

Defense Information Systems Agency

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GIG Technologies

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- Vision
- Technology
- Convergence Unified Communications
- Innovation Engineering



Today's technologically advanced student is the Warfighter of 2016 and will test the limits for tomorrow's defense infrastructure

Student of 2008

Available Technologies

- VoIP, Internet TV, On Demand Media
- Virtual Worlds, Online Games
- Web 2.0, Chat, Email, Interactive Web/Apps
- Integrated GPS Hardware
- High Speed Wireless
- HDTV and Interactive TV
- Mobile Computing
- P2P Music and Videos

Warfighter of 2016

- Adaptive Planning
- Predictive Battlespace Awareness
- Data Fusion
- Modeling and Simulation
- Early Warning
- Knowledge Management
- Dynamic Targeting
- Time Sensitive Strike
- Persistent ISR
- Automated Threat Detection
- Battle Damage Assessment
- Multi-Dimensional Data
- Data Sharing Environments
- Distance Learning
- Wargaming
- Reduced Footprint
- Power Projection
- Force Protection
- Virtual Medicine
- Enhanced Stealth
- CBRN/Biohazard Detection

Services/ Infrastructure Requirements

- High Availability Networks
- Standards and interoperability of systems
- Community of Interest
 Network Integration
- Infrastructure Consolidation
- Low Latency
- Large Data Transfer Capabilities
- Priority-based policies (QoS)
- Redundancy and Failover
- Wireless and Mesh connectivity
- Low Jitter networking SLAs
- Interoperability of Systems
- Edge connectivity
- Standards and interoperability of systems
- Sensor Networking

DISA Examples of Technology Areas

- Possible Bins for Technology Research
 - Reduce operations cost of the GIG Core segment
 - Automated management
 - "Always on"
 - Automated defense
 - Management of the GIG Intermediate/Edge segments
 - "Always on"
 - SOA based planning
 - Policy Based Enterprise Management (PBEM)
 - Core- Intermediate/ Edge integration
 - intelligent routing
 - Includes aerial elements
 - New services via Unified Communications
 - Extension of unified communications (UC) to wireless/mobile
 - Improved "Speed" of deployment
 - GIG FDCE
 - Innovation engineering via CRADA's, Acquisition Challenge Program and JCTD's

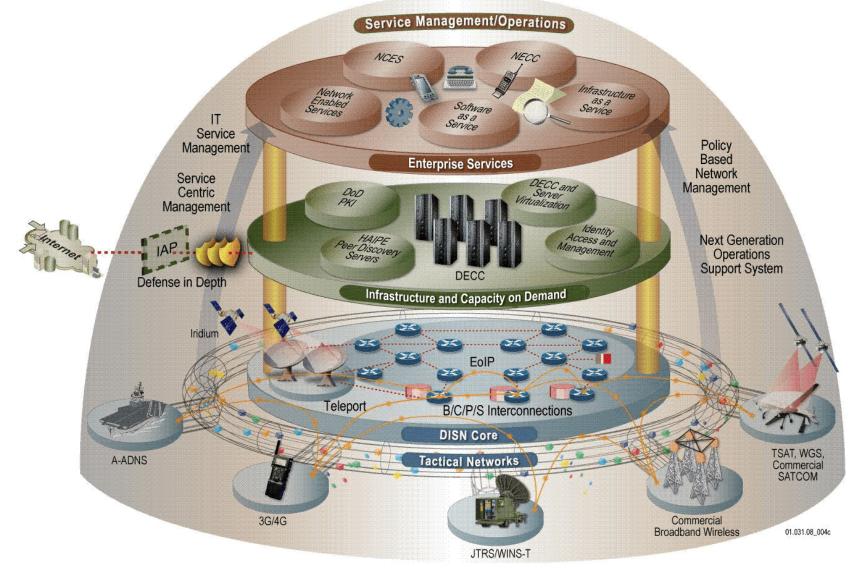


Some "Other" Areas

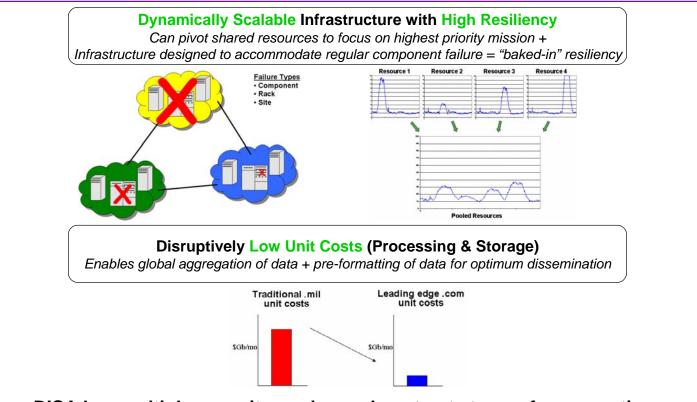
- Advanced network encryption and routing
- Thin client/stateless client
- Broadband COTM
- Distributed C2
- Smart caching
- GIG as a sensor
- Cyber SA/defense
- Cross Domain Information Sharing
- Multi-Level Security solutions
- Enterprise Service Bus (ESB)



GIG 2.0



DISA Cloud Computing Infrastructure



- DISA has multiple capacity on demand contracts to pay for computing capacity on a usage basis
- Piloting a service (based initially on our capacity on demand contract with HP) called RACE (Rapid Access Computing Environment)

• In the future expand these capabilities and leverage technology to provide advanced cloud computing services to provide fault tolerant computing that adds computing capacity automatically as demand on a particular service grows

Unclassified DISA Web 2.0 Leadership — OCTO Objectives

Community Discussions ⁸

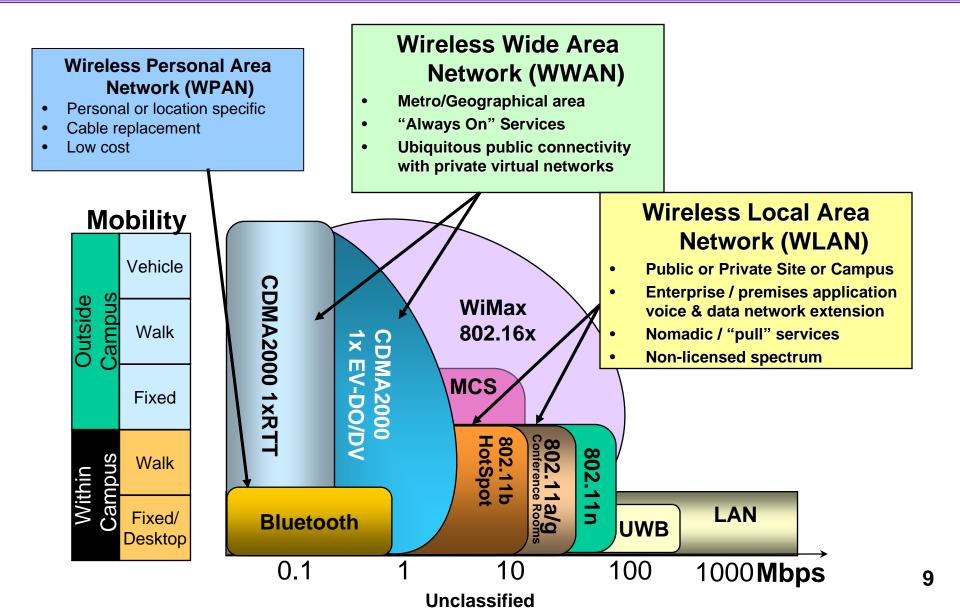


Information Integration

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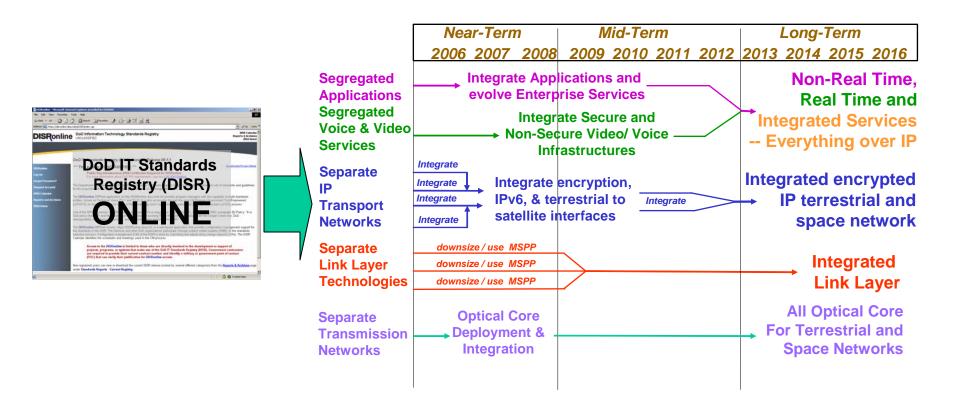


Wireless Landscape

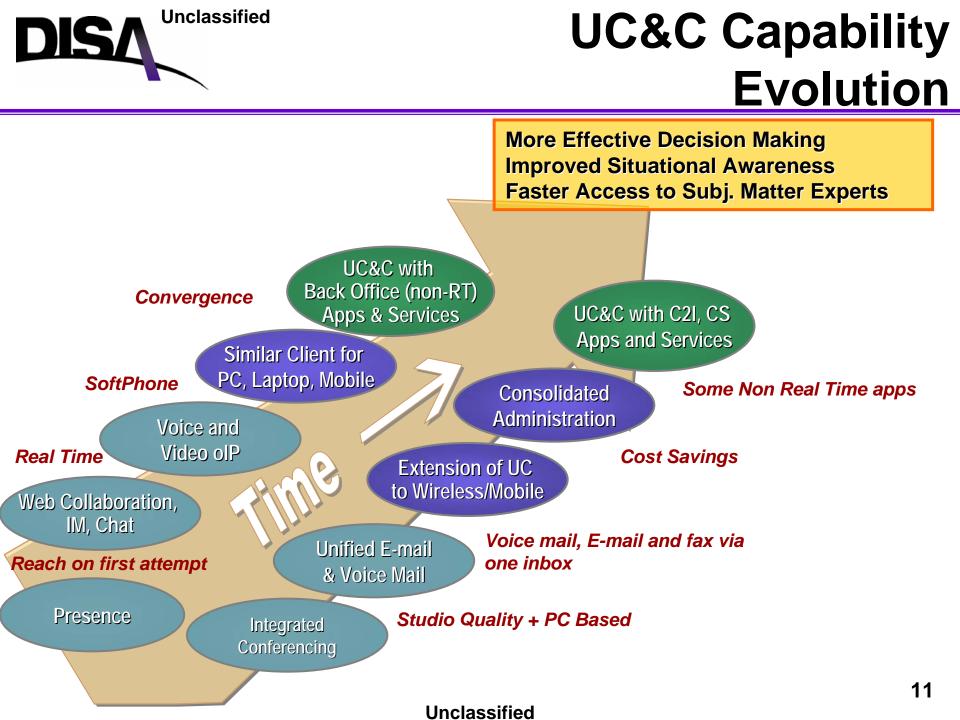




Standards Enable Convergence



IP Convergence focused on Layers 1-3. The new model is Unified Communications which includes all 7 layers of the OSI reference model.



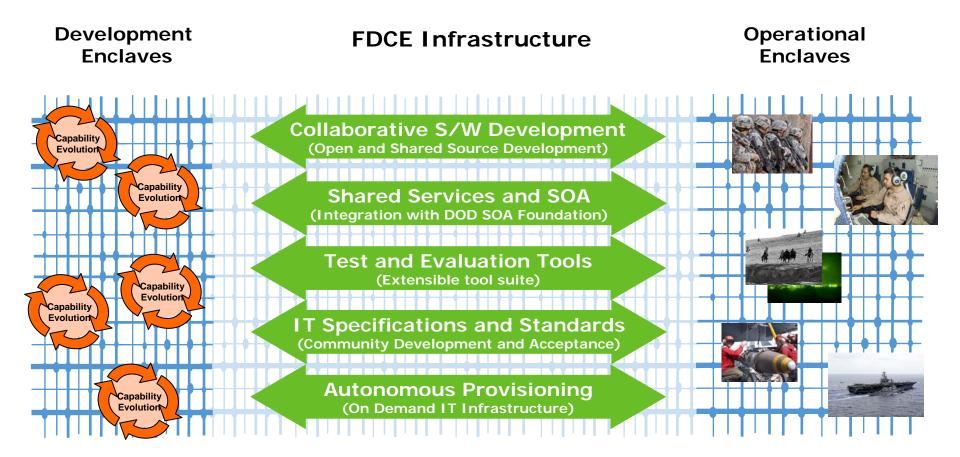


Innovation Engineering

- Joint Capability Technology Demonstrations (JCTD's)/ Coalition Warrior Interoperability Demonstration (CWID)
 - Balance of C2, apps and Network topics
- Creative Research and Development Agreement (CRADA)
 - Just getting started in this area
- Liaison with DARPA
 - Recently established liaison officer with DARPA
- GIG FDCE
 - Build off the success of the NECC FDCE
 - OTA's observations of 6 June 08



FDCE Infrastructure



Enterprise collaboration and information sharing tools tailored to support an agile development process



Summary

- Focused technology for:
 - Reduce operations cost of the GIG Core segment
 - Management of the GIG Intermediate/Edge segments
 - New services via Unified Communications
 - Speed of deployment
- DISA is actively looking to industry to explore new technologies and concepts via JCTD's CRADA's and other partnerships