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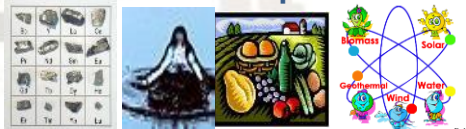


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12 Trends We Are Watching



Climate Change/ Resource Competition



Increase level of Human Performance



Cyber & Space



Economic Rebalancing



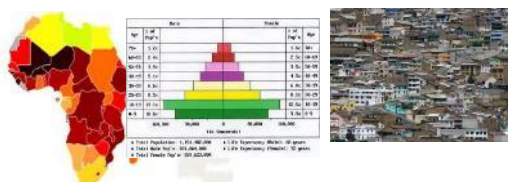
Human Computer Interaction



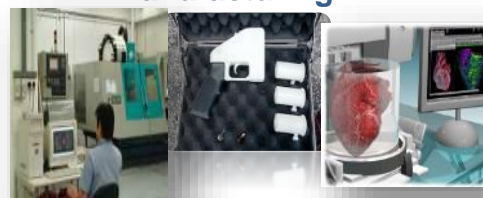
Artificial Intelligence



Demographics and Urbanization



Technology, Engineering & Manufacturing



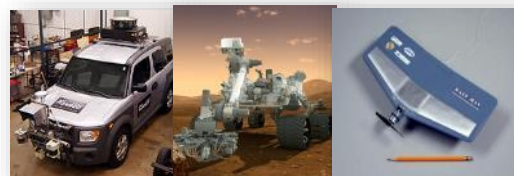
Big Data



Collective Intelligence



Robotics



Power Generation & Storage



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UNCLASSIFIED Army Operating Concept Technology Focus Areas



- ❖ Mobile Protected Precision Firepower - lighter weight and lower volume platforms with increased firepower, protection and survivability.
- ❖ Lethality and Effects - focus on developing munitions, platforms, sensors, targeting, and mission command systems that provide the commander the ability to overmatch the enemy while employing lethal and nonlethal force with precision and discrimination.
- ❖ Logistics Optimization - to improve the Army's ability to conduct expeditionary maneuver and sustain high tempo operations at the end of extended supply lines, the Army increases logistical efficiencies and unit self-sufficiency.
- ❖ Autonomy-enabled Systems - the application of emerging technology creates the potential for affordable, interoperable, autonomous, and semi-autonomous systems that improve the effectiveness of Soldiers and units. Autonomy-enabled systems will deploy as force multipliers at all echelons from the squad to the brigade combat teams.
- ❖ Expeditionary - use of unmanned platforms in mounted and dismounted maneuver formations will lead to smaller, mobile, and transportable manned and unmanned vehicles, enabling greater expeditionary capability.

The U.S. Army's advantage over enemies depends in large measure on advanced technology and the Army must fit machines to Soldiers rather than the other way around



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How Can Industry and Science & Technology Help?



The Army is working with joint partners, industry, and key stakeholders developing future force capabilities with the following technological first principles in mind:

- Emphasize integration of technology with Soldiers and teams
- Simplify systems and integrate Soldier training into design
- Maximize reliability and reduce life cycle costs
- Design redundant systems that improve effectiveness under conditions of uncertainty
- Develop systems that degrade gracefully
- Maintain foundational knowledge to reduce the opportunity for surprise
- Reduce logistical demands
- Anticipate enemy countermeasures
- Ensure interoperability
- Consider scale and organizational implications

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Building the Future Force: Concepts to Capabilities



AOC, Functional and Operational & Organizational Concepts

Think

Establish a sound conceptual foundation for Army modernization

Concepts

Describe how future forces will fight and win; provide intellectual foundation for modernization. Consider:

- Threats/Enemies/Adversaries
- Missions
- Technology
- History/Lessons Learned

Required Capabilities

Capabilities our Army must possess to accomplish missions across the range of military operations.

Force 2025 Maneuvers: the Army's Campaign of Learning

Learn

Conduct rigorous experiments, wargames, and assessments to learn in a focused, sustained, and collaborative manner

Warfighting Challenges

Provide analytical framework for learning in a focused, sustained, and collaborative manner.

Gaps Opportunities

Use experiments, wargames, assessments, and experience to identify capability gaps and opportunities to achieve overmatch.

Solutions (DOTMLPF-P)

Develop solutions in near- (2015-2020), mid- (2020-2030), and far- (2030-2040) terms to ensure future force combat effectiveness.

Analyze

Focus prioritized efforts on first-order military challenges

Capabilities Needs Analysis

Risks & Trades

Conduct rigorous analysis to identify top priorities and ensure sound investments in future capabilities.

Implement

Deliver integrated DOTMLPF solutions to improve combat effectiveness of the current and future force

Extension of Army Staff

Warfighting Capabilities

Collaborate to implement strategies and resource capabilities to ensure current and future force readiness.



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Timeline of Trends to 2050



Science & Technology



3D Printing
Reduces Supply
Chain



Wireless
Electricity
Eliminates Tether
to Infrastructure



Hypersonic Missiles,
Directed Energy and Rail
Guns Mitigate A2/AD



High Speed Rail In
U.S. Reduces
Transport Time



Hypersonic
Passenger
Planes...30 Min to
Cross Atlantic



Nano Swarms
Redefine Mass &
Precision



Driverless Vehicles
Increase Efficiency
in Transportation
Delivery

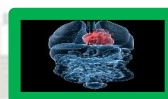


Robot Efficiencies
Reduces Human
Capital on Battlefield

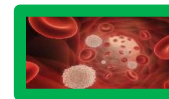


Fully Autonomous
Intelligent Military
Aircraft

Society



Complex Organs
Grown From Stem
Cells
Prolongs Life



Nanoparticle
Therapy
Becomes New
Antibiotic



Alzheimer Cure
Increases
Working Age



Robots Reduce
Need For
Unskilled
Labor



Stem-cell
Pharmacies Cures
For Genetic
Diseases



Russia
Population Drops
10%...Over 20%
Never
Experienced
Communism



Youth Bulges in
Weak African
States Creates
Instability



Genetically-
Altered Babies
Increases
Lifespan,
Physical,
Cognitive Abilities



Age Mitigation Allows
Longer, More
Productive Work life

2015

2020

2025

2030

2035

2040

2045

2050

Information



100 Petaflop Super
Computer Speeds
Enables Big Data
Decisions



Quantum
Communication
Enables Unbreakable
Encryption



Holographic TV
Increases
Training Realism



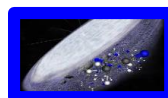
Haptic Sensors
Enable Bionic
Devices



Internet of Things
Allows Remote
Operation of Most Devices



Terabit Internet
Speeds Improves
Data Collection



Teleportation of
Organic Molecules
Enables Medical
Transport



Human-Machine
Interface Connects
Human Thought to
the Network

The Strategic World



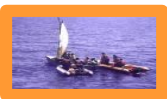
India Becomes Most
Populous Country
Exports Labor Market



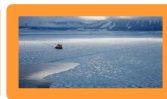
Global
Multipolar
System
Reduces
Hegemony



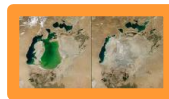
BRIC GDP
Overtaking G7
Changes Economic
CoG



Increased
Migration Causes
Conflict in Africa
& Europe



Ice-free Arctic
Shortens
Transport Time



Lake Chad
Disappearance
Affects 68 Million



Super Hurricanes
Threaten Coastal Cities



9B Global
Population Strains
Resources To
Support

NIC MEGATRENDS

- Individual Empowerment
- Diffusion of Power
- Demographic Patterns
- Food, Water, Energy Nexus

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