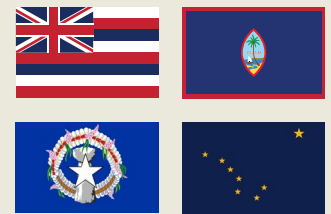




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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE  
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## PACIFIC REGION FACT SHEET



## DOD REPI PROGRAM 2024 INVESTMENTS IN THE PACIFIC REGION

The Department of Defense (DOD)'s Readiness and Environmental Protection Integration (REPI) Program fosters long-term, collaborative partnerships that enhance installation resilience and sustain military readiness across the Pacific. These partnerships help reduce mission threats and preserve key areas essential for testing, training, and operations by safeguarding natural and working lands surrounding installations. By enabling partners to protect and manage landscapes adjacent to military installations, REPI initiatives support DOD's role as a proactive land steward and a trusted partner to neighboring communities.

The Pacific region is a vital area for U.S. national defense, hosting numerous strategic installations and mission-critical infrastructure. As the Department continues to prioritize operations in the Pacific, REPI projects play an essential role in ensuring operational flexibility, resilient installations, and strong communities. In Fiscal Year (FY) 2024, the REPI Program committed over \$33 million to support annual REPI and REPI Challenge projects across Hawai'i, the Marianas Region, and Alaska. These investments are further amplified by substantial partner contributions and funding from other Federal programs.

### FY 2024 ANNUAL REPI PROJECTS\*

Through the REPI Program, the Military Services can enter into cost-sharing agreements with other Federal agencies, state and local governments, and private organizations. Annual REPI projects are developed by military installation staff in partnership with a private organization or state or local government partner and are then submitted through the appropriate Military Service to the REPI Office by the installation staff on an annual basis.

HAWAII: \$15.8M

MARIANAS REGION: \$1.5M

ALASKA: \$6.6M

TOTAL: \$23.9M

### 2024 REPI CHALLENGE PROJECTS\*

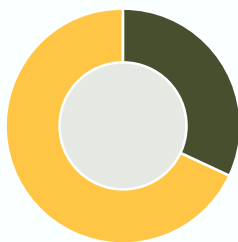
From its 2012 pilot project, the REPI Program designed the REPI Challenge for partners and installations to develop and execute projects that protect critical testing and training capabilities. REPI Challenge projects are introduced by partners, who work in collaboration with military natural resource managers to develop large-scale projects and submit them directly to the REPI Office.

HAWAII: \$7.9M

MARIANAS REGION: \$1.3M

ALASKA: \$156K

TOTAL: \$9.4M



REPI Funds:  
\$9.4M

Partner Contributions:  
\$20.0M

Total: \$29.4M



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\*All funding amounts represent obligations, not actual expenditures.

More information on the REPI Challenge is available [here](https://www.repi.mil).



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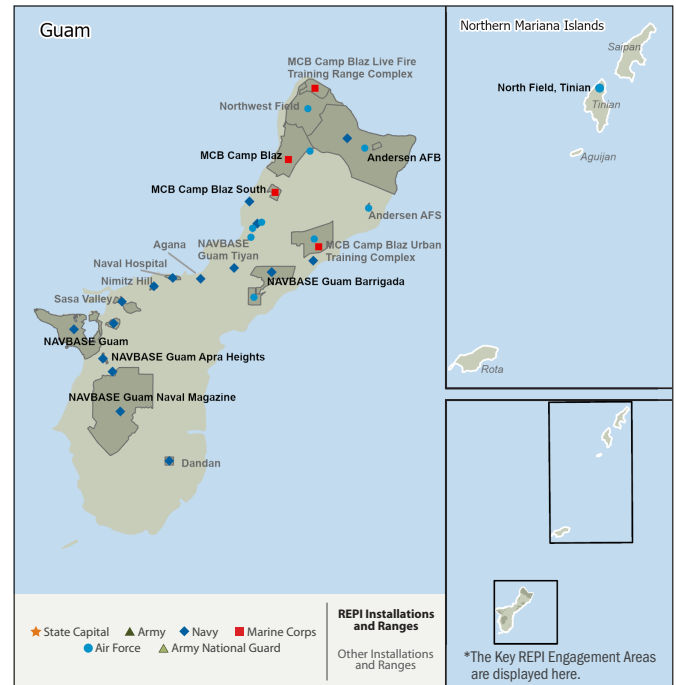
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## FY 2024 ANNUAL REPI PROGRAM PROJECTS IN THE MARIANAS REGION

The Mariana Archipelago—including Guam and the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands (CNMI)—supports critical Department of Defense missions through key installations such as Naval Base Guam, Andersen Air Force Base, Marine Corps Base Camp Blaz, and the Military Lease Area on Tinian. These sites are essential to Joint Region Marianas (JRM) operations and regional force posture across the region.

However, installations in the region face increasing pressure from land use conflicts, habitat degradation, wildland fire threats, and expanding regulatory constraints. In response, the REPI Program provides a proactive tool to reduce operational risk and mitigate increased management costs. By partnering with territorial governments, Federal agencies, and local stakeholders, REPI projects in the Marianas help ensure mission continuity while fostering regional collaboration to address shared priority concerns. These efforts directly enhance installation resilience, reduce future operational constraints, and ensure long-term readiness in a strategically vital region.



## KEY REPI PROGRAM PARTNERS

- CNMI Department of Fire and Emergency Medical Services
- CNMI Department of Fish and Wildlife
- CNMI Department of Lands and Natural Resources
- University of Guam Center for Island Sustainability
- Guam Department of Agriculture
- Guam Preservation Trust
- National Fish and Wildlife Foundation
- Northern Guam Soil and Water Conservation District
- Research Corporation of the University of Guam
- Southern Guam Soil and Water Conservation District
- Tinian Mayor's Office
- University of Guam Marine Laboratory
- University of Guam Western Pacific Tropical Research Center
- U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service
- White Buffalo, Inc.



Limestone forests along northern coast of Guam.



Tachogna Nature Trail Entrance, Tinian.

FY 2024 ANNUAL REPI PROGRAM PROJECTS IN THE MARIANAS REGION	FUNDING
<b>Marianas Region—Navy Hinemlu Forest Restoration (Tinian):</b> This project aims to alleviate regulatory pressures that restrict JRM operational capabilities by partnering with the Tinian Mayor's Office and the CNMI Government on landscape-scale forest restoration. Off-installation habitat improvements include enhanced native limestone forest measures and nursery operations, invasive species removal and outplanting of native species, and strengthened wildfire prevention efforts within the Hinemlu forest.	\$1.5M