# Systems Engineering and Capability Portfolio Management (JNO Approach)

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People throughout the trusted, dependable and ubiquitous network are empowered by their ability to access information and recognized for the inputs they provide.



# **Build, Populate, Protect**

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# Information & the GIG - Layered Perspective



Assured information (data) access is the critical concept – the user sets the information access requirements



 GIG is an IP unified network having a BLACK routing and switching basis – tiered in many respects as commercial networks; with cost significantly increasing towards the edge

### Incomplete Network Solution - Losing Sight of the Network Network Topology Relationships



- Understanding the entire network is critical so to not compromise a cost and warfighter effective solution (Interoperability)
- Forcing the core and tactical edge networks to be addressed an integrated structure
- Network and Enterprise programs are NOT independent
- Network is part of the GIG requires relationship to the services and applications, BUT information (data) is the critical element
- Interoperability with more than a single Service element or a partial force – total force including the all Services and coalition forces

# Mission

Conduct portfolio management of enabling programs and capabilities--develop material and nonmaterial solutions to ensure timely, synchronized, and integrated delivery of Net-Centric capabilities



# JNO (NC) CPM Roles & Responsibilities



Use JNO portfolio management to improve synchronization, interoperability & integration -- balance cost, schedule, & performance (risk) across the portfolio

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# **Capability Increments**



- Defines Near-, Mid-, and Far-Term capability deliveries
- Capability Increments will be approved via the FCB and SWarF

## **Network Architecture Perspectives**



 Understanding the network framework (architecture topology) is essential to determining the ability to meet the warfighter capability demands and optimizing the investment

• The space and airborne access layers are not necessary networks but offer the networks an alternate media means not available within the nwk physical domain

## The Characteristics of a Terrestrial Tactical Network Architecture



#### **Terrestrial NWK**

- Network is hierarchical in structure
- Distance is critical with hierarch topology
- Diversity is key
- Space is an extension of terrestrial

#### **Airborne Nwk**

- Distance is in terms of near and far
- Diversity is important
- C2 nodes with ES are critical
- Position in air space relative to permissive environment is key

# Assessment and Framework

#### **JNO Capability Increments (2)**

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#### Capability Delivery Increments (CDI): Describes

- desired Capability Delivery over time
- Derived from JROC-approved sources (JIC, JCD)
- Parsed into evolutionary Increments of capability

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### Quantified CDI w/Metrics:

enables the technical analysis of the portfolio



## Architecture Views: Describe the POR

- capability available
- Derived from JCIDS documents
- Overlays of ES, NM, IA
- Assembled into evolutionary architectures by Increments

# **Specific Assessment and Analysis Aspects**



Portfolio Financial Profile: boundary and baseline for resource analysis and optimization
286 Program Elements (whole or partial)

\$160B total over FY08-13 (RDT&E+Proc+O&M)

Integrated Master Schedule: analysis of program, interdependencies, and synchronization issues

- Provides support to:
  - Architecture Development
  - Program and cross portfolio analysis
  - POM focus teams

Ops Impact Analysis: quantifies impact of portfolio changes on ops effectiveness

- OPTEMPO
- Lethality
- Survivability

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# Analysis Example

-- # of BDE SATCOM terminals required to connect the edge --



Connectivity, Message Completion Rate, OPTEMPO, Lethality and Survivability



### **Ops Impact Analysis Results** Benign Threat Environment

- Network equipped forces have significantly improved OPTEMPO
- Good Situational Awareness (SA) & Battle Command (BC) result in predictable outcome

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MCO: Major Combat Operation NEO: Non-Combat Evacuation Operation

### Network Performance Analysis (CERDEC Tool)



- Allows quick turnaround studies with numerous excursions feasible
- Provides Message Completion Rates and other Network characteristics
- Used as feeder to higher fidelity models (e.g., OPNET) and provides means of visualizing / analyzing high fidelity models

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# **Example Army IBCT Network**



Expanded View of JTRS-WIN-T Connectivity by Waveform with Aerial Layer Applied and FCS Spinout Items From Soldier to Brigade Main

## Summary

 NC Portfolio balances the three building processes – capabilities, acquisition and resources

 NC Portfolio employs a Systems Engineering based portfolio management approach

- Achieves a quantitative analytical position based upon warfigther based capability increments
- Places the capabilities into a network topology architectural framework which is used to offer contextual structure to the capability implementations
- Quantitative demand and supply concepts are used to evaluate the gaps and overlaps in capabilities
- Implementation / program solutions developed from the evaluation assessment are used to determine the right investments
- Continual analytical assessments for the three building processes is done using a combination of network topology architectures, QCDI, and modeling tools
  - Network and enterprise services performance are evaluated quantitatively
  - Specific metrics include OPTEMPO, lethality and survivability derived from operational models / scenarios





### Combined Joint Task Force (CJTF) Model [2012]







### Combined Joint Task Force (CJTF) Model Joint Airborne Network [2016]



# **High Level Topology View**



- Architectural structure sets the assessment and analysis context
- The network topology offers analysis of the links, ES and IA aspects

#### **Terrestrial Network**

- Network is hierarchical in structure
- Distance is critical with hierarch topology (node-to-node peer-to-peer)
- Link diversity is critical
- Space and UAVs are an extension of terrestrial these are access points (or layers)
- Significant work is need to insure the right balance exists between LOS, space and UAV
- Throughout the implementation consideration: performance, cost, schedule and risk need careful assessment

### **JNO Increments to Focus Team Solutions**



### Simplified Traffic Network Model Structure



## ES Network Location – Throughput and Cost





Configuration 2: Total throughput achievable as a function of offered traffic load for the far-term, high-intensity conflict configuration with Enterprise Servers at the CO level

- The location of the ES may have potentially significant effects on the network performance and more importantly on the effective network throughput
- The balance of ES cost vs the lower level network cost is an important aspect which is being currently assessed

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## **Operational View – OV-1 (U)**



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### Without Satellite Connectivity



## **Network Topology**

#### TNGFBCT

SATCOM Subnet in Green)



TNGFBCT

SATCOM Excluded)





- SRW subnets are tightly clumped, good connectivity.
- Global WNW subnet connects some SRW subnets but is fragmented.
- SATCOM terminal in each SRW subnet connects those without Global WNW connectivity.

## **Range and Capacity Analysis**



• Compute link closer and capacity for given network laydown, terrain, and vegetation

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Waveform performance analysis feeds Network performance analysis

<u>NOTES</u> Masts are 7 meters for HNW UAVs at low altitude (FCS CL IV altitude used in PM FCS BCT analyses) Assume 80-90% confidence

# **Representative Results**



- WIN-T connects Ad Hoc subnets into an integrated network
- More than 70% of mobile AD Hoc networks are less than 30 nodes
- Reorganization of subnets may allow all to fall below 50 nodes

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