







## 2025 Munitions Executive Summit PM Acquisition Panel

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### Who Are We?







- Manage 44% of the Army's conventional munition lethality
- 457 products: 384 Class V, 59 Class VII & 14 RDT&E
- Average 190+ Contracting Actions/Year
- Longest Chartered PM office in the US Army, 1961 "PM-Selected Ammunition"



#### **Mission**

Provide dominant and innovative lethal and protective capabilities for the Joint Warfighter through acquisition excellence

#### **Vision**

Skilled innovative team, empowered to deliver dominating close combat capabilities

### **Team PM CCS**









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**ON EVERY MISSION** 



**Business Division Manager** Anita Polesky



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**Deputy PD** Jeremy Lucid

**Product Director** Demilitarization



**Product Director** James Terhune

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**Product Manager Terrain Shaping Obstacles** 



**Product Manager** Tinesha Nicholas



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### **Portfolio**



**Shoulder Launched Munitions** 









AN/PSS-14C Hand **Held Mine Detector** 



Launc he d Electrode Stun Device

Acoustic Hailing Device

#### **Breaching Systems**



MK 7 Anti-Personnel Obstacle Breaching (APOBS)



XM123 Ground Obstacle Breaching Lane Neutralization (GOBLN)



M58 Mine Clearing Line Charge (MICLIC)

#### **Pyrotechnics**



Ammunition Simulators for Training



**Grenades** 



M67 Fragmentation Hand Grenade



Hand Grenade

M228 Practice



Smoke Grenades Fuze



M106 Bursting Obscuration Hand Grenade

#### **Demolitions**



M2 A4 and M3A1 Shaped Charge









M152 RF-

Remote

**Activation** 

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Tool Kit, Supplemental

(Platoon Supplemental Kit)

#### **Explosive Ordnance Disposal (EOD)**

EOD Response Kit, (ERK)



**Enhanced Robotic Payloads** - Render Safe (ERP-RS)

















#### CAD/PAD



#### Multipurpose





AT4 Confined Space Reduced Sensitivity (AT4CS RS)





#### **Terrain Shaping Obstacles**



XM 204 Interim Top Attack



**sUAS** 





XM343 Standoff Activated Volcano Obstacle (SAVO)



XM250 Top Attack (CTSO INC 1)

#### **Bombs**



General Purpose Bombs



Small Practice Bombs & Signal Cartridges



Penetrator Bombs



Cast Ductile Iron Bombs



BLU-129

Next Gen. Penetrator



BLU-137

2000 lb.

Bomb Fins



BLU-136: 2000 lb. Area Attack/Area Denial



BLU-140: 500 lb. Next Gen. Penetrator Bomb









Munitions Cryofracture Demil Facility (MCDF)



**Countermeasures** 

### Sector Scorecard: FY25 – 30 Outlook







SECTOR	ARMY	MC/AF/N/S	FMS	NOTES
Terrain Shaping		N/A	1	Shifting away from current solution, XM250 Strong international European and Indo-PACOM interest
Breaching Systems			1	XM123 GOBLN supported, but funded deliberately Must modernize Mine Clearing Line Charge
Shoulder Launched Systems	<b></b>	<b></b>		XM919 continues Support to partner nations in Indo-PACOM
Grenades: Hand Thrown & Vehicle Launched	<b></b>			Multispectral obscuration & screening – hand, vehicle launched FMS of Abrams tanks = increased need for obscuration grenades
Ground Penetrating & General-Purpose Bombs	N/A			Steady year to year, some discussion on deferring near-term for outyear
Demolitions	<b></b>			Demolitions Reformation Focus on extreme cold operation & reducing blast over-pressure
Demilitarization of Conventional Munitions	1	1	N/A	Maximize use of the capacity of the organic & commercial IB As of 08 Mar 25, stockpile stands at 307,100 Short Tons
Pyrotechnics (Aviation CMs, Signals, Simulators	<b></b>			Seeking to develop CTC battlefield effects simulators Threats are significant, inter'l demand exists for CM flares & decoys
Explosive Ordnance Disposal	-	N/A	N/A	Robotic platform payloads Need for a UAS asset to enable remote ISR and clearing
Protection Sys / Intermediate Force Capabilities	1	N/A	<b>↓</b>	Looking at directed energy Sustainable robotic platform protection

## **FY25-FY27 Competitive Opportunities: New Contracts**







NEW FAR BASED CONTRACTS						
Program/ Item/ Description	Budget (\$M)	Planned Strategy	Contract Type	Award Date	Industry Day Y/N	
Volcano (VLSAS) - Lithuania FMS Case	\$14.72	S	FFP	Mar 2025	No	
M18 Smoke Dyes	\$1.70	S	FFP	Mar 2025	No	
Family of Hand Held Signals	\$10.28	SBSA	FFP	Aug 2025	No	
Demolition Block ¼, ½, 1 TNT	\$6.84	SBSA	FFP	Aug 2025	No	
M206 AC CM Flare - L410	TBD	С	FFP	Oct 2026	No	
BLU-136/B Bomb Assembly	\$677	С	FFP	Mar 2026	No	
Conventional Ammo Demil	TBD	С	FFP	Jul 2026	Yes – June 2025	
Grenade Consolidation Contract	\$15.00	С	FFP	Aug 2026	Yes	
Bangalore Torpedo	\$3.00	S	FFP	Aug 2026	No	
Family of Shaped Charges	\$2.40	TBD	FFP	Aug 2026	No	
MK7 Anti-Personnel Obstacle Breaching System (APOBS)	TBD	С	FFP	Nov 2026	No	
Family of Extrudable C4 (MICLIC, M112)	TBD	С	FFP	Nov 2026	No	
MDI Spool & Non-Spool (M11/M14/M652/M19/21)	TBD	TBD	FFP	May 2027	No	
TNT: Type I Flake	TBD	TBD	FFP	Jun 2027	No	
Small Practice Bombs: MK76 and BSU-33	TBD	TBD	FFP	Oct 2027	No	
MK4-3 Signal Cartridge (hot/flame)	TBD	TBD	FFP	Nov 2027	No	

#### Contract Strategy:

- S Sole Source
- C- Competitive
- SBSA Small Bus Set-Aside
- OTA Other Transaction Agreement

## **FY25-FY27 Competitive Opportunities: Delivery Orders / Options**







DELIVERY ORDERS/OPTIONS							
Program/ Item/ Description	Budget	Contract Ceiling	Delivery Order/Year	Award Date	Prime Industry Partner		
M456 Type 1 Det Cord	\$7.81	\$46M	Year 3 of 5	Mar 2025	Ensign Bickford		
M72 Lightweight Assault Munition (LAW)	\$8.18	\$498M	Year 3 of 5	Mar 2025	Nammo Defense		
M6-M7 Electric Blasting Cap	\$1.50	\$49M	Year 1 of 5	Mar 2025	Stresau		
SAVO	\$10.10	\$92M	Year 2 of 5	Mar 2025	Northrop Grumman		
MK7 Anti-Personnel Obstacle Breaching System (APOBS)	\$11.75	\$319M	Year 5 of 5	May 2025	Nammo Perry & Ensign Bickford		
Battlefield Effects Simulators (BES)/Special Use Ammunition (SUA)	\$3.00	\$49M	Year 2 of 5	Aug 2025	Ultra Defense Corp (UDC)		

## **FY25-FY27 Competitive Opportunities: Other Transactions Agreement**







OTHER TRANSACTIONS AGREEMENT (OTA)						
Program/ Item/ Description	Budget (\$M)	Planned Strategy	Contract Type	Award Date	Industry Day Y/N	
XM123 Ground Obstacle Breaching Lane Neutralizer (GOBLN)	\$4.00	С	TBD	Aug 2025	Yes	

**Contract Strategy:** 

S – Sole Source C- Competitive SBSA - Small Bus Set-Aside OTA – Other Transaction Agreement

## Near Term Sources Sought Notice & Upcoming Industry Days







OPEN AND NEAR-TERM SOURCES SOUGHT NOTICES							
Program/ Item/ Description	Planned Strategy	Contract Type	Estimated Release				
XM123 Ground Obstacle Breaching Lane Neutralizer GLOBLN	С	FFP	Feb 2025				
MK7 Anti-Personnel Obstacle Breaching System (APOBS)	С	FFP	Feb 2025				
Family of Shaped Charges	С	FFP	Mar 2025				
Conventional Ammo Demil	TBD	FFP	Mar 2025				
TNT: Type I Flake	TBD	FFP	Mar 2025				
Grenades	С	FFP	Mar 2025				
Grenade Fuzes	С	FFP	Mar 2025				
Demolition Block 1/4lb, 1/2lb, 1lb TNT	SBSA	FFP	Mar 2025				
M72 LAW	S	FFP	Mar 2025				
Volcano Class VII Equipment	С	FFP	Mar 2025				
Small Practice Bombs: MK76 and BSU-33	TBD	FFP	April 2025				
MK4-3 Signal Cartridge (hot/flame)	TBD	FFP	April 2025				

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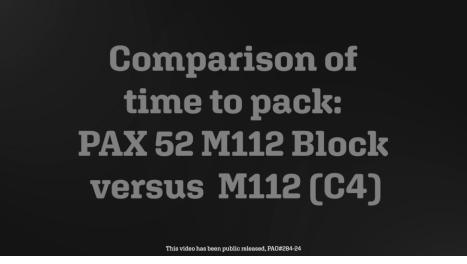
- Demolitions XM123 GOBLN Industry Day 4-5 March, Mount Arlington, NJ
- Demil Conventional Ammunition 2026-30 Industry Day 03 June 2025 Parsippany, NJ
- Terrain Shaping 3/4Q FY25 (T)
- UAS Payload/Picatinny CLIK Industry Day 4Q 2025 (T)
- Grenades and/or Grenade Fuzes Industry Day End of July 2025 (T)

### **Thrust Areas**









Demolitions Reformation: PAX 52 as a more moldable explosive...



Lethal & Protective Payloads from sUAS: Dropping Grenades
DISTRIBUTION STATEMENT A. Approved for public release: distribution unlimited. PAO#



Terrain Shaping: Worldwide demand for terrain shaping capabilities...



Breaching Minefields: Worldwide demand for terrain shaping capabilities...

## **Small UAS Dropped Lethal & Protective Payloads**







#### **Small UAS (sUAS) Payload Requirements:**

- J-sUAS CDD (2023): sUAS capability at echelon (Squad to BN)
- EOD Tools & Equipment Kit CPD (2018): sUAS employed Energetic Hazard (EH) render-safe
- XM123 GOBLN A-CDD (2022): sUAS employed precision EH neutralization

#### **Lethal & Protective Payloads:**

- Picatinny CLIK: Defined interface standards for modular integration of JPEO A&A lethal & protective payloads with PM UAS PORs
  - Enables rapid payload integration across sUAS without vendor lock
  - Reduces logistical, training, & financial burden through commonality
- Air Delivered Munitions (ADM): Applicable munition payloads as modular mission payloads via Picatinny CLIK
  - Phase 1 (FY26+): Modified legacy & industry drop glide munitions
  - Phase 2 (FY28+): Purpose-built scalable munition

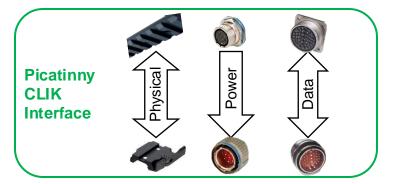
#### **Recent Activities:**

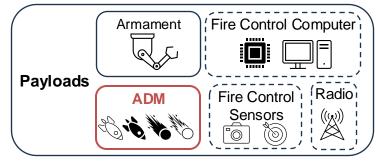
- HASC Report on droppable munitions feasibility
- Draft Transition Agreements (TA) with DEVCOM AC
- Draft MOA with PM UAS
- FY25 Defense Appropriation Language for ~\$8M

#### Path Forward:

- 2QFY25: HQDA G8/DASA PPR Funding & POM27 meeting
- 2QFY25: Signed MOA with PM UAS
- 3QFY25: Signed TAs with DEVCOM AC & PM UAS
- 4QFY25: Industry Day Picatinny CLIK + Payloads
- 4QFY25: UAS Summit #8 Picatinny CLIK Experiment

# COTS sUAS Platforms (PM UAS) w/ power supply, radio, telemetry & sensor data







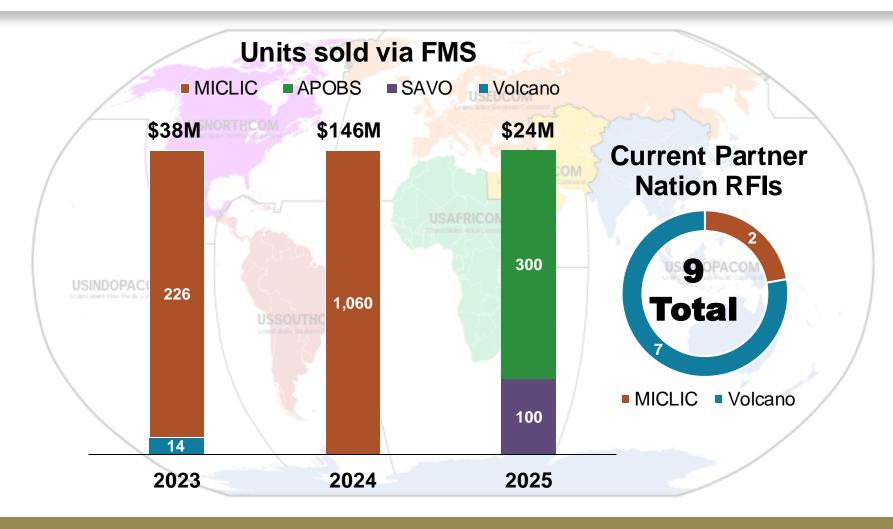


## **Security Assistance for Mobility & Counter Mobility**









## Demonstration of M58 Mine Clearing Line Charge (MICLIC)



Geopolitical events of the last 3 years have driven partner nations to consider terrain shaping and breaching for first time in decades

## **Closing Message**







- Readiness & Delivery of Improved Capabilities in Support to the Joint Warfighter
- Emerging areas: small UAS Dropped Payloads, Active Protection System Munitions
- Increase International Program Participation
- Modernization
  - Demolitions Reformation
  - Terrain Shaping
  - Large-scale Breaching
  - Demilitarization
- Sustain Technological Superiority through a Quality Workforce & Innovation
- Enhance Industry Government Partnership





