SPECIAL OPERATIONS FORCES INDUSTRY CONFERENCE

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RAPID CAPABILITY INSERTION (RCI)

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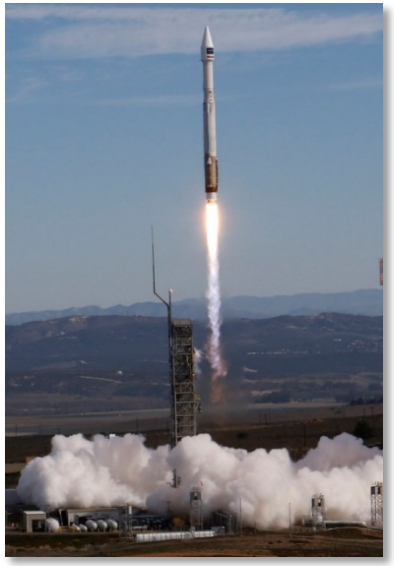
RCI Portfolio

- 70+ Active Projects
- Portfolio Supports SRSE PoRs, Components, TSOCs
- Tactical Exploitation of National Capabilities (TENCAP) Projects
- Collaborate Across SOF AT&L and the IC
- User Test Bed (UTB) St. Petersburg



Key Events

- Two Annual Program Management Reviews
- Annual Gap Analysis / Broad Agency Announcement
- Trident Spectre Exercise

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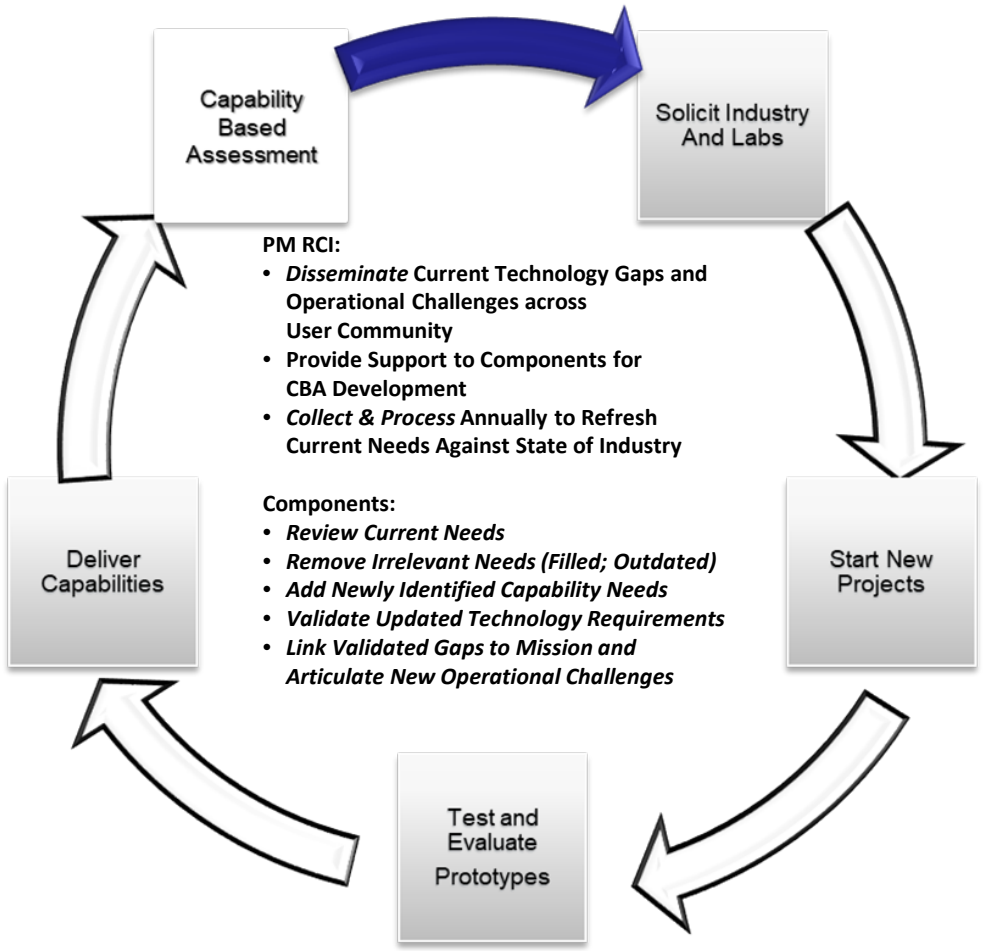
Why Should You Care?

- **RCI Enables Tech Entry Point Into SRSE Programs of Record**
- **Annually Refreshing Technology Requirements**
- **Low Barrier To Entry: Broad Agency Announcement Appendix G2**
- **RCI Partners with Numerous Other Departments and Agencies**
- **Typical Year: 12-20 Contract Awards, Roughly Half Small Business**
- **Utilization of Applied Research and Advanced Tech Demo to Mature toward Program of Record transitions**



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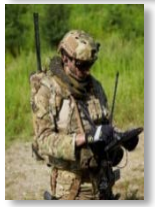
Tips for a Successful BAA Proposal

TECHNICAL COLLECTION SYSTEMS

Hostile Forces – Tagging, Tracking, and Locating (HF-TTL)

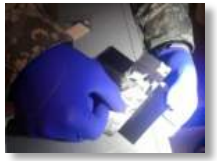
Tactical Video System/Reconnaissance, Surveillance, and Target

Joint Threat Warning



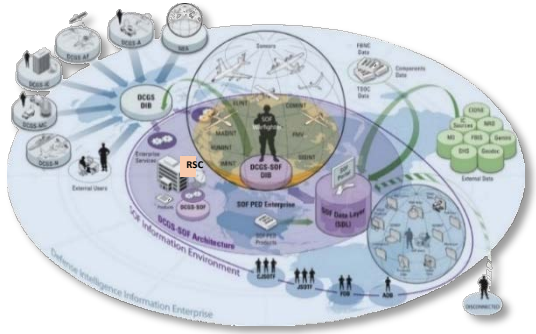
IDENTITY OPERATIONS

Biometrics and Forensics



MISSION SUPPORT SYSTEMS

Processing, Exploitation, & Dissemination



SIGINT PED ♦ GEOINT PED ♦ Big Data PED

Distributed Common Ground/Surface System (DCGS)-SOF

FOCUSED RDT&E

Tagging, Tracking, and Locating

Tactical Exploitation of National Capabilities

Specialized Communication

Quick Reaction Capabilities

- **Propose A Phased Development**
- **~12-18 Months Start to Finish**
- **~$1M Effort**
- **BAA located on FBO.GOV: Search: "USSOCOM-BAAST"**
  - RCI requirements are located in Appendix G-2 Spring FY18
  - Look in right column, scroll down

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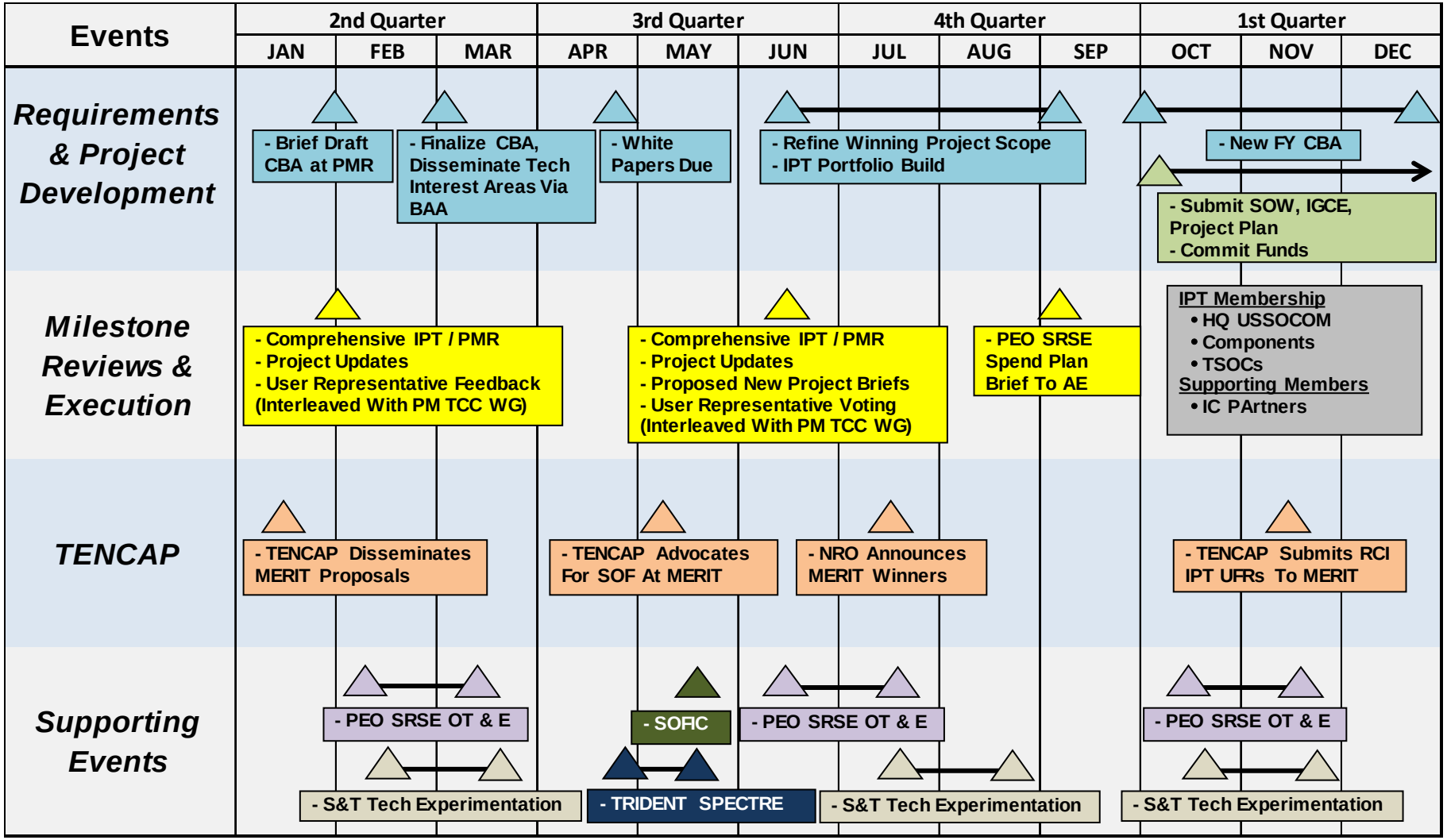
PM RCI Business Cycle



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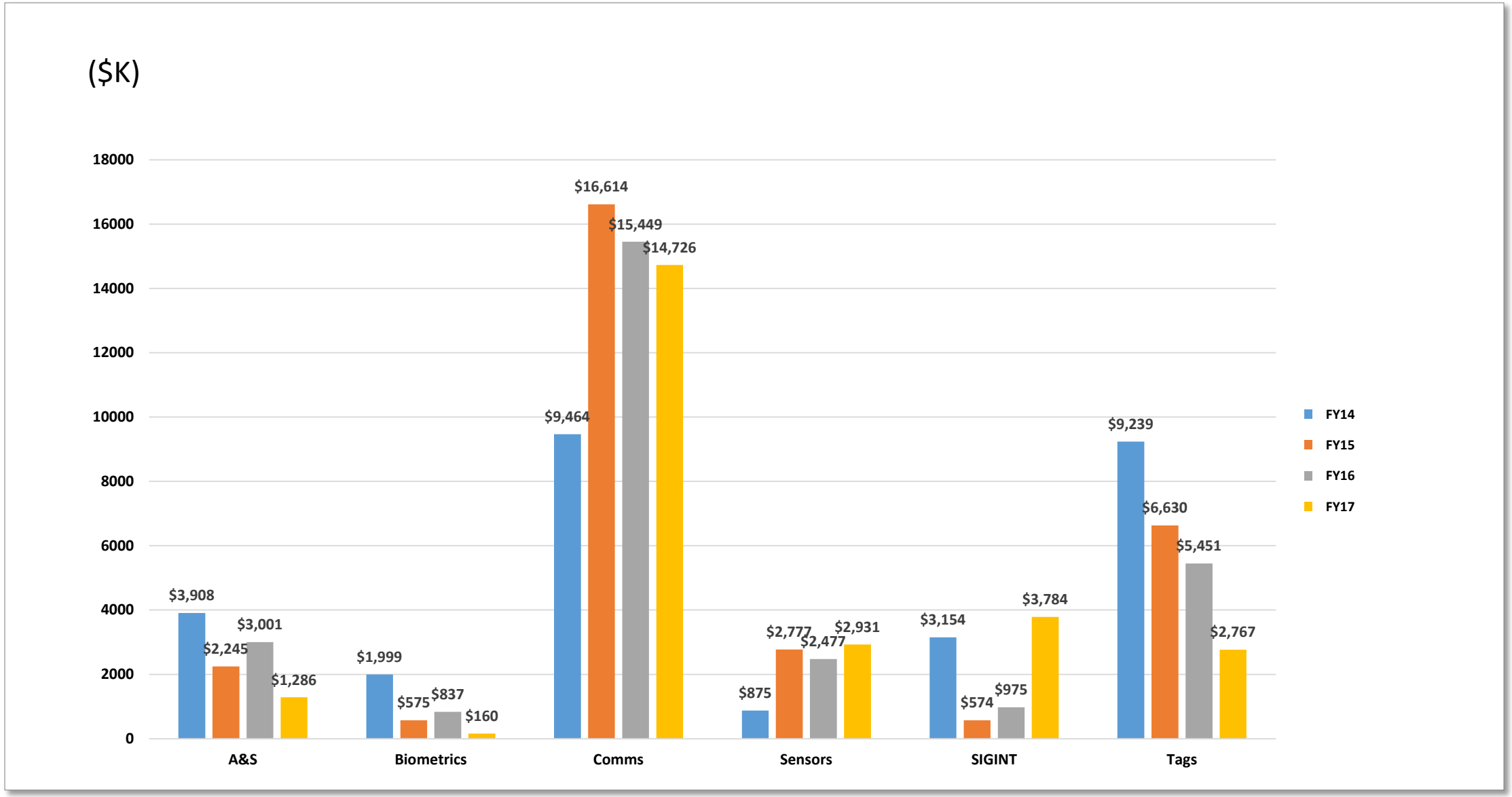
FY14 - FY17 Investments



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Capability Insertion Opportunities

- SRSE Program of Record Priorities
- Strike balance w/Leap-Ahead Tech vs. Rapid Incremental Steps
- Novel Combinations of Existing Technologies
- Modular/Multi-Use Components
- Size, Weight and Power Reductions
- Interoperability with Legacy Systems

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