

**Question for written answer E-001330/2019  
to the Council  
Rule 130  
John Stuart Agnew (ENF)**

Subject:     Athena costs

There are currently six active EU military operations funded by the Athena mechanism:

EUFOR ALTHEA (Bosnia Herzegovina)

EUNAVFOR ATALANTA (Horn of Africa)

EU Training Mission Somalia

EU Training Mission Mali

EUNAVFOR MED

EU Training Mission RCA

What is the estimated cost at completion of these ventures?

Under the financial umbrella of Athena, what was the final total cost of the completed missions and operations?

The Athena mechanism is not part of EU budget, and it is funded by the contributing Member States based on their respective Gross National Income (GNI). The contributing Member States also provide equipment such as ships and aircraft – on what basis are these provisions made?