

TABLE 4 Typical Airborne Remote Sensing System Costs

	ANNUAL LEASE ESTIMATES*	PURCHASE ESTIMATES**
Sensors		
Synthetic Aperture Radar (SAR)	4,500,000 U.S.	7,100,000 U.S.
Forward Looking Infrared (FLIR)	500,000	800,000
Infrared Linescanner	400,000	600,000
Photographic/E/O System	200,000	300,000
Aircraft		
Two aircraft platforms, one twin engine, one single engine including parts and spares	2,000,000	3,900,000
Training	19,000	200,000
Staffing	2,500,000	2,500,000/year
Carrying Costs	<u> - </u>	<u>1,700,000</u>
TOTAL	10,119,000	17,100,000

* These costs include all associated costs to provide a complete turn key service for a one year airborne reconnaissance program including 300 missions for a total of 2000 flying hours.

** These costs do not include costs for maintenance, depreciation and operations.