

“During the demonstration in the Weapons School’s Integration phase, WIDOW proved itself as a “must have” mission planning tool — a key enabler for conducting joint all domain operations at the speed of relevance. WIDOW exponentially accelerated our ability to plan the integration of numerous complex warfighting capabilities, facilitating execution at a tempo that outpaces any potential adversary, ensuring a decisive warfighting advantage for our joint team.”

“I wanted to pass along my personal thanks for all the fantastic work you and your team did to bring WIDOW to WSINT 20A! I think it was a resounding success and we absolutely must maintain the momentum we have to get this application to our operational warfighters.”

“We’ll be happy to keep utilizing WIDOW across the board for USAFWC events as we continue down the path towards making it a fielded capability for our joint & coalition team.”

-- Major General Corcoran, USAFWC/CC

“COVID forced the Weapons School to execute our first distributed tactical-integration exercise with participants from more than ten geographically separated locations across the CONUS—WIDOW helped synchronize mission planning to ensure safe and effective execution of highly complex air, space, and cyberspace operations designed to solve our toughest potential tactical problems. The threat may force us to operate from distributed locations in the future. WIDOW is helping the Weapons School prepare the force to WIN!”

-- Col Jack "Winder" Arthaud, USAFWS/CO

“WIDOW is a long-overdue step toward achieving real-time collaboration in a distributed Mission Planning Cell environment. It significantly streamlined the fight admin and let our experts focus on the tactical problem at hand. The agility and responsiveness of the BrainGu team is unbelievably fast--better than anything I’ve seen in my 13 years of active duty service.”

-- Maj Brandon "BK" Kelly

"WIDOW is a critical capability that enables synchronized joint mission planning across the DoD across multiple time zones. It upgrades our mission planning processes from 60s era whiteboard-style information gathering to limitless cloud-based collaboration. The added capability that WIDOW has brought to the USAFWS WSINT phase has saved countless man-hours and freed up critical resources to focus on mission planning. I look forward to capabilities such as chat, planning spaces, file sharing, and audio/video teleconference, that WIDOW may leverage in the future to enhance distributed mission planning and collaboration."

-- Maj Chris "Blitz" Smith

“Distributed planning and execution for tactical air operations is a requirement for current and future operations. WIDOW represents the first concrete step toward an enterprise solution to this issue. WIDOW's strength lies in the ability of developers to implement immediate changes based on operator feedback. The collaborative environment that WIDOW provides has allowed tactical planners to share information quickly and accurately across geographically separated units, reducing the administrative burden on planners and increasing focus on tactical execution.”

-- Maj Shahin "Robot" Namazi

“WIDOW has dramatically changed distributed ops for tanker planning. It provides an interactive, virtual white board for AAR requests and tanker plans. Not only does this save valuable time for tanker planners, but it ensures all players are aware of CTs, offloads, altitudes, and location more effectively and safely.”

-- Capt Patrick "RIP" Kilbane

"WIDOW was extremely helpful in the mission planning process in the training environment"

-- Capt Patrick "Trauma" Ryan

"WIDOW has streamlined much of the time-consuming and error prone processes involved with mission planning. Given the distributed MPC construct we are forced to work with during COVID-19, WIDOW has significantly helped us be more efficient and effective."

-- Capt Ian Maier

"Distributed mission planning is a brutal reality, but WIDOW significantly decreases the amount of time we spent working on admin and formatting excel sheets. This allowed the bulk of our focus to be spent refining the tactical plan. I loved it. I think WIDOW is the future of mission planning. Literally click one button, and it builds the product for you. It couldn't get any easier or faster."

-- Capt Alex "Tuna" Plonk