

Integrated Defense Acquisition, Technology, and Logistics Life Cycle Management System



Better Buying Power 3.0

Achieving Dominant Capabilities through Technical Excellence and Innovation

- Achieve Affordable Programs**
 - Continue to set and enforce affordability caps
- Achieve Dominant Capabilities While Controlling Lifecycle Costs**
 - Strengthen and expand "should cost" based cost management
 - Anticipate and plan for responsive and emerging threats by building stronger partnerships of acquisition, requirements and intelligence communities
 - Institutionalize stronger DoD level Long Range R&D Program Plans
 - Strengthen cybersecurity throughout the product lifecycle
- Incentivize Productivity in Industry and Government**
 - Align profitability more tightly with Department goals
 - Employ appropriate contract types, but increase the use of incentive type contracts
 - Expand the superior supplier incentive program
 - Ensure effective use of Performance-Based Logistics
 - Remove barriers to commercial technology utilization
 - Improve the return on investment in DoD laboratories
 - Increase the productivity of corporate IRAD
- Incentivize Innovation in Industry and Government**
 - Increase the use of prototyping and experimentation
 - Emphasize technology insertion and refresh in program planning
 - Use Modular Open Systems Architecture to stimulate innovation
 - Increase the return on and access to small business research and development
 - Provide draft technical requirements to industry early and involve industry in funded concept definition
 - Provide clear and objective "best value" definitions to industry
- Eliminate Unproductive Processes and Bureaucracy**
 - Emphasize acquisition chain of command responsibility, authority and accountability
 - Reduce cycle times while ensuring sound investments
 - Streamline documentation requirements and staff reviews
 - Remove unproductive requirements imposed on industry
- Promote Effective Competition**
 - Create and maintain competitive environments
 - Improve DoD outreach for technology and products from global markets
 - Increase small business participation, including more effective use of market research
- Improve Tradeoffs in Acquisition of Services**
 - Strengthen contract management outside the normal acquisition chain - installations, etc.
 - Improve requirements definition for services
 - Improve the effectiveness and productivity of contracted engineering and technical services
- Improve the Professionalism of the Total Acquisition Workforce**
 - Establish higher standards for key leadership positions
 - Establish stronger professional qualification requirements for all acquisition specialties
 - Strengthen organic engineering capabilities
 - Ensure development program leadership is technically qualified to manage R&D activities
 - Improve our leaders' ability to understand and mitigate technical risk
 - Increase DoD support for STEM education

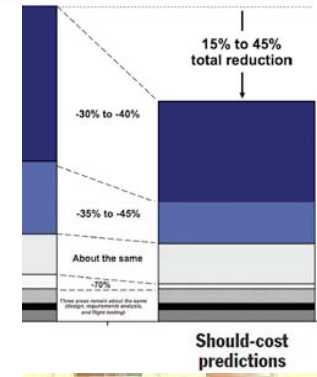
Continue Strengthening Our Culture of:
Cost Consciousness, Professionalism, and Technical Excellence

FEDERAL ACQUISITION REGULATION

Parts 52
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Attachment 1 SHOULD-COST MODELING HAS HELPED DRIVE SIGNIFICANT SAVINGS



At a certain point, the rhetoric has to be backed by money because that's what's going to get people's attention.

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