



# PARCA

## *DoD EVM Policy Initiatives*

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## ► Topics to be Discussed

- PARCA
- Ongoing Initiatives
- New Initiatives
- One Question

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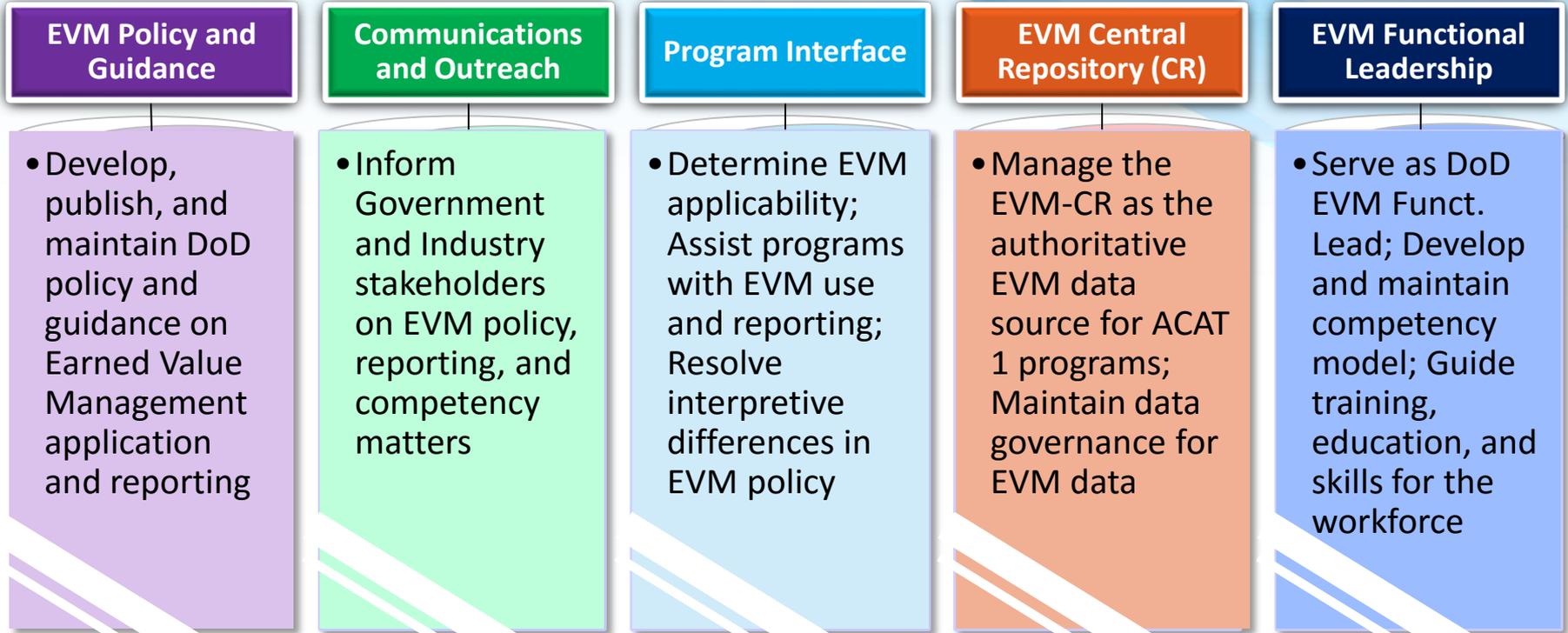
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***PARCA was brought into existence via the reforms in the  
Weapon Systems Acquisition Reform Act (WSARA) of 2009***



**EVM, as a management discipline for making decisions, depends on governing the entire EVM value stream from Contractor to Government analyst**



***“To be successful, EVM practices and competencies must be integrated into the program manager’s acquisition planning and execution processes”***

*- PARCA Authorities Memo, Aug 2011*

► Strategic partnerships across the EVM Value Stream

*PARCA works across DoD Services/Agencies, Federal Agencies, and Industry*



***Working to facilitate the effectiveness of EVM for joint situational awareness and program decision making***



# Ongoing EVM Policy Initiatives

## Status of Current Initiatives



**Develop streamlined data reporting process for the Department to gain efficiencies**

**DATA ITEM DESCRIPTION**

**Title:** Integrated Program Management Report (IPMR)  
**Number:** DI-MGMT-81861A  
**MSC Number:** D9583  
**WTIC Applicable:** No  
**Preparing Activity:** OUSD (AT&L) PARCA  
**Applicable Forms:** Forms are available to be used to submit required formats as follows:

**Approval Date:** 20150916  
**Limitation:**  
**GIDEP Applicable:** No  
**Project Number:** MGMT-2015-01

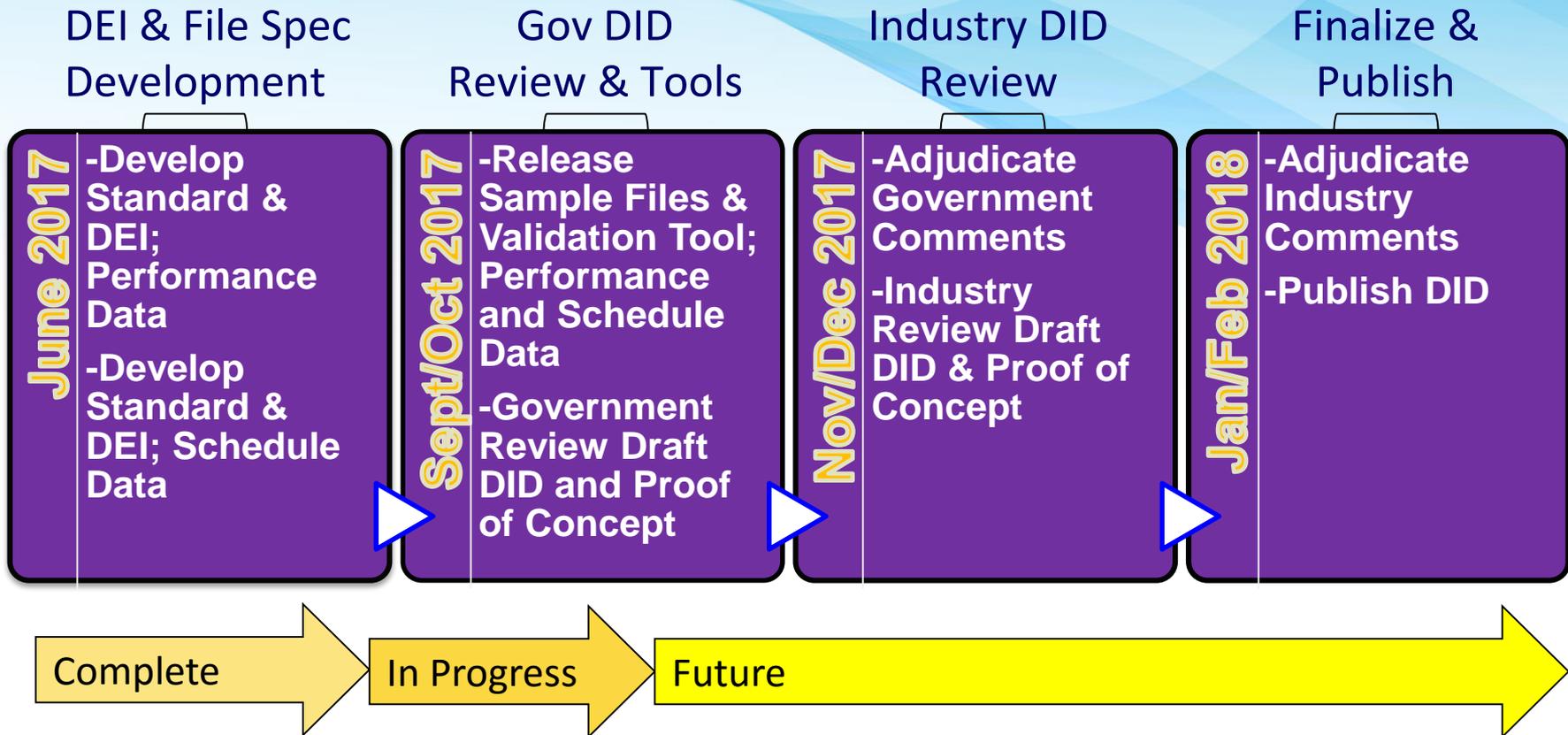
	Form Number	Format No.
IPMR Format	2734/1	1
Work Breakdown Structure	2734/2	2
Organizational Categories	2734/3	3
Baseline	2734/4	4
Staffing	N/A	5
Explanations and Problem Analyses	N/A	6
Integrated Master Schedule	N/A	7
Electronic History and Forecast File	N/A	

**1.0. USE/RELATIONSHIP:**  
 1. The form contains data for measuring cost and schedule

**Notional data tables**

1-3	EV Cost Reporting Structures	8	Control Account Mapping
4	WBS/OBS & Custom Structure	9	Work Package Mapping
5	Element Of Cost Identification	10	Cost/Resource Data
6	Metadata & PMB Level Reporting	11	Below-The-Line/Summary Elements
7	Reporting Periods	12-13	Baseline Change Log

- *Reduce duplication* of data in the IPMR Formats
- *Update data transfer mechanism (i.e., XML to JSON)*
- *Improve* cost and schedule integration
- *Support DCMA* needs as part of automated surveillance activities



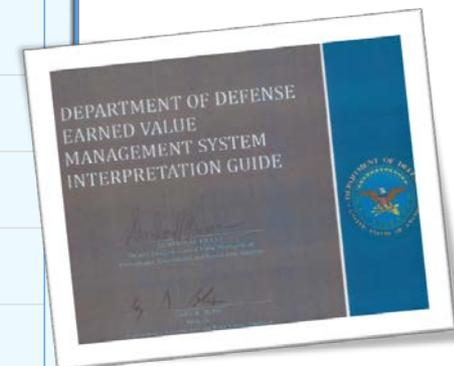
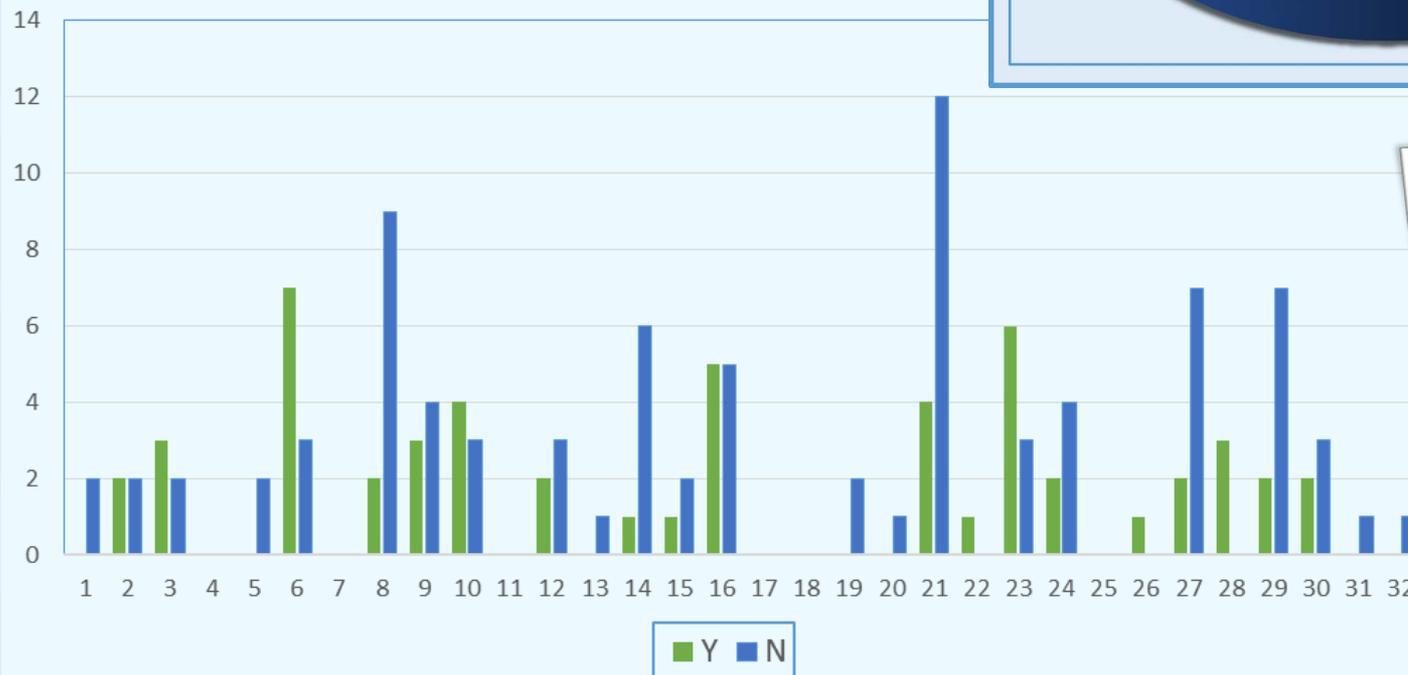
Sample file and tool download  
<https://portal.tecolote.com/parca/ipmr2download.aspx>

## ► EVMSIG Update

- Industry comments adjudicated
- Planned release Nov 2017



Guidelines: Actioned vs Not Actioned



## ▶ **MIL-STD-881C Update**

- Appendices updated (no changes to Sea Systems & Unmanned Maritime Systems); cybersecurity and sustainment addressed
- Document in final comment period; comments due back to PARCA by 22 Sept 2017
- Release Nov 2017

## ▶ **OTB / OTS Guide Update**

- PARCA has updated the document based on comments from Industry and Government; document going through review
- Document out for final Government comment; comments due back to PARCA by 6 Oct 2017



# New EVM Policy Initiatives

## Upcoming Initiatives



## ▶ EVM-CR Initiatives

- **Industry Reviewer Role:** Access for Industry Corporate focal points to reporting compliance and data quality reports as well as submissions delivered by their Data Managers
- **Migration:** EVM-CR moving from current JSP hosting to milCloud (target winter for full migration); no downtime
- **Industry Certificates:** As part of the migration, corporate security certificates no longer allowed; must use recognized industry certs

## ▶ DoD Agile & EVM: PM Desk Guide Update

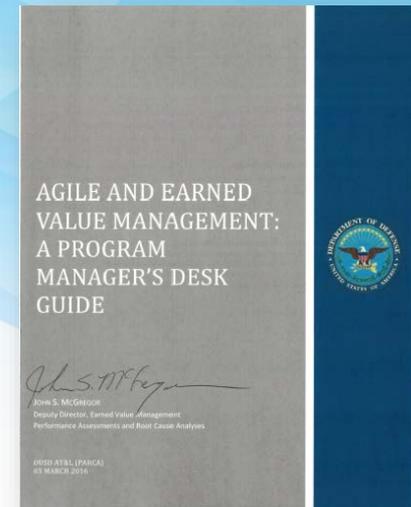
### ■ Focus areas of update

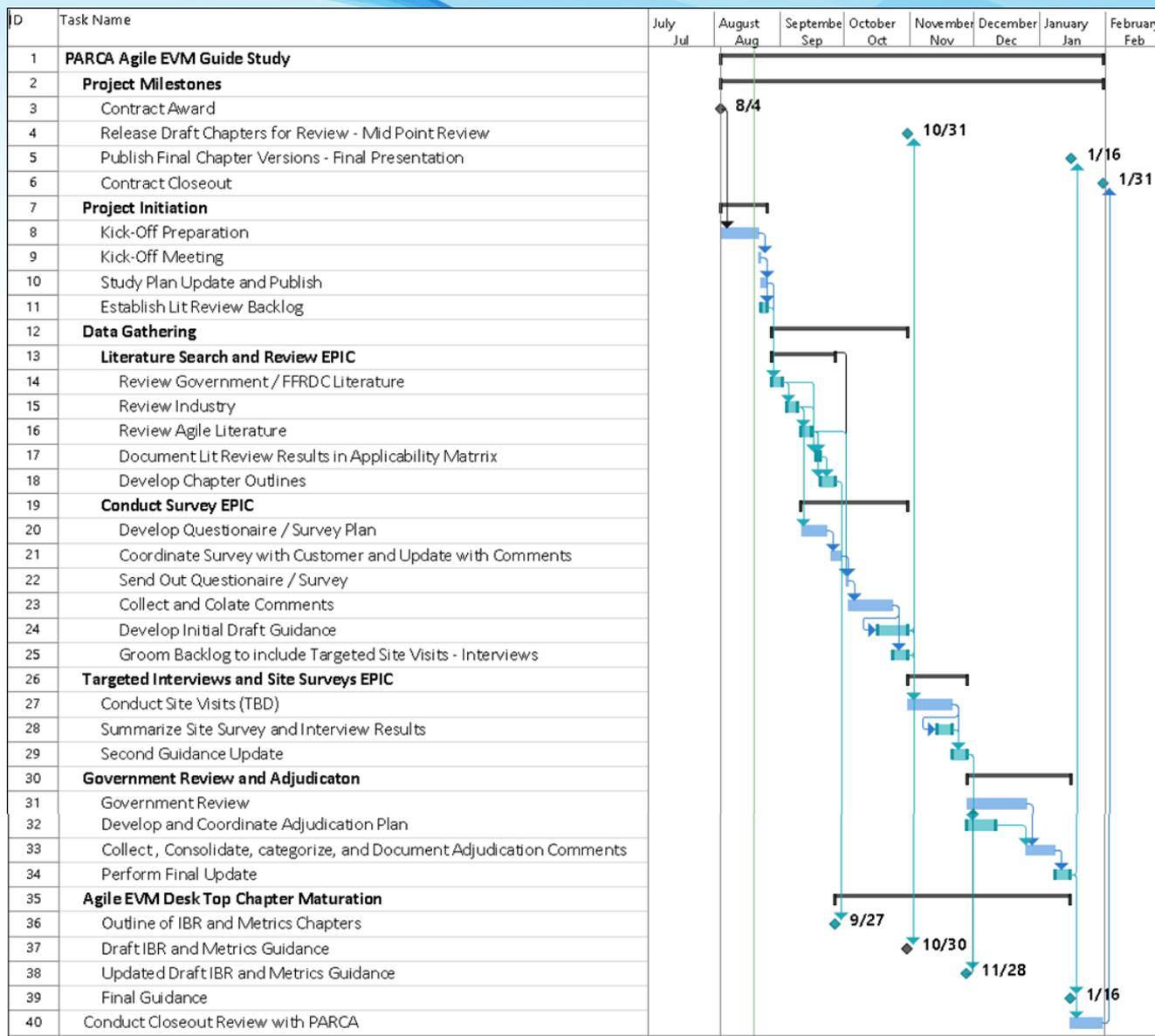
- Integrated Baseline Review Considerations for EVM on Agile Programs
- How Agile metrics and EVM metrics relate and can be used together to provide programmatic insight

### ■ Government and Industry Collaboration

- Efforts to include review of existing IBR guidance to identify common themes, site visits, and surveys
- Working sessions to identify Best Practices for both IBR's and metrics in an EVM-Agile environment

### ■ Effort planned August 2017 through January 2018





## ▶ DoD PM Guide to the IBR

- Effort to modernize the document and reflect current policy
- 12 month effort to begin October 2018

## ▶ EVMIG Replacement

- Single document that contains disparate EVM policy application guidance
- Effort planned to begin January/February 2018

## ▶ EVM Application Process

- PARCA awaiting signed delegation authority memo from AT&L; memo will be starting point for joint PARCA/Services process guide



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MEMORANDUM FOR SERVICE ACQUISITION EXECUTIVES

SUBJECT: The Program Manager's Guide to the Integrated Baseline Review Process

In accordance with Department of Defense (DoD) acquisition policy, Program Managers (PMs) must conduct Integrated Baseline Reviews (IBRs) on contracts with Earned Value Management (EVM) requirements. IBRs are intended to provide a mutual understanding of risks inherent in contractors' performance plans and underlying management control systems. Properly executed IBRs are an essential element of a PM's risk management approach.

## 2 Step EVM Application Process

### Step 1. Contract Criteria Review

- Contract is Cost Plus or Incentive
- Contract > \$20M (including known options)
- Contract has at least 18 months period of performance

If any No

EVM Not Applicable\*

If all Yes

EVM placed on contract; option to have applicability determination based on nature of work (Step 2)

### Step 2 (Optional). Work Attributes Review

- Does EVM apply based on review of SOW, PWS, WBS, & CDRLs (i.e., work discretely measurable & schedulable)
  - PARCA & Services - ACAT ID & IAM for DAE/MDA decision
  - Services - other ACATs for SAE/CAE decision

No

*EVM does not apply\** EVM not on contract; no deviation/waiver required

Yes

*EVM does apply* EVM is placed on contract; PMO has option to seek waiver/deviation

\* The PM has the option to make a business case to apply EVM outside the thresholds and application decision



# Future of EVM

## One question...



- ▶ If not EVM then What.....?
  - Planning / Budgeting
  - Scheduling – IMS, status
  - Collecting Performance – actuals, technical performance status
  - Forecasting – EAC
  - Risk Management
  - Change Management
  - Reporting – performance, variances

***Is there a benefit for using EVM to manage?***



# Questions Contact Us

**PARCA EVM Website:**  
<http://www.acq.osd.mil/evm/>

**PARCA EVM Email:**  
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# PARCA AEP Program

PARCA Acquisition Exchange Program (AEP) provides a unique career-development experience for high-caliber Government civilians or military personnel interested in acquisition and/or EVM.

<http://www.acq.osd.mil/evm/aep.program.html>



# Backup Additional Information



## OMB Capital Programming Guide

- ▶ Update of OMB Capital Programming Guide provides **link between EVM and Agile:**

*“EVM is not tied to any specific development methodology and does not prevent the use of other risk management techniques such as agile development. **EVM and agile development are complementary** and can be used on the same project. Agile development can be used to incrementally deliver functionality to the customer while EVM provides a standard method for measuring progress.”*

- ▶ Files that will be required
  - Performance Data file (JSON)
  - Schedule Data file (JSON)
  - Schedule File (Native Format)
  - Variance Analysis – For Discussion
  
- ▶ EVM-CR Files and Tools
  - Sample JSON files
  - File reader and test tool

## ► MIL-STD-881C Appendices

- *Updated:* Aircraft Systems (combined with Unmanned Aircraft), Electronic Systems, Missile Systems (combined with Ordnance Systems), ICBM (new appendix), Space Systems, Surface Vehicle Systems, AIS Systems, Common WBS Elements
- *No Update:* Sea Systems, Unmanned Maritime Systems
  
- Other information
  - Cybersecurity and Sustainment to be reflected in all appendices
  - Lower level WBS can be developed; link to cost estimating model templates to be provided as examples
  - Handling of items such as Warranty and Rate Tooling adjudicated

## ▶ Earned Value Management Requirements

- **Table 8: EVM Application Requirements** (*reflects \$100M EVMS threshold*)

Contract Value	Applicability	Notes	Source
< \$20M	EVM not required; may be applied at PM discretion based on risk to the Government	Requires business case analysis and MDA approval	
≥ \$20M & < \$100M	EVM Required; contractor is required to have an EVMS system (EVMS) that complies with the guidelines in EIA-748*	The Government reserves the right to review a contractor's EVMS when deemed necessary to verify compliance	Part 7 of OMB Circular A-11 (Reference (c)); DFARS 234.201 (Reference (a)); This instruction
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- **Table 9: EVM Reporting** (*maintains \$50M reporting tailoring threshold*)

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**Additional Information**

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Formats and reporting requirements for the IPMR are determined and managed by USD(AT&L) through the office of PARCA. Reporting thresholds are in then-year dollars.

DI-MGMT-81861A = Data Item Management-81861 (Reference (e))

***DFARS update to reflect polices in new DoDI 5000.02 is in the rule making process***

EVM is applied to cost reimbursable or incentive contracts, inclusive of options, with 18 months or greater period of performance, and based on the nature of the work scope

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Note – reporting maintains \$50M reporting tailoring threshold

## ▶ New Language

- **EVM-CR:** “For ACAT I contracts...IPMR data will be delivered to the EVM Central Repository”
- **OTB/OTS:** “The initiation of an over-target baseline or over-target schedule must be *approved* by the Government program manager”

## ▶ Clarified Language

- **IDIQ:** 2 part application on IDIQ contracts:

1. Include EVM requirement on total base IDIQ contract if it meets or is expected the EVM thresholds in 5000.02

2. Apply EVM on task/delivery orders, or group(s) of related task/delivery orders, per thresholds and workscope