

MULTIPURPOSE MENU DISPLAYS (MPDS)

There are two MPDs in the front cockpit. They display system data, sensor video, and weapon information in monochromatic format.



1. BIT Indicator. A magnetically controlled BIT ball rolls over to indicate white when an MPD / MPCD has failed.
2. Pushbuttons 1-20, numbered counterclockwise from the upper button on the left side of the display to the left button on the top of the display. Legends are positioned adjacent to each pushbutton to advise the crew of the modes and options selectable for operation of the onboard systems.
3. MPD Brightness Switch is a two-position rocker switch that adjusts the black level on the selected MPD.
4. MPD Contrast Switch is a two-position rocker switch that controls the raster contrast (shades of grey) and stroke brightness.
5. MPD Power Switch is a two-position rocker switch that provide electrical power to the MPD. The MPDs do not turn on automatically and have to be manually switched on.

For more information about the available menu displays refer to the chapter [Multipurpose Menu Displays](#).