

# AI-enabled J-Book Writer

## Empowering Air Force Financial Management for a Stronger Future

MANTECH brings unparalleled expertise and a proven track record to ensure the success for DAF Financial Management, with over a century of Financial Management & Comptroller Services experience.

Our integrated approach dismantles silos and fosters a collaborative environment, ensuring every objective complements the others through effective communication.

**Challenges:** DAF Financial Managers often encounter hurdles in critical areas that impact efficiency and strategic clarity, particularly with budget justification (J-Book) processes. These include:

- **Fragmented J-Book Tools:** The DAF currently relies on four separate J-Book writing tools (IDECS, EAS, MIDAS and KDSS), leading to inefficiencies, data inconsistencies and a lack of a unified approach to budget justification.
- **Manual and Time-Consuming Processes:** The current fragmented landscape of J-Book tools often results in manual data entry, duplication of effort and extended timelines for budget submissions.
- **Lack of Integrated Insights:** Disparate data from multiple tools prevent comprehensive analytical insights, making it challenging to make informed decisions and accurately justify budgetary needs.
- **Workforce Skill Gaps & Training Deficiencies:** Managing and operating multiple, disconnected J-Book tools can create skill gaps and necessitate extensive training on each individual system, hindering workforce readiness.

**Solutions:** MANTECH provides comprehensive, integrated solutions designed to directly address these challenges and drive DAF financial management success:

- **Unified AI-Enabled J-Book Writing Tool:** MANTECH will consolidate the existing four J-Book writing tools (IDECS, EAS, MIDAS and KDSS) into one unified, AI-enabled tool. This solution will leverage OneStream, an industry-best Corporate Performance Management (CPM) tool, and integrate with state-of-the-art Large Language Models



(LLMs) to create the first fully unified AI-enabled J-Book writing tool for the DAF.

- **Streamlined J-Book Development:** By unifying the tools, we will automate and streamline the J-Book writing process, reducing manual effort, minimizing errors and accelerating the preparation and submission of budget justifications.
- **Advanced Data Analytics for Decision Superiority:** Our team of data scientists and FM SMEs will leverage the integrated data within the new unified tool to create actionable insights driving informed resourcing decisions and more robust and accurate budget justifications.
- **Enhanced Workforce Competency & Readiness:** A single, intuitive AI-enabled J-Book tool will simplify training, enhance user proficiency and ensure a highly competent and ready workforce capable of efficiently managing the DAF's budget justification needs.



**Outcomes:** By partnering with MANTECH, DAF Financial Managers can expect significant positive outcomes:

- **Program Success:** Our program management ensures effective supervision, quality control, timely issue identification and adherence to standards, demonstrated by 88% Exceptional Ratings in CPARS.
- **Clear Strategic Direction & Guidance:** The establishment of a unified J-Book writing process and the associated strategic documents provide executive-level clarity, guide long-term planning, and ensure unified organizational focus on key budget objectives.
- **Enhanced Workforce Competency & Readiness:** A fully compliant and highly certified workforce equipped with improved skills through high-quality, continuous training on the unified J-Book tool and effective competency tracking.
- **A Culture of Data-Driven Decision Making:** Leaders are empowered with timely, actionable insights delivered through dynamic dashboards generated by the AI-enabled J-Book tool, fostering a culture where informed decisions become the standard operating procedure for budget justification.
- **Improved Collaboration & Digital Engagement:** Dismantled silos create a cohesive and collaborative environment, supported by a reliable and secure digital hub that improves communication and expands mission-aligned engagement across the force, particularly in budget preparation and justification.

**Why MANTECH:** MANTECH's deep understanding of DAF Financial Management, coupled with our integrated approach and proven leadership, makes us the ideal partner to achieve your strategic goals:

- **Strategic Partnership:** We build trust and open communication, fostering a "digital first culture" that provides an executable strategy and roadmap for organizational transformation and agility.
- **Mission-Critical Expertise:** We have a proven track record of modernizing government technology and transforming operations with scalable cloud solutions, including our expertise in AI and LLM integration.
- **Security-First Approach:** Our cybersecurity-first approach ensures national security is prioritized at every step, particularly with sensitive budget data.
- **Business Intelligence Proficiency:** We specialize in interpreting complex data and delivering meaningful insights through powerful, visually compelling AI tools and dashboards.

## Let's Modernize Federal Government Together

Connect with us to explore how MANTECH can empower your organization.



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