

Summary of Army Development of 2.75-inch Rocket Components

Fuses:

PD M423/427:

QMDO.....

R. & D. initiated.....

1st production contract.....

May 1963.

June 1963.

June 1964.

Proximity fuse XM429:

QMDO.....

R. & D. initiated.....

1st production contract.....

June 1963.

February 1966.

March 1967.

Warheads:

HE M151:

QMDO.....

R. & D. initiated.....

1st production contract.....

June 1963.

March 1963.

November 1964.

WP M156:

QMDO.....

R. & D. initiated.....

1st production contract.....

May 1963.

March 1965.

June 1965.

HE XM229:

QMDO.....

R. & D. initiated.....

1st production contract.....

December 1965.

November 1966.

November 1967.

2.75-INCH ROCKET FUSE AND WARHEAD METAL PARTS PROCUREMENT

SUMMARY—FISCAL YEARS 1964 AND 1965

Item	Quantity	Value	Actions	Contracts
M423 Fuse.....	1,640,000	\$10,102,676	10	12
M427 Fuse.....	206,000	1,232,395	2	2
M151 WHD.....	1,670,000	16,690,640	8	9
E-13 WHD.....	118,000	864,078	1	1
Component parts.....		8,360	2	2
Casing burster.....	119,000	89,250	1	1
Total.....		28,987,399	24	27

SUMMARY FISCAL YEAR 1966

M423 Fuse.....	3,817,490	\$21,523,374	14	22
M427 Fuse.....	2,420,337	13,819,766	11	14
M151 WHD.....	4,847,700	38,326,857	14	22
M156 WHD.....	625,513	3,877,710	4	4
Rotors M427.....	500,000	210,000	1	1
Rocket motor (LAP).....	1,820,000	1,226,115	1	1
WHD castings.....	100,000	450,000	1	1
Casing burster.....	212,350	122,101	1	1
Total.....		79,555,924	47	66

DEGREE OF RESPONSE

Item	Number solicited	Number responses
Competitive (all items).....		
M-151.....	570	65
M-156.....	324	20
Fuses.....	80	8
	166	37