Northrop Grumman Space Systems



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Northrop Grumman's Four Operating Sectors



Space Systems

Launch Vehicles Propulsion Systems Commercial Satellites Military and Civil Space Systems Science and National Security Satellites Human Space and Advanced Systems Space Components Missile Defense Space Exploration Space ISR Systems GBSD Next Generation Interceptor

Defense Systems



Integrated Air & Missile Defense Defensive Cyber and Information Operations Platform Modernization and Fleet Operations Support Advanced Weapons Precision Munitions Software Systems Modernization and Sustainment

Training and Simulation

Propulsion Systems

Mission Systems



Airborne Sensors and Networks Artificial Intelligence/Machine Learning

> Cyber and Intelligence Mission Solutions

Navigation, Targeting and Survivability

Maritime/Land Systems and Sensors

Engineering & Sciences

Emerging Concepts Development

Multi-domain C2 Agile/DevSecOps Systems

Aeronautics Systems



Autonomous Systems Aerospace Structures Advanced Technologies and Concepts

Aircraft Design, Integration and Manufacturing

Long-range Strike

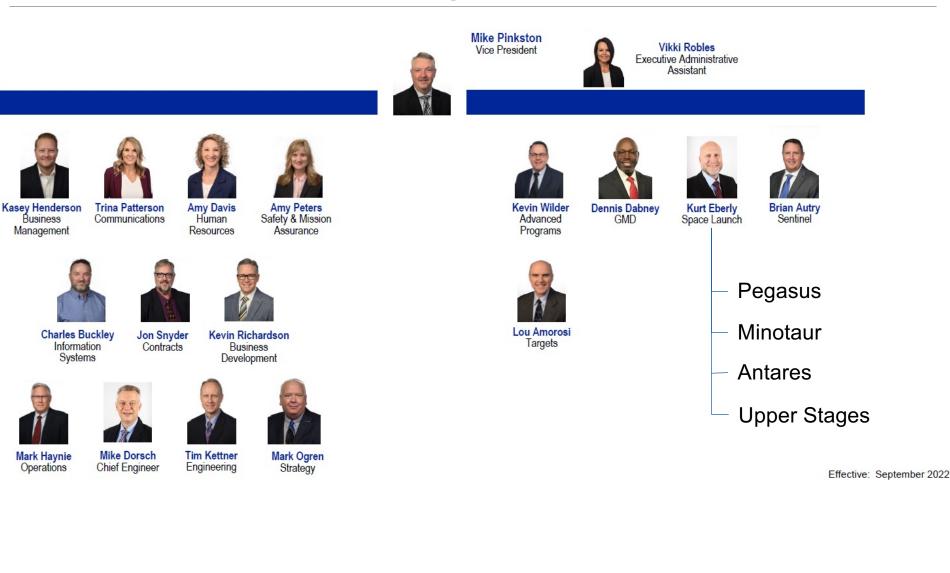
Multi-Domain Integration and Operations

Intelligence, Surveillance and Reconnaissance

Battle Management

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Launch Vehicles Leadership Team

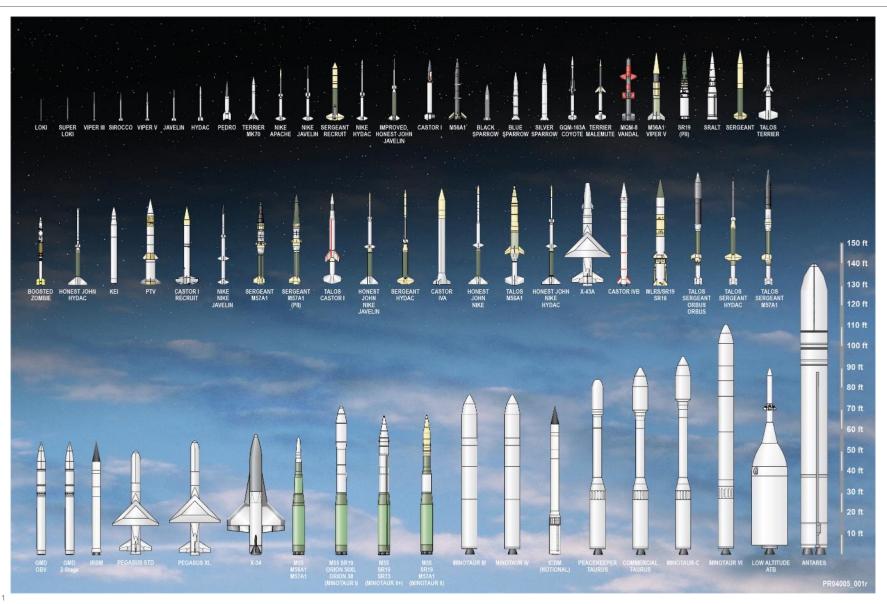




Launch Vehicle Business Unit (LVBU) Locations



Over 65 Booster Configurations Flown with More Under Contract





Minotaur Overview Highlights

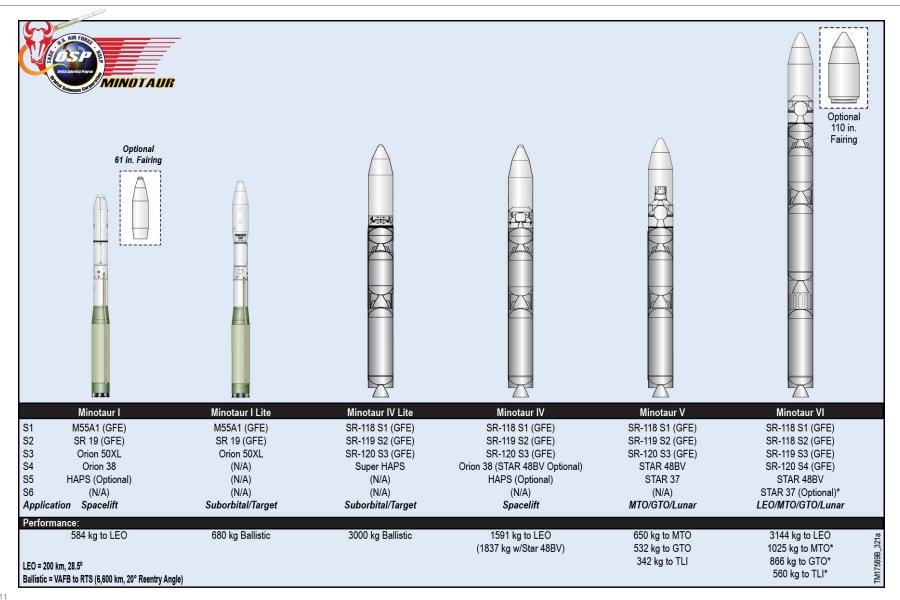
- 97% Success Rate
 - Minotaur I and II: 20/21 Successful Launches
 - Minotaur IV and V: 8 Successful Launches
- Range Safety Approved
 - Qualified Range Safety Components Allow
 Minotaur to Launch from any US Launch Site
 - New Autonomous FTS Developed and Qualified
- Flight Proven
 - Minotaur Maximizes Use of Heritage and Common Hardware Across All Minotaur Vehicles to Minimize Risk
- Flexible Solutions and Mission Tailoring
 - Multi-Payload Adapters and Dual Orbits
 - Mission Specific Guidance Schemes
 - Complex and Challenging Mission Scenarios
 - Mission-Unique Structures, Stages, Sep Systems, and Avionics



MINOTAUR IS A RELIABLE, FLEXIBLE, AND PROVEN LAUNCH SOLUTION

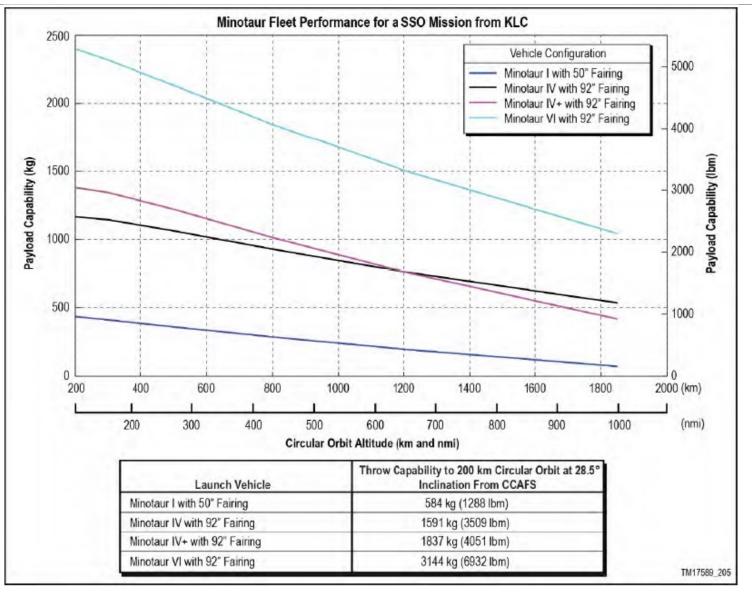


Minotaur Family of Launch Vehicles





Minotaur Fleet Provides a Wide Range of Space Launch Capability



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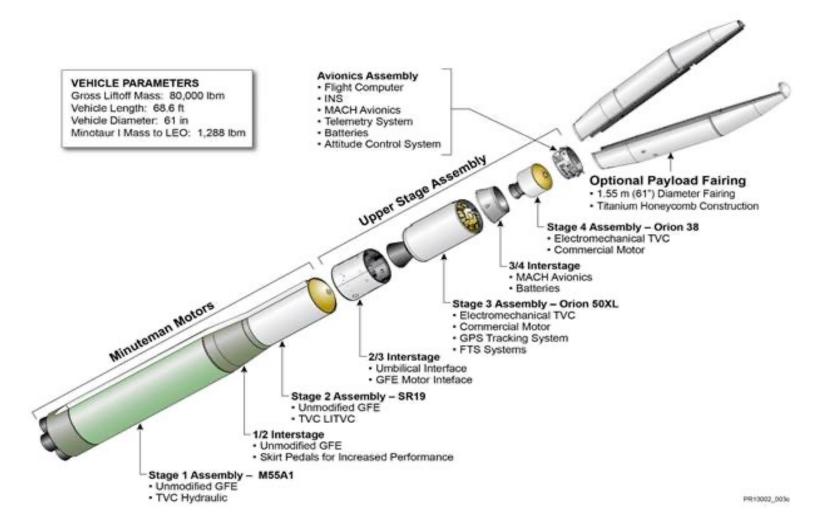
Minotaur I Recent and Current Manifest



- L-111 Mission
 - Minotaur I configuration launched successfully from Wallops Flight Facility Pad 0B on 15 June 2021
 - Launched for NRO via USSF OSP-3 contract
- Suborbital Test Mission
 - Minotaur I configuration
 - Currently planning to launch from Vandenberg SFB in 2023
- Minotaur I is available under USSF OSP-4

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Minotaur I Launch Vehicle Overview



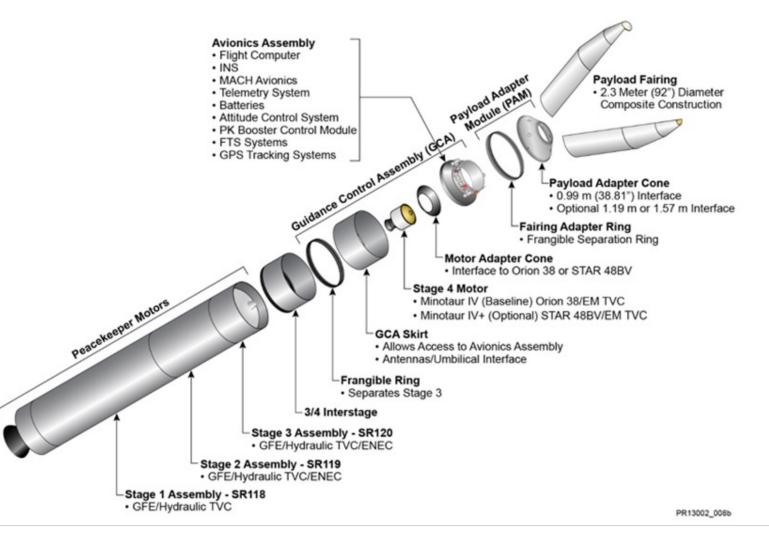


Minotaur IV Recent and Current Manifest



- L-129 Mission
 - Minotaur IV configuration launched successfully from Wallops Flight Facility on 15 July 2020
 - Launched for NRO via USSF
 OSP-3 contract
- L-174 Mission
 - -Minotaur IV configuration
 - Currently planning to launch from
 Vandenberg SFB in Summer
 2023
 - –NRO launch via USSF OSP-3 contract
- Minotaur IV is available under USSF OSP-4

Minotaur IV Launch Vehicle Overview



Expanded View of Minotaur IV Launch Vehicle (Baseline)

L-129 Mission Utilized the MARS Payload Processing Facility (MPPF) and Pad 0B







L-174 Mission will Launch from Vandenberg SLC-08

- NG is working under USSF to refurbish and operate SLC-08
 - Receiving support from VA Space



Minotaur IV has Launched from 4 Different Launch Sites

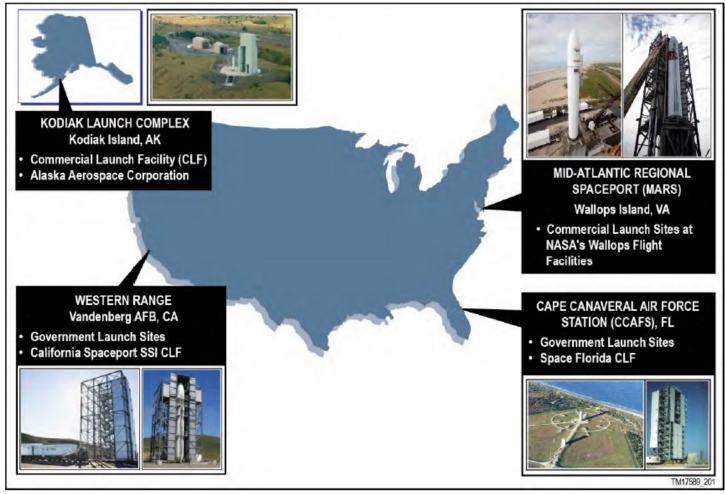


Figure 3.2-1. Flexible Processing and Portable GSE Allows Operations from Multiple Ranges or Austere Site Options

Minotaur Launch Sites and Inclination Ranges

- These are rough estimates
 - For example, 65 deg is likely achievable from WFF

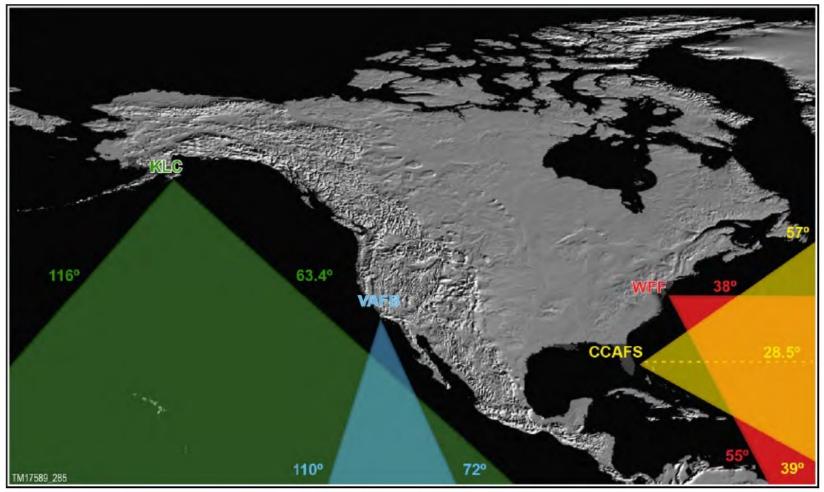
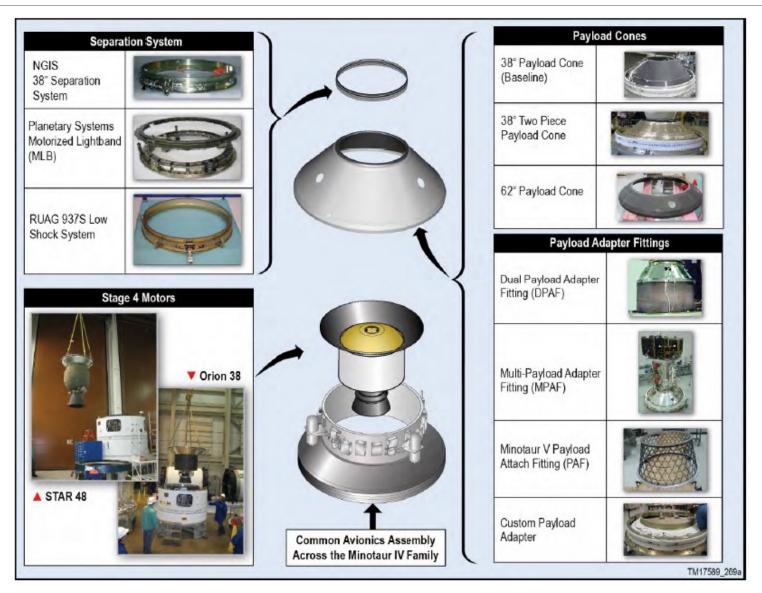


Figure 3.2-2. Launch Site Inclinations

Minotaur Features Flexible Vehicle Design to Meet a Wide Range of Missions

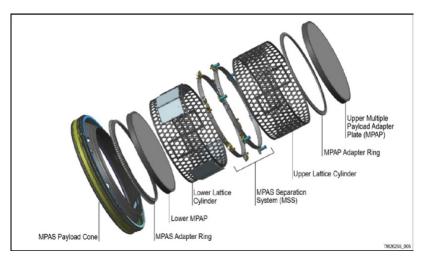


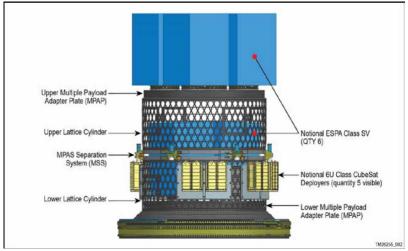


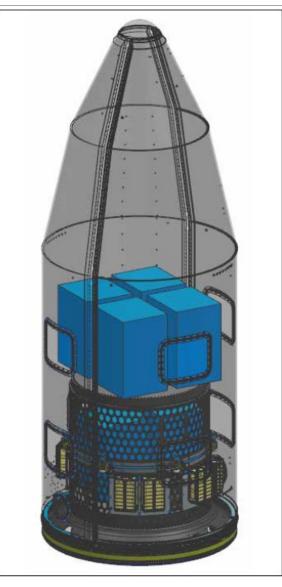
Multi-Payload Adapter System (MPAS) For Minotaur IV

- NG has recently developed and qualified a Multi-Payload Adapter System (MPAS) that allows the Minotaur IV LV to support numerous payload configurations and classes with a focus on:
 - -EELV Secondary Payload Adapter (ESPA) Class SV
 - -Larger than ESPA Class SV
 - -CubeSat Deployers
 - -Other
 - The flexibility and robustness of the design allows the system to support any class of space vehicle

MPAS is Designed to be Configurable to Support a Wide Variety of Multi-Payload Manifests







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