CE-145C VIGILANCE

CANADA STRATEGICALLY PARTNERS WITH THE U.S. ON KEY DEFENSE PURCHASES

The CE-145C Vigilance is a manned airborne intelligence, surveillance, and reconnaissance aircraft, equipped with state-of-the art sensors and secure communications equipment, that will provide a vital new capability for the Canadian Armed Forces. These aircraft will enable enhanced situational awareness and decision-making during operations.

Mission management system from *Nashville, Tennessee* - L3Harris ForceX

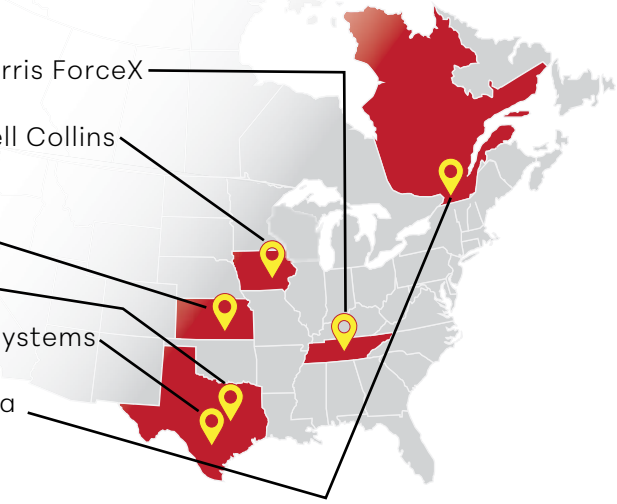
Communications equipment from *Cedar Rapids, Iowa* - Rockwell Collins

Airframe from *Wichita, Kansas* - Beechcraft (Textron)

Integration in *Greenville, Texas* - L3Harris Technologies

Countermeasures dispenser system from *Austin, Texas* - BAE Systems

Engines from *Longueuil, QC Canada* - Pratt and Whitney Canada



CANADA AS A CUSTOMER: UNITED STATES FOREIGN MILITARY SALES

The **U.S. Foreign Military Sales (FMS)** program is a government-to-government program through which the U.S. Government sells conventional military weapons, equipment, and services to allied and friendly nations to strengthen defense relations and enhance interoperability with U.S. forces.

As a strategic ally, Canada's procurement of U.S. FMS goods and services plays a critical role in strengthening both nations' military capabilities while fostering a robust **economic and defense relationship**.

Canadian acquisitions from the U.S. FMS program have **increased by 281%** over the past 7 years, reaching a record **$14.5B USD** in active procurement. This growth directly fuels the U.S. defense industrial base, creating jobs, driving technological innovation, and stimulating economic activity across America's defense sector.

This surge in investment has **tripled the number of active procurements over $100M USD** and underscores Canada's commitment to **high-value, high-impact** acquisitions that further strengthen the U.S.-Canada defense relationship.

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