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The top banner features a blue background with a collage of images on the left, including the Department of Defense seal, the Defense Technical Information Center logo, and silhouettes of soldiers. The main title "DoDTechlopedia Tutorials" is displayed in large, white, sans-serif font on the right side of the banner.

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DoDTechipedia is a **wiki**. This means that the web pages here are created and edited by people *just like you*. The below tutorials take you through many of the processes you will use when contributing to the wiki, so you can see how easy it is.

For a full **user guide** on performing the functions outlined below, see [User Guide PDF Document](#) or [User Guide Word Document](#).

Note: If you want to practice editing a wiki page, please use the [Sandbox](#).

Running Tutorials

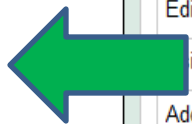
The Adobe Flash Player tutorials have been tested to work with Flash Player and add-on 9.x and higher. They may support Flash Player 8.x as well.

The Windows Media Player tutorials were developed to work with Windows Media Player 10.x or higher which is consistent with Windows XP or newer.

The Apple QuickTime Player tutorials have been tested with QuickTime Player 7.5 plug-in. They may operate with an older QuickTime Player version.

Automated Tutorials

Tutorial Title	Adobe Flash Player	Windows Media Player	Apple QuickTime Player	Text File
Overview	swf	wmv	mov	Overview
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This is the **Help** page. On this page you can find information to guide you in solving a problem, such as how to find something or how to report an issue. For new users, we recommend you start with the [Tutorials](#). For a full **user guide** on performing the functions outlined below, see [DoDTechipedia User Guide PDF Document](#) or [DoDTechipedia User Guide Word Document](#).

If you don't find what you need in the [Help](#) pages, [FAQ](#) page, or [Tutorials](#), post a comment on the Customer Feedback page.

New Enhancements

DoDTechipedia now offers a number of new features & functionalities. To view a list of enhancements, click [here](#).

How to Contribute

You can contribute to DoDTechipedia by editing pages that you feel you can improve, or by creating new pages that you feel are missing. If you want to test your new skills before getting started, use the [Sandbox](#).

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Tips of the Week are posted to the DoDTechipedia Homepage on a weekly basis. Have a tip you want to see highlighted? Add a discussion to this page to let us know. If you need help see the [Help](#) page for questions and answers posted by other DoDTechipedia users.

• [Tip of the Week](#)

If you don't find what you need in the Help pages see the FAQ page, Tutorials, or submit a comment via [DoDTechipedia CARES](#). If you have a question regarding the DoDTechipedia, please contact the site administrator at dodtechipedia@dtic.mil or call 703-767-8267.

Tip of the Week

23 February -- *Navigation Panel>Acronyms*: Clicking on acronyms takes users to a list of acronyms relating to DoD scientific and technology (S&T) areas.

2 March -- To delete blank spaces in Rich Text Editor place your cursor in the blank space, hold the shift key and the down arrow button to highlight the blank spaces(s) then hit the delete key.

9 March -- Create "My Favorites!" Go to the page you want to make a favorite and click on the star icon under the tools drop down menu. To view your favorites click on "My favorites" in the left navigation bar.

16 March -- To add acronyms on the "Acronyms" page in DoDTechipedia, select the "Edit" tab. Find the place where the acronym fits alphabetically and type in the following text: Coming Soon. Type your acronym and acronym description and click save.

```
* {term:INSERT ACRONYM HERE}Insert Acronym Description here{term}
```

23 March -- To create a term on the "Terminology" page, select the "Edit" tab. Next, find the place where the term fits alphabetically and type the following text: Coming Soon. Type your term and definition and click "save."

```
* {term:INSERT TERM HERE}Insert Definition here{term}
```

30 March -- To create tables, select Edit, wiki markup. For a table heading enter double bars before and after your table header text and single bars before and after col A1, col A2, col B1, col B2, etc. for a regular column/row.

```
||heading 1||heading 2||heading 3||  
|col A1|col A2|col A3|  
|col B1|col B2|col B3|
```

Discussions [\(Hide Discussions\)](#)

I just wanted to let you know that I like the "tip of the week". I think it helps me to learn more about the system so it is more useful and maybe I can be more useful to others. Thank you.

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This is a list of frequently asked questions about DoDTechpedia.

1. What does the "eye" icon do in the "Tools" drop down menu do?

This lets you subscribe to an e-mail notification of any changes to the page you're viewing. If you are already subscribed to the page, the icon will be yellow.

2. How can I delete a DoDTechpedia page?

DoDTechpedia pages can only be deleted by an administrator. To delete a page you must send an email to dodtechpedia@dtic.mil and request that a page be deleted.

3. Where is the page (article) that I just added?

Generally speaking, after you create a page you'll need to add a link somewhere that points to the new page. (Alternatively, you can first create the link in some page, then click on that link to create a page with the corresponding name.) Each time you add a wiki page, it becomes a child page to the page where the Add Page was initiated from. Please use [Show Children / Hide Children](#) beside [Children\(\)](#) at the bottom of the page to navigate to children pages. When no children pages exist, the [Children\(\)](#) will not display. Also note that after creating a blog entry you may not see the entry on the blog page for up to a minute. For missing pages, you can either use the [Browse Space/Pages](#) functions to find the page, or email the administrator at dodtechpedia@dtic.mil and explain where the page belongs and the administrator will fix it.

4. What if I accidentally make an unwanted change to a wiki page?

Each wiki page has a history that saves a new version each time a user makes a change to a page. To revert to a previous version, simply click on the [History](#) tab of the article you wish to revert, click on [View Page History](#) in the [Recent Changes](#) box on the right side of the page. Then find the version you want to revert back to and click [Restore this version](#).

5. How do I add a blog to a technology page?

Users are not able to add a blog to a technology page without approval from an administrator. To become the author of a blog for a technology page; go to the [Blogs](#) page and click on [adopting it](#) under the [Technology Area Blogs](#) area. You can find the link to the [Blogs](#) page in the [General Information](#) navigation panel, located on the left side of the page. Once on the [Adopt a Blog](#) page, you will be provided with some basic information. Click on the dodtechpedia@dtic.mil link to send an email regarding your interest in adopting a blog. Please do not forget to specify the blog you desire to assume.

6. When I attempt to attach a file to an article, it will not save. Why?

If your attachment will not save, check to see if the following apply: Attachment size is over 50 mb; File type may not be recognized. Only the following file types are accepted: [.doc](#), [.docx](#), [.rtf](#), [.pdf](#), [.txt](#), [.xml](#), [.xls](#), [.cdr](#), [.pps](#), [.pptx](#), [.sldx](#), [.jpg](#), [.jpeg](#), [.jif](#), [.gif](#), [.bmp](#), [.tif](#), [.mpg](#), [.mpeg](#), [.mp2](#), [.mp4](#), [.mpv](#), [.wmv](#), [.avi](#). If neither of these issues apply, please email the site administrator at dodtechpedia@dtic.mil.

7. How can I keep track of which pages I have selected to receive updates on?

See Also

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We Want to Hear from You!

If you have a feature you would like to see on the wiki, something that could work better, or found a helpful tip share it with us here.

You can also share your comments through [DTIC CARES](#), a short online feedback tool.

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Other Training Opportunities

- **DoDTechipedia Webinars**
 - One-hour session offered through DCO
 - Upcoming Sessions (all Eastern time)
 - 14 April @ 2:00PM
 - 11 May @ 3:00PM
 - 7 June @ 11:00AM



Real-time Support

- **DoDTechipedia site administrators**
 - Assist with page development
 - Troubleshoot issues
 - Delete pages
 - Create private areas
- For technical support, contact the DoDTechipedia administrators at dodtechipedia@dtic.mil



Defense Communities Wiki

DoDTechipedia companion wiki for DoD and DoD contractors to collaborate...

Benefits:

- Provides a space for groups within the defense community to collaborate without the entire DoDTechipedia community accessing the information
- You control the “wiki space” in terms of who can join your community space
- Create a space for your specific work group or project for all key stakeholders to easily access documents and project elements in one location



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Labels: [community](#) [communities](#) [EDIT](#)

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Article Quality: ★★★★★ (0 ratings)

Now Available:
A new calendar feature is available in DoDTechipedia! Add a calendar to your space now by following the instructions in the [User's Guide](#).

Requesting Community Space

*All content is organized into community spaces. To request a new community space, click the link below:

[Requesting a New Community Space](#)

If you have any questions about this process, please feel free to contact the site administrators at dodtechipedia@dtic.mil.*

Community Spaces List

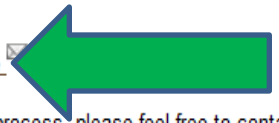
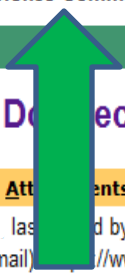
To request access to one of the spaces listed below, click on the e-mail address next to the desired space.

- ARDEC SED ⓘ
- CBRN Defense ⓘ
- DLA Research, Review and Analysis ⓘ
- DTIC Community of Interest (COI) ⓘ
- DTIC Current Awareness ⓘ

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New DoDTechipedia Defense Communities Space Request - Message (HTML)

File Message Insert Options Format Text Review Adobe PDF

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From: [redacted]
To: dodtechipedia@dtic.mil
Cc: [redacted]
Subject: New DoDTechipedia Defense Communities Space Request

Thank you for your interest in creating a new community space on the DoDTechipedia Defense Communities wiki site. Please provide the name of the community you wish to be created: (FILL IN THE COMMUNITY SPACE NAME HERE). Would you like a blog set-up for the Community Space? (YES/NO) Even if you answer NO for the Community Space blog, it can be set-up later. The site administrator will contact you shortly with more information.

DTIC Current Awareness

Dave Long



Tutorials for Other DTIC Sites

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DoDTechipedia  

DoDTechipedia is DoD's first enterprise-wide, social-networking tool focused on the science and technology community. Using a wiki format, DoDTechipedia's goal is to foster communication and collaboration among DoD scientists, researchers, program managers, acquisition professionals and warfighters that results in greater capability and more rapidly implemented solutions being deployed to the warfighter.

Access restricted to DTIC Registered users.


Aristotle  

Aristotle is a Department of Defense (DoD) social networking site. It was created to facilitate access to information and people, to enhance collaboration within projects, and to open new avenues in media sharing. Aristotle reaches back to knowledge stores including millions of projects, topics and documents from the Defense Technical Information Center (DTIC). It provides social networking not just for people, but also for science and technology projects. Aristotle is a knowledge network based on an ever-expanding technical repository of topics. Aristotle allows discovery of what technical topics interest the scientific community, which topics interrelate to which projects, how topics of interest intercompare with others, and which documents interlink to which topics.

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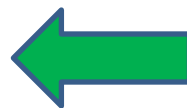


The [Total Electronic Migration System](#)

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[Eagle Vision Program Garner Key Award for Keen Earth Observation](#)

The system consists of five deployable satellite downlink stations that



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Start here to customize your interface. Choose one of these content categories.

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- [Science and Technology](#)

For more information about customizing your home page, see DTIC Online [Help](#)

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