



Military Communications & Positioning, Navigation, and Timing Overview

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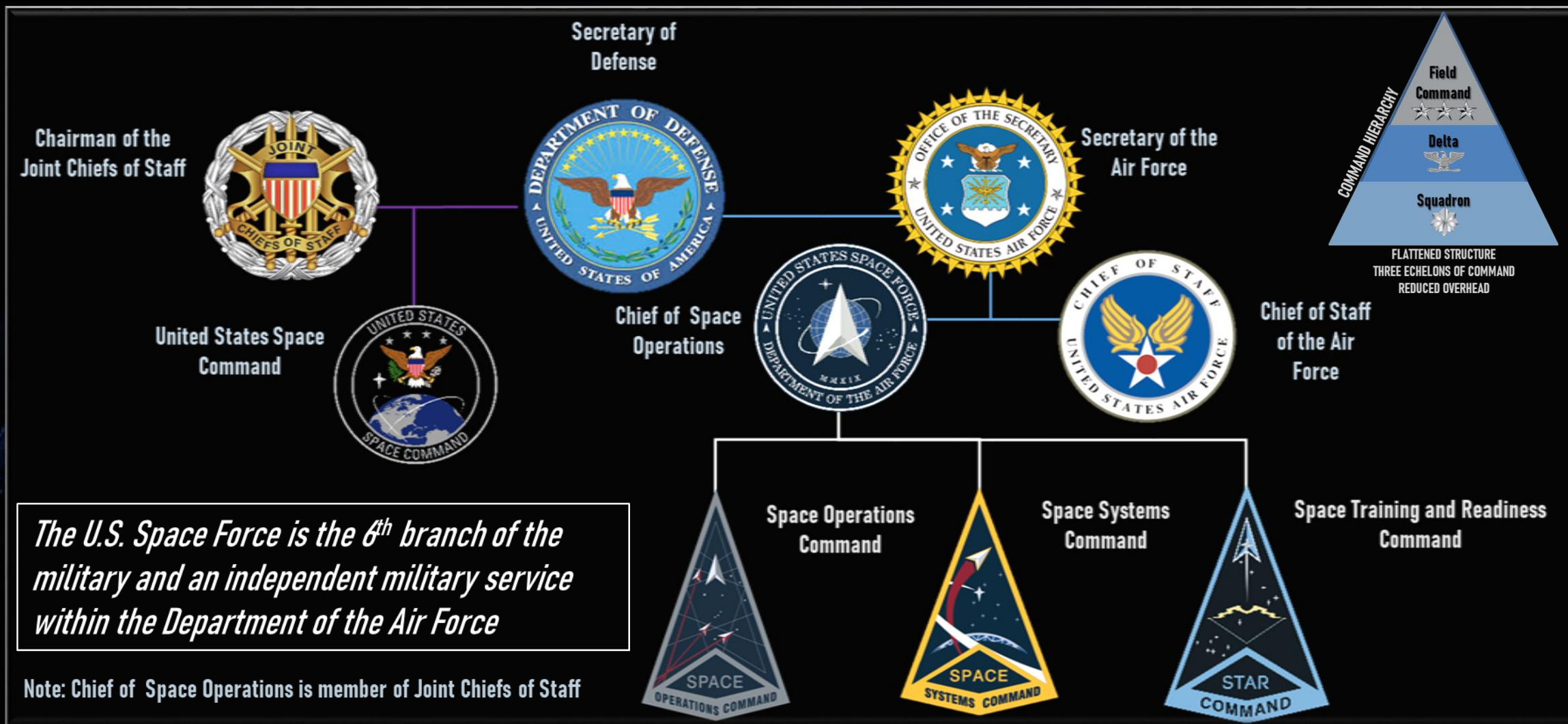
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U.S. Space Force Organization



Complementary Functions And Streamlined Layers Of Command In The Deliberate Pursuit Of Speed And Agility



UNITED STATES SPACE FORCE

Space Force Capabilities "Today"

SEMPER SUPRA

GEO
Geostationary Earth Orbit
22,000 miles
Optimal for Continuous Earth Coverage

MEO
Medium Earth Orbit
1,200 – 22,000 miles
Optimal for Global Positioning, Navigation and Timing

LEO
Low Earth Orbit
1,200 miles
Optimal for Earth Sensing

Global Communications



Space Domain Awareness

Position, Navigation and Timing



HEO
Highly Elliptical Orbit
1,200 – 22,000 miles
Optimal for Extended Polar Coverage

Weather



Space Domain Awareness



EPS

Missile Warning and Battlespace Awareness



SBIRS HEO



DSP



SBIRS



CSpOC

Executes the operational command and control of space forces to achieve theater and global objectives



Cyber MDTs

Provide specialized cyber defense to space weapon systems throughout the portfolio

Global Satellite Control Satellite Control Network



- BOSS**
New Boston SFS
- COOK**
Vandenberg SFB
- GUAM**
Micronesia
- HULA**
Hawaii
- LION**
RAF Cucklington
- POGO**
Truett AB
- REEF**
Diego Garcia

Ground-Based Space Domain Awareness



- GEODSS**
Diego Garcia
Maui
Goosm
- Eglin Radar**
Eglin AFB
- Space Fence**
Kwajalein Atoll
- Space Surveillance Telescope**
Australia
- C-Band Radar**
Australia

Missile Warning / Defense Radar



- UEWR**
Cape Cod SFS
- UEWR**
Beale AFB
- PARCS**
Cavalier SFS
- Cobra Dane**
Eareckson AS
- UEWR**
Thule AB
- UEWR**
Clear SFS
- UEWR**
RAF Fylingdales

Space Electronic Warfare



- CCS 10.2**
- Multi-Mission Platform 2.0**
- Bounty Hunter 2.0**

Launch Operations

- Space Launch Delta 30**
Vandenberg SFB
- Space Launch Delta 45**
Cape Canaveral SFS



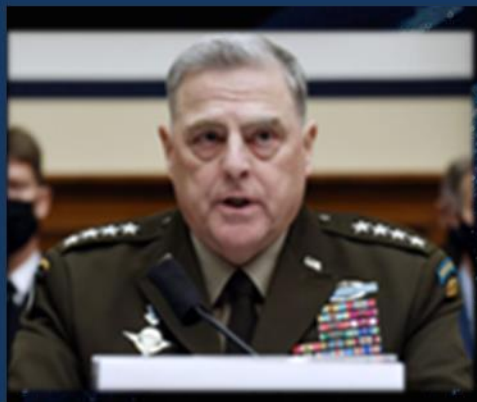
Superior and Exquisite Array of Space Capabilities Built for a Benign Space Domain...Things Have Changed



Global Context



What motivates us?



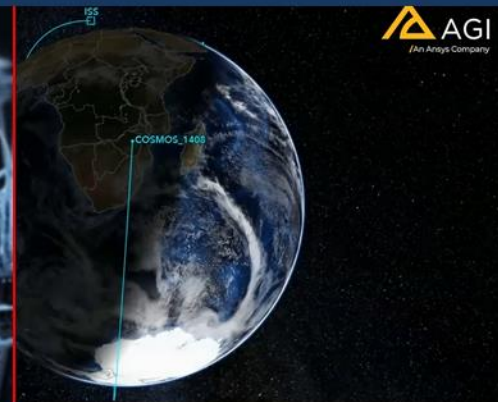
Top U.S. general calls China's hypersonic weapon test very close to a 'Sputnik moment.'



China launches world's first quantum communications satellite.



China is launching 'kidnapper' satellites, with grapple arms capable of plucking satellites out of orbit.



Russian direct-ascent anti-satellite missile test creates significant, long-lasting space debris.



Russia has a new weapon that USSF dubs the 'Nesting Doll.' It opened up and another satellite came out. And it opened up and a projectile came out. That projectile is designed to kill U.S. satellites.

"Our entire way of life depends on space and our ability to protect our assets."

Gen. John Raymond, Chief of Space Operations, U.S. Space Force

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China's Long Game

China is projected to surpass the United States economically by 2030

- “There are a growing number of areas in which Xi’s China is a formidable, authoritarian adversary. China is working to methodically strengthen its capabilities to steal intellectual property, repress its own people, bully its neighbors, expand its global reach, and build influence in American society.”***

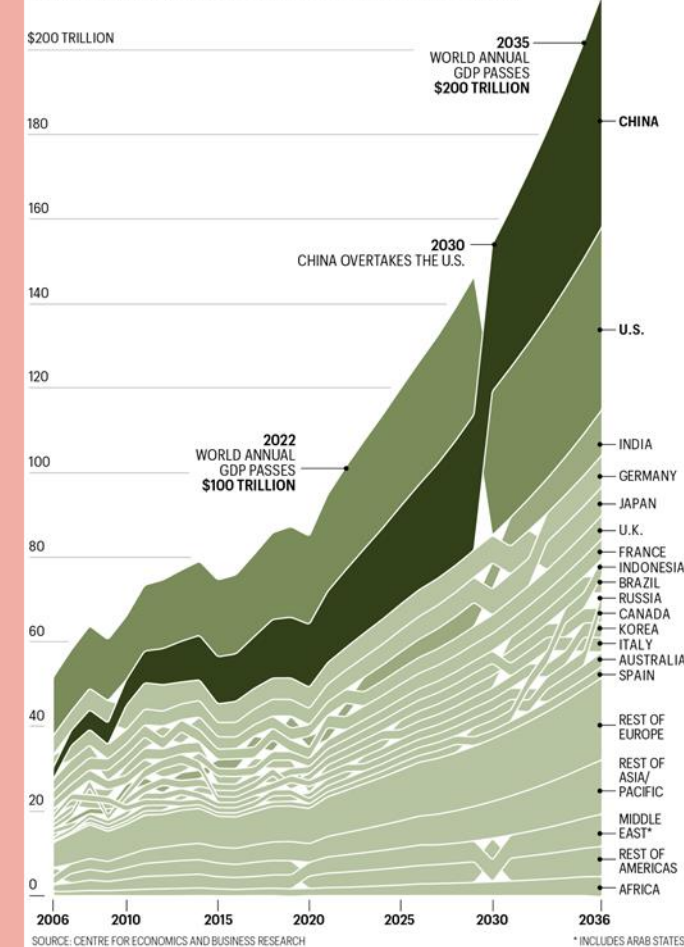
CIA Director William Burns April 2021
- “China’s military, the People’s Liberation Army, plans to match or exceed U.S. capabilities in space to gain the military, economic, and prestige benefits that Washington has accrued from space leadership.”***

Office of the DNI April 2021
- “China’s aggressive pursuit of advanced technologies is “the most immediate threat” to U.S. satellite capabilities and ground infrastructure.”***

Lt. Gen. B. Chance Saltzman

GLOBAL GDP PROJECTIONS

CURRENT PRICE GDP ESTIMATES AND FORECASTS IN INTERNATIONAL DOLLARS





Military Communications (MilComm) & Positioning, Navigation and Timing (PNT) Directorate Overview



Acquisition & Integration Priorities

Deliver U.S. Space Force's programs quickly, on schedule, and on budget

- Drive speed in acquisitions
- Improve resiliency
- Integrate space with other domains
- Improve project management
- Integrate space and ground systems for delivery



Mr. Frank Calvelli

Assistant Secretary of the Air Force for Space Acquisitions and Integration



What is SPEED in ACQUISITION?

Management Excellence

- Baseline schedules and hold stakeholders accountable
- Address cost, schedules, staffing, issues/risks proactively
- Add cost/schedule realism as part of our proposal evaluation

Critical Analysis

- Know/verify and track stakeholder capabilities
- Apply existing technology to reduce NRE & shorten development schedules

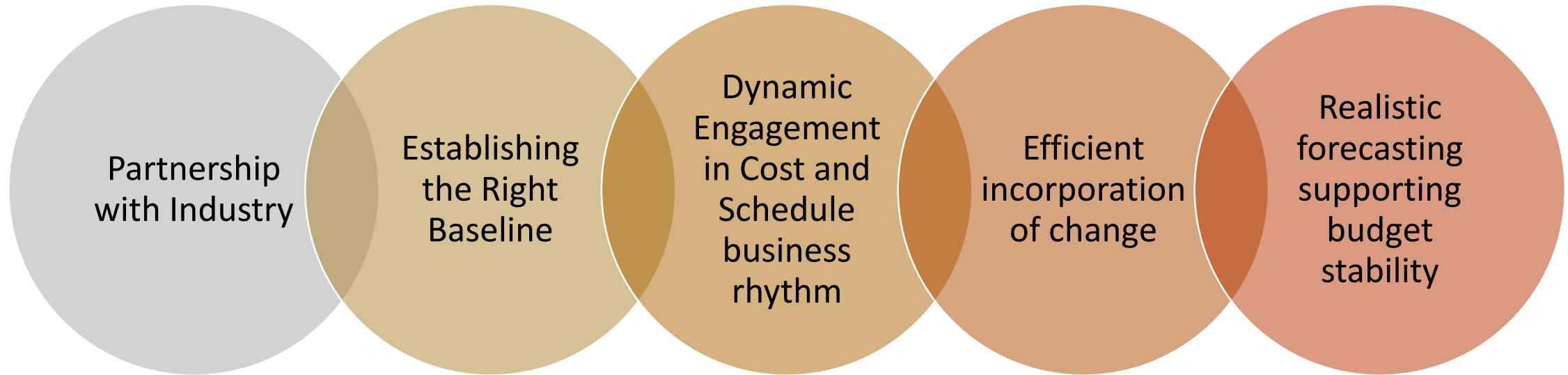
Process Improvement

- Minimize internal acquisition coordination; bureaucracy
- Rapidly definitize contracts and set program baselines
- Think longer term – especially with the budget

WHY DOES IT MATTER?



Acquisition challenges require shifting **back to basics** with government leadership at ALL levels



“Department of Defense, Interagency, and Industry essential”



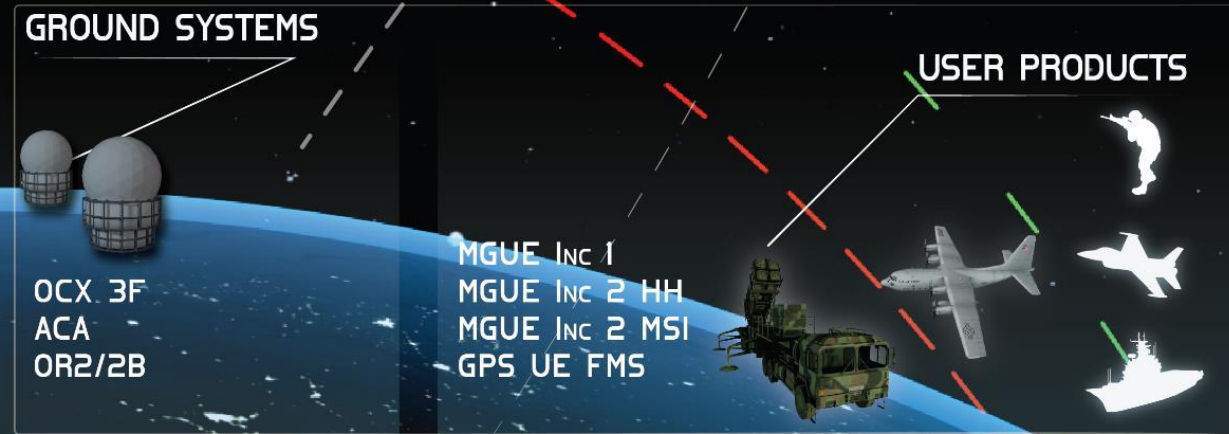
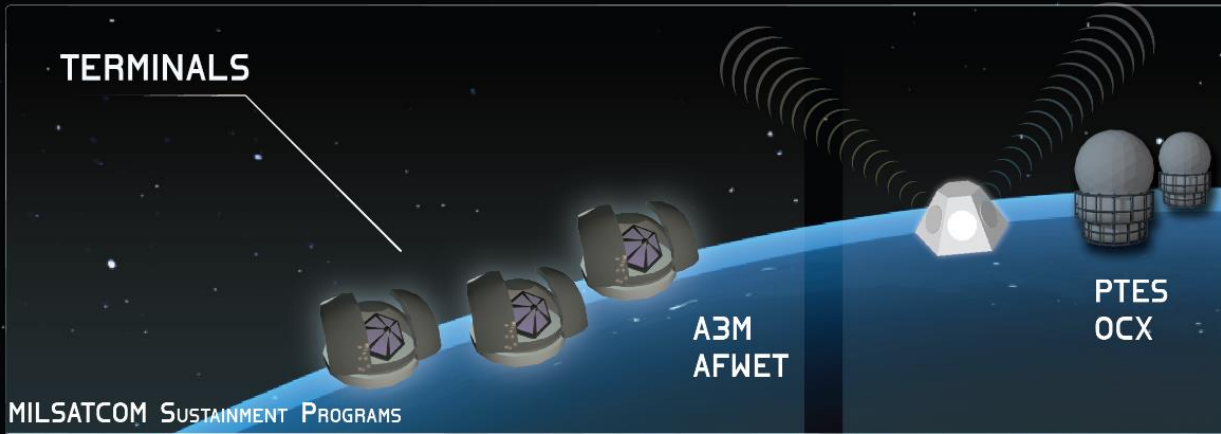
MilComm & PNT Mission & Vision

Mission

Rapidly deliver premier MilComm and PNT capabilities resilient to the threat by the relentless pursuit of warfighter needs and acquisition excellence

Vision

World-class space professionals connecting people and systems, any time any place, to enable unity of effort across all warfighting domains



MILSATCOM SUSTAINMENT PROGRAMS

- AIRBORNE INTEGRATED TERMINAL GROUP
- GLOBAL BROADCAST SERVICE
- GROUND MULTI-BAND TERMINAL

AIRCREW ALERTING COMMUNICATIONS EMP (AACE)

- AIR FORCE COMMAND POST TERMINAL (AFCPT)
- DUAL MODEM UPGRADE (DMU)

EMP HARDENED DISPERSAL COMMUNICATIONS (EHDC)

- MINUTEMAN MEECN PROGRAM (MMP)
- SINGLE CHANNEL ANTI-JAM MAN PORTABLE (SCAMP)

SECURE MOBILE ANTI-JAM RELIABLE TACTICAL TERMINAL (SMART-T)

- FAMILY OF ADVANCED BEYOND LINE OF SIGHT TERMINALS (FAB-T)
- PRESIDENTIAL NATIONAL VOICE COMMUNICATION (PNVC)

MAJOR GPS OPERATIONAL COMPONENTS

- MASTER CONTROL STN (MCS)
- ALT MCS
- 6 MONITOR STATIONS (MSS)

- 4 GROUND ANTENNAS (GAS)
- ARCHITECTURAL EVOLUTION PROGRAM (AEP) SOFTWARE
- POSITIONAL TRAINING EMULATOR (PTE)

- GPS INFORMATION NETWORK (GIN)
- SAASM MISSION PLANNING SYSTEM (SMPS)
- LAUNCH, ANOMALY, AND DISPOSAL OPERATIONS (LADO)

- RED DRAGON CYBER SECURITY SUITE (RDCSS)
- GPS INTERFERENCE AND NAVIGATION TOOL (GIANT)
- TELECOMMUNICATIONS SIMULATOR TEST STATION (TSTS)
- CONSOLIDATED TEST ENVIRONMENT (CTE)



MilComm & PNT (SSC/CG)

as of September 2022




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MILITARY COMMUNICATIONS & PNT BY THE NUMBERS

1800+

active duty, civilian and contractor employees

4 GPS

Monitoring Stations, Mission Planning Systems, & primary/backup Control Stations –antennas

17 17 Satellites/Payloads in production

WGS 11+ (1)
GPS III (5)
GPS IIIF (7)

MUOS (2)
EPS-R (2)

FY22-27
FY22-27 total budget \$20.9 billion

26 Active Programs

9 Systems in Sustainment

7 ACAT I Programs

1 ACAT II Program

4 ACAT III Programs

5 MTAs

9 AML Exempt

Over **2 Million** Units

of GPS User Equipment (UE) fielded with next-gen Military GPS UE starting to field

8 Ground Systems

satellite systems in sustainment

GPS satellites

12 GPS IIR

8 GPS IIR-M

12 GPS IIIF

5 GPS III

satellite systems in sustainment

34 SATCOM satellites

6 AEHF

6 DSCS

2 EPS

5 MILSTAR

5 MUOS

10 WGS



400,000

Over 400,00 GPS User Equipment (UE) sold through GPS Foreign Military Sales (FMS)

More than

75

GPS FMS cases in work and active engagement with 59 allied nations

2600+

2600+ SATCOM Terminals





GPS: Beyond Defense

High precision GPS enables greener infrastructure

MUNICIPAL SERVICES

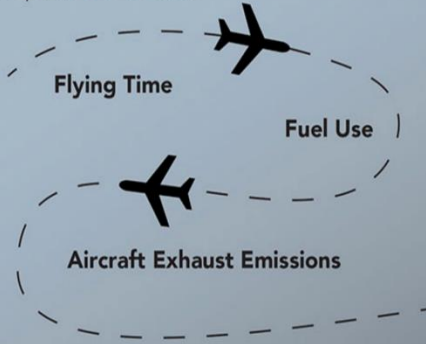
GPS can be used for real-time tracking of **garbage trucks, snowplows, and buses**, leading to substantial savings in **dollars, fuel, and time**.

In Niles, IL, the Department of Public Works used GPS to optimize the routing of snowplows, leading to:³

40% Reduction in the use of salt
700+ Tons of salt saved

TRANSPORTATION

GPS is at the heart of the FAA's Next Generation Air Transportation System. GPS enabled optimized flight paths can reduce:



AGRICULTURE

By **2030**, GPS-enabled precision agriculture can save **180 billion cubic meters of water**.¹



The use of GPS guidance systems on 10% of planted acres in the U.S. each year would reduce:²

- Fuel use by **16 million gallons**
- Herbicide use by **2 million quarts**
- Insecticide use by **4 million pounds**

CONSTRUCTION

High-precision GPS is used to support the building of roads, bridges, and other infrastructure projects.

Projects utilizing GPS can:

- Reduce wetland impacts
- Reduce impact to sensitive species
- Reduce landslide risks
- Reduce residential displacement
- Minimize impact on existing utilities

Public Safety



Autonomous Vehicles



Finance

- All financial services use GPS to timestamp financial transactions, match trading orders, and synchronize financial computer systems
- Since the 1980s, GPS has provided \$1.4 trillion in US economic benefits. If a GPS outage were to occur, it is estimated to be as costly as 1 billion USD per day. **Up to \$45 Billion if a 30-day outage were to occur**





Questions

