs management decision-making about the Navy’s money, personnel, and materials.
- While ERP systems have been used in commercial businesses since the early 1980’s, the Navy ERP effort is among the largest ERP implementations ever accomplished anywhere, in any organization, public or private.

Navy Supply Systems Command (NAVSUP) joins NAVAIR in successful implementation of Navy ERP

- The NAVSUP completed implementation of Navy ERP Oct. 25, 2008. NAVSUP joins NAVAIR as the second major acquisition system command to install the system successfully.
- The NAVSUP ERP team completed the transition from the legacy management systems to the new ERP system in fewer than 30 days, ahead of schedule and with minimal disruption.
- NAVSUP and NAVAIR are using Release 1.0, the initial release of the Navy ERP system, which upgrades commands’ abilities to operate their finance, acquisition and workforce management activities. Navy ERP plans to implement Release 1.0 at SPAWAR beginning October 2009 and at NAVSEA in October 2010.

Key Messages

- The Navy ERP effort is among the largest ERP implementations in the world.
- Navy ERP supports the Maritime Strategy by enabling alignment of requirements, resources and acquisition processes to deliver the right capability on time at the right cost.
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Facts & Figures

- NAVAIR completed its FY08 annual financial close ahead of schedule, the first time an annual close has been executed using the new Navy ERP system.
- Navy ERP has won six Navy and industry awards for individual and program team excellence.