



PM AAVS Program Brief

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AAV Performance in OIF



- Over 600 out of 1057 AAVs Committed to OIF
- Approximately 200 AAV7A1 and 400 AAV7A1 RAM/RS
- 2 Destroyed, 8 Damaged
- Vehicles Avg. 1000 Miles, and 200 Hours



AAV Performance in OIF



- RAM/RS Versions Demonstrated Superior Speed, Mobility, and Reliability over Non-RAM/RS vehicles
- Lessons Learned
 - All Vehicles Should Be Equipped with EAAK
 - C7 Comm Suite Obsolete.



Impact of OIF & EFV on AAV



- MROC Decision to Reconstitute With RAM/RS Vehicles
- Decision to Build More RAM/RS Vehicles
- Less Supportable Non-RAM Vehicles in the Operating Forces Until Additional RAM/RS Production Complete
- Anticipate Additional Funding for EAAK
- From Initiation of RAM/RS Program (1998) EFV IOC has Changed From 2006 to 2008



Status of RAM/RS Program



- Initial Build of 680 Vehicles Complete 2nd QTR '04
- Planning Additional 327 Vehicles '04-'07 as Follows:
 - FY 04- 60
 - FY 05- 60
 - FY 06- 104
 - FY 07- 103
- FMS Taiwan



Role in Transformation



- The AAV is a Legacy System Acting as a Bridge to a Transformational System
- PM AAV Will Continue Efforts to Maintain and Improve Operational Capabilities Until Anticipated Phase-out.