



**2003 TACTICAL WHEELED VEHICLES  
CONFERENCE**

**“TACTICAL WHEELED VEHICLES:  
DELIVERING THE VISION”**

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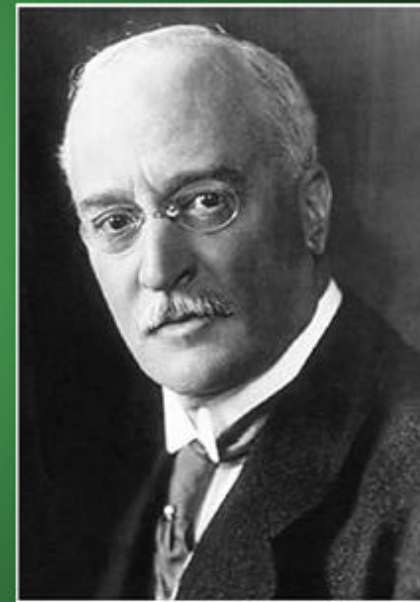
# TRIVIA QUESTION

**WHO INVENTED THE  
DIESEL ENGINE ?**



# TRIVIA ANSWER

**RUDOLF DIESEL**  
**1858 - 1913**



# GLOBAL OPERATIONS

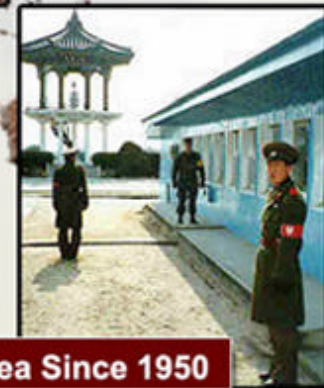
Europe Since 1944



Balkans Since 1995



SW Asia Since 1990



Korea Since 1950



Sinai Since 1982



# GLOBAL CHALLENGES CONTINUE

- Crime
- WMD
- Terrorism



**Asymmetric Threats**



**Major Theater War**



**Uncertain Opponents  
With Global Tentacles**

- Attack
- Protect
- Exploit



**Rapidly Changing  
Information Technology**



**Complex Terrain**



# DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE PRIORITIES

1. WIN THE GLOBAL WAR ON TERRORISM
2. STRENGTHEN JOINT WARFIGHTING CAPABILITIES
3. TRANSFORM THE JOINT FORCE
4. OPTIMIZE INTELLIGENCE CAPABILITIES
5. IMPROVE FORCE MANNING



# DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE PRIORITIES

6. NEW CONCEPTS OF GLOBAL ENGAGEMENT
7. COUNTER THE PROLIFERATION OF WMD
8. HOMELAND SECURITY
9. STREAMLINE DOD PROCESSES
10. IMPROVE INTERAGENCY PROCESS,  
FOCUS AND INTEGRATION



# REALIZING THE ARMY VISION

- PEOPLE
- READINESS
- TRANSFORMATION



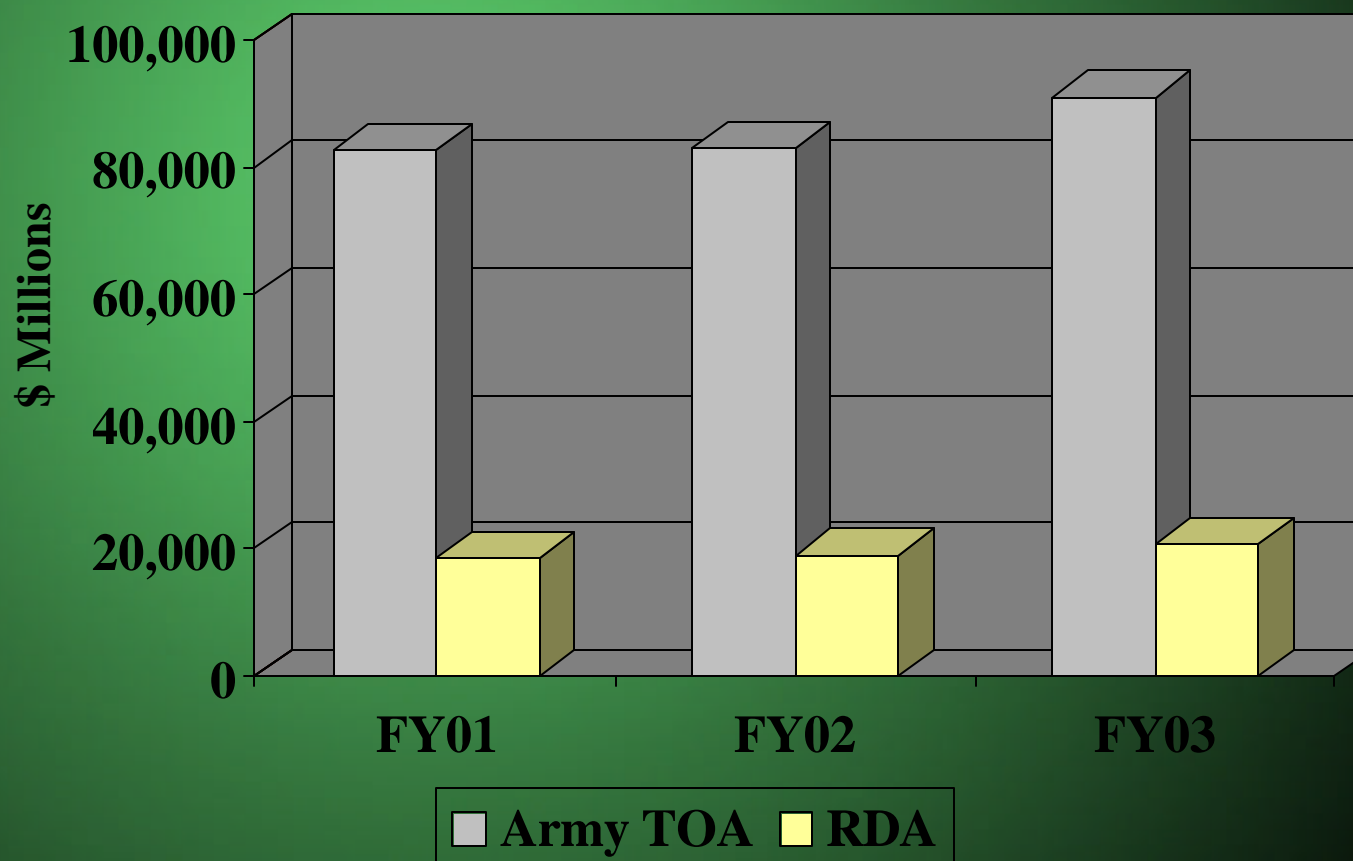


# ARMY TOA VS. RDA

(Constant FY03 Dollars)

*\* Army TOA increased 10%  
from FY01-03*

*\* RDA increased 10.2% from  
FY01-03*



\* Data based on National Defense Budget Estimate for the FY2003 (Green Book)



# TRANSFORMATIONAL SYSTEMS

FUTURE COMBAT SYSTEMS

OBJECTIVE FORCE WARRIOR

C4ISR

UNMANNED SYSTEMS



# TRANSFORMATIONAL SYSTEMS

COMANCHE

STRYKER

WARFIGHTER INFORMATION NETWORK -  
TACTICAL

FAMILY OF MEDIUM TACTICAL VEHICLES

JOINT TACTICAL RADIO SYSTEM



# ACQUISITION TRANSFORMATION

EVOLUTIONARY ACQUISITION

SPIRAL DEVELOPMENT

LEAD SYSTEMS INTEGRATOR

HEADQUARTERS REALIGNMENT

ARMY CONTRACTING AGENCY



# LOGISTICS TRANSFORMATION

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**ENHANCE STRATEGIC DEPLOYABILITY**

**ENHANCE STRATEGIC MOBILITY**

**OPTIMIZE THE LOGISTICS FOOTPRINT**

**REDUCE THE COST OF LOGISTICS SUPPORT**



# THE FUTURE

**SUSTAIN A HIGH STATE OF READINESS**  
**PRESERVE WELL-BEING OF OUR PEOPLE**  
**MAINTAIN IRREVERSIBLE MOMENTUM**  
**TOWARD ARMY TRANSFORMATION**

**WIN THE NATION'S WARS**







God Bless You,  
God Bless the Great Work You Do,  
and God Bless America.

