



Affording Defense Capability: An SE-Centric Take on Science and Technology Priorities

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Integrated S&T Enterprise

Missions

- National Defense Strategy
- Quadrennial Defense Review
- Space Posture Review
- Nuclear Posture Review

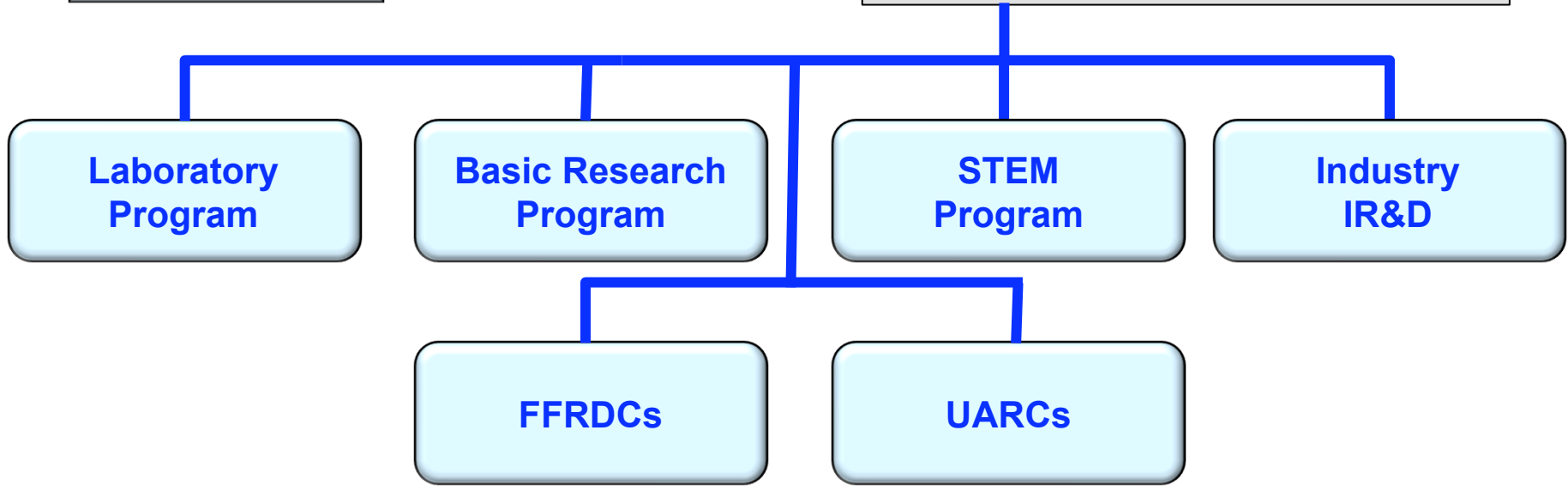
Operational Challenge

JUONs, UONs, COCOM
IPL

Objective Architectures

Critical Capabilities

Enabling Technologies

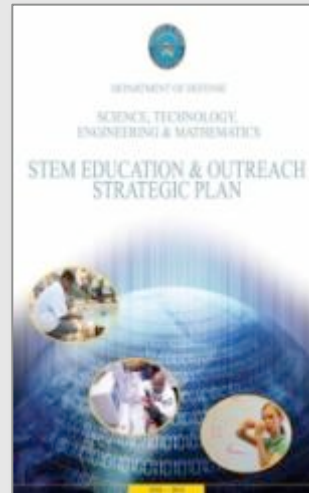




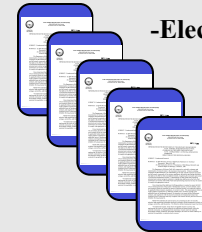
Assistant Secretary of Defense Research and Engineering Imperatives



1. Accelerate delivery of technical capabilities to win the current fight.
2. Prepare for an uncertain future.
3. Reduce the cost, acquisition time and risk of our major defense acquisition programs.
4. Develop world class science, technology, engineering, and mathematics capabilities for the DoD and the Nation.



Fast Track Studies



- Electronic Warfare
- Computer Science
- Cyber Operations
- Energy & Water
- Rapid Capability Tool Kit

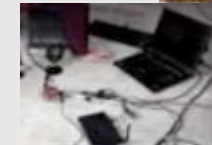
Task Forces



Helo Survivability



Base Protection



Tag, Track, Locate



C-IED SIG Support



QDR Missions Architectures



Threat sensors mounted to fuselage exterior

Helicopter Alert & Threat Termination-Acoustic (HALTT-A)



Stiletto



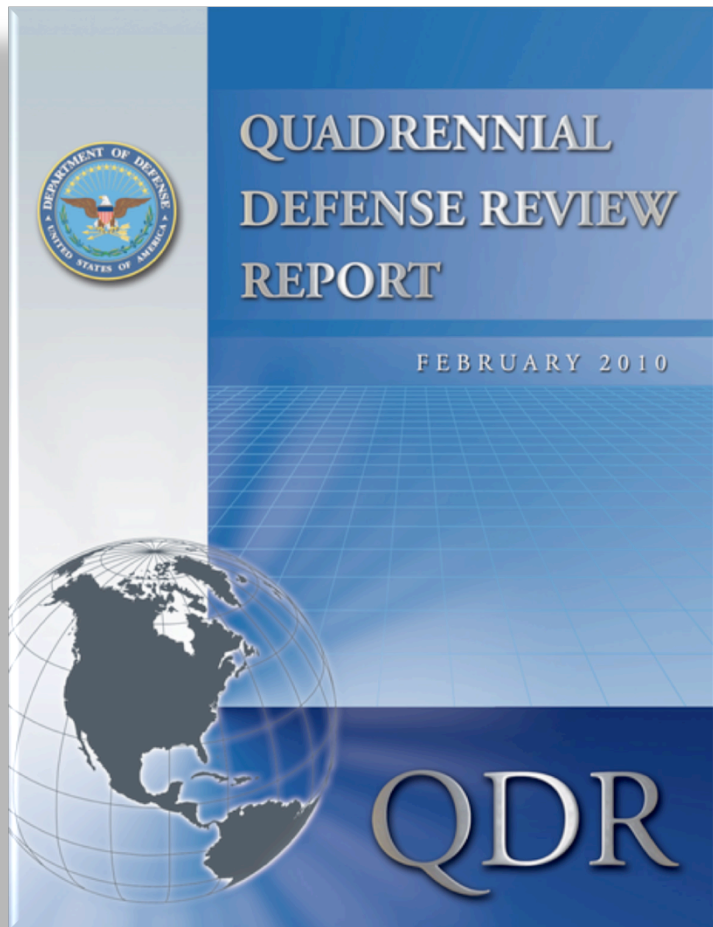
MRAP-ATV



PGSS



Quadrennial Defense Review Mission Set

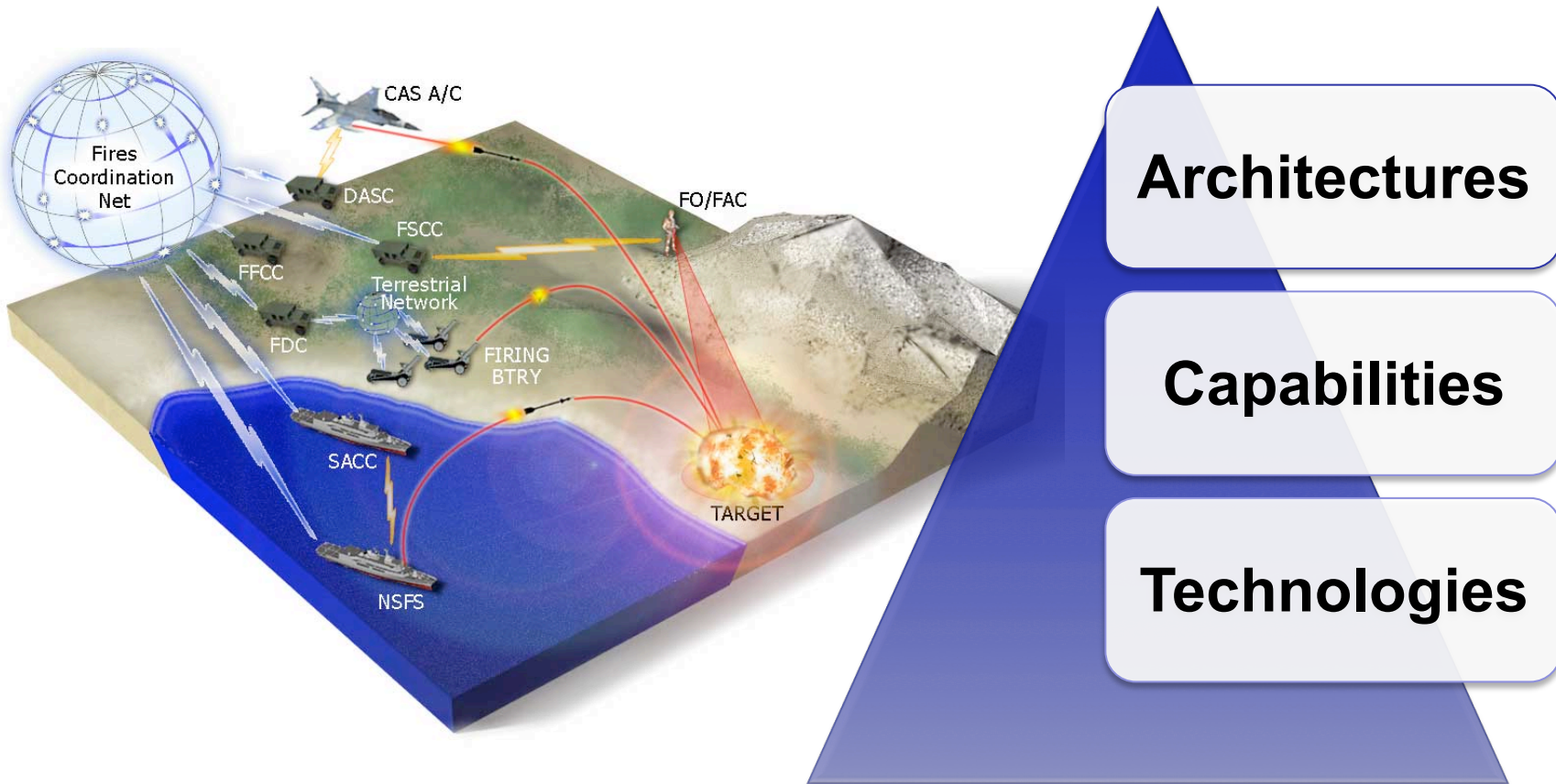


1. Defend the United States and Support Civil Authorities at Home
2. Succeed in Counterinsurgency, Stability, and Counterterrorist Operations
3. Build the Security Capacity of Partner States
4. Deter and Defeat Aggression in Anti-Access Environments
5. Prevent Proliferation and Counter Weapons of Mass Destruction
6. Operate Effectively in Cyberspace.

<http://www.defense.gov/DefenseReviews/>



Architecture – Technology Trade Space



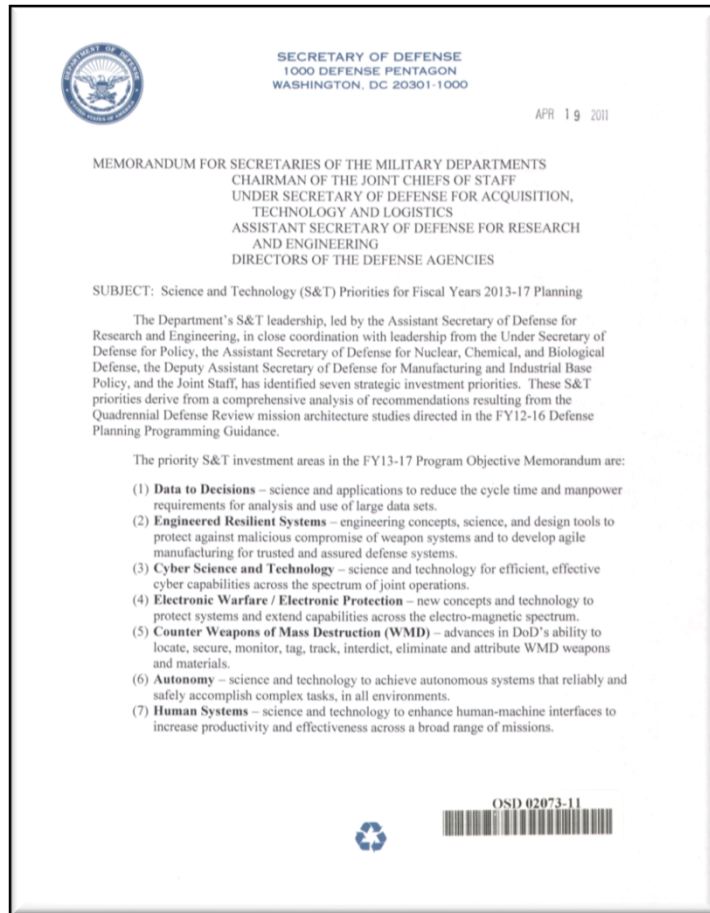
Architectures Drive Technologies
Technologies Inform Architectures



DoD S&T Focus Areas



SECDEF Guidance



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Complex Threats

Electronic Warfare / Electronic Protection

Cyber Science and Technology

Counter Weapons of Mass Destruction

Force Multipliers

Data-to-Decisions

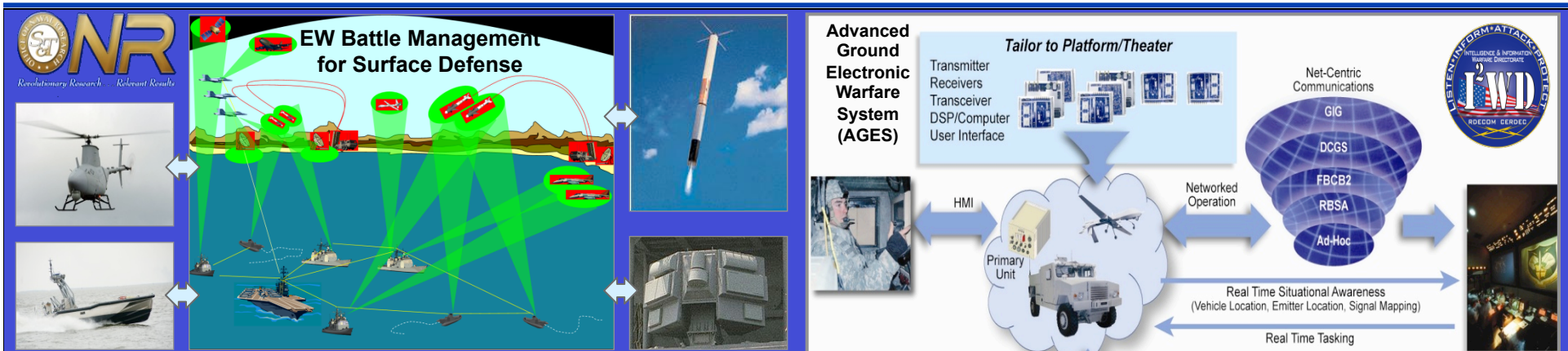
Human Systems

Autonomy

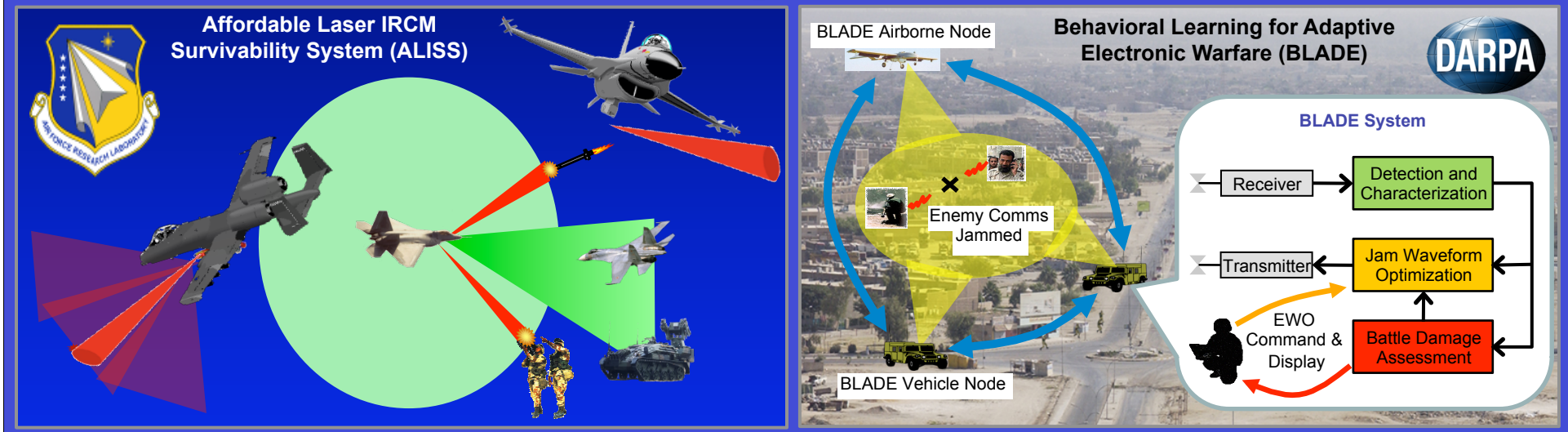
Engineered Resilient Systems



Electronic Warfare / Electronic Protection

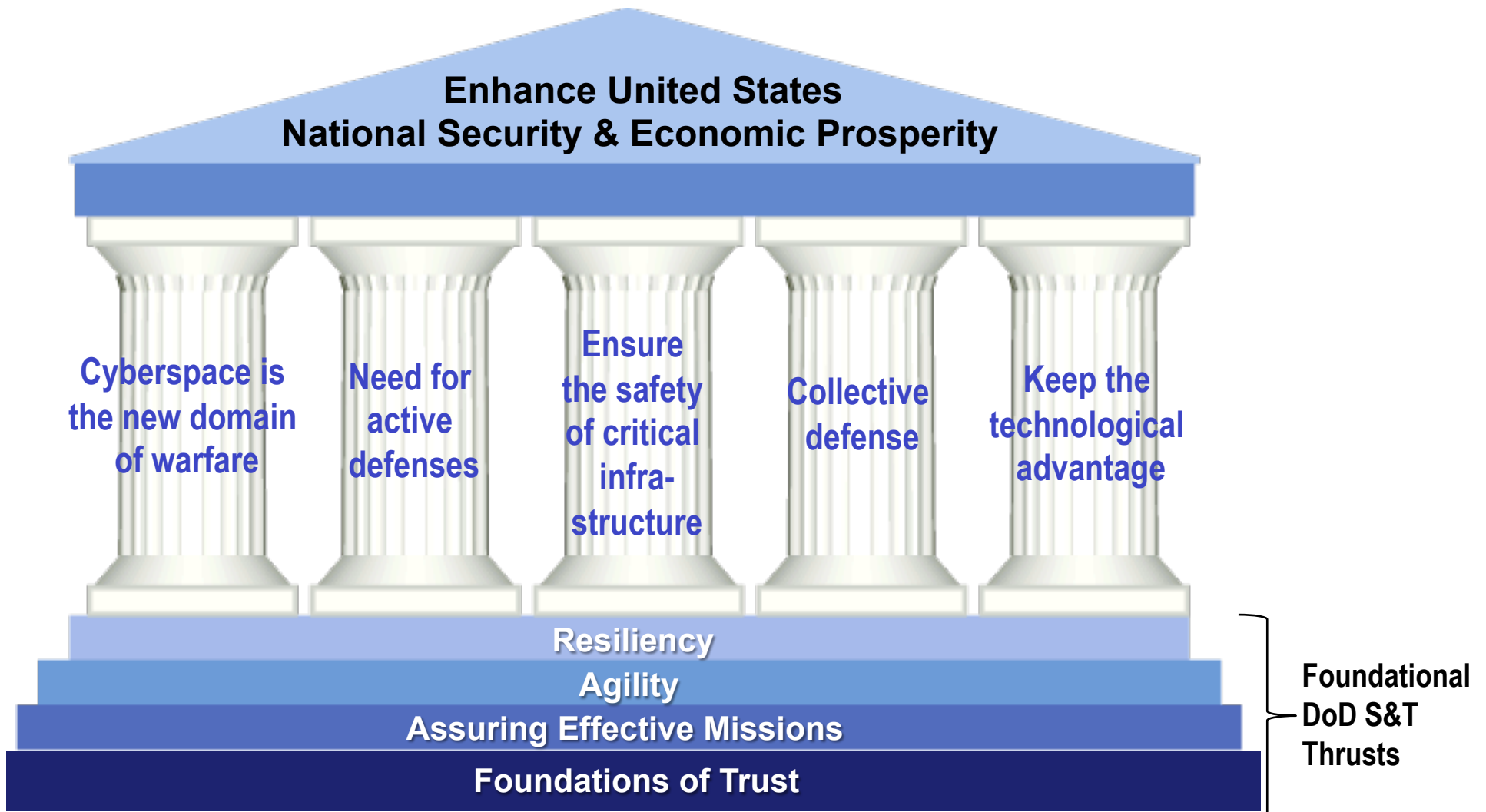


New capabilities to dominate the electromagnetic spectrum





Cyber: Architecture for S&T Investments





Countering Weapons of Mass Destruction



- Advanced sensors
- Rapid response capabilities
- Advanced defeat mechanisms



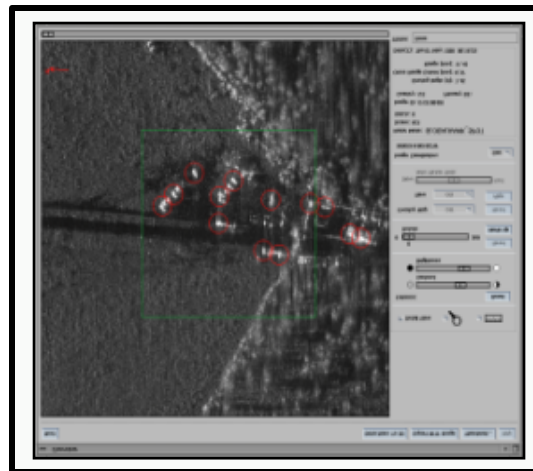
Data-to-Decisions



Data Management Layer



Analytics Layer



User Interaction Layer



- **Investments span all aspects of this challenge with emphasis shifting from imagery to motion and text analytics**
- **Unstructured data analytics is the most challenging and critical component**



Human Systems



Personnel & Training



- Realistic, immersive training
- Adaptive, tailored instruction
- Train partner state forces

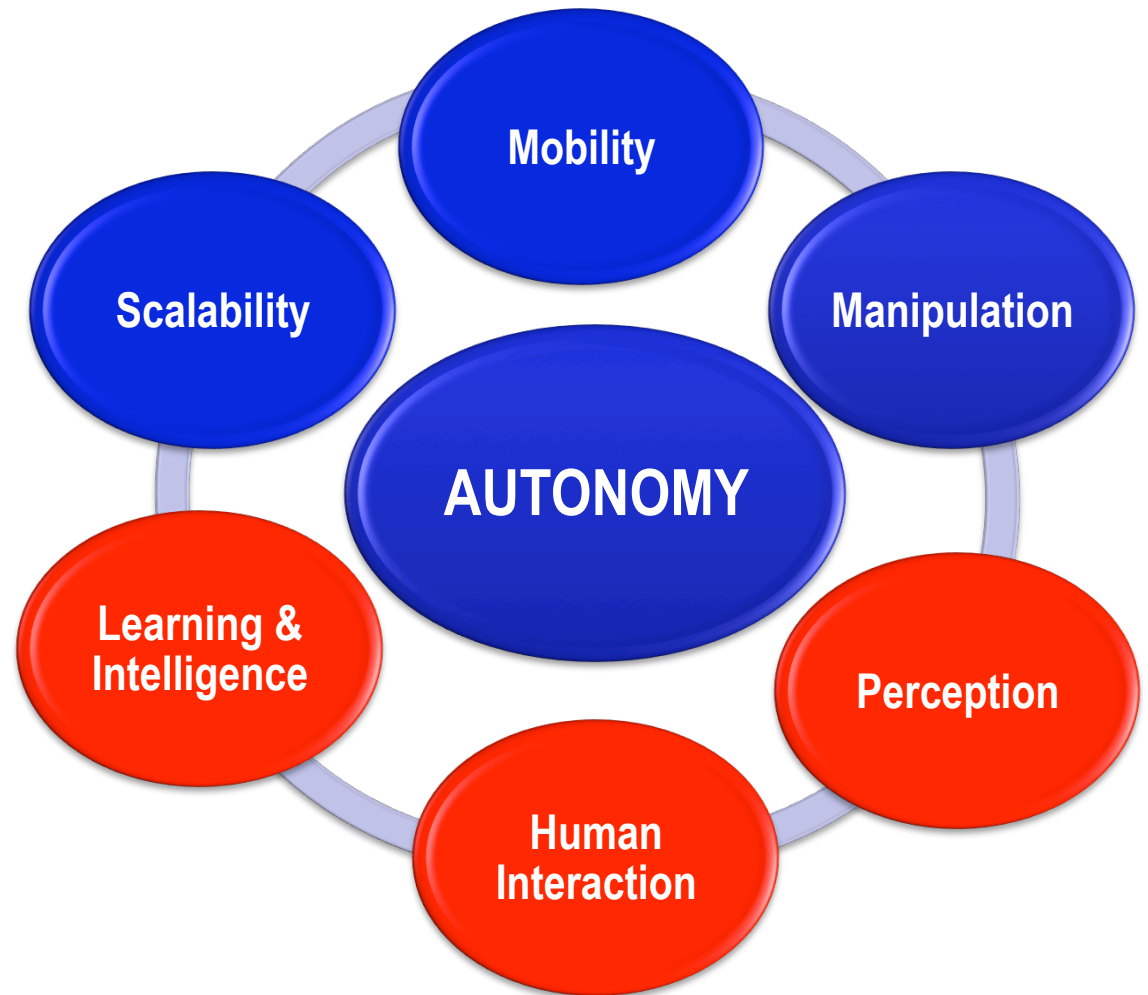
Strategic Decision Support



- Battle management
- Autonomous system control



Autonomy



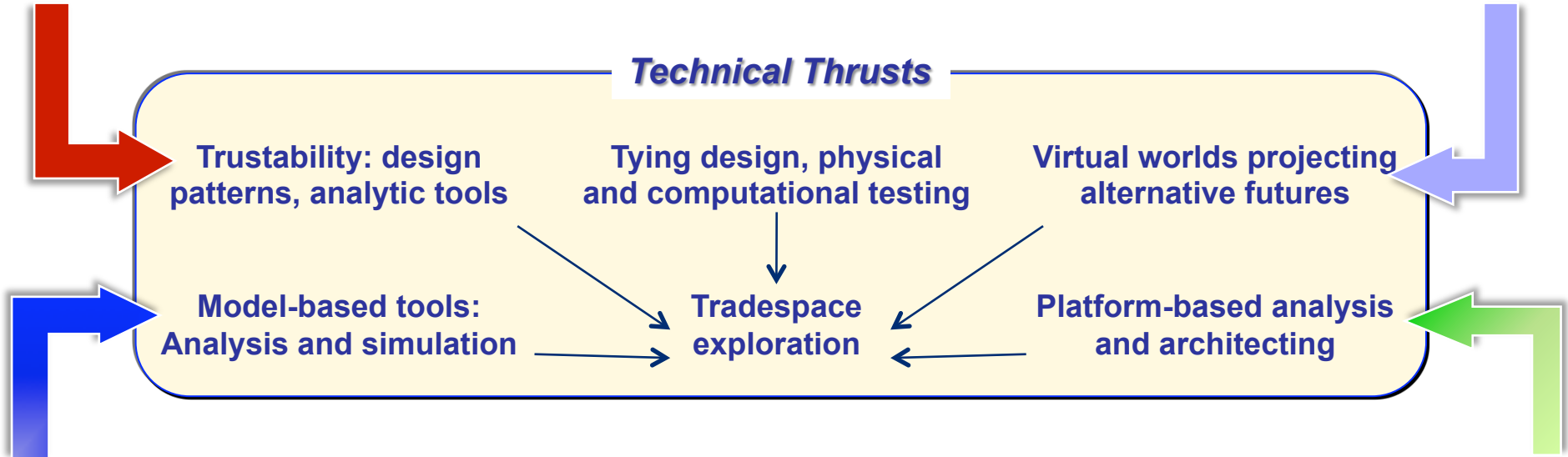


Engineered Resilient Systems Complex Systems Design



Trustworthy Systems Design

Conceptual Engineering



Model Based Engineering

Platform Based Engineering





Some Final Thoughts

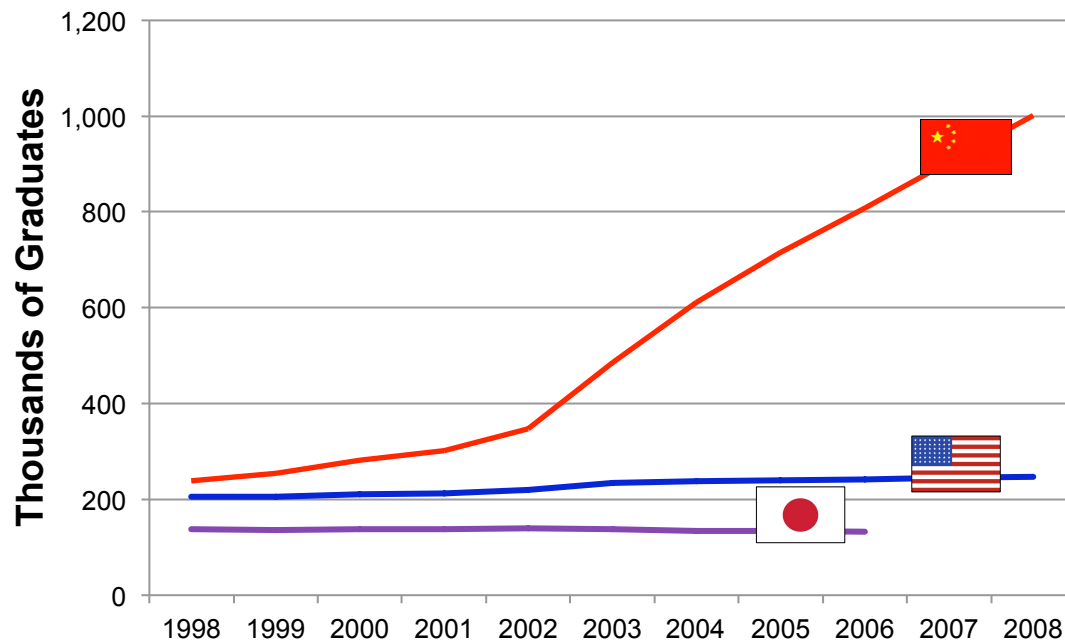


- **How will we get there?**
- **Systems Engineering Research can contribute to many of the cross cutting DoD S&T priorities**
 - We are placing priority for the SERC on Engineered Resilient Systems
 - Today's panel will kick this off!



And, while you're at it...

First Degrees in Natural Sciences and Engineering by Country



Source: National Science Board, S&E Indicators, 2010; SDO Analysis

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