Aging Aircraft Integrated Product Team



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AGING AIRCRAFT IPT: "WHAT'S EATING YOU?"

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Who is the JCAA?





Vision

Jointly Identify, Investigate, and Implement Programs that will Field Products to Improve the *Availability* and *Affordability* of all the Services' and Agencies' Aging Aeronautical Systems.

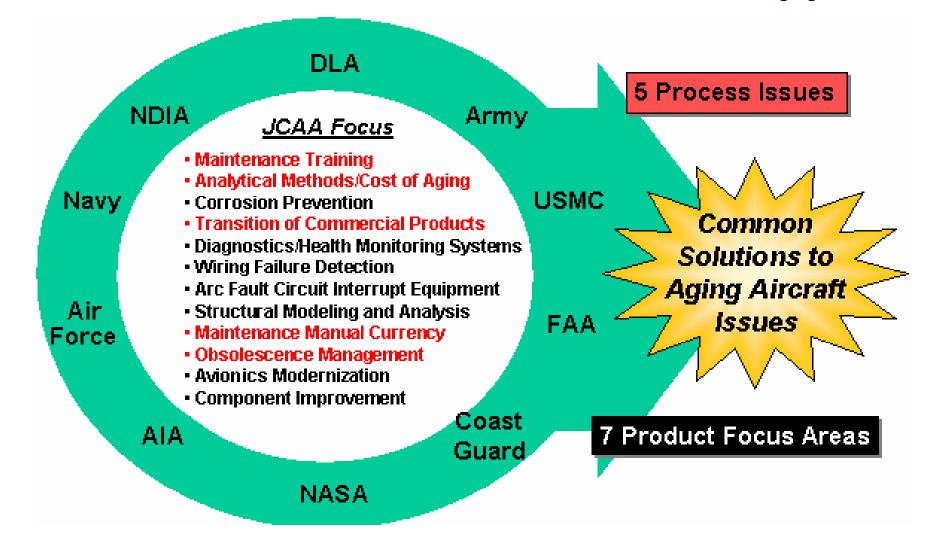
Process

Through the use of Integrated Roadmaps, Shared Data and Analyses, the JCAA will:

- Identify Process Recommendations & Improvements
- Advocate/Enable Promising Technology
- Facilitate Transition of Technology/Program Opportunities
- Promote Knowledge Management on Aging Aircraft
 - Coordinate Funding for Promising Areas

National Strategy Focus





OSD and JLC Charged JCAA to Develop a National Strategy

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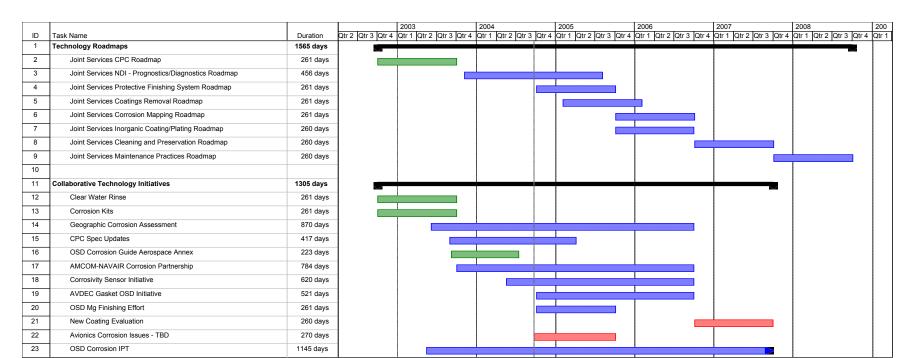
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General Series Pubs



- Common Maintenance Procedures Utilized in All Platforms
- Number 1 Way to Transition New Maintenance Technology
- Always underfunded
- JCAA Coordinating Updates



01-1A-509 Corrosion Control



The Challenge			The Team		The Product		
•Duplication •01-1A-509 (Airframe)		•U.S. Navy/U.S. Marine Corps •North Island •China Lake		•Revise NA-01-1A-509 •Revise NA 01-1A-540			
•16-1-540 (Avionics)		∙FFT		•Volumize data			
		•U.S. Air Force		•Hard Copy/CD released Mar 05			
		•Warner Robins					
		•U. S. Army					
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Corrosion Program and Corrosion Theory	Aircraft Corrosion Control		Avionics and Electronics Corrosion Control		Consumable Materials and Equipment - Airframes	Consumable Materials and Equipment Avionics	
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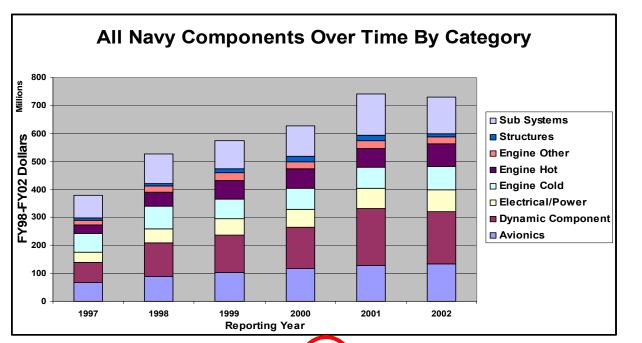
Avionics and Airframe Parts Obsolescence



DMSMS / Obsolescence Policy "The Problem"



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Component Repair growing by an average of 7.8% per year

•Obsolescence a Key Factor for Avionics Cost Growth

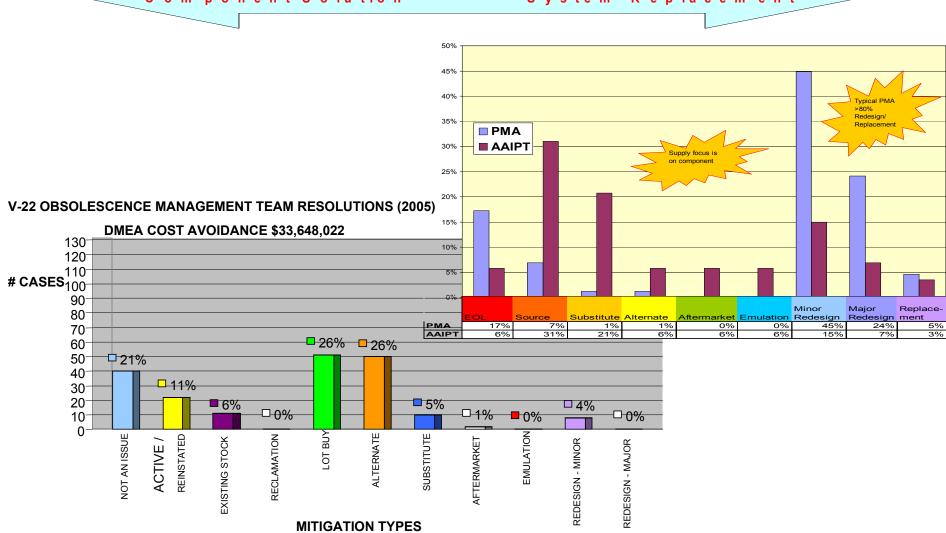
 Obsolescence impact to Naval Aviation alone =
 \$750M

•PMA 265-\$18M

•PMA 275-\$32M AVOIDED

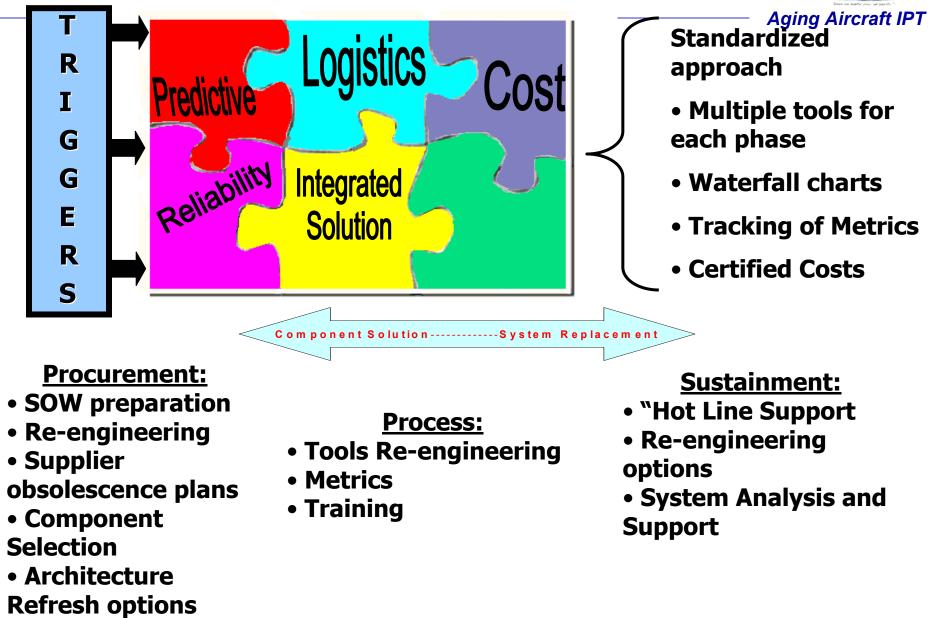
<u>Root Cause Analysis</u>	<u>Age</u>	<u>Obs</u>	<u>Vndr</u>	<u>Dsgn</u>	Log	<u>New Item</u>	<u>Maint Plan</u>
Avionics	27.5%	45.0%	1.3%	8.1%	8.1%	9.4%	0.6%
Dynamic Component	61.0%	0.0%	7.3%	3.7%	11.0%	12.2%	4.9%
Electrical/Power	40.6%	4.7%	6.3%	37.5%	3.1%	3.1%	4.7%
Engine Cold	64.2%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	7.7%	28.2%	0.0%
Engine Hot	86.2%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	10.3%	3.4%
Engine Other	46.7%	8.3%	0.0%	23.3%	20.0%	1.7%	0.0%
Structures	76.7%	3.3%	0.0%	13.3%	0.0%	3.3%	3.3%
Sub Systems	52.9%	5.9%	4.4%	10.3%	14.7%	10.3%	1.5%

Spectrum of Potential Solution



Full Spectrum Obsolescence Support

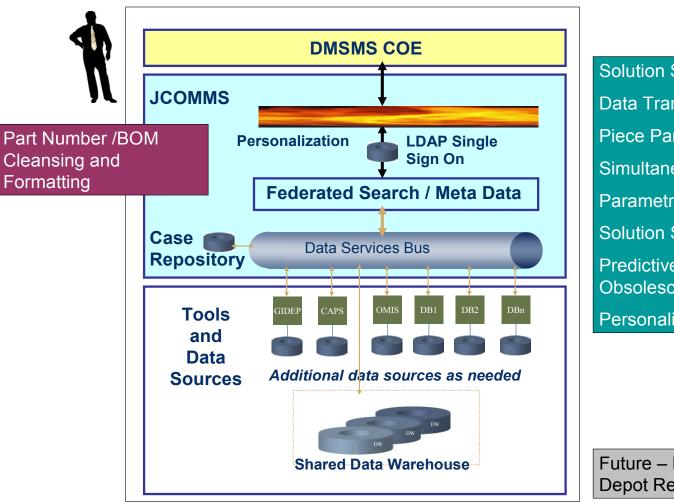




JCOMMS System Architecture

System Architecture

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Solution Sharing Data Translation Piece Part Search Simultaneous Search Parametric Search Solution Search Predictive Obsolescence Personalization

Future – ERP and Depot Repair Data

JCOMMS - Targeted Data Sources and Tools Integration



Aging Aircraft IPT **Data Sources and Tools Predictive Tools** Supplier Q-STAR Access Tools Sarnoff **Total Parts Plus** FedLog/FLIS **TACTRAC-Comet** Lansdale PC I ink **CAPS** Expert Rochester **Aggregated Parts Sources Publication** Fairchild Shared Data Warehouse NATEC GIDFP Motorola Part Miner **Avionics Installation** Micro Semi **Clearing House for Information** Plan National Semi ILS Sustainment Tools ΤI **IHS Specs & Standards** AVCOM Horizon **Inventory Management** QP Semi Sunset **WebCATS** Cypress OMIS DSCC Intersil EPIC Haystack Sustain Maintenance Information **Technical Drawings** LMDSS JEDMICS (Medals)

- This list represents an independent view of the potential data sources and tools that will be considered under the JCOMMS Discovery
- And is JOINT across DoD

JCOMMS – Wild Card LM45 Results



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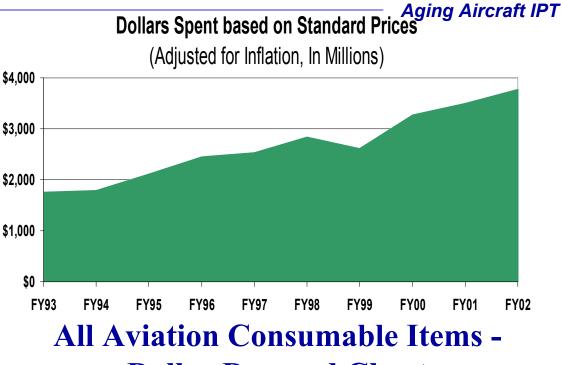
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FastTrack – The Need



DLA Managed Consumables Have Experienced Significant Increases in Acquisition Costs

- Many different FSCs
 - Many are simple structural parts
- up to 300% increase
- increased use of OEM's for "readiness at all cost" solutions



Dollar Demand Chart

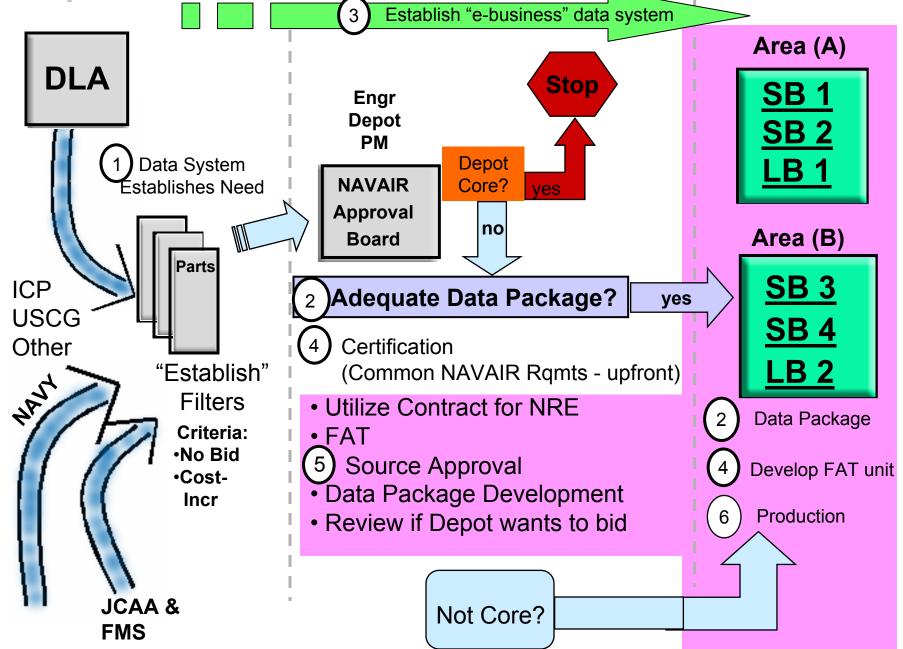
DLA Managed items one of two major issues in depot cost growth

Process to qualify alternate sources severely fragmented and inefficient

Program Teams Don't have the Resources to Establish Stand Alone Contracts for Individual Parts

Proposed FastTrack Role

Establish Consortium of contractors





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- Obsolescence offers both Challenges
 and Opportunity
- Need to be Proactive and attack the cause of Obsolescence
 - Teaming with Industry
 - Establish "Standards" for Electronic Parts management
 - Balance new design practices, tools and more robust mitigation efforts
 - Champion new technologies

Opportunity to get in on the Ground Floor



Aging Aircraft Team Initiatives:

Airframe Corrosion

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•Touch-Up Aerosol Primers & Topcoats

- Isocyanate Investigation
- Sacrificial Coating Repair
- Clear Water Rinse System
- Corrosion Repair Kit
- Specifications Update
- AvDec Sealants
- •Magnesium Treatment
- •OSD CPC Guidebook Appendix K

Touch-Up Aerosol Primers and Topcoats



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<u>Objective</u>: Evaluate performance of commercial off-the-shelf aerosol products conforming to MIL-SPEC for touch-up painting.

Background: Non-approved aerosol coatings (A-A-2786 & PWC) do not provide adequate corrosion protection, weather resistance, durability, nor are they resistant to operational fluids. Used extensively by O- and I- level maintenance activities, and IMC sites

and IMC sites.



<u>Status</u>: Product screening and initial corrosion testing is complete. Follow-On testing underway and when complete Implementation planned for FY05.

Clear Water Rinse System



Description:

Automated taxi-thru Clear Water Rinse System (CWRS) for aircraft upon return to airfield after completion of daily mission or training exercises.

A closed loop CWRS with filtration to remove heavy metal contaminants, salts, oils and greases.

Date Action Initiated/Due:

June 2004

Status:

Approved Army project with initial lease for Hunter AAF, GA

OSD FY05 funding - \$2M (Hunter AAF)

Service FY05 matching - \$3M (SWA)

Aeronautical:

Rotary Wing



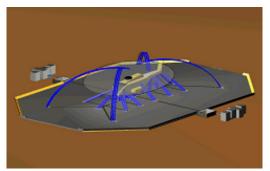
Services/Agencies Impacted:

All Rotary Wing Owners

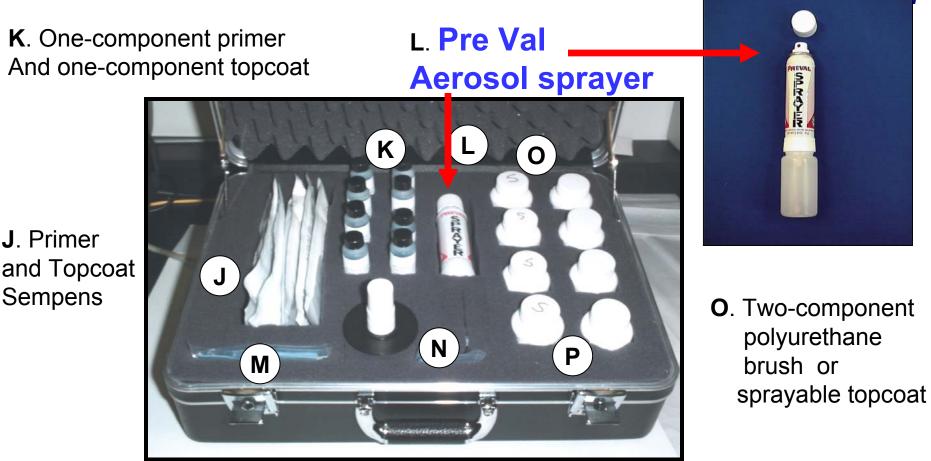
ILS Elements:

Leased/Transportable System

Contractor Logistic Support (CLS)



Corrosion Repair Kit



- M. Pre-moistened abrasive pads and towelettes
- N. Chromate conversion coating pen

P. One-component brush or sprayable polyurethane topcoat

Short term solutions for the maintainer



CPC and AvDec Sealants



Description:	Date Action Initiated/Due:			
Antenna, static wick, other electrical	Start Jan 2005			
interfaces and floorboards pose corrosion problems for aviation platforms.	<u>Status:</u>			
Current corrosion prevention schemes are	Approved project			
not sufficient and lead to high component	OSD FY05 funding - \$2.91M Service FY05 matching - \$3.832M Air Force, Navy and USCG successfully demonstrated			
scrap rates, maintenance Man hours and prematurely damaged structure.				
prematurely damaged structure.				
	demonstrated			
<u>Aeronautical:</u>	ILS Elements:			
Aeronautical: Without AvDEC				
	ILS Elements:			
Without AvDEC	ILS Elements: Maintenance Planning			

Air Vehicle Bonding Repair



Processes for Austere Bonding

PROBLEM

- Difficult to effect bonded repairs in austere environments (esp. blowing sand)
- Limits effectiveness of patches, and increases repair time for forward deployed units
- Can force delayed repairs

SOLUTION

- Commercially available hazmat removal bags could fulfill this requirement. Need to develop use procedures and put in –21 or TMS SRMs. Could also provide procedures for manufacturing bags from scratch.
- Commercial bags provided to recently deploying H-46 squadron HMM-261 for prototype.





Aging Aircraft Team Initiatives: Wiring Team





Integrated Wiring Strategy



ARC Fault Circuit Breaker

- Reduction in aircraft fires
- Support standardization
- Joint Logistics Package and Procurement

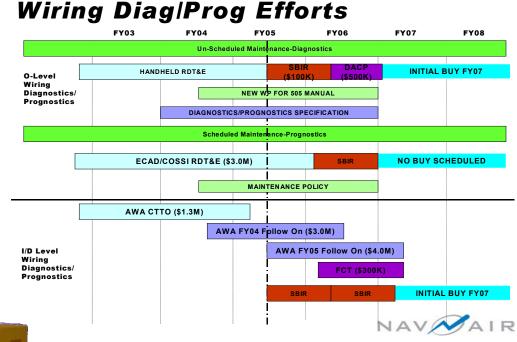






AWA (Off-Line Diagnostics) Program

- Develop and Field Depot level Wiring Diagnostic Tool
- •Standing Wave Reflectometry (SWR)
- 128,000 point switching

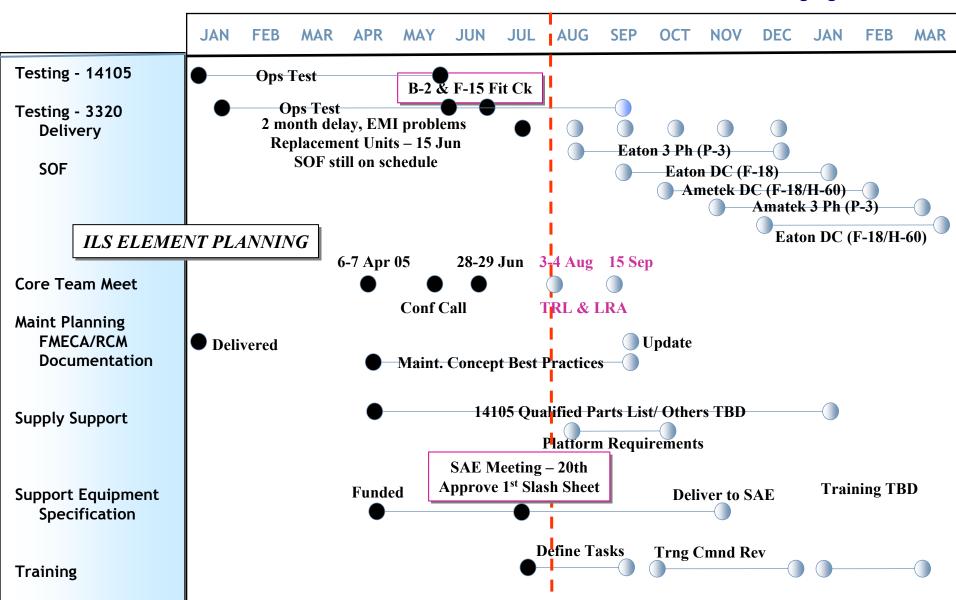


Balance of technology, conditioned based maintenance (CBM), training and publications Continuous Tech Insertion

Integrated Roadmap – coordinated Procurement

Arc Fault Circuit Breaker Timeline





Arc Fault Circuit Breaker



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Purpose/Description of Issue: End Product/Outcome: Common Core Logistics Elements & The FAA, USAF, USN are jointly developing the arc fault circuit breakers and a core Processes will be identified/addressed logistics package must be developed prior to • QPL (Jan 06) ** (168 DLA \$, 50k Contr) implementation • Common Training (Mar 06) (FY-06) Maintenance Concept Doc (Sep 06) ** Navy FY-05 40k Wyle) Procurement contract (TBD) **(DLA cost Support equipment (TBD) **(200k DLA funding) **Metrics**: **Task Group Composition:** Reduction in aircraft fires • USN Bob Ernst (4.1D) • USN Andrew Yang (4.4.4.3); Chuck Singer Support standardization (4.4.4.1); Rick Clarkson (3.1.4) • USAF **Terry Miller (ASC/AAAV)** Keith Stevenson • USCG Time to transition technology Jean Grotophorst (AMSRD-AMR-SE-IO-VE) • USA DLA Dale Roberts (DSCR) • FAA Mike Walz (Adjunct member)

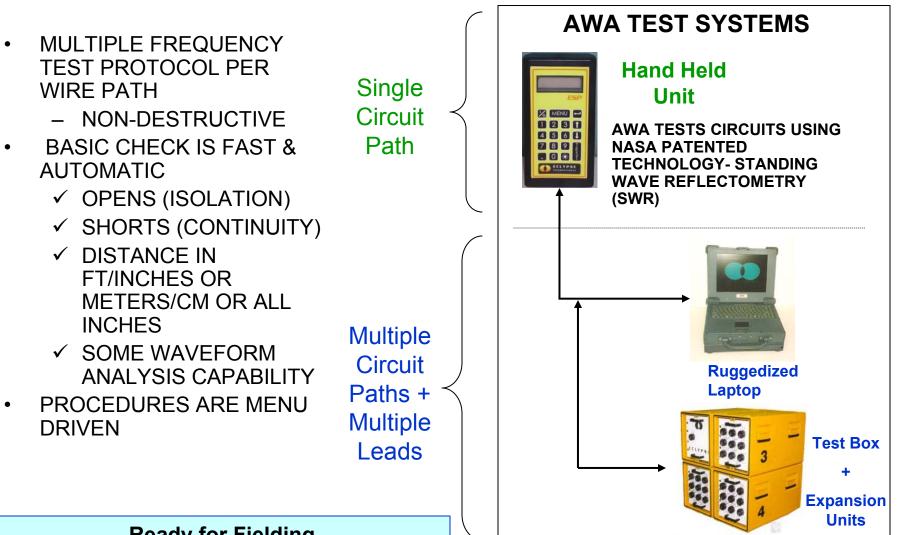


Aging Aircraft IPT The Problem: Navy Wiring Defects Impact Safety, Readiness, Cost

- <u>Safety Impact</u>:
- 2.5 electrical fires/month
- During 30 month period, lost 2 aircraft due to electrical fires
- 540 in-flight aborts/year
- Hazardous Material Reports (HMRs)
 - Chafing conditions are our number one safety issue with regard to wiring
 - Hazardous incidents are increasing as aircraft age
- <u>Readiness Impact:</u>
- 1,400 mission aborts/year
- Effectively average 125 NMC aircraft per year due to faulty wiring

- <u>Affordability/Cost Impact:</u>
- Approximately \$94M in NFF eqpmt removals due to undiagnosed wiring problems on an annual basis
- 1-2M operational MMhrs/year spent repairing wire problems
- Most time spent trouble-shooting, isolating, & locating wire faults
- This information is known to be under-reported
- Could be as high as 4M MMhrs/year





Ready for Fielding



Wiring System – Degraders & Cost

Why Should You Care About Wiring Systems?

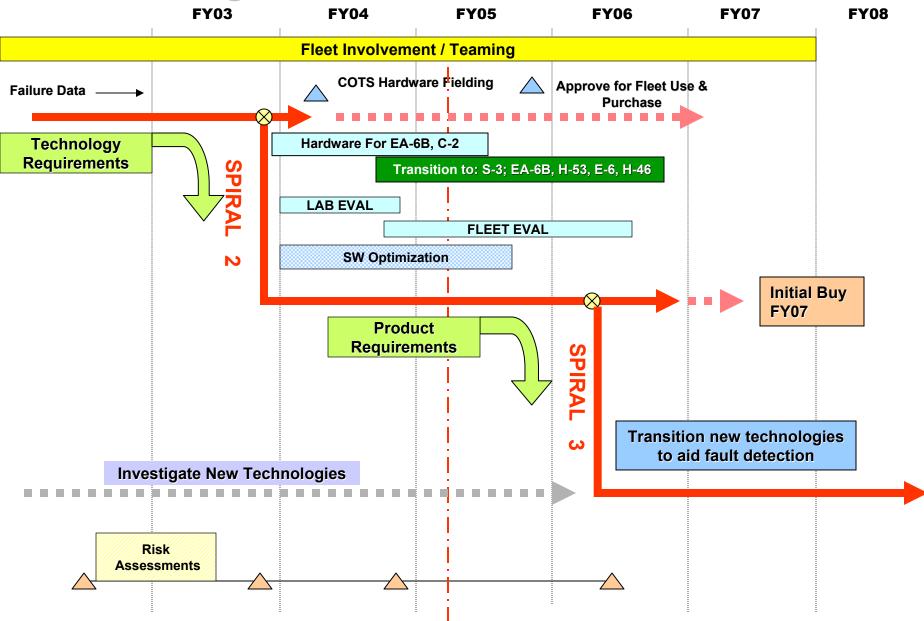
- > An Indispensable System
- > Impacts Safety and Mission Readiness
- > High Cost Of False Equipment Removals
- Complexity and Density Is Increasing
- > Experiences Aging Effects



- Readiness Degrader
- Millions Of MMH
- Escalating Cost









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Industry Consensus Definition: Aerospace Qualified Electronic Component

The intent of this definition of an Aerospace Qualified Electronic Component (AQEC) is to (a) ensure that electronic components used in aerospace applications are reliable in those applications; (b) provide aerospace access to component manufacturers' commercial-off-the-shelf (COTS) products at acceptable cost; (c) minimize deviations from the component manufacturers' COTS products; (d) have little or no negative impact on the AQEC suppliers' operating or business procedures; and (e) promote communication between the component manufacturer and the aerospace users.

This definition is not to be imposed upon AQEC suppliers or users, but to be negotiated among them.

1. The AQEC should have the following features:

–Designed, fabricated, assembled, and **tested in accordance with the component manufacturers'** requirements for (COTS) products;

-Qualified in accordance with the component manufacturer's standards and specifications for the manufacturer's COTS products;

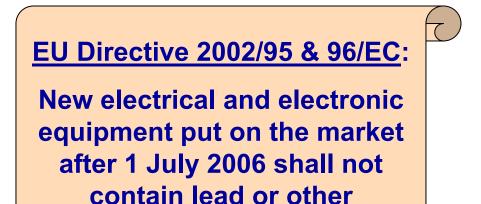
-Subject to the component manufacturer's design, manufacturing, quality assurance, and quality systems standards, technical specifications, procedures, and other similar requirements for COTS products.

2.In order to be considered an AQEC, the component manufacturer's COTS component should undergo testing and/or analysis to **assess its reliability in the aerospace application**. The process used to do so should be mutually agreed upon by the AQEC suppliers and users.

3. The configuration of the device should **remain stable for a specified period of time**. (This may be done in a variety of ways, but one example would be to characterize given lots of devices as AQEC, in sufficient quantities to supply the aerospace market for agreed-upon periods of time.)

Lead Free Solder





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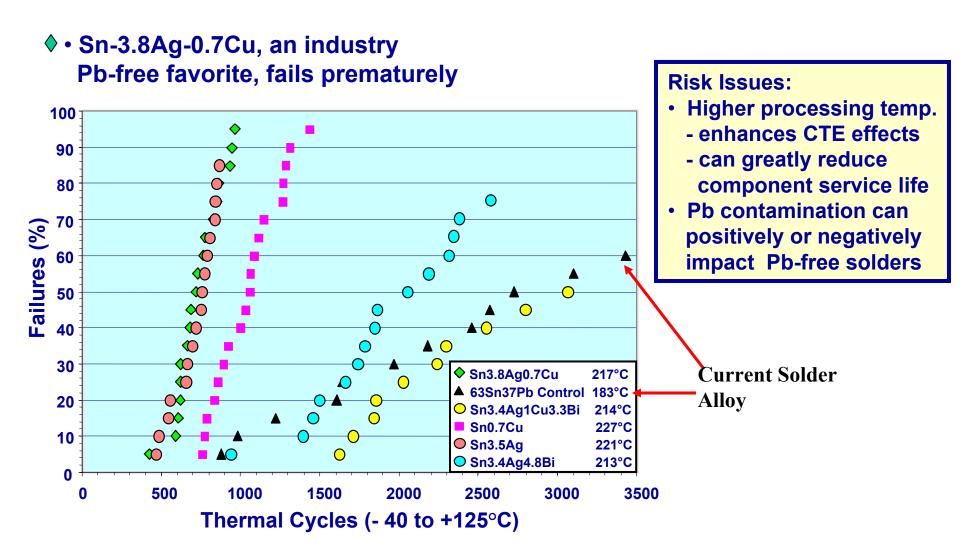
China •

A number of US states

Pb-Free Electronics will have New and Varied Solders, Changes in Component Finishes, and Possibly Changes in PWB Materials and Finishes







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Summary



- Solutions to Aging Aircraft problems are available.
- Integrated Roadmaps optimize balance of new technology, COTS insertion and logistics
- Need to partner with Industry to find the best of breed

– NTSC/JCAA resources provide leverage

 Need to focus on real "Cost Wise" Solutions for our legacy fleet



JCAA Teaming Strategy

- 1. We don't have enough resources to do it alone
- 2. Teaming does not mean money changes hands
 - You do something, we do something else
 - Joint testing. Data exchange
- 3. US AAIPT will fund the initial steps
 - P-3 Full Scale Fatigue Test as a model
 - Joint development and data sharing; FMS participates in out year requirements
- 4. What companies, new technology do you want us to evaluate?



Sample obsolescence Process...

	FMS Customer	NAVAIR/AAIPT	Other DoD	Contractor
Establish Triggers	Joint	Joint	Joint	Joint
Configuration Baseline	Primary	Assist	Assist	Assist
Preliminary Assessment	Assist	Primary	Assist	Assist
Integrate Supply/Demand	Joint	Joint	Joint	Joint
Determine Corrective Action	Primary	Assist	Assist	Assist
Foster Collaboration	Joint	Primary	Joint	Joint

Many components can be completed by others • outside of the US DoD and DoD contractors Real Savings is

- in the use of a common process and toolset
- Sharing of NRE and solutions

What's the best teaming arrangement for YOU!