Distribution Process Owner (DPO)

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The Challenge

A disjointed system:

Supporting a disjointed process:

Stovepiped Processes/Architectures/Systems
“Before” DPO Designation

Distribution
- Each competes for the pipeline
- Executed by multiple players

USTC Visibility

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Sustainment
Personnel
Units & Equipment

Factory
Port
Inter-Theater Movement

Intra-Theater Movement

Tactical Movement & Distribution
FWD Airfields
SSA
Foxhole

USTC Visibility
Who’s setting priorities?  
Who’s directing execution?  
Who’s the receiver?  
Who’s metering the flow?
SECDEF designated CDR, USTRANSCOM as Distribution Process Owner (DPO) – 16 Sep 03

Responsibilities:

- Improve overall efficiency & interoperability of distribution related activities
- Serve as single entity to direct & supervise execution of the strategic distribution system
USD (AT&L) & JSJ4 jointly designated CDR USTRANSCOM as Distribution Portfolio Manager (DPfM) – 28 Jul 04

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...Logistics is a Team Effort!

Synchronizing Performance is Key to Success
Future Total Asset Visibility

Enterprise-Wide Data Accessibility is a DOD Imperative
In-Transit Visibility

Where's my stuff?

Data Quality Problems Plague all Modes of Transport

- We need your help!
- Still too much GIGO
- Perishable Data
- Cascading Impact

Where was IS it?
DPO

Questions?
Distribution Portfolio Management Governance

SECDEF designated USD (AT&L) as Logistics Executive (DLE) to integrate global supply chain. Designated as Distribution Process Owner and OPR by DUSD (L&M) and JSJ4.

SECDEF designated CDR, USTRANSCOM the Distribution Process Owner to improve distribution efficiency and interoperability.

Designated by USD (AT&L) as Logistics Domain Owner. Provides Distribution Portfolio Process oversight.

Designated by USD (AT&L) & JCS J4* to Co-Chair Distribution Portfolio process. TCJ6 acts for DPO.

AT&L responsible for systems certification / approval IAW criteria set forth in the NDAA.

Distribution Transformation Coord

Distribution Transition Steering Group

Distribution Functional Working Group

Capabilities-based Analysis Team: SMEs to analyze distribution functional issues and concerns

Technical Analysis Support Group: Technical analysis support to CBAT(s)

Business Case Analysis Group: Business case development support to CBAT(s)

Joint Distribution Architecture (JDA)

PORTFOLIO MANAGERS

CBAT, TASG, BCAG

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L&MR

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Collaboration is key!