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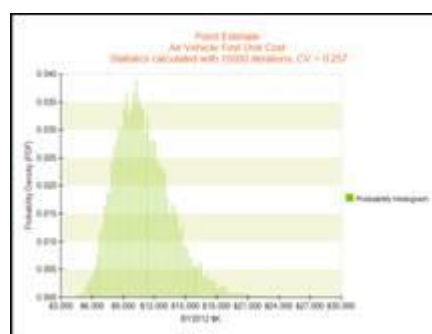
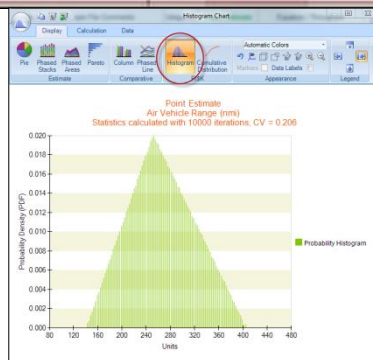
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Tip of the Month

Did you ever want to see whether the resulting ACE RISK distribution looks like the distribution shape you entered? ACE allows you to create a histogram so you can see the distribution for the row. From the *Air Vehicle Range* row in the 02a example session (shown below), click on **Reports > View Charts** or click the  button on the toolbar. Select Histogram to view the RISK distribution.

WBS/SES Description	Unique ID	Point Estimate	Equation / Throughput	Distribution Form	FE Position in	Low (Value)	High (Value)	Low (Percentile)	High (Percentile)	
EXAMPLE FILE										
Estimate										
Total		\$ 34,651,816 (38%) *								
Manufacturing	MANF	\$ 65,704,888 (48%) *								
Air Vehicle	AVS	\$ 59,743,207 (45%) *		AV_UCS						
Integration		\$ 6,981,481 (82%) *	6.15 * AVS	Triangular	Mode					
DEPI		\$ 25,426,735 (29%) *	0.37 * ROPS	Triangular	Mode					
Other		\$ 126,283 (03%) *	Cost Throughput	Normal	Mode					
INPUT VARIABLES										
Air Vehicle First Unit Cost	AV_UCS	\$ 16,221,728 (46%) *	199 * 761 * 243 + 188 * RANGE + 822	Lognormal	Mode					
Air Vehicle Buy Quantity	BuyQty	7 *	Input Throughput							
Air Vehicle Learning Slope	AVLSlope	98 *								
Technical Performance Characteristics										
Air Vehicle Takeoff Weight (lbs)	TW	12000.00 (21%) *		12000	Triangular	Mode		7.50	77.50	
Air Vehicle Range (nm)	RANGE	250.00 (42%) *		250	Triangular	Mode	200	320	12.50	82.50



The distribution for this row is intuitive; a triangular distribution yields a triangle. What happens on the *Air Vehicle First Unit Cost* row, which is a mix of two triangular distributions and a lognormal distribution? The ACE Histogram chart lets you see the resulting distribution shape.

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ACEIT Training Schedule

	Sep	Oct	Nov
ACEIT 101: Introduction to ACE, CO\$TAT and POST	23-26 WDC	22-25 WDC	19-22 WDC
Joint Analysis of Cost Schedule - (JACS)	9-10 WDC		

On-Site and Mechanics Training are available, contact [ACEIT Training](#) for more information

ACEIT Certification/Compliance Documentation

Certification/Compliance Document	Agency	Version	Issued
AF E/APL – Certified Air Force Evaluated/Approved Products List	Air Force	7.x	29 May 13
Army CoN – Army Certificate of Networthiness	Army	7.3/7.3a 7.2	14 Oct 11 26 May 10
VPAT – Voluntary Product Accessibility Template	various	7.2, 7.3	24 Oct 11
NMCI – Navy/Marine Corps Intranet	Navy	7.1, 7.3 7.3a	28 Dec 11 12 Jul 13
US Dept of Education - Client Software Accessibility Review (Section 508)	Dept of Ed	6.1a	30 Jun 05
US Dept of Homeland Security ACEIT designated National Protection and Programs Directorate (NPPD) mandated cost estimating tool Memorandum	DHS	Any	Apr 2013
ACAT I and II ACEIT Requirement Memorandum	Army	Any	15 Apr 04
Microsoft Gold Application Development Competency (10th Year)	various	Any	15 Feb 13

To view the documents, visit the [Compliance Documentation](#) page on aceit.com.

ACEIT Version Compatibility

ACEIT is designed to run in a Microsoft Windows operating system. Some ACEIT applications, such as CO\$TAT and POST, require Microsoft Office to run. Please see the table below for version compatibility:

ACEIT Version (release date)	Windows OS Version	Microsoft Office Version
7.3a (March 2012)	XP, Vista, Windows 7 (32 or 64-bit)	2003, 2007, 2010 (32-bit only)
7.3 (April 2011)	XP, Vista, Windows 7 (32 or 64-bit)	2003, 2007, 2010 (32-bit only)
7.2a-003 (July 2010)	XP, Vista, Windows 7 (32 or 64-bit)	2003, 2007, 2010 (32-bit only)
7.2a (April 2010) 7.2 (Dec 2009)	XP, Vista	2003, 2007

View your ACEIT version and release date by selecting **Help>About** in any ACEIT application.



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