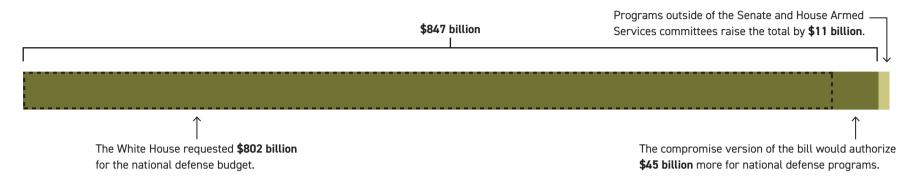


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# \$858 billion NDAA would exceed Biden admin request

A compromise version of the National Defense Authorization Act was released Tuesday that would authorize \$847 billion for the defense budget — \$45 billion more than what was requested by the White House. \$19 billion of the increase is focused on mitigating the effects of inflation. The defense policy bill would total \$858 billion when adding in accounts and defense programs outside the jurisdiction of the Senate and House Armed Services committees.

Attached to the must-pass defense bill is the water resources development bill and several national security bills, including authorization bills for the Coast Guard, State Department and intelligence community.



## The NDAA comprises four divisions:



#### **DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE AUTHORIZATIONS**



## Operation and maintenance

Includes \$800 million in Ukraine security assistance.



#### Military personnel

Includes \$9.7 billion in retiree health fund contributions and \$162.3 billion in personnel appropriations.



#### **Procurement**

Includes \$32.6 billion to the Navy for shipbuilding programs — a \$4.7 billion increase from Biden's request — to buy 11 new ships, three more than requested. Lawmakers also authorized several more

aircrafts than the Air Force requested.



### Research, development, test and evaluation

Includes \$45 million for research on a nuclear sea-launched cruise missile introduced during the Trump administration. fund, etc.



#### Other authorizations

Includes Defense Health Program, working capital



## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY NATIONAL SECURITY AUTHORIZATION AND OTHER AUTHORIZATIONS

Includes \$30 billion for atomic energy defense activities.



#### **MILITARY CONSTRUCTION AUTHORIZATIONS**

Includes \$16 billion for military construction and \$3 billion in family housing authorizations.



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## **OUTSIDE PROGRAMS AND NON-DEFENSE ACCOUNTS**

This portion of the authorized budget includes non-defense programs and defense programs outside of the jurisdiction of the Senate and House Armed Services committees.

## **Key policies included in the fiscal 2023 NDAA**



## Military vaccine mandate overturned

The defense bill would rescind the military's Covid-19 vaccine mandate. Some Republicans threatened to stall the bill if the policy was not addressed.



## Chinese semiconductors

Included in the bill is a proposal by Senate Majority Leader Chuck Schumer to ban federal agencies and contractors from using semiconductor chips produced by a trio of Chinese chipmaking companies.

The ban would take effect over the course of five years.