

Managing to the Army Tactical Wheeled Vehicle Strategy



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Mission: Enable Joint and Coalition Warfighters Across Today's and Tomorrow's Diverse Mission Requirements Through Effective Life Cycle Management of the Army's Combat Support and Combat Service Support (CS&CSS) Portfolio, Employing Solid Facts & Data to Develop, Produce, Field, Sustain, and Integrate the Right Mobile, Survivable, Lethal, and Affordable Capabilities



Provide our Army and the Joint Force trained and ready Transporters / Logisticians and synchronize deployment and distribution to enable Unified Land Operations.



Mission:

Train, educate, and deliver professional transporters and sustainers; develop doctrine, concepts, capabilities and force structure to deploy expeditionary forces and distribute materiel to Army and Joint organizations conducting Unified Land Operations in a JIIM environment.

TC Vision:

Our Army's deployment and distribution experts, effectively supporting expeditionary forces; The Spearhead of Logistics!

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- Support to ongoing operations remains the priority
 - More than 66,000 Soldiers deployed for various contingencies
- Drawing down the Army—before conflict ends
 - Force Structure: 490,000 Active Army Soldiers in FY15 but then "?"
- Plenty of <u>Uncertainty</u>
 - Threat: Complicated and rapidly changing security environment
 - Resources: Sustained, fiscal uncertainty
 - Army absorbed ~\$170B in cuts already
 - Modernization accounts down 39% from FY12 planning cycle
- Army must balance: End Strength, Readiness, Modernization

Goal: Lean, more capable, expeditionary forces



1. Provide JLTV/MRAP level of protection

- Procure Joint Light Tactical Vehicle (JLTV)
- Recapitalize or procure to \geq 50% Armor Capable
- Integrate ACO capability to maximize TWV operator protection

2. Network Interoperability and Mission Command

• Ensure sufficient available platforms to host the network as it is fielded

3. <u>Reduce fleet age and operational costs</u>

- Procurement/Recapitalization for MTV, HTV (HMMWV recapitalization /reset, while fielding JLTV)
- Divestment to meet new requirements from Army 2020
- Reduce Logistics footprint through advanced technologies (Operational Effectiveness/Operational Energy and ACO capability development initiatives)

4. Procure additional protection

• Procure to ≥ 30% B-Kit on-hand

5. Maintain Anti-Access/Area Denial (A2/AD) capability

• Maintain Armored Air Assault and Low Velocity Air Drop Capabilities





Tactical Wheeled Vehicles



- Today's TWV Fleet
 - Beneficiary of substantial, rapid, warfighter-focused investment over the past decade
 - Healthy with a relatively low average fleet age
 - Offers greater capability and protection than predecessors
 - *Much improved protection, but at the cost of mobility and performance*



- FY15 Budget Request TWV Objectives (across FYDP)
 - Initiate production of the Joint Light Tactical Vehicle
 - Conclude most medium & heavy production programs
 - Progress toward procurement of new Heavy Dump Truck
 - Transition fleets to sustainment with low average fleet ages
 - Divest older platforms to reduce sustainment costs and manage fleet ages
 - Continue fielding protection kits
 - Support S&T efforts linked to future program insertion opportunities
 - Begin to explore next programs, like a Joint Medium Truck



TWV Fleet Overview



	Avg Ages	Size	Mission Roles	Future	
Light	5-6 yrs	~120,000	•Mission Command •Troop / Cargo / Shelter Carrier •Security	JLTV	
Medium	8 yrs	~80,000	 Troop / Cargo Carrier Line Haul Non-transport Missions Mission Command 	Joint Medium Truck	
Heavy	6-7 yrs	~40,000	RecoveryTransportLine HaulConstruction	20T Dump Truck	
MRAP	4 yrs	8,585	 Purpose built Protected Mobility Troop Transport Mission Command 	Enduring Requirement	



Feasible and Affordable

Requirements Management & Analysis Plan (RMAP):

• Program Schedule, Event-Driven Process

Knowledge Points Inform Service Senior Leaders

on capabilities document development throughout a program phase

Streamlined Acquisition Strategy:

 Increased probability of delivering on time and within budget (i.e. Engineering and Manufacturing Development (EMD) Phase condensed from 48 months to 33 months)

• Competitive prototyping & testing in Technical Development (TD) phase allowed the Services to demonstrate achievable operational requirements

Industry Partnership:

• Program allowed to sustain a competitive environment in TD, and EMD phases (Three vendors provided 12 variant prototypes in TD phase. Three vendors provided 22 variant prototypes in EMD phase.)

Testing Community Partnership:

• Testing early in TD & EMD Phases to prove maturity of technology to meet requirements

• Unprecedented ballistic testing to validate Force Protection and Survivability KPPs.



AMERICA'S ARMY: THE STRENGTH OF THE NATION

TWV Requirement Reductions



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Equipment Modernization Approach



- Incremental improvements
 - Modernize existing critical systems and build new to address key gaps
- Divest older systems and niche capabilities
 - Decrease sustainment costs and re-allocate resources
- Slow procurement and limit quantities
 - Cannot afford to provide the most advanced equipment across the force
- Insert technologies and capability improvements only as needed
 - Leverage commercial investment where we are "technology-takers"
 - Focus S&T investment where we are "technology-makers"
- Scrutinize each equipment decision
 - Ensure affordability within the overall budget and cost-effectiveness in addressing capability gaps.



Technology Description: Automated Convoy Operations (ACO) is a system designed to incorporate automated capabilities into existing TWVs. These vehicles are designed to operate with minimal human input to accomplish an assigned mission. ACO will utilize a series of sensors including radar, light detection and ranging (lidar), cameras and GPS to determine and navigate the most appropriate route. <u>ACO can operate within purely automated convoys or in conjunction with manned vehicles.</u> ACO vehicles can be controlled and assigned a mission remotely through the use of an operator control unit (OCU).

Automated Convoy Operations JCIDS Summary



<u>Way Ahead</u>: Continue to execute ACO Requirements Management Analysis Plan (RMAP) Knowledge Point process to further develop the Draft ACO CDD

Potential to maximize unit operational effectiveness, improve soldier protection and Significantly reduce Life Cycle Sustainment Costs.



Future Considerations



- How do we best align requirements, S&T, and programs?
 - Long-rage analyses to identify technology insertions
 - JLTV as model for future acquisitions
 - Look to CSA's imperatives for 2025 and beyond
- How can we better manage fleets?
- What industrial base do we need and how do we shape it?
- How do we invest to reduce sustainment costs?
- What technologies are ready now?
 - Operational Energy / efficiency
 - Survivability & Mobility
 - Partnerships (Joint)
 - Commonality
 - Autonomous Operations





Questions



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Back Up Slides



TWV Capabilities Management Priorities

Capabilities Document Current & Projected Status

			AROC Staffing				
	Worldwide	ARCIC			HQDA	JROC	DoD
Document	Staffing	Validation	1-Star	3-Star	Approval	Staffing	Approval
FMTV CPD						Jun 14	
JLTV CPD	17-Feb-14	17-Feb-14	15-May-14	15-Jun-14	30-Jun-14	1-Jul-14	Sep-14
ACO CDD	1-Sep-17						
HETS CPD					13-Dec-11		
HEMTT CPD					15-Mar-13		
PLS CPD					1 Apr 14		
LHT CPD					11 Apr 14		

Initiatives

* HETS, PLS, LHT, HEMTT, FMTV: Update CPDs to include objective leader follower automation addendum
 PLS, LHT, and FMTV: Update CPDs to reflect increased underbody protection, once capability is demonstrated
 FMTV: Update CPD to include Armored Ambulance and Armored Troop Carrier variants, by FY16
 HETS: Update CPD to reflect increased protection, once capability is demonstrated
 UAH: Update improved force protection and performance (Objectives)

* Represent the ORD to CPD conversion only. There is a second CPD update envisioned in 2015.







Future TWV Capabilities

