

F-35A Training Basing

ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT STATEMENT

ENVIRONMENTAL RESOURCE AREAS



The environmental resource areas analyzed include:

Aircraft Operations

- › Airspace Management and Use
- › Noise
- › Air Quality
- › Safety
 - ┆ Ground Safety
 - ┆ Airfield Safety
 - ┆ Explosives Safety

Natural Resources

- › Soils and Water
 - ┆ Soils
 - ┆ Surface Water
 - ┆ Floodplains
 - ┆ Groundwater
- › Vegetation and Wildlife
- › Wetlands and Aquatic Communities
- › Threatened, Endangered and Special Status Species

Cultural and Traditional Resources

- › Archaeological, Historic Architectural, Traditional and Native American Concerns

Human Resources

- › Land Use and Recreation
- › Socioeconomics
- › Environmental Justice and Protection of Children

Community and Infrastructure

- › Infrastructure
- › Transportation
- › Hazardous Materials and Waste

As part of the Draft Environmental Impact Statement (EIS), the Air Force analyzed potential environmental impacts associated with changes in personnel, construction and renovation of facilities, and training activities in existing military airspace, auxiliary airfields and ranges.

Following the EIS Record of Decision, a Mitigation Plan will be prepared to address specific mitigations identified and agreed to during the EIS process. Mitigations are put in place to mitigate or reduce environmental impacts.

