# Joint Logistics & Lifelong Learning

### **CJS** Center for Joint and Strategic Logistics

### **JOE - Attributes**

• Global dispersion - Demands a globally-distributed concept of support

- ✓ Rapid & Precise *response is the metric*
- ✓ LOCs will be tenuous; Commercial reliance; a *lucrative target*

• <u>Complex</u> -

✓ Joint, Interagency, Multinational, NGOs all play; *complicated politically and operationally* 

✓ 100s of contractors with a support battalion; multiple supply chains; complicated tactically

Uncertain – Only real 'known' is that it will be volatile and messy

• Costly -

- ✓ We're big & expensive; \$170B \$270B...
- ✓ Must become more efficient
- Law Title X gives Services responsibility to train, equip, sustain, but . . .

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✓ Gives COCOM the *directive authority for logistics (DAFL)* 

### **CCJO - Implications**

 Organizations and leaders must approach each challenge as unique –

✓ Context vs. Template

 Organizations and processes must be able to support across four activities –

✓ Simultaneously sustain engagement, security, combat & reconstruction operations

• <u>Leaders</u>, organizations and processes must be able to adapt to the situations as they present themselves –

✓ Continuous assessment of the environment





### Joint Logistics - Imperatives



#### ✓ Unity of effort

- Process definition
- Roles and responsibilities
- Process transparency
- Common output metrics



### ✓ <u>JLE-wide visibility</u>

- Enterprise data architecture
- Authoritative source data
- 24/7 access to network
- ✓ <u>Rapid & Precise Response</u>
  - Velocity, Reliability, Visibility
  - Efficiency

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- Performance tracking
- Process analysis

### Joint Logistics - Definition What is it?

### The deliberate or improvised <u>sharing</u> of Service logistics resources . . . to support joint force operational requirements, enhance synergy, and reduce redundancies and costs.

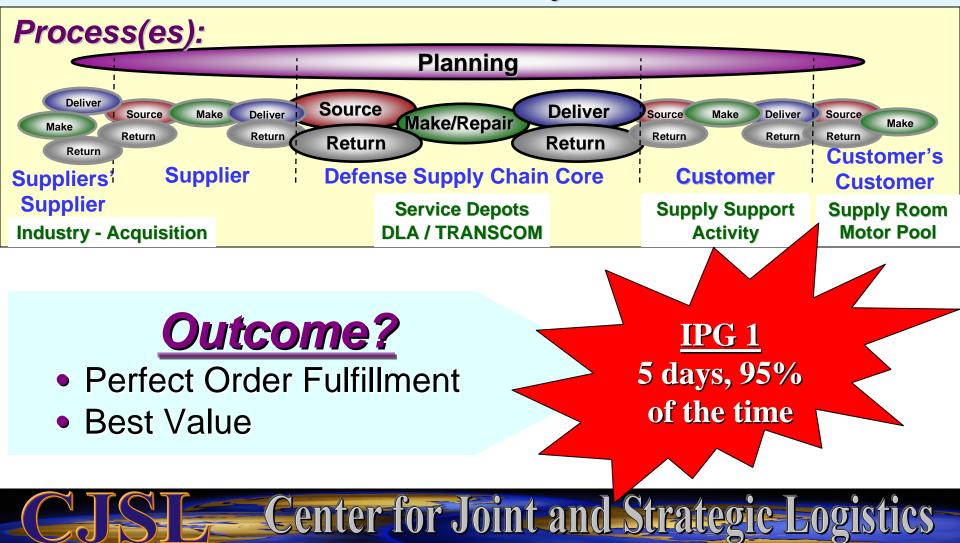
Why do we need it?

Because (especially during initial expeditionary operations) the Services, by themselves, seldom have sufficient capability to independently support the JFC.

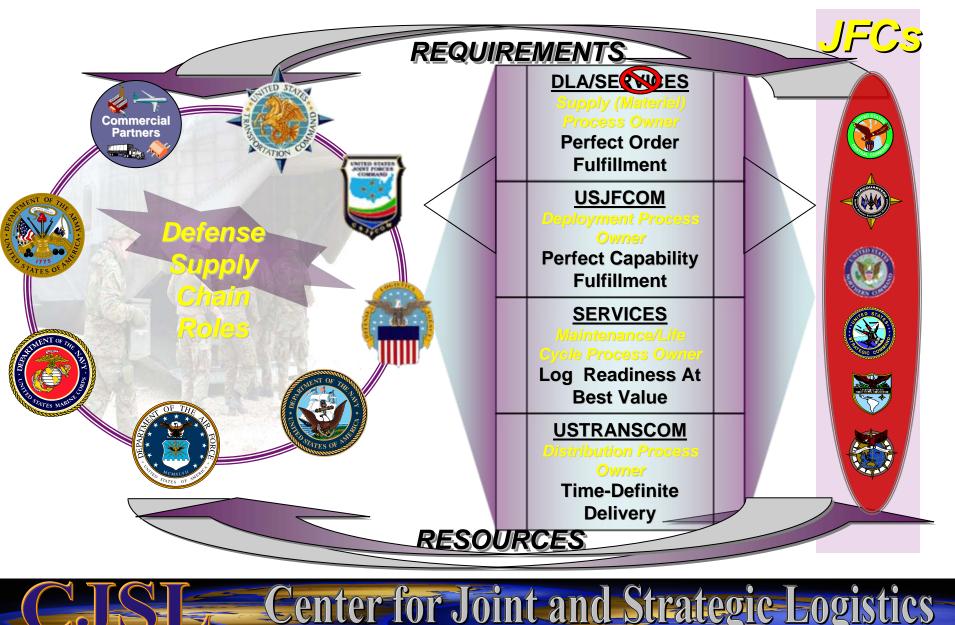
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### The Defense Supply Chain

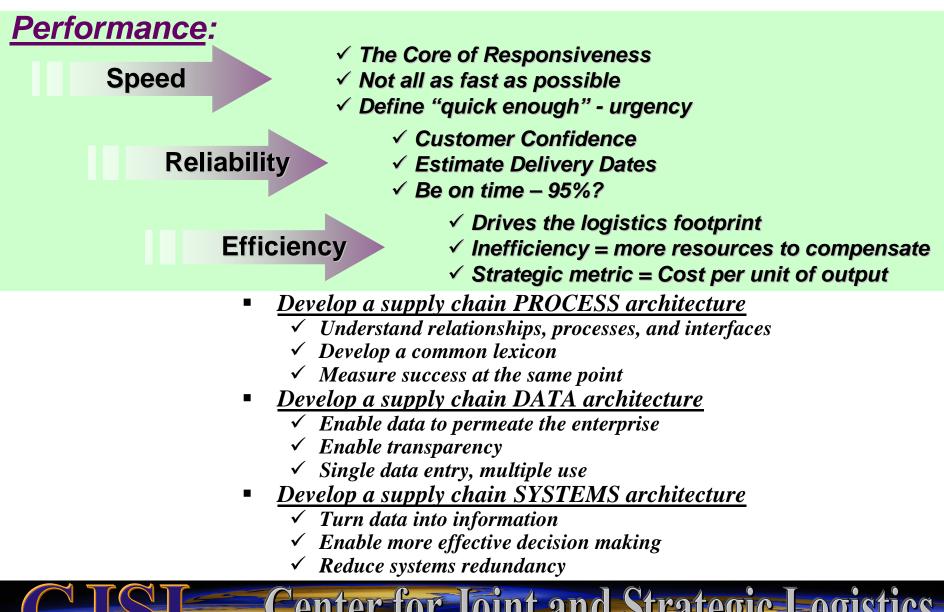
**Purpose:** To effectively meet the constantly changing needs of the joint force."



### Who's Who - Defense Supply Chain



### **Defense Supply Chain Outcomes**



### Our People - Our Future . . .

- Logistics expert . . .
  - ✓ Grounded in the "core" of Service logistics
- OK with uncertainty . . .
  - Understands that change is the only certainty
- Has a mature global perspective . . .
  - ✓ Keen insight into E2E processes & the long view
- Can make decisions with minimal info . . .
  - ✓ Distinguish between "must know" and "nice to know"

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- <u>Service & Joint Individual Training...</u>
  - ✓ Learning to do
- Joint Professional Logistics Education...
  - ✓ Learning to think
- t: Joint Experience...
  - ✓ Learning to be
  - Mentoring, Coaching...
    - ✓ Building the bench
  - <u>Reflection</u>...
    - ✓ Learning from within

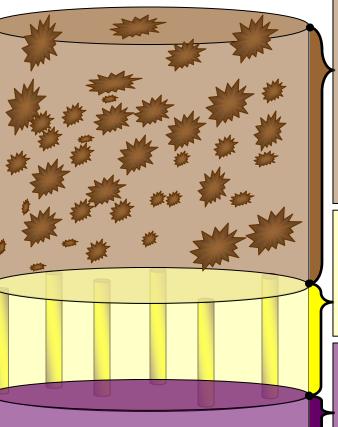
**Development:** 

**Attributes:** 

### Logistics Body of Knowledge

#### TENETS

- **Contains** the knowledge needed for logistics success
- **Owned** by the logistics community
- Useful: relevant
- Usable: accessible
- Comprehensive: complete
- Dynamic: changing
- Knowledge Mgmt:
- When does 'on line' knowledge become core?
- When does core become obsolete?
- Who is responsible to 'control'



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#### Virtual Coach

- Research
- Current policies, doctrine, lessons
- History
- Initiatives / best practices

#### Tailored Learning

- On line access
- Specialty courses
- Web casts

#### **Core Requirements**

- All practitioners embrace
- Part of formal training & educational continuum
- Logisticians & Nonlogisticians

### You Have to Make a Difference . . .

- ✓ Create a *Passion* for Change
  - Lead through active participation...
- ✓ Span Boundaries
  - Cross organizational and cultural aisles

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- ✓ Build Relationships
  - Matrix people and organizations
- ✓ Share your vision
  - Focus on the future

### Joint Logistics and World Hunger...

#### Optimize the Defense Supply Chain

- Achieve Unity of Effort among the players
- Agree on common metrics focused on the warfighter
- Provide the customer an EDD and meet it

#### • Deliver Enterprise-wide Visibility

- Provide access to real-time, shared information
- Enable Joint Logisticians to plan, execute, and control
- Improve decision making

#### • Establish a Life-Cycle approach to systems readiness

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- Link acquisition to sustainment
- Manage our systems as fleets "cradle to grave"
- Establish life-cycle sustainment metrics in development



# **BACKUP SLIDES**



### **Delivering JLE-Wide Visibility...**

<u>What is it?</u> Acce	ess to logistics <u>requirements, resources</u> & <u>processes</u> Authoritative, 24/7 access
Why do we Need it	To provide the knowledge needed to make effective decisions
What is the Effect?	Sustained Logistics Readiness
How to Deliver?	
Joint Log Capabi	lities:
Supply Opns	
Maintenance Opns	Proce Data
Deployment & Distr	Ibution ss Architect Decision

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Health Service Support Logistics Services

Operational Engineering Operational Contracting



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Support

Visibility - Effective Decisions...

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#### What we want . . .

- Real-time, dynamic access to authoritative data
- Tools that are
  - intuitive & easy to use;
  - require virtually zero training;
  - and support the way joint logisticians do their work
- Tools that can be easily tailored by users via map-based displays & user-defined views
- A world-class application that integrates logistics planning and execution

#### How to get there ...

- Not a new IT system... But, a joint application that leverages existing and emerging Service and Agency data sources
- Include functional users in the development process (rather than wait until OT&E) to define requirements and assess progress
- Deliver an agile development process that yields quality products every couple of months "Spiral Development"

### Life Cycle Systems Philosophy...

To deliver an accepted level of readiness at the best possible value to the Services

#### GUIDING PRINCIPLES

**PURPOSE** 

#### Link Acquisition and Sustainment . . .

- Make developmental decisions based on total lifecycle costs
- Charter PMs to become "Fleet Managers" focused on delivering life-cycle readiness at best value to the Department
  - Measure outcome at the tip of the spear "objective capabilities"
  - Measure readiness as a "cost per unit of availability"
- Adhere to key performance outcomes focused on sustainment
  - Reliability, Availability, Maintainability

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- Total fully burdened costs

### Life Cycle Systems Readiness... resetting the force

#### Today's Issues:

- There is no assurance that resources (time, funding, & capacity) are integrated in a way that will enable effective Service reset in support of Joint Force "end state" requirements
- There is no assurance that base depot reset requirements are recognized across DOD

#### Discussion Points:

- Resetting is essential to future Joint Force Readiness
  - Resetting is a continuous requirement for life-cycle systems readiness
  - The depot capcity/funding needed to deliver a given level of readiness at a certain level of OPTEMPO is undetermined
- Depot-level maintenance is essential to resetting operations
  - All depot maintenance is not conducted in Depots
  - Depot operations are being primarily funded out of supplemental dollars
- A consistent baseline resource stream, driven by reliable requirements forecasting is required to deliver effective depot operations
  - "Surge" requirements above the baseline should be driven by OPTEMPO above programmed levels



## **End State:** Time, capacity and funding balanced and integrated to sustain joint force readiness.