



SPECIAL OPERATIONS FORCES ACQUISITION, TECHNOLOGY, & LOGISTICS
Campaigning with Partners for Integrated Deterrence

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SPECIAL OPERATIONS FORCES SUPPORT ACTIVITY (SOFSA)



Program Executive Office Special Operations Forces Support Activity
PEO SOFSA: OVERVIEW




PEO SOFSA HISTORY



USSOCOM
Established
1987



160th Blackhawks 1st
Modified at SOFSA
1992



1st JOS Requirement
at SOFSA
2001




MH60M Production/
Integration Start
2007



SOFSA Established as
PEO SOFSA
2010



1st MTRC Req.
at SOFSA
2013



1st Maritime
Req. at SOFSA
2015



MH60M Production
Completed
2015



JOS Program in
PEO SOFSA
2019



1988
SOFSA Established as
GOCO at CECOM,
Lexington, KY



1995
Little Birds Moved
to SOFSA



2002
First USASOC Unit
Redistro Center Rqmt
at SOFSA




2013
First AC130J
Requirement
at PEO SOFSA



2014
First 12XX Req.
at SOFSA



2015
Pass Back Maint.
at 160th FTCKY



2018
MELB Consolidated
at Bluegrass Station



2020
PM Expeditionary
Support



FORCES SUPPORT ACTIVITY (SOFSA)

ROTARY WING



PLATFORMS

- MH-47Gs
- MH-60Ms
- AH/MH-6Ms
- Non-Standard
- Depot Level Maintenance

SUPPORTING

- PEO Rotary Wing
- ARSOAC

SOF SYSTEMS



EQUIPMENT

- SOF Weapons
- SPEAR / Tactical Combat Casualty Care
- C4 / Electronic Countermeasures
- SR – Surveillance / Reconnaissance
- 12XX



SUPPORTING

- PEO SOF Warrior
- PEO C4
- PEO SR

GROUND



PLATFORMS

- MATVs / MRAPs
- NSCVs
- MRZR
- LTATVs
- GMV 1.1

SUPPORTING

- PEO SOF Warrior

PEO SOFSA TEAM



ON-SITE STAFF

- Expeditionary Support PM
- Program Support
- Business Management
- Enterprise Management
- Finance
- Acquisition Attorney
- Strategic Plans
- DCAA
- DCMA
- Prime Contractor

PEO SOFSA

MISSION

Enable Global SOF Operations Through Dedicated Life Cycle Sustainment

VISION

Trusted Experts for SOF Logistics & SOF Peculiar Modifications

CORE COMPETENCIES

1. Production & Integration
2. Streamline Design & Rapid Prototyping
3. Life Cycle Sustainment Activities

SUPPORTING ALL USSOCM

PEO SOFSA OPERATION



ENTERPRISE

- 2.7M sq. ft. of facilities
- Climate Controlled Storage
- Weapons Storage / Range
- Reverse Engineering
- Fabrication / 3D Printing
- Depot+ Aviation Capability
- Safety – Security – IT

BUSINESS & FINANCE

- 10YR \$8B IDIQ
- 10 KO's - 1 Unlimited Warrant
- Accept All Funding Types

FIXED WING



PLATFORMS

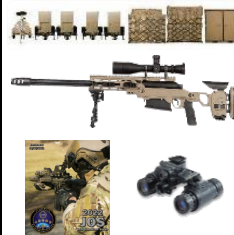
- AC/MC-130Js
- CV-22s
- MQ-9s
- CASA 212, C-12
- C27Js
- UAS

SUPPORTING

- PEO Fixed Wing
- AFSOC
- USASOC (ARSOAC)

PM EXPEDITIONARY SUPPORT

Joint Operational Stock (JOS)



Foreign/Non-Standard Weapons Munitions Materiel Program (F/NWMP)



Futures Capability Development



MARITIME



PLATFORMS / EQUIPMENT

- SURFACE
 - Combat Craft Heavy
 - Combatant Craft Medium
 - Combatant Craft Assault
- UNDERSEA
 - S351
- DIVE LOCKERS

SUPPORTING

- PEO Maritime
- NSWG

Erich Meier, Program Manager
SOFA Expeditionary Support (ES)

SOFIC



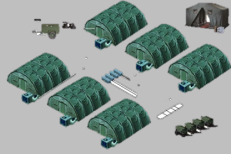
MISSION

Provide Rapid, Tailorable, Operational Support and Capability Development for Logistics Systems at Special Operations Forces' Points of Need.

Collaborate with stakeholders and enablers to provide expeditionary logistics support.

Joint Operational Stock (JOS)

JOS Provides a Centrally Managed Repository of Special Operations Peculiar (SO-P) Equipment at PEO SOFSA, Configured for Rapid Response for SOF Unit Requirements.



Temporary Loans of Mission Critical Equipment to SOF Units to Conduct Training and Contingency Operations.

Augments and **Enhances** SOF Units' Organic Operational Capabilities, Requiring Little or No Additional Training.



Foreign Non-Standard Weapons (F/NWMMP)

Centrally managed at PEO SOFSA, configured for loan in support of SOF Training Requirements.



- F/NWMMP provides temporary and enduring loans of foreign and non-standard weapons to SOF Units in support of SOCOM's regional mission training requirements.

- Weapons system updates; parts and spares resourcing; ammunition requirements.

Futures Capability Development

Multi-Capable Dis (MCDP)

SOF AT&L S&T and SOFWERX is exploring emerging technologies to meet known capability gaps in providing Long Range Resupply.



Power & Water Generation

Reduce SOF reach back requirements through self sustaining power and water generation and storage technologies.



Deployable Ammunition Plant

Develop forward positioned ammunition manufacturing, reutilization to support SOF missions.



FUTURES

Multi Capable Distribution Platforms (MCDP)

PM-ES/USSOCOM J45 are teaming with SOF AT&L S&T and SOFWERX to explore **emerging technologies** to meet **known capability gaps** in providing Long Range Resupply via a Multi-Capable Distribution Platform in a **Contested Environment** involving **low observable characteristics, autonomous between launch and recovery, GPS-hardened** (includes alternate navigation capability(s)).



Contingency Basing

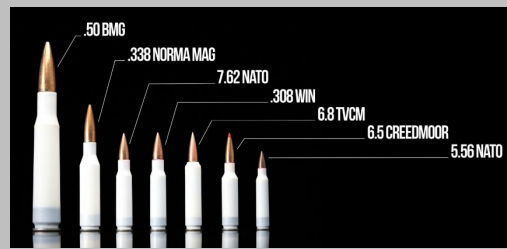
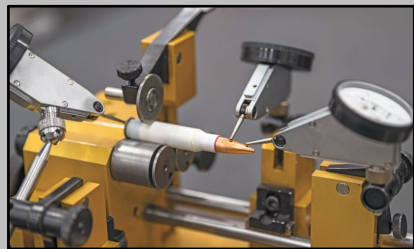
PM-ES is working with JOS stakeholders to establish requirements for future contingency basing requirements. Efforts include consideration of next generation structures **that reduce labor to setup/teardown, withstand environmental impacts better, and require less energy to heat/cool.**



Capabilities being developed to support deployed operators in support of missions in Anti-Access/Area Denial environments where traditional logistics support is either degraded or denied

Deployable Ammunition Plant

Working to develop forward positioned ammunition manufacturing, reutilization to support SOF missions.



Power & Water Generation

PM-ES/USSOCOM J45 are exploring technologies/vendors to reduce SOF reach back requirements through **self sustaining power generation/storage technologies** as well as **water generation, recycling and purification methods.**



INDUSTRY OPPORTUNITIES

- **JOS**
 - Modernization opportunities for bare base systems to include structures, power generation, cabling, lighting, etc.
- **F/NWMMP**
 - Sources of supply required to support maintenance and replacement solutions for foreign and non-standard weapons.
- **MCDP**
 - SOFWERX White Paper submission – interested respondents will provide solutions to USSOCOM's autonomous resupply missions in contested environments.
- **Power/Water Generation**
 - Identify man-transportable, renewable solutions to generate and store power and/or potable water.
- **Deployable Ammunition Plant**
 - Develop a portable solution to facilitate ammunition production in austere environments.



QUESTIONS



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