Defense Consortia

A Proven Way to Rapidly Develop and Deploy New Armament Capability in Today's Environment







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What is a Defense Consortium

A Premier Defense Industry & Academic Partnership

Defense Consortia are collaborative partnerships between Government, Industry and Academia entities that are formed to advance innovative technologies that will enhance National Defense and Homeland Security capabilities.



 Some Defense Consortia have been commissioned by the Office of the Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition, Technology and Logistics (OUSD(AT&L)) with the support of the Office of Land Warfare and Munitions.



Defense Consortia are available for use by DoD Laboratories, Program Offices, and other Government Agencies to conduct research, development, and prototype test and evaluation of new technologies that can provide increased capability.



Defense Consortia Support OSD Better Buying Power 2.0 - Streamlined Management and Process



Defense Consortia Existing Today...

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- **DoD Ordnance Technology Consortium** *Armament System Technologies*
- Originally established in 2000; converted to the multi-service DOTC in 2002
- Operating under a 2014, \$700M, 7-year Other Transaction issued by ACC-NJ



- Robotics Technology Consortium Robotic Systems Technologies
- Established in 2008, program management moved from OSD to TARDEC
- Operating a under 2008, \$170M, 7-year Other Transaction issued by ACC-NJ



- Vertical Lift Consortium Vertical Lift Aviation Technologies
- Established in 2010; transitioned program management from OSD to AMRDEC
- Operating under a 2010, \$20M, 5-year, Other Transaction issued by ACC-NJ



- Consortium for Energy, Environment and Demilitarization
- Established in 2010; sponsored by Federal Center for CEED and ACC-NJ
- Operating under a 2013, \$100M, 3-year Other Transaction issued by ACC-NJ

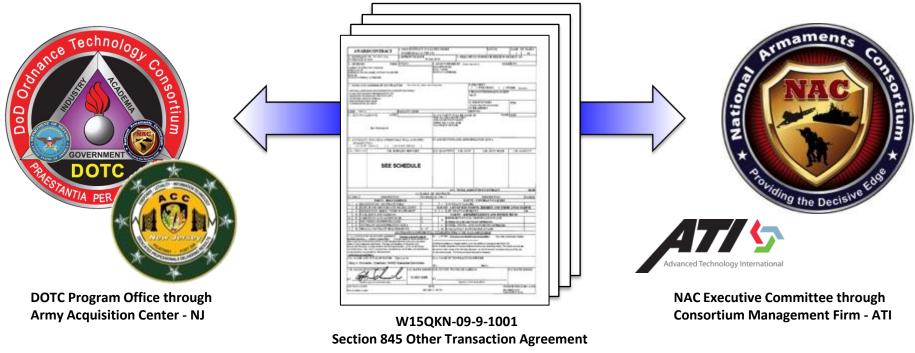


- System of Systems Security Consortium Agnostic Technology Solutions
- Originally established in 2004; first OTA issued in April 2009
- Operating under a 2012, \$100M, 3-year Other Transaction issued by ACC-NJ



Typical Consortia Contracting Process

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- DoD Uses Other Transaction Agreement to Contract with the NAC
- NAC Uses its Management Firm ATI to Sub-Contract with NAC Members
- All Proposals are Routed Through ATI to Ensure Response is Compliant
- Government Sponsors Evaluate Proposals Submitted and Make Source Selections

All awards made to NAC member organizations are done so on a full-and-open competition basis



Benefits of Using Other Transactions

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U.S. Government

- Reduced Acquisition lead time
- One-stop technology shopping
- Access to broad spectrum of traditional and non-traditional contractors
- Full and open competition throughout
- Source selection integrity preserved
- Full control over use of sponsor's funds
- Ability to incrementally fund projects
- Open dialogue with Contractor is permitted up until proposal submittal
- Technically acceptable proposals placed in basket awaiting funding for 3 years

Industry and Academia

- Relief from FAR provisions
- IRAD funds can be used to fund projects
- Enables industry/academia planning for technology development investments
- Enhanced collaboration between the Government, Industry and Academia
- Reduced B&P costs with use of White Papers before proposal preparation
- Higher visibility into USG requirements
- Open dialogue with the Government is permitted up until proposal submittal
- Technically acceptable proposals placed in basket awaiting funding for 3 years



The DoD Ordnance Technology Consortium

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DOTC... One of the Most Successful Defense Consortia in History!

Established to facilitate Government, Industry and Academic collaboration in the field of armament research, development, engineering and prototype testing of advanced armament technologies for insertion into future and legacy systems to ensure Warfighter technological superiority on the battlefield























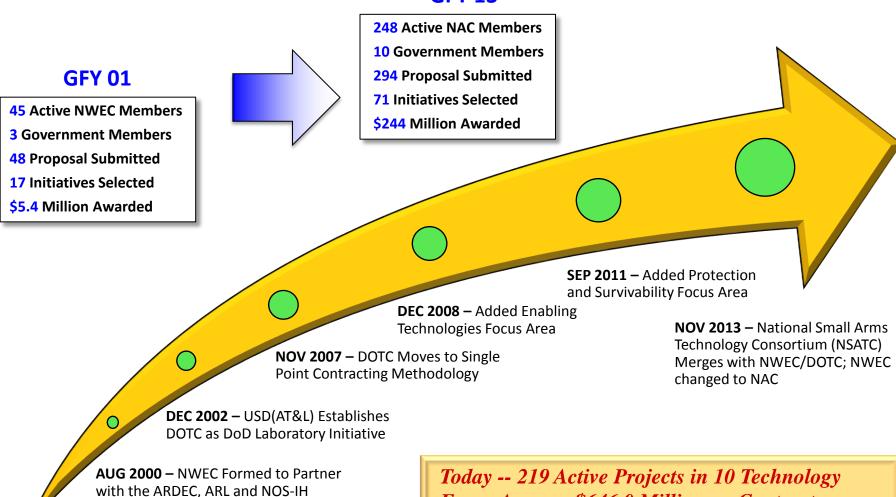
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JUL 1999 – Industry Day Briefings to Establish Government, Industry and Academic Partnership

DOTC/NAC Enterprise Evolution

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DEC, ARL and NOS-IH

Focus Areas -- \$646.0 Million on Contract



Active Government Participants

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DOTC/NAC Success Stories

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Raytheon









Benziger TATB Process Facilitation at Holston



XM395 120 mm Guided Mortar Projectile

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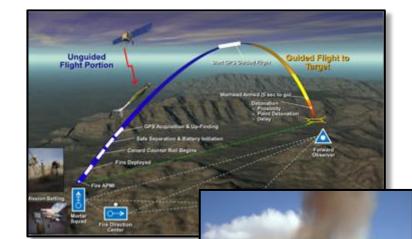
Advanced Precision Munition Initiative (APMI)







Development Strategy: To support an Urgent Warfighter requirement, PD – GPMMS used DOTC as a key enabler to rapidly develop, demonstrate, and deploy leap ahead precision capabilities for the maneuver commander.



Phase 1: Oct 2009 – Mar 2010

Competitive Design Maturation & Demonstration

Phase 2: Apr 2010 - Mar 2011

Qualification to Urgent Material Release (UMR)

Start of Limited Procurement

Phase 3: Mar 2011 – Aug 2011

New Equipment Training and Fielding

Developed and in the hands of the Warfighter in less than 18 months



Energetic Material Availability Initiative

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Benzinger TATB Process Facilitation at Holston







Acquisition Strategy: Responding to an urgent need to indigenously manufacture TATB, which has been out of production in the U.S. since 1999, the DoD, DoE, PM-Ammo and other Services used DOTC to regain an organic capability

Phase 1: Nov 2009 – May 2011

Competitive Demonstration Between ATK & BAE

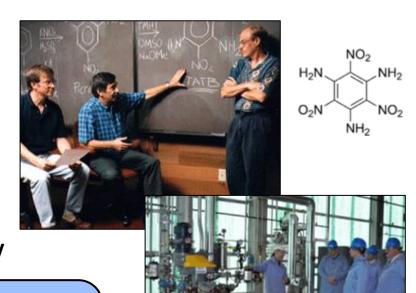
Phase 2: May 2011 – Nov 2012

Down Select to BAE for Process Validation

Process Validation Conducted and Completed

Phase 3: Feb 2013 - Present

Plant Commissioned and Production Begins



Process developed; facility commissioned; and, material delivered in less than 27 months



Joint Services Pyrotechnic Initiatives

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Potassium Perchlorate Replacement Initiative









Development Strategy: To support a DoD wide requirement, PD – Pyrotechnics used **DOTC** as a key enabler to rapidly synthesize, develop, test and deploy environmentally friendly energetic formulations to replace Potassium Perchlorate in "multiple" munitions.



Phase 1: Oct 2005 – Sep 2010

Energetic Synthesis and Formulation Development

Phase 2: Oct 2006 - Sep 2011

Prototype Development and Energetic Material Qualification Board (EMQB) Certified.

Phase 3: Oct 2007 – Sep 2013

Full up end item qualification testing, ECP and Initial Production

Developed and in the hands of the Warfighter for Multiple Munitions



Al3 Development & Demonstration Program

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Accelerated Improved Intercept Initiative (AI3)







Development Strategy: To support an Urgent Warfighter requirement, PD C-RAM used DOTC to implement a competitive acquisition approach that would provide a system that fully met requirements as quickly and cost effectively as possible.

Phase 1: Sep 2011 – Oct 2011

Solicitation, Draft RFP and Industry Day

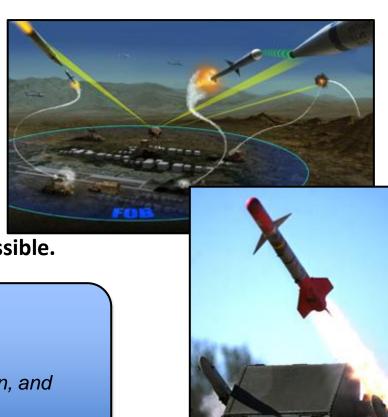
Phase 2: Nov 2011 - Jan 2012

Proposals, Tech Evaluation, Source Selection, and Contract Award

Phase 3: Feb 2012 – Aug 2013

Prototype Development, Lab Testing, and Live Fire Test

RFI, System Development, and first flight in less than 24 months





Summary and Conclusions

What Can Defense Consortia Do For You?







- Reduce development cycle times, risks, and costs
- Eliminate onerous Federal Acquisition Regulations
- Provide access to broad spectrum of new technology
- Allows Contractors' to use IRAD funding on your programs
- Gives easy access to Non-Tradition Contractor technologies
- Facilitates Government, Industry and Academia Collaboration





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