General Fund Enterprise Business Systems (GFEBS)

MISSION
Provides a new core financial management capability that is compliant with congressional mandates, administers the Army’s General Fund, and improves performance, standardizes processes, and meets future needs.

DESCRIPTION
The Army will implement a commercial off-the-shelf Enterprise Resource Planning (ERP) system that meets the requirements of the Chief Financial Officers Act and the Federal Financial Management Improvement Act of 1996, and that is capable of supporting the Department of Defense with accurate, reliable, and timely financial information. The General Fund Enterprise Business Systems (GFEBS) implementation involves standardizing financial management, accounting functions, real property inventory, and management across the Army. As a result, Army financial and real property professionals will have access to timely, reliable, and accurate information. GFEBS will also improve cost management and control, allow more time to perform financial analysis, and facilitate a more accurate understanding of the value, location, and characteristics of all property. GFEBS will provide a comprehensive system for many of the Army’s financial and accounting functions including general ledger, accounts payable, revenue and accounts receivable, cost management, financial reporting, and real property inventory and management. GFEBS will deploy to an estimated 79,000 warfighters at more than 200 sites. Anticipated benefits to be realized are $960 million between FY10 and Life Cycle FY22.

SYSTEM INTERDEPENDENCIES
None

PROGRAM STATUS
- 2QFY08: Successful Milestone B decision
- 3QFY08: Developmental testing for release 1.2
- 3QFY08: Begin build phase of second production release (release 1.3)
- 1QFY09: “Go-Live” of first production release
- 1QFY09: Limited user test
- 2QFY09: “Go-Live” of release 1.3
- 2QFY09: Milestone C and move to production and deployment/operations and support phase
- 3QFY09: Full Army-wide deployment of release 1.3
- 3QFY09: Successful Milestone C decision
- 1QFY10: Successful release 1.4 “Go-Live”
- 1QFY10: Limited user testing of release 1.4
- 2QFY10: Successful release 1.4 “Go-Live” to Medical Command
- 2QFY10: Limited pre-deployment authorization for Wave 2
- 3QFY10–4QFY10: Follow-on operational test and evaluation

PROJECTED ACTIVITIES
- Continue: Full deployment decision approval
- 1QFY11: Deploy release 1.4.2
- 3QFY11: Release 1.4.3 and move to full Army-wide deployment/operations and support phase
FOREIGN MILITARY SALES
None

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System Integrator: Accenture (Reston, VA)
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