Joint Integration and Interoperability of Special Operations (JIISO)

Joint Test and Evaluation (JT&E)







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Purpose



To provide information concerning the JIISO JT&E and JIISO's contributions to Net Centric Interoperability.



JIISO JT&E Chartered by OSD



JIISO JT&L

- Authority: Signed effective 11 Feb 04 by Dep Dir, Air Warfare, DOT&E
- Mission: Three year charter (Feb 04 Mar 07) to ...
 - Improve the operational effectiveness of joint integration and interoperability (I&I) of Special Operations Forces (SOF) and Conventional Forces (CF)
 - Test and evaluate the I&I of SOF and CF during planning and execution of maneuver and fire support coordination during tactical operations
 - Focus is to evaluate JTTP and supporting system of systems (SoS)
 - Develop test products to support joint operational, training, and acquisition communities and make recommendations to improve doctrine, organization, training and education, materiel, leadership, personnel and facilities (DOTMLPF)
- Participants
 - USSOCOM is the lead Service/executive agent for JIISO
 - USJFCOM and USMC are co-sponsors
 - Services and Unified Commands are participants
- Reporting channel
 - Joint Test Director reports to Dep Dir, Air Warfare, DOT&E via JT&E PM



General Officer Steering Committee (GOSC)



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Name	Position
LTG Wagner (Co-Chair)	DCDR United States Joint Forces Command (USJFCOM)
VADM Olson (Co-Chair)	DCDR United States Special Operations Command (USSOCOM)
To Be Determined	ASD Special Operations and Low Intensity Conflict
MG Parker	CG JFK Special Warfare Center and School
RADM Zelibor	Director of Global Operations, United States Strategic Command
Maj Gen Peterson	Director Operations & Training, DCS Air & Space Operations, Air Staff
Mr. Crisp	Deputy Director Air Warfare, DOT&E, OSD
BG Risher	Director Center for Knowledge & Futures, USSOCOM and President, Joint Special Operations University
BGen Neller	Director Operations; Plans, Policies & Operations; HQ USMC
Brig Gen Burda	Director of Operations, Air Force Special Operations Command
BG Freakley	Commander, Army Infantry Center
RDML Mahon	Director Deep Blue, CNO Staff



JIISO Mentors



Name	Position
William Tangney (LTG [Ret])	Senior Mentor
Stephen Moore (SES-4)	Dir Joint Training, Analysis and Simulation Center, USJFCOM
Steven Derganc (SES-2)	Dir Joint Interoperability and Integration (JI&I), USJFCOM J8
Jack Zavin (GS-15)	Chief Information Interoperability, Architecture and Interoperability, OASD for Networks and Information Integration
Dr. Bob Bell (GS-15)	Scientific Advisor, Marine Corps Operational Test and Evaluation Activity



Mission Statement



To improve and streamline the Joint Force Commander's integration and interoperability of Special Operations Forces (SOF) and Conventional Forces (CF) during planning and execution of maneuver and fire support coordination to generate more timely actions and increased opportunities with less potential for fratricide.



Scope



Operational Scenario

- Combat operations primarily associated with a "less than fully mature battlespace, less than major conflict."
- Contiguous and non-contiguous battlespace
- Distributed forces

Organizations: JTF and below (SOF and CF)

- Fire support coordination and liaison elements
- Current and future operations groups
- Joint fires assets

Emphasis on TTP

Maneuver Issues

- Integration of planning and execution
- Assignment/assumption of battlespace
- C2, maneuver and airspace control measures

Fire Support Coordination Issues

- C2 of lethal fires and fire support coordination measures
- Fratricide avoidance

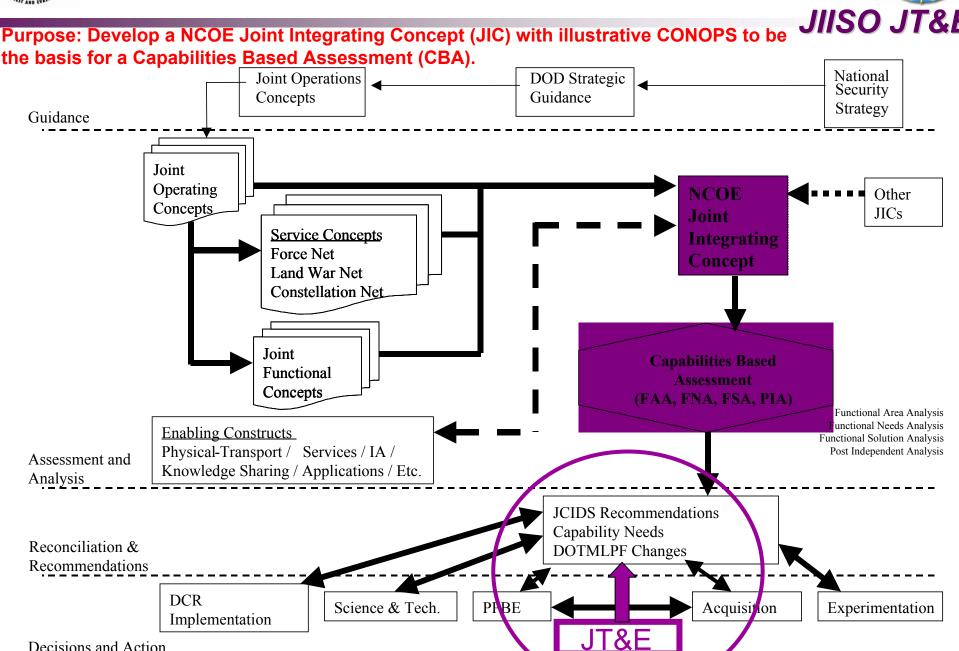


Decisions and Action

Environment (NCOE) Project Brief 1-12-05

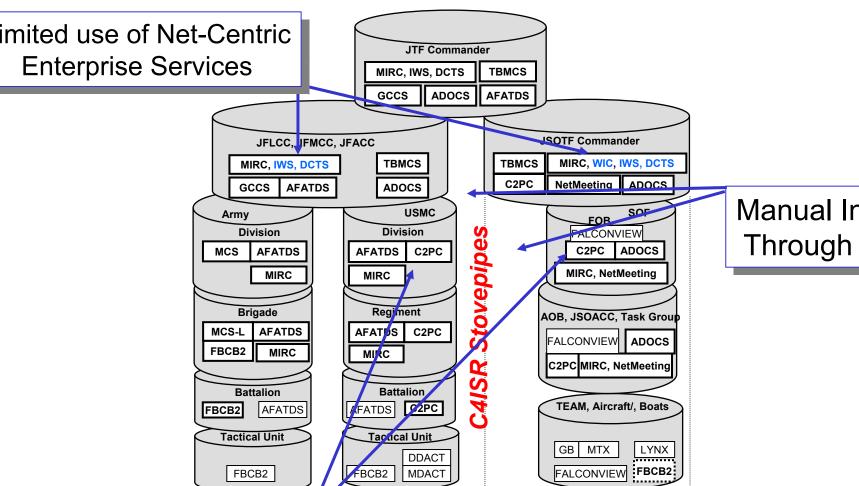
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"As-Is" SOF/CF C2 Interoperability





Manual Interface Through "LNOs"

Lack of Client Server Interoperability

Inconsistent Stovepipe Situational Awareness



Test Concept



- Three field tests (FT) prior to JIISO closeout in March 07
- Leverage scheduled exercises as test venues
 - Most affordable and least disruptive to training and deployment cycles
 - Venues:
 - Primary FTX
 - Secondary CPX
 - First FT is planned for Joint Readiness Training Center (in May 05)
 - Joint National Training Capability (JNTC) exercises are also good opportunities for testing based on force participation, and inclusion of JT&E exercise objectives
 - OCONUS Chairman's exercises outside USCENTCOM theater least impacted by current deployment tempo

Products Development Process

JIISO JT&E

Gather Information

Analyze Information

Decide

AD HOC TTP & SOP proven during operations that do not require further testing

SOF/CF rubs that can be fixed, but enhancements require field testing

Outside JIISO Scope/Capability



JRTC 05-07 May 05 Field Tests

Hand Off to Others

Resultant Products

Suidelines, TTP Handbooks; Other Doctrine, Organization Training and Materiel Recommendations, and Graphic Training Aids

• CF - SOF Integration & Interoperability Handbook

SOF - CF Tactical Situation

Awareness Handbook



Interoperability Handbook



- Vetted with SOF and CF communities
- To be introduced in April 05 to units participating in FT1

Handbook Chapters

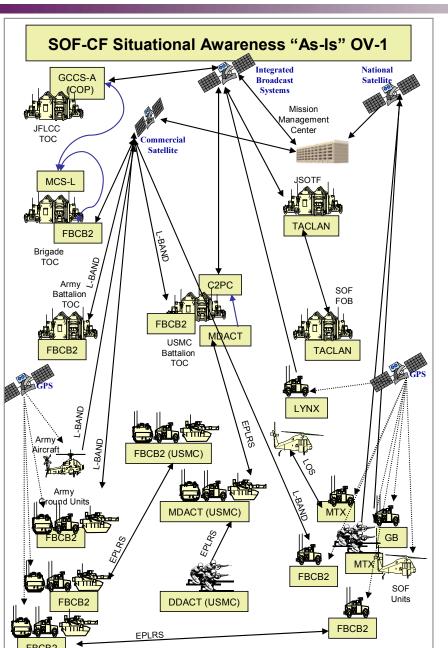
Integration and Interoperability Command and Control Liaison and Control Elements

- Characteristics and Capabilities/ Limitations
- Planning Integrated Operations
- Joint Fire Support
- Intelligence



Situational Awareness Handbook



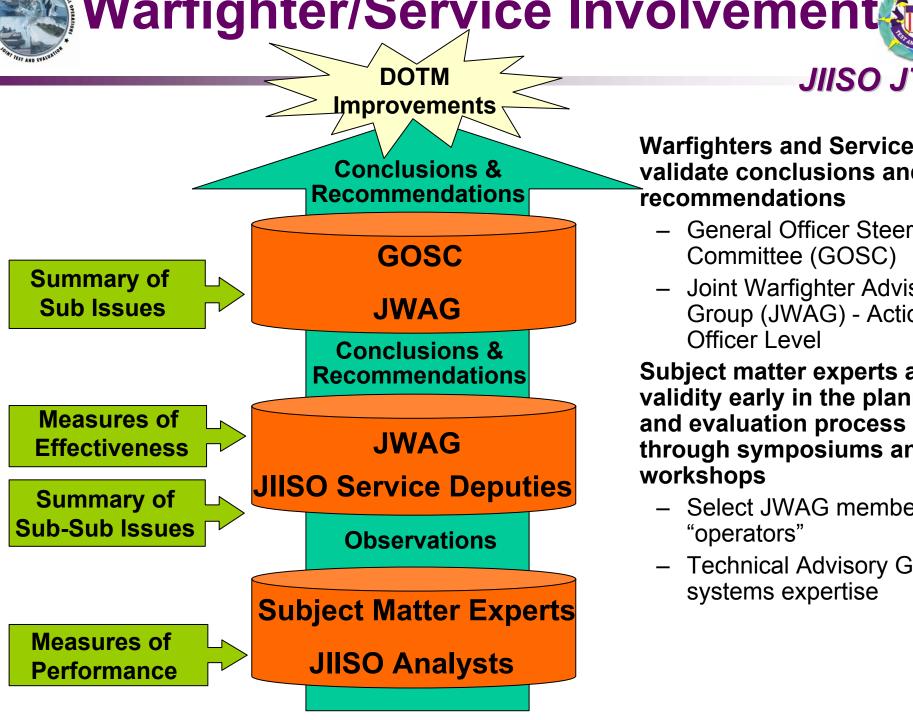


As-Is Deficiencies

- Inconsistent data classification
- Inconsistent system classification
- Manually discrete track managemer
- Limited SOF tactical COP
- Manual LNO track deconfliction
- Stovepipe COP interoperability

JIISO Enhancements

- Data classification awareness
- System classification awareness
- System interoperability consideration
- System interoperability work-around
- SOF track management guidance



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Warfighters and Services validate conclusions and recommendations

- General Officer Steering Committee (GOSC)
- Joint Warfighter Advisory Group (JWAG) - Action Officer Level

Subject matter experts add validity early in the planning and evaluation process through symposiums and workshops

- Select JWAG members "operators"
- Technical Advisory Group systems expertise



JIISO Early Focus Areas



TTP Focus areas:

- * Planning/Execution for Integrated Maneuver and Fire Support Missions to achieve mutually supporting objectives
- Capstoi TTP

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- Synchronization of SOF/CF fires (surface/air) by maintaining Situational Awareness between SOF/CF
- Dissemination and Management of Control and Coordination Measures between SOF/CF
- TTP for improving the employment of CF Air Support of SOF
- SOF/CF Standardized Collaboration
- * Enhanced Situational Awareness through Fires Connectivity
- * SOF/CF Tactical Blue Force Situational Awareness
- * Embedding the AOB inside the CF TOC
- * TLAM Deconfliction with SOF

Enabling TTP

* Expect to implement TTP improvements prior to FT1



Summary

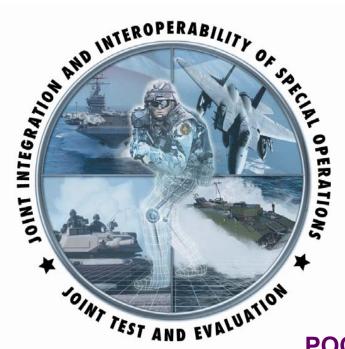


As a result of the JIISO JT&E, the Joint Force Commander's integration and interoperability of SOF and CF during planning and execution of maneuver and fire support coordination will be improved and streamlined with more timely actions and increased opportunities with less potential for fratricide.

Bottom line: JIISO will enable net centric operations through improvements to DOTMLPF.









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