

USSOCOM Chemical, Biological, Radiological Conference & Exhibition

Responding to the Terrorist CBRN Threat: "Preparation or Panic"

Tampa, FL

6-8 December 2005

Agenda

Tuesday, 6 December 2005

Welcome Remarks: MG Barry Bates, USA (Ret), NDIA Joint Program Executive Office, BG Steve Reeves, USA, PEO Chem/Bio Defense
Joint Scienc & Technology, Dr. Charles R. Gallaway, Director, Joint Science Technology Office for Chemical & Biologica Dfense, DTRA Doing Business with USSOCOM, Mr. Joe Daum, USSOCOM
Reducing the Threat of Nuclear and Radiological Terrorism, Mr. Kurt Westerman, National Nuclear Security Administration
Avon M53 Protective Mask for USSOCOM, Mr. Wayne Scheurer, Avon Protection Systems

Wednesday, 7 December 2005

Chemical Homeland Security Suite (C-HoSS), Dr. George R. Thompson, Chemical Compliance Systems Radiological Emergency Response, Ms. Rhonda Hopkins, Bechtel Nevada Use of Recombinant Butyrylcholinesterase in Responding to Chemical Weapon Attack, Dr. Gary D. Dorough, PhamAthene Reliable Discrimination of High Explosive/Chem/Bio/Artillery Susing Acoustic IGS, Mr. Sachi V. Desai, US Army ARDEC Real-Time First Bite Detection, Mr. Andrew Behar, VivoMetrics Government Services Polymer Technology for the Lock-Down/Removal of Radiological Contamination, Ms. Jayne Shelton, Isotron Corporation Modeling Tool for Prediction and Mitigation of CBRNE Events, Mr. John P. Daugherty, CTC Terrorist Motivations to Employ CBRN Weapons, Mr. Robert C. Neumann, EAI Corporation USAF Counter-Biological Warfare Effort, Lt Col Donna M. Hudson, USAF

Thursday, 8 December 2005

Keynote Presentation, Question & Answer Session: MG John Doesburg, USA (Ret), Center for Homeland Security and Counterprofilieration Responding to Multiple Ebola Attacks: The Need for Coordinated Preparedness, Ms. Dorothy A. Canter, John Hopkins University Capture, Contain, Treat and Dispose of Decontamination Runoff on Site, Mr. Primo L. Acernese, TerraGroup Corporation National Guard CBRN Response: Achieving Unity of Effort Between Local/State/Federal, COL Thomas D. Hook, USA, National Guard Bureau

CBRN Detectors for Early Warning of CBRN Events in Transit Environments, Mr. Francesco Pellegrino, Lockheed Martin

Using smart Threads to Interdict Radioactive Materials, Mr. Carter D. Hull, Chief Technology Officer, Nucsafe

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December 6-8, 2005 Event #6630



Tampa Convention Center Tampa, Florida

CONFERENCE OBJECTIVE

Responding to the Terrorist CBRN Threat: "Preparation or Panic"

This years CBRN Conference will focus on synchronizing nationwide CBRN defense efforts in order to create a unity of effort in combating terrorist CBRN threats.

Environment: Tight budgets, undefined threats, and a lower sense of urgency by the public as we move further away from 9-11 and the Anthrax attacks of 2002.

Challenge: How does the CBRN defense community continue to fight terrorists who seek CBRN weapons; prepare for a potential CBRN attack; and simultaneously defend current and future CBRN defense programs from the budget axe?

Two Alternatives: Continue to thwart terrorist CBRN efforts and institute expanded and effective defensive and consequence management plans or hope that the enemy will not get these weapons, and be willing to accept panic and casualities if they do.

Conference Goals: CBRN defensive preparations are difficult, man-power intensive, and expensive. Additionally, there is no overwhelming indication of a successful program; other than no attack has occured. While panic is free, we owe the American public a better alternative.

USSOCOM seeks to bring together members of the CBRN defense community to share information concerning ongoing and future efforts in order to gain a synergy and unity of CBRN defense effort. We all must plan together, develop smart and efficient strategies for providing the warfighter with the tools he or she needs to defeat the threat, and be prepared to make the tough decisions of what we really need versus what we might like.

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CONFERENCE AGENDA

Monday, 5 December 2005

0800 - 1600	Registration Opens/Exhibit Booth Set Up
Tuesday, 6 Decen	nber 2005
0800 - 0900	Registration and Continental Breakfast
0900 - 0915	Administrative Remarks TSgt David Durand, USAF, USSOCOM, CBRN
0915 - 0945	Introductions & Conference Purpose, Overview of SOF CBRN Activities LTC John Campbell, USA, USSOCOM, CBRN
0945 - 1000	Opening Remarks and Introduction of Keynote Speaker GEN Bryan Brown, USA, USSOCOM Commander
1000 - 1100	Keynote Presentation (Question & Answer Session) Mr. Tom Brokaw (Invited)
1100 - 1115	Break in Exhibit Hall
1115 - 1200	Joint Program Executive Office BG Steve Reeves, USA, PEO Chem/Bio Defense
1200 - 1330	Lunch in Exhibit Hall
1330 - 1415	Joint Science & Technology COL Ben Hagar, USA, DTRA
1415 - 1445	CBRN Threat Update Mr. Mark Sheddan, USSOCOM Ms. Kristen Zajac, CENTCOM
1445 - 1515	Doing Business with USSOCOM Mr. Joe Daum, USSOCOM
1515 - 1530	Break in Exhibit Hall
1530 - 1600	Reducing the Threat of Nuclear and Radiological Terrorism Mr. Kurt Westerman, National Nuclear Security Administration
1600 - 1700	Demo: Improved Improvised Explosive Device (IED) Detection by Military Working Dogs Mr. George Heib, CTC
1700 - 1900	Exhibit Visit and Networking Social in Exhibition Hall

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Wednesday, 7 December 2005

0700 - 0800	Registration & Warrior Sponsor Continental Breakfast
0800 - 0830	Homeland Security Suite (HoSS) CBR Dr. George R. Thompson, Chemical Comp Systems
0830 - 0900	Terahertz Sensing for Pre-Release of CBRNE Dr. Matthew Campbell, SPARTA, Inc.
0900 - 0930	Enabling Critical Infrastructure Protection with Bioaerosol Alarms Dr. Charles Call, MesoSystems Tech., Inc.
0930 - 1000	Radiological Emergency Response Ms. Rhonda Hopkins, Bechtel Nevada
1000 - 1030	Break/Exhibit Visit
1030 - 1100	Use of Recombinant Butyrylcholinesterase in Responding to Chemical Weapon Attack Dr. Gary D. Dorough, PharmAthene
1100 - 1130	Reliable Discrimination of High Explosive/Chem/Bio Artillery Using Acoustic UGS Mr. Sachi V. Desai, US Army ARDEC
1130 - 1200	Real-Time First Bite Detection Mr. Andrew Behar, VivoMetrics Government Services
1200 - 1330	Lunch/Exhibit Visit
1330 - 1400	Polymer Technology for the Lock-Down/Removal of Radiological Contamination Dr. John Whitaker, Isotron Corporation
1400 - 1430	Modeling Tool for Prediction and Mitigation of CBRNE Events Mr. George McAllister, CTC
1430 - 1500	Break/Exhibit Visit
1500 - 1530	Terrorist Motivations to Employ CBRN Weapons Mr. Robert C. Neumann, EAI Corporation
1530 - 1600	USAF Counter-Biological Warfare Effort Lt Col Donna M. Hudson, USAF
1600 - 1700	Demo: 112th Chemical Recon Detachment (Conference Participants will witness a live demonstration)
1700 - 1800	Exhibit Visit

Thursday, 8 December 2005

0700 - 0800	Registration & Continental Breakfast
0800 - 0830	Responding to Multiple Ebola Attacks: The Need for Coordinated Preparedness Ms. Dorothy A. Canter, John Hopkins University
0830 - 0900	Capture, Contain, Treat and Dispose of Decontamination Runoff on Site Mr. Primo L. Acernese, TerraGroup Corporation
0900 - 0930	CRE Tactical Infrared Spectral Sensor for Detection/Identification of TIC from a UAV Mr. Aaron Brown, Critical Response Engineering, Inc.
0930 - 0945	Break
0945 - 1015	National Guard CBRN Response: Achieving Unity of Effort Between Local/State/Federal COL Thomas D. Hook, USA, National Guard Bureau
1015 - 1045	Avon M53 Protective Mask for USSOCOM Mr. Wayne Scheurer, Avon Protection Systems
1045 - 1115	CBRN Detectors for Early Warning of CBRN Events in Transit Environments Mr. Francesco Pellegrino, Lockheed Martin
1115 - 1245	Lunch
1245 - 1330	Demo: CBRN Joint Capability (Conference Participants will witness a live demonstration)
1330 -1500	CBRN Equipment Demonstrations
1515 - 1530	Passport Drawing (Must be present to win!)
1530 - 1545	End of Conference Remarks LTC John Campbell, USA, USSOCOM, C <u>BRN</u>

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Hotel Information

A block of rooms have been reserved at the hotels listed below:

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700 South Florida Avenue Tampa, FL 33602 (800) 228-9290 (813) 221-4900 Government Rate: \$84.00 Industry Rate: \$164.00

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Conference Registration and Registration Fees

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	Early	Regular	Late		
	Before 10/25/05	10/25/05 to 11/25/05	after 11/25/05		
Government/Academia	\$400	\$440	\$485		
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-or-

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- Company ID sign

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Exhibit Schedule*

Move-In: Monday, Dec. 5: 10am - 6pm

Exhibit Hours: Tuesday, Dec. 6: 11am - 7pm Wednesday, Dec. 7: 8am - 3pm

Move-out: Wednesday, Dec. 7: 3pm - 8pm *Schedule is subject to change

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Tactical Water Purification Systems



Military Field Applications Potable Water for Disasters Emergency Water Supply NBC Decontamination Capture, Contain, Treat and Dispose of Decon Runoff On Site

OBJECTIVES

- Consider the logistical and practical challenges that face federal, state and local agencies concerned with mass casualty decontamination, and subsequent decontamination runoff issues
- A quick look at current methods, mind sets and mistakes
- Explore alternatives and a new approach

BACKGROUND

- Mass decontamination operations require water and subsequent handling and treatment of contaminated runoff
- Current mind set: EPA has stated, that, in accordance with liability in CERCLA, the run-off is not a primary concern????

EPA First Responders Liability Guidelines Statement:

- "Once any imminent threats to human health and life are addressed, first responders should immediately take all reasonable efforts to contain the contamination and avoid or mitigate environmental consequences."
- "First responders would not be protected under CERCLA from intentional contamination such as washing hazardous materials down the storm-sewer during a response action as an alternative to costly and problematic disposal or in order to avoid extra effort." USEPA Chemical Safety Alert
 - USEPA Chemical Safety Alert Office of Solid Waste and Emergency Response EPA 550-F-00-009 July 2000 www.epa.gov/ceppo/

THE PROBLEM

- Current decontamination procedures do not address the safe, secure and economic handling of decontamination runoff.
- Lack of preparation and training potentially allows perpetrators the windfall of poisoned land, water and economic disruption. (scenario 1)
- Traditional mind set views saving human life and environmental protection as mutually exclusive concepts

THE PROBLEM

REALITY CHECK

MASS CASUALTY VICTIMS VS GALLONS

5000 casualties X 8 GPP = 40,000 gallons

20,000 casualties x 8 GPP = 160,000 gallons

35,000 casualties x 8 GPP = 280,000 gallons

100,000 casualties x 8 GPP = 800,000 gallons

Military Tanker Truck Capacity – 5000 gallons

Current Decon Runoff Options

- Raw Discharge unacceptable environmental impact
- 2. Dilution of contaminated runoff
- **3. Haul Away** potential spread of contamination outside the hot/warm zone coordination logistics with mass casualty incident decon problematic







RECOMMEND SOLUTION

1. Capture, contain, treat and dispose on-site – minimizes first responders liability, mitigates environmental impact, avoids risk of spreading contamination during transport and allows uninterrupted decontamination of victims

2. Equipment Profile

- 1. Portable
- 2. Modular
- 3. Scalable
- 4. User Friendly/Minimal Technical-Operational Training
- 5. Disposable Components
- 6. Adaptable to any Decontamination Corridor

Decontamination runoff treatment system components



Decontamination corridor footprint



Decon Runoff Treatment Process Flow



Complete Decon Corridor



Conclusion

- How prepared is the organization to respond to a strike scenario involving a mass casualty NBC incident and subsequent decontamination operation?
- An effective response requires a coordinated plan for first responders and support personnel that is based upon pre-positioned assets.
- Training strategy must include realistic mass casualty drills and environmental impact of response operations
- Budgets / Assets must include a disaster response plan addressing all of the above
- Procurement Strategy must be streamlined to support mass casualty incidents



Are we ready







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First Bite: Utilizing Medical Surveillance to Identify CB Threats



Andrew Behar

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First Bite

- Physiologic signature at the first moment of exposure to a chemical or biological agent
 - Anthrax, Small Pox, Sarin, VX, Plague, Ebola, Botulinum Toxin and other toxic agents.
- This would present as changes in respiratory, cardiac, posture, activity and temperature
- Presently there is no correlated data showing physiologic reaction to CB exposure
 - Animal studies need to be done to provide correlates to human reactions.
 - Basic understanding of physiologic responses can provide an initial deployable system.

First Bite Signature



Multi-parameter physiologic algorithm fuses 5 vectors to determine health status

First Bite Signature Analysis

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Monitoring garments worn by security personnel can provide data in real-time

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"Canary in a Coal Mine"



Atlanta Airport "Normal" for Tuesday 11:00am 52 airport security personnel being monitored continuously

"Canary in a Coal Mine"



Atlanta Airport "Warning" for Tuesday 11:22 am 3 officers showing 23% increased coughing and shortness of breath, elevated heart rates and "out of normal" activity

"Canary in a Coal Mine"



Atlanta Airport "Alert" for Tuesday 11:26am 5 additional officers with increased wheezing, 2 supine with respiratory spasms and elevated HRV

This concept can be scaled



Atlanta "The Pulse of the City"

LifeShirt worn by hazmat personnel can also improve first responder safety



The LifeShirt System

- Pharmaceutical trials
 - Pfizer, J&J, Schering Plough, Aventis, Takeda, GSK
- Academic Studies
 - NIH, Mayo Clinic, Yale, Johns Hopkins,
- Military
 - Air Force, Army, FLARE program, WRAIR
- Homeland Security
 - ODP Fire and Safety Grants
- Extreme environments
 - Aconcagua, Indy 500, Mount Rosa, Mount Everest, Sahara Ultra-Marathon: "Race Against the Planet"
- Over 120,000 hours of data collected in 150 studies









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First Bite: Utilizing Physiologic Responses to CB Threats



Andrew Behar

President

VivoMetrics Government Services







Enabling Critical Infrastructure Protection with Low-cost Bioaerosol Alarms

Charles Call and Ezra Merrill

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Approaches to address the problem

AirSentinel bioaerosol alarm





O'Hare Airport





Kirtland AFB







Baghdad

Baghdad "Green Zone"



Source: CNN.com http://www.globalsecurity.org/military/world/iraq/images/spot_baghdad__27aug02_zones.jpg₅









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Four models (architectures)

Operational effectiveness





Four Options For Bio-threat Detection SOLEYSTEMS

Do nothing

- Dry filters and laboratory PCR
 - BioWatch
 - BASIS
- Integrated systems
 - DoD- JBPDS and JPS
 - USPS- BDS
 - DOE- RAIDS
- Two-tier surveillance
 - ► Alarm (e.g., AirSentinel) + PCR





Do Nothing Model



- Cross your fingers and hope nothing happens in your building
- Building occupants are the 'canaries'
- Response time is very slow
- Cost is attractive
- Damage would be catastrophi





Dry Filters + PCR



Key Features

- Response time is slow
- ► False alarm rate is very low
- Sensitivity is relatively high
- Probability of detection is relatively high



- Initial cost is low
- Operating cost is very high
- Total cost of ownership is high





Integrated Systems



Key Features

- Response time is fast
- False alarm rate is low
- Sensitivity is very high
- Probability of detection is high

Cost

- Initial cost is high
- Operating cost is moderate to high
- Total cost of ownership is high





MESO SYSTEMS

Two-tier surveillance: Alarm + PCR

Key Features

- Response time is fast
- ► False alarm rate is low
- Sensitivity is moderate
- Probability of detection is high

Cost

- Initial cost is low
- Operating cost is low
- Total cost of ownership is low





Deployment Model





- A distributed network of inexpensive, real-time biological sensors gives advanced warning of a biological agent release
- Deployment is directly analogous to smoke alarm and response in large buildings (investigate before evacuate)

Cost Modeling Assumptions



- Cost of integrated system is \$250,000/unit
- ← Cost of DFU or Alarm (e.g., AirSentinel。) is \$1000/unit
- All equipment life is 5 years (straight line depreciation)
- Cost of assay is \$250/suite of agents (includes all labor costs to collect sample, run assays, report results)
- Cost of maintenance contract is 10% of capital cost
- 200,000 sq. ft. commercial office building with 4 air handler zones and one mailroom



Cost Modeling Results: Base Case

	DFU + PCR	Integrated Systems	Alarm + PCR
# of Units	5	5	200
# of Assays / year	1,000	250	125
Cost / Sensor Point	1,000	250,000	1,000
Cost / PCR Assay	300	300	300
Initial Cost	\$5,000	\$1,250,000	\$200,000
Operating Cost / year	\$300,500	\$200,000	\$57,500
Cost of Ownership	\$301,500	\$450,000	\$97,500
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Annual Cost / SQ.FT.	\$1.51	\$2.25	\$0.49

Cost of Ownership and the cost/sq. ft. of protecting commercial office space is significantly lower for "Alarm + PCR" model.

Sensitivity to Capital Cost





Sensitivity to PCR Assay Cost





AirSentinel[®] Bioaerosol Sensor



Early warning bio-threat sensor for building security

Detects concentration changes in airborne biological particles



∖ BioBadge™ Removable Air Sample Disk

Current Capabilities

- Wall/ceiling mounted
- Integrated sample capture capability
- Sensor network can communicate with/through building control system
- Output compatible with most building HVAC communication/

control standards (LON, BACNet, etc.)

Wireless networking option



How the Sensor Is Used



A model for implementing bioaerosol sensors as part of a anti-terror building protection strategy:



How the Sensor Works



1. Indoor air is pumped into an impactor where particles are collected on sample plate. **2.** Particles on the plate are exposed UV light. A photo detector measures the florescence of particles. The fluorescence intensity in wavelengths associated with biological particles is measured.

3. If elevated levels of fluorescence (associated with biological particles) is detected, a retrievable sample is taken for lab analysis. A silent alarm indicates the need for sample collection and can trigger "low regret" protective measures.


MESO SYSTEMS

UV Light Emitting Diodes (LEDs)

- Developed with funding from DARPA's SUVOS program
- 365 nm from Nichia or 340 nm narrow band UV light output (Cree or SET)
- 280 nm narrow band LED's (Sensor Electronic Tech.)





Signal respose to releases





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Dose Response Curves



AS Testing, Battelle HVADS, Tests 1-26, 20-22 June 2005, AS-19 (280) & AS-24 (365) Uses HVADS Preliminary Referee Data, Norm. to Average PMT



Results from June Testing at BMI



"Dose-response curves" indicated sensitivity ranges are expected:

- Bg spores:
- ► Erwinia cells:
- ► Ovalbumin:
- ► MS2 virus:

- 1000-3000 cfu/l
- 100-1000 cfu/l
- 0.1-10 ng/l
- 1000-10,000 pfu/l



Cost Targets



Model:	Cost:*	When available:
Prototypes	\$5k - \$10k	Now
(Gen-2)		
Pre-production	\$3-5k	3/06
Production	\$500-\$2,000	3/07

* Exact cost will depend on level of customization, manufacturing volumes, etc.







● NSERP agency testing in Q405

SafetyACT application submitted in Q106

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The practical approach:

Very low-cost Tier 1 biosensors coupled to very low FAR Tier 2

Model fits for the tactical force: **JBTDS+JBAIDS**



Model fits for chemical detection

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Mitigating the Effects of Alleged EBOLA Attacks at Multiple Airports

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Presentation

- USSOCOM Scenario/Presentation Assumptions
- Ebola Virus Information
- Ebola Notional Incident Timeline
- Ebola Best Case Decontamination Timeline
- Ebola Notional Public Health Timeline
- Recommended Preparedness Activities
- Potential Roles for Military in Responses to Bioterrorism

USSOCOM-Specified EBOLA Scenario

- Reports on blogs/websites that "Freedom Fighters" infected airline passengers at O'Hare, Logan, Hartsfield and Heathrow Airports with Ebola virus
- Police, FBI, TSA find crude devices in airports
- Devices, environmental samples sent to labs for analysis
- Boston police officer reports over nonsecure radio "We found the bioweapon in the trash.."
 picked up by media





USSOCOM-Specified EBOLA Scenario

- Delta Flight 20, low on fuel, told to hold approach pattern to Frankfurt Airport and await further instructions
- Leader of Hartsfield baggage handlers union tells members to stop unloading aircraft
- CNN reporter, wearing respirator, broadcasts "Breaking News"







My Assumptions

- Releases occur at same time at all airports
- Blogs/websites report incidents within one hour of releases
- Devices found in trash of food court area in secure area of terminal at all four airports
- Delta flight originated at Hartsfield Airport
- Incidents will yield confirmed attacks at Hartsfield, Logan and Heathrow Airports; O'Hare incident will be hoax
- No sensitive electronic equipment (e.g., scanning equipment) affected by attacks
- Best case response based upon significant preparedness and response planning/training





EBOLA Virus

- Fragile, RNA-containing Filovirus; causes Ebola Hemorrhagic Fever (EHV)
- Incubation period of 2-21 days
- Symptoms include sudden onset of fever, weakness, muscle pain, headache; followed by vomiting, diarrhea, rash, impaired kidney/liver function, and internal/external bleeding
- High mortality no known treatment, only supportive medical care





EBOLA Virus

- Human-to-human transmission through contact with bodily fluids
 - Risk greatest during latter stages of disease when viral loads highest
- Cases must be isolated from other patients
 - Soiled clothing/bed linens must be disinfected
- Health care workers must use strict barrier nursing techniques
 - Non-disposable protective equipment must be disinfected prior to re-use

Airborne transmission uncertain









Facts About EBOLA Incidents

- No potentially exposed passengers, airline or airport workers will become ill for about 2-21 days, if at all
- None of the above persons will be able to transmit the virus before becoming ill
- If anyone develops EHF, that person(s) will need to be isolated
- Fragile virus, if viable, will not live long in air or on nonporous surfaces (at most several days)
- No antimicrobial products registered by EPA for use against Ebola virus, but number of products are registered for use against viruses, including Vaccinia virus, on hard, non-porous sources
- Barrier nursing equipment available in CDC Strategic National Stockpile (SNS)



Phases of EBOLA Airport Incidents

• Suspicious Incidents

- Sufficient evidence to consider as credible threats, no analytical laboratory confirmation
- Online reports + finding of devices

Presumed Positive Events

- Positive findings in PCR, virus isolation, antigen detection tests
 - Available within hours*
- US analyses done at CDC, USAMRIID only BL-4 facilities

Confirmed Attacks

- Definitive tests at CDC/USAMRIID yield positive findings
 - Results available within ¹/₂ to ³/₄ day*





*Source: Tom Ksiazek, CDC

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Other Notional Activities During Suspicious Incident Phase of Attacks

- Airport managers alert Mayors who alert Governors who alert Secretary, DHS, and President
- Airports give media interviews
- Delta flight diverted to US air base in Germany
- Hartsfield baggage handlers unload baggage after meeting with airport management and receipt of Fact Sheets and FAQs
- Airports on high alert globally







Other Notional Activities During Presumptive Positive Phase of Attacks

- US airports activate Incident Command System
- EOCs activated (EPA, CDC, HSOC); PFOs appointed by DHS
- Interagency Committee on Domestic Response Preparedness holds secure teleconference/prepares for next steps
- Decision to federalize National Guard units in affected cities if attacks are confirmed
- Continuing interactions among governmental units and airport management





Other Notional Activities During Presumptive Positive Phase of Attacks

- Interactions among all airports
- CDC/local health departments confer on potential public health responses
- Continuing airport briefings of media, distribution of Fact Sheets/FAQs
- Delta flight lands at Hartsfield/passengers quarantined
- Airlines notify passengers/flight crews on affected planes





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Responses to Confirmed Attacks

- Decontamination Activities
- Public Health Activities
- Forensic Activities
- International Coordination





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EBOLA Notional Public Health Timeline





Response Assumptions

- Significant preparedness and response planning, including regular training, has occurred in advance
- Teams are ready and equipment is prepositioned
- Responses are 24/7
- Interagency coordination alive and well
- Effective audibles were called when needed at all airports and immediately communicated to other airports





- Fact Sheets and FAQs on biothreat agents available at all US airports
 - Cover public health, decontamination, and notification/management issues for top bioterrorism agents
 - Also distributed to First Responders, police
 - Regularly updated
- Coordinated preparedness and response training, including table tops
 - Address both public health and decontamination issues





Decontamination Related Activities

- Prototypical Health and Safety Plans (HASPs) for airports
- Designated areas of airport for detainment of persons potentially exposed to bio agents
- Guidance on decontamination procedures
 for various biothreat agents
- Availability of portable PPE decon units/pre-determined sites for their location





Decontamination Activities (cont'd)

- Reachback
 - Current lists of contractors with demonstrated experience in bioagent decontamination, waste removal
 - Existing relationships with waste disposal facilities
- Templates for remediation action plans
- Creation of Technical Advisory Committee(s) to provide guidance to airports on terrorism incidents – both real and hoaxes
 - Possibly regional/national





Interagency Committee on Domestic Response Preparedness

- Purpose
 - Planning for improved responses to multiple domestic terrorist attacks with potentially catastrophic consequences
 - Research/Training/Coordination
 - Advisory role during actual responses
- Co-chaired by DHS, DOD, and DHHS
- Membership
 - Civilian federal agencies: DHS (OP, TSA, FEMA), EPA, CDC (NIOSH, NCID), NIH, DOT, FAA, FBI, CIA, DOS
 - DOD agencies: SOCOM, NORTHCOM, STRATCOM, others
 - State/local advisors
 - Member/surrogate from each agency electronically connected at all times on secure equipment







Potential Roles for Military in Responses to Bioterrorism

- Transport of samples to analytical labs
- Analysis of clinical/environmental samples
- Role of CBIRF/CST units in decontaminations
- Use of National Guard armories as potential quarantine centers/distribution of SNS meds
- Role for USSOCOM OCONUS in identifying/neutralizing terrorist cells







Need to be Prepared for the Next Bioattack, Not Just the Last One!



If you have seen one bioattack, you've seen one bioattack

We need to be complete and flexible to respond to asymmetric attacks



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Scenario Based Logic Modeling Tool for Planning and Mitigation of Terrorist Events



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Overview

- Scenario Based Logic Modeling Tool Concept
- Secondary Flashpoint and Tertiary Impact
- Impact of secondary and tertiary events on response ability
- Summary



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Basic Concept Scenario Based Logic Modeling Tool

WHAT?

 Conceptual computer-based model to allow emergency management to anticipate the Secondary and Tertiary events post-CBRNE attack.

WHY?

• Mitigate secondary and tertiary geometric impact of a CBRNE terrorist attack.







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Scenario Based Logic Modeling Tool - Concept

- Planning
 - Provide insight to improve decision makers
 - Situational Awareness
 - Long-Term Response Mitigation
 - Ability to facilitate timely effective response
 - When taking Secondary Flashpoint and Tertiary Impact into consideration



Scenario Based Logic Modeling Tool - Concept

- Execution Tool
 - Provide first responder command element with:
 - Enhanced span of control
 - Relevant information to provide effective response
 - Secondary Flashpoint
 - Tertiary Impact
 - Provide decision makers with:
 - Short and long-term effect on:
 - Infrastructure, Communication, Emergency Care, Basic Necessities (Food, Water, Shelter), Police and Rescue Response



Scenario Based Logic Modeling Tool - Technical

- Database containing (examples)
 - After action reports
 - Known effects of CBRNE event
 - Long-term after effects of CBRNE event
 - Contamination ROE
 - Medical material needed after a CBRNE event
- Logic application
 - Using basic modeling concepts, such as Boolean and Fuzzy Logic, probabilities can be established that support mitigation planning



Boolean Logic Scenario Based Logic Modeling Tool

• Use of Boolean and Fuzzy Logic

- Boolean Logic
- And Not Or Nor Signal draw www. Viewillin and Eboarding.





Fuzzy Logic Scenario Based Logic Modeling Tool

- Fuzzy logic is a superset of conventional (Boolean) logic that has been extended to handle the concept of:
 - Partial truth -- truth values between
 "completely true" -- "completely false"
- Uses If/Then concept

If the company president and all the company directors sell all of the stock they own, *then* we must sell.



Fuzzy Logic

Scenario Based Logic Modeling Tool

- A set of input data from an array of sensors is fed into the control system.
 - "Fuzzification" converts the discrete values into a range of values.
 - Fuzzified inputs are evaluated against a set of production rules.
 - Output data are "defuzzified" as distinctive control commands.
- Adding the human thought pattern is very important.
 - If the engine is hot, then turn the engine off.
 - If a chemical agent has been used, then check the water for contaminants.



Combining Boolean and Fuzzy Logic

• The key is to combine these two logic concepts to arrive at the "best possible solution."

If a train is de-railed **and** it has CBRNE/HAZMAT on board **and** it is **not** near a large city **then** your next action will be to ?????



If a train is de-railed **and** it has CBRNE/HAZMAT on board **and** it is near a nuclear facility, **not** near a large city, **then** your next action will be to ?????



Impact on Secondary and Tertiary Response

- What impact does a CBRNE attack have?
 - What are the Secondary flashpoints?
 - What is the Tertiary Impact?
- What are the post-event flashpoints?
 - Examples of previous post-event flashpoints.
 - Examples of previous post-event Impact.



Sarin Gas Attack on Tokyo, Japan



 On March 20, 1995, an unprecedented terrorist attack took place in Japan. On this day, a highly toxic chemical, sarin, was dispersed inside a subway killing 12 people and poisoning an additional 3,794. This infamous case, known as the "Sarin Subway Attack", was a CBRNE terrorist attack masterminded by Chizuo Matsumoto, also known as Shoko Asahara, the leader of the religious cult "Aum Shinrikyo."



Sarin Gas Attack on Tokyo, Japan

- Secondary Reaction
 - More than 7,000 people inundated hospitals in the area
 - 12 fatalities
 - Transportation system shut down
 - Widespread panic
- Tertiary Reaction
 - 3 to 4 weeks later

- Animals in the area found dead
- Discovered that air-conditioning systems contributed to infected victims
- Water in surrounding area contaminated



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Sarin Gas Attack on Tokyo, Japan



- Final investigation and report showed:
 - "We must be involved in managing the consequences when an act of chemical terrorism occurs."



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The 2001 anthrax attacks in the U.S. occurred over the course of several weeks beginning on September 18, 2001 (after the September 11, 2001 attacks). Letters containing anthrax bacteria were mailed to several news media offices and two U.S. Senators, killing five people.





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 Seven letters are believed to have been mailed, resulting in twenty-two infections.
 Five people died.





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- The secondary effects of the Anthrax attack
 - First Responders
 - Potential contamination of responder personnel
 - Contamination of postal workers
 - Contamination of government personnel
 - Infrastructure
 - Contamination of postal buildings
 - Contamination of government offices
 - Health Care Issues
 - Potential contamination of health care providers



- The tertiary effects of the Anthrax attack
 - Contamination and Clean-up
 - Infrastructure
 - Long-term building closures, contamination of personnel
 - Long-term postal service closures
 - Political Effects
 - Millions spent in legislation
 - Long-term public panic (more than seen with 911 attack)
 - Health Effects
 - Long-term contamination effects and health problems



CBRNE Conference Scenario #1

- Spent nuclear fuel rods are supplied by Iran and shipped in a cargo container to Colombia then flown to Mexico and loaded on human mules used to smuggle drugs across the border. They are met in Arizona by sleeper cell agents who take the fuel rods by car toward its final destination.
- Three men get off subway cars at three different locations in downtown New York and head toward the New York Stock Exchange. Simultaneous explosions echo down the densely packed street. The immediate area around the Exchange is shut down for months as decontamination efforts take place. Major financial transactions in the U.S. are slowed immensely due to the loss of the NYSE. Casualties after the event continue to mount as those in the immediate vicinity demonstrate varied levels of contamination. Several hospitals in New York finally begin to open due to contaminated patients being brought to them after the attack, prior to knowledge that the explosions were actually dirty bombs.













• Police, Fire and Rescue

- Short-term (explosion/unknown event)
 - Cordon within 15 Minutes
 - Detection within 2-3 hours
 - Triage with 30 minutes
 - This gives a 2-2 1/2 hour period of unknown contaminated population
- Long term
 - Situational control of contaminated area
 - Provide services outside affected area



Communication and Infrastructure

- World Financial Market
 - Short-term
 - NYSE unusable
 - Stock Prices
 - Value of dollar
 - Long-term
 - Interest rates/investments
 - Job loss, general inflation
- Transportation
 - Short-term explosion
 - Subway and road closures
 - Long-term contamination
 - Subway, busses, taxis, ferries, airports



Shelter, food and water

- Short-term and long-term contamination
 - Detection, Containment and Decontamination
- Physical building damage
- Access to and from contaminated area (after detection)
- Containment of potential radiation (after detection)
 - Psychological effects of containment



- Hospital, Emergency Care
 Short tarma (2, 2 hours)
 - Short-term (2-3 hours)
 - Radiation not detected
 - Route, Ambulance, Hospital, Personnel
 - Casualties with unknown situation
 - Radiation detected (after 3 hours)
 - All personnel and infrastructure affected is lost
 - Huge decontamination situation
 - Inundated by patients (NY)
 - Long-term (24 hours to years)
 - Effects of personnel and patients
 - Months or years before hospitals are usable
 - Chronic radiation sickness



New York Stock Exchange







New York Stock Exchange





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Potential Hazard Area – Not to scale

Nuclear Fuel Rod Explosion in NY



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Nuclear Fuel Rod Explosion in NY



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Nuclear Fuel Rod Explosion in NY



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Summary

WHAT?

 Conceptual computer-based model to allow emergency management to predict the Secondary and Tertiary events post-CBRNE attack.

WHY?

 Mitigate secondary and tertiary geometric impact of a CBRNE terrorist attack.



Bottom Line

- We have spent billions of dollars on security and response of a terrorist attack
 - Not enough time and effort is put into mitigating the long-term response effect of a CBRNE Terrorist attack
 - Understanding what effect a CBNRE Terrorist Attack has and what can happen weeks, months or even years after that event, could help us be better prepared to handle the long-term response efforts



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Thank you for your time

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"It's not a question of *if* but *when* a CBRNE Terrorist Attack on the United States will happen."


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- Acquire Special Operations-peculiar Material, Supplies, and Services
- Head of Agency for Acquisition Authority
- Head of Contracting Activity

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Source: DODD 5100.3, "Support of the Headquarters of Combatant and Subordinate Joint Commands", certified current as of March 24, 2004



WHO MANAGES SOF ACQUISITION PROGRAMS?

		Program Management Structures					
Milestone Decision →	USSOCOM				MILDEP		
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- SOAE is initial MDA for all programs. Program structure is approved at or before Milestone B.
- Policy and procedures vary by structure:
 - For USSOCOM MDA-USSOCOM PM programs, D70-1 & SOAL SOP apply. Exceptions are noted in Acquisition Decision Memoranda (ADMs).
 - For USSOCOM MDA-MILDEP PM programs, responsibilities and exceptions to SOCOM procedures are defined in Program Specific MOAs
 - For MILDEP MDA programs, USSOCOM policy and procedures normally do not apply

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IDENTIFYING SOCOM BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

- Prime Contract Opportunities
- Subcontracting Opportunities
- Future Technology Interest
- Teaming
- Comparative Testing Program



PRIME CONTRACT OPPORTUNITIES

- Long Range Acquisition Plan
- APBI PEO Briefings
- APBI PEO Side Bars
- Primary Office of Responsibility Solicitations



SUBCONTRACTING OPPORTUNITIES





FUTURE TECHNOLGOY INTEREST

- APBI Key Note Address
- APBI Director of Technology Briefing
- Technology Execution
 Plan
- SOAL-T APBI Exhibit



TEAMING

- Integrate Products w/ Existing Systems
- Communication Early to Reduce Cost/Risk
- Increase Sponsor Probability
- Promote Total System Responsibility



COMPARATIVE TESTING PROGRAM

- Consists of:
 - Foreign Comparative Testing (FCT) Program to test and evaluate <u>world class</u>, <u>foreign</u>, <u>non-developmental</u> equipment that demonstrate potential to satisfy DOD requirements.
 - Defense Acquisition Challenge (DAC) Program to evaluate new <u>technologies/enhancements</u> to improve operational capability, sustainability and manufacturability, reduce costs or expedite fielding of <u>ongoing acquisition</u> programs emphasis on small <u>domestic</u> industry.
- Both programs are:
 - Congressionally mandated
 - Managed by OSD, AT&L administered by Services/SOCOM
 - Competitive
 - Source of non MFP-11 RDT&E funds for test/evaluation
 - "Test to procure"
 - A method to expedite fielding
- To submit a proposal:
 - Information can be found at https://cto.acqcenter.com
 - USSOCOM POC is MAJ Glenn (813) 828-9422 or glenne@socom.mil

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INFORMATION SOURCES

- FEDBIZOPS
- Solicitations from USSOCOM and our industry partners
- Technology Broad Area Announcements (BAAs) from USSOCOM and our partners
- Small Business Innovation Research BAAs
- Defense Challenge Program BAAs
- SOCOM Advanced Planning Briefing to Industry (APBI)
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- Contractor Submits:
 - White Paper
 - Briefing
 - Company Information
- TILO Staffs Information To USSOCOM
- Identify USSOCOM Sponsor
- Schedule Briefing With Sponsor
- Announce Briefing To Command



INFORMATION REQUIRED

- Firm/Address/Phone
- Product/Service Description
- Proposed Dates
- Classified??
- Audio/Visual Support Needed
- Target Audience?*



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Reliable Discrimination of High Explosive and Chem/Bio Artillery Using Acoustic Sensors



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Chemical and Biological Weapon Threats and Needs

- Determining if an incoming artillery round contains High Explosive material or Chemical/Biological agent on the battlefield.
- Providing field commanders with greater response time using a stand alone acoustic sensor.
- Giving greater situational awareness to threatened soldiers.





Motivation and Purpose

- ARMY is currently developing Acoustic Sensor Systems for battlefield surveillance.
- The <u>long range propagation</u> of acoustic blast waves from heavy artillery blasts introduces a feature for using acoustics and other disparate sensor technologies for the early detection, localization, and identification of CB threats.
- This added information integrated into the COP will.
 - Allow a field commander to make **rapid and accurate judgments** that insure greater safety and lessen exposure for the soldiers.
 - Could help **reduce the time-consuming, manpower** intensive and dangerous tasks associated with identifying the airburst.
- Our work is intended to promote the reliability associated with using acoustic sensor technologies to discriminate between conventional, i.e. high explosive (HE), and CB artillery blasts using features that remain robust with long range wave propagation and degradation, firing time and detonation point (air/ground).





Acoustic Signature Data Collection of Blast Events

- Yuma Proving Ground Data Collection.
 - Conducted by National Center of Physical Acoustics (NCPA) in cooperation with ARDEC.
 - 39, rounds fired.
 - 3 categories of rounds were used, HE, Type A CB, and Type B.
- Dugway Proving Grounds Data Collection.
 - Conducted by DPG Team and U.S. Army Edgewood Chemical Biological Center (ECBC) .
 - 265, rounds fired.
 - 2 categories of rounds were used, HE and Type A CB.





Yuma Proving Ground (YPG) Test Layout





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Typical Round Variants

HE rounds display precursors to the main blast generated by Supersonic Shrapnel Elements.

CB Type A rounds display an elongated burn time and a weak underpressure.

CB Type B rounds display a short pulse prior to the main blast. The main blast displays an elongated burn time followed by a weak underpressure.







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Wavelets

- Efficiently represent nonstationary, transient, and oscillatory signals.
- Desirable localization properties in both time and frequency that has appropriate decay in both properties.
- Provide a scalable timefrequency representation of artillery blast signature.





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Discrete Wavelet Transform (DWT)

- Derived from subband filters and multiresolution decomposition.
 - Coarser Approximation.
 - Removing high frequency detail at each level of decomposition.
- Acts like a multiresolution transform.
 - Maps low frequency approximation in coarse subspace high frequency elements in a separate subspace.

Defining Parameters Scaling Function $\phi(x) = 2^{\frac{1}{2}} \sum_{k=0}^{L-1} h_{k+1} \phi(2x-k)$ Wavelet Function $\psi(x) = 2^{\frac{1}{2}} \sum_{k=0}^{L-1} g_{k+1} \phi(2x-k)$



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Daubechies Wavelet, n = 5



- Representation of the scaling and translation function of db5.
 - Scaling function resembles blast signature of the HE and CB rounds.
 - Provides the ability to approximate signal with the characteristic wavelet.



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Multiresolutional Analysis

- Using a series of successive high pass and low pass filters to create a set of subspaces.
 - High pass filter obtains the details of the signatures while the low pass filter obtains a coarse approximation of the signal.
- The resulting banks of dyadic multirate filters separate the frequency components into different subbands.
 - Each pass through gives you resolution of factor 2.







Effects of Wavelet Decomposition

• Wavelet decomposition to level 5 of three varying blast types from varying ranges.



Pressure (Pa)



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al HE signature @ sensor site 5 - DSI Te

(b) Approximations at level 5 - DSI Test

(c) Details at level 5 - DSI Test

d) Details at level 4 - DSI Tes

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Wavelet Extracted Features

- Comprised of primitives derived from the normalized energy distributions within the details at level 5, 4, and 3 of the wavelet decomposition.
- Distribution of blast type differ greatly when taken prior to the max pressure, $D_{k}^{-} = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{n=t_{0}}^{t_{p}} |D_{k}(n)|$, with respect to distribution after the max blast, $D_{k}^{+} = \frac{1}{M} \sum_{m=t_{p}}^{t_{F}} |D_{k}(m)|$.
- Resulting Ratio. $x_{Dk} = \log_{10} \left(\frac{D_k^-}{D_k^+} \right)$

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- A5 area is a feature derived from wavelet coefficients at level 5.
- Integrating the magnitude of the area for the coefficients between the start and stop times.

$$A_{5AREA} = \log_{10} \left(\frac{1}{K} \sum_{k=t_0}^{t_F} |A_5(k)| \right)$$



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Extracted Features Using DWT





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4-tuple Feature Space

- This energy ratio leads to the discover of 4 features with A5 area that are not amplitude dependent.
- Our n-tuple feature space thus becomes a 4-tuple space, $x^{p} = [x_{D5}^{p}, x_{D4}^{p}, x_{D3}^{p}, A_{5AREA}^{p}]$, to be applied for classification.





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2-D Feature Space Realization





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Results of Training Neural Network From Dugway Data

- Feature Space created using DWT.
 - 4-tuple feature vector.
 - $x^{P} = \begin{bmatrix} x_{D5}^{P}, x_{D4}^{P}, x_{D3}^{P}, A_{5AREA}^{P} \end{bmatrix}$
 - 22 randomly selected vectors from 461 signatures.
- Trained Neural Network to trained output data of 0.
 - Single hidden layer neuron.
 - Total error in equation after training is less then 5e-3.
 - Learning rate of 0.1.







Results of HE/CB Discrimination

- Experiment 1.
 - Applying a neural network with the weights in the table 1 to DPG data, 99.1% Correct Classification.
- Experiment 2.
 - A neural network containing 4 hidden layer neurons trained using entire DPG dataset tested against NCPA dataset, 96.9% Correct Classification.

W_{i1}	W_{i2}	Wi3	W_{iA}	v _{i1}
11.6967	0.5343	-0.4958	-2.4991	-13.4966
4.6377	1.2455	3.5569	5.3068	13.3761
4.7023	0.9875	7.3951	8.902	-15.3761
-5.2246	1.481	2.6982	4.1203	-19.6513
-2.8169	1.4847	-18.9732	-23.6088	-14.286

Experiment #	Training Data	Test Data	Classification	Percentage
1	11 CB	225 CB	225 CB / 0 HE	100%
	(DSI)	(DSI)		
	11 HE	214 HE	210 HE / 4 CB	98.10%
	(DSI)	(DSI)		
2	236 CB	166 CB	165 CB / 1 HE	99.40%
	(DSI)	(YPG)		
	225 HE	57 HE	51 HE / 6 CB	89.50%
	(DSI)	(YPG)		




Blind Results of HE/CB discrimination

• Experiment 3.

 Utilizing the neural network containing 4 hidden layers neurons trained against the entire "known" DPG data set was then tested against the "blind data" the results once compared with the truth resulted in 98.3% and 95.7% reliable classification.

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Experiment #	Training Data	Test Data	Classification	Percentage
3	236 CB (Blind)	230 CB (Blind)	226 CB / 4 HE	98.3 %
	225 HE (Blind)	184 HE (Blind)	176 HE / 8 CB	95.7 %

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Experiment 4 Real Time Implementation

- Portable Area Warning Surveillance System (PAWSS).
 - 1yr Limited Objective Experiment (LOE).
 - Focused on the utility of cascading detection methodologies.
 - Combines Stand-off CBRN systems to address both force/installation protection.
- LOE Outcomes.
 - Operable Products leading to fully designed products that are sustainable.
 - Demonstration of capabilities within simulated battlefield environments of layered wide area cascading detection.





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PAWSS LOE Test Layout



Real Time Performance

- During June 21st and June 22nd, 2005 a proof of concept test was conducted for the acoustic CBRN discrimination algorithm.
 - PAWSS Test Site, DPG.
 - Acoustic System 2.5km-3km from Impact Zone at elevations of 400m-1000m.
 - A C++, real time algorithm was tested at DPG as part of the acoustic portion of PAWSS LOE conducted by JPM for NBC Contamination Avoidance at ECBC.
 - A total of 72 HE/CB rounds were detonated.
 - A howitzer fired 24 HE, and 48 CB rounds.
- Single Round Volley Results.
 - 38 Airburst Detonation (14 HE, 24 CB), **100%** Correct Classification.
- Multiple Round Volley.
 - CBRN Algorithm Never Benchmarked in Lab vs. Multiple Rounds.
 - 2 Rounds simultaneously fired followed by a 3rd round fired soon as possible.
 - 34 Airburst Detonation (10 HE, 24 CB).
 - 17 events, each event consisted of 2 detonations.
 - 83% Overall Correct Discrimination of HE/CB.
 - 100% discrimination on all HE rounds.
 - 100% acoustic detection of all events.
 - 28 correctly discriminated from 34 detonations.





PAWSS LOE Summary

- PAWSS LOE was conducted June 19th-28th.
- Implemented real time version of CBRN Discrimination at PAWSS LOE conducted by ECBC.
- 100% single volley discrimination, never tested against dual volley, still 83%, also all event starts were detected for 100%.
- Assist in transition and support of acoustic element CBRNEWS ATD extending LOE efforts.

Event Type	# of Events	Discriminated Correctly
Single Round	38	38/38; 100%
Dual Round	34	28/34; 83%





Conclusion

- Features extracted facilitate robust classification.
 - Reliable discrimination of CB rounds, **98.3%** or greater of single volley events.
- The features this algorithm is based on go beyond previous amplitude dependent features.
 - Degradation due to signal attenuation and distortion is nullified and **exceeds 3km** in range propagation.
- Scalable time frequency representation uncovered non-readily detectable features.
 - Subband components remove higher frequency noise features.
 - Isolating the details of higher oscillatory components.
- Real time verification at PAWSS LOE of CBRN Discrimination Program Implemented in C++.
 - Single volley round discrimination in real time for all variants was **100%**.
 - Dual volley round discrimination in real time for all variants was 83%, and detected an event 100% of the time.
- Wavelets can be possibly used to discriminate varying types of artillery projectile launches from impacts independent of range.
 - Utilizing wavelets and other signal processing techniques to perform a similar task as described within with refinement for the problem.
- Future Considerations.
 - Networking of sensors can provide TDOA abilities to further localize a threat.





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Backup



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Neural Network

- Realize non-linear discriminant functions and complex decision regions to ensure separability between classes.
- Standard Multilayer Feedforward Neural Network.
- Number of hidden layer neurons depend on complexity of required mapping.







Typical Met. Condition at PAWSS Test





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Oak Ridge National Laboratory

MG(R) John C. Doesburg

Director, Homeland Security Programs Director, Center for Homeland Security

December 2005



"Imagination is more important than knowledge ..."

"The important thing Is not to stop questioning ..."

"If we knew what it was we were doing, it wouldn't be called research, would it?"

Albert Einstein



Oak Ridge National Laboratory's research framework

National Security Energy Environment

Applied to compelling national problems

Integrating scientific themes: Nanoscale R&D, ultrascale computing, systems biology

Intellectual foundations in science, engineering, and technology



Our aspiration: Best lab in the world at what we do

- Control of functionality at the nanoscale
- Leadership-class computing for the frontiers of science
- Integration of biology and ecology, based on the foundation of understanding molecular-level interactions
- Integration of science, technology, and thought leadership for energy
- Innovative solutions that improve national, homeland, and global security





The Nano-Info-Bio Nexus

We can expect revolutionary solutions to compelling problems in national security, energy, the environment, and medicine as we begin to

Develop a detailed understanding of the processes by which molecules organize and assemble themselves



Apply the principles of physics and chemistry to the modeling of biological systems at the atomic and molecular level



Model and simulate the behavior of complex systems





We are applying our S&T resources to national and homeland security

- Deploying integrated systems for incident awareness, detection, and response
- Creating tools for information management, synthesis and analysis
- Expanding modeling and simulation for threat analysis and response planning
- Delivering enhanced protection and new capabilities to warfighters
- Applying advanced materials to security applications
- Detecting, preventing, and reversing the proliferation of weapons of mass destruction





We have significant strengths in key areas

Radiological and nuclear weapons countermeasures

- RDD attribution studies, forensics program development, and decontamination of the aftermath
- Active interrogation technologies
- Radiation detection technologies
 and new materials

Chemical and biological

- Mass spectrometry
- Bioinformatics
- Host-pathogen
 interactions

Threat vulnerability testing and assessment

- Geospatial science
- Plume/effect
 modeling
- Cybersecurity technology



 Vulnerability assessment and mitigation CrosscuttingSensor

- technologies
- Knowledge discovery



Significant advances in sensors and detectors

Block II Chemical-Biological mass Spectrometer Detector

Microcantilever sensors for detection of explosives and chemicals

AquaSentinel for water supply protection

RAMITS for detection of chemical agents and other hazardous chemicals

Biochip for detection of bacteria, viruses, and toxins





Infrastructure protection

- Modeling, simulation, and analyses used to assess vulnerabilities, consequences, and risks
 - Vulnerability Interactive Site Analysis Code (VISAC)
 - HYTRAS
 - LandScan
 - TRAGIS
- Real-time support to decision makers during crises and emergencies
 - HPAC
 - OREMS
 - SensorNet





Infrastructure revitalization at ORNL is expanding our capabilities



State-of-the-art vivarium housing ORNL's genetically distinctive mouse colony



Multiprogram Research Facility

- 200,000 ft²
- Light labs, computing space, and offices
- Capable of handling the full range of national and homeland security work



Partnerships are essential to our success

- Other national laboratories
- Universities
 - UT-Battelle/ORNL core universities
 - UT-ORNL Center for Homeland Security and Counterproliferation
- Other government agencies
- Education/Training With Industry Program (U.S. Air Force and U.S. Army)
- ORAU post-docs
- Industry
 - National Security Technology Consortium
 - United Defense
 - National Safe Skies Alliance
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"It is not the strongest of the species that survive, nor the most intelligent, but the one most responsive to change."

- Charles Darwin





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Use of Recombinant Butyrylcholinesterase in Responding to Chemical Weapon Attack

Gary D. Dorough, Ph.D., DABT Director of Research PharmAthene



PHARMATHENE, INC.

- PharmAthene's primary objective is the development of effective countermeasures to biological and chemical weapons
- PharmAthene has two lead compounds:
 - A recombinant protein, Butyrylcholinesterase (BChE), for both pre-exposure prophylaxis and post-exposure therapy of nerve agent exposure.
 - A fully human antibody designed to protect against inhalation anthrax, the most lethal form of illness in humans caused by the *Bacillus anthracis* bacterium



PHARMATHENE, INC.

Current Response Mark I and CANA



The future of rapid response to a CW threat will be greatly enhanced by development of compounds such as Protexia



PHARMATHENE, INC.

Anticipates that the needs of SOCOM may not always be identical to that of big-DOD/Army

Coordination between Industry and SOCOM early in a project may lead to SOCOM specific products

For example, SOCOM may have needs for different drug-formulations, delivery systems, or routes of administration



Scenario 3: Chemical Agent Attack



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Scenario 3: Chemical Agent Attack

- Simultaneous Nerve Agent attack at three geographic locations
- 35,000 to 100,00 civilians in vicinity
- Initial explosions kill or maim a number of passers by
- What follows is a progressively acrid smell and onset of nerve agent symptoms Confidential
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Scenario 3: Chemical Agent Attack

- First responders don their Self-Contained Breathing Apparatus.
- Panic sets in to most of the crowded venues



WHY IS THIS SCENARIO ALARMING?



US: the panicked evacuation of

Capitol Hill

By Bill Van Auken 13 May 2005

"Panic seized the US capital Wednesday and was transmitted in amplified form to the entire country via the broadcast airwaves. The cause was a light plane flown by two hapless pilots from rural Pennsylvania, who mistakenly strayed into the restricted airspace surrounding Washington DC."



In the midst of the tumultuous evacuation of more than **35,000** people onto the streets of Washington,

WHAT IF THIS HAD BEEN THE PRELUDE TO A CHEMICAL ATTACK?



PREPARATION OR PANIC



PANIC: The Destructive Aspect of a Terrorist Attack

- In a crowd, "people behaved differently depending on who they were told the people around them were."*
- "more mutual helping and a calmer response will result when people feel part of a group." *

* 27 June 2005 Press Release, University of Soster tial


PREPARATION OR PANIC

- PharmAthene proposes to mitigate panic by:
 - Supporting multifunction Ready-Response teams
 - Providing prophylactic and therapeutic treatment for nerve agents (Protexia)
 - Increase first responder functionality
 - Decrease crowd anxiety by having first responders appear less alarming



"DOTLMPF"

Doctrine: Organization: Training: Leadership: Material: Personnel: Facilities:



Why Change Doctrine

"Mayors Recommend Greater Role for Military in Emergency Response"

October 24, 2005

- Recommendations:
- Enhance Military Involvement in Response
 - Allowing for greater military involvement in immediate response
 - Creating a mechanism for direct military assets during a terrorist attack
- <u>Creating a Better Distribution System</u>
 - Distribution of federal first responder assets directly to local areas
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Doctrine

 Standing-up, and strategically staging prophylactically-protected, multi-purpose, CONUS "readyteams"

 Emphasis is on targeting panic and site control

👯 PharmAthene

Organization/Personnel

- Stand-by teams consisting of experts in security, psychological operations, crowd control, local government affairs, medical counter measures, patient treatment, and science and technology
- Personnel protected enroute with nerve agent Bioscavenger Protexia





Leadership

- On-site temporary authority (over both Federal and State assets) to coordinate first responders and other assets
- Requires significant change in current local policy and doctrine
- Could avoid scenarios such as an apparent slow response to the Katrina Disaster in New Orleans



Training

- Response times within a few hours of an event
- Site control and containment
- Establishing command centers
- Coordinating Federal and State responders (i.e., local security, medical, and decontamination)



Training

- Use of Protexia by first responders
- Triage those in need of Protexia
- Distribution of strategically stockpiled Protexia to local medical facilities
- Educating local medical personnel in the use of Protexia



WHY PROTEXIA

In animal studies sponsored by the US Army

Protexia pre-treatment (18 hr) prior to <u>5.5 x</u>LD50 Soman or VX

- 100% survivability
- no signs of toxicity
- no weight loss and no impairment of motor coordination

Conventional therapy following <u>**1.5 x**</u> LD50 Soman or VX

- 50% survivability of Soman and 100% of VX
- Severe toxic signs (transient)
- weight loss and impairment of motor coordination



EFFICACY OF PROTEXIA

As you heard yesterday, in order to get a product fielded for use, we are required to do animal studies.

For nerve agent pre-treatments we use Guinea Pigs to test efficacy of compounds

The very short (very fast) movie clip attached shows an untreated/unexposed guinea pig walking a balance beam to test neurologic function;

The color lines you see allow us to use computers to monitor and compare neurologic function





EFFICACY OF PROTEXIA

The following clip shows a guinea pig that was pretreated with Protexia and then 18 hrs later exposed to 5.5 x LD50 of Soman

We treated more than 24 animals with different V or G series nerve agents and 100% of the animals pretreated with Protexia survived with no signs of poisoning.

What you will see is a perfectly normal guinea pig which would have no impact in a functional field setting





EFFICACY OF PROTEXIA

The next clip shows an animal that was exposed to only 1.5 x LD50 of Soman and immediately given the conventional treatment of atropine/2-PAM/Diazapam

And Yes, We do employ Model: (1) Guinea-Pig Emergency Capture/Safety Device





WHY PROTEXIA

- BChE testing has been conducted in collaboration with US and Canadian Defense Departments
- Efficacy studies indicate that prophylactic Protexia can protect animals against the toxicity of multiple lethal dosages (LD₅₀s) of VX and soman
- Protexia administered up to 1 hour post nerve agent exposure in animal models can rescue up to 90% of guinea pigs from an otherwise lethal exposure to VX



PROTEXIA: Why Does it Work

- Butyrylcholinesterase (BChE) is a naturally occurring protein found in extremely small quantities in blood.
- PharmAthene has developed a technology to produce large amounts of BChE/Protexia in the milk of Goats
- BChE functions as a natural bioscavenger, like a sponge, to absorb and degrade nerve agents before they cause neurological damage.





Protexia May Provide:

- Prophylactic protection from large doses of nerve agent
- Ease of administration for first responders
- Comfort of knowing protection is "on board"
- Increased ability to operate freely in contaminated areas
- Decreased levels of PPE/MOPP gear



Material

- Rapid air and ground transportation
- Less restrictive Personal Protective Equipment
- Protexia
 - Available to First Responders
 - Stockpiled for distribution to Aid Stations
 - Distributed to local hospitals for potential use as therapy
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Current Response Personal Protective Equipment



DuPont Tychem®

Photos by Karen Flem Confidential

Possible Post-Prophylaxis Personal Protective Equipment?





Facilities



SIMULATED EAST COAST CONUS

RESPONSE TEAM STAGING LOCATIONS

- 1: MacDill AFB
- 2: Bolling AFB
- 3: Hanscom AFB
- 4: Fort Bragg
- 5: Rickenbacker AFB
- 6: Robins AFB
- 7: Gunter AFB
- 8: Fort Knox
- 9: Kellogg AGS
- 10: Fort McCoy
- 11: Glenview NAS
- 12: Des Moines AGS
- 13: Fort Leonard Wood
- 14: Little Rock AFB
- 15: Fitzsimmons AMC



Conclusion

- It is anticipated that data to be collected will support the use of Protexia as a nerve agent countermeasure in the future
 - Anticipated filing of IND in 2007
 - Anticipated filing of BLA in 2012
- Our intent is to demonstrate that anticipating future technology, such as Protexia, can play a role in future doctrine/policy





QUESTIONS?

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CB Defense Science and Technology Innovation for the Future

Dr. Charles R. Gallaway Defense Science and Technology Office Chemical and Biological Defense Program DTRA/CB

6 December 2005



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- The Chemical and Biological Defense Program (CBDP)
- S&T Major Thrusts
- Advanced Concept Technology Demonstrations







Making the World Safer



Science and Technology Mission



Develop and sustain a robust, agile, and flexible science and technology program to support chemical and biological defense capability needs



Mission Space

- Maneuvering warfighters
- Installation protection
- Homeland defense
- Global war on terrorism







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Industry







National Labs





Plain-English summary of our major thrusts...

- Earliest warning
 - Detection
 - Medical diagnostics
 - Information dissemination
- Broad spectrum medical countermeasures
 - Pretreatment
 - Therapeutics
- "How clean is safe?"
 - Decontamination
 - Low-Level toxicology
 - Environmental fate of agent



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Capability Needed

- Detect and identify biological threats at stand-off distances
- Integrated Chem/Bio Detection





- Current Efforts
 - Explore terahertz spectroscopy for detection
 - Investigate laser-induced millimeter wave fluorescence for better biodiscrimination



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Diagnostics





Joint Biological Agent Identification and Detection System - Block I

Current Efforts

- Developing nucleic acid and antigen detection assays and reagents
- Establishing standards for DoD developed nucleic acid and immunodiagnostic assays
- Assessing resequencing technology for rapid identification of emergent/genetically engineered bio-
- agents

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Capability Needed

 Hand-held diagnostic capability, easy to operate, and with minimal logistical requirements



Integrated Hand-held Platform





Battlespace Awareness



Capabilities Needed

- Reliable, automated warning to allow unaffected personnel to remain in a lower protection state
- Common Operating Picture of CBRN analysis and collaboration across the theater

Current Efforts

- Developing computational fluid dynamic (CFD) libraries for a particle transport model to provide rapid and high resolution analysis around buildings and ships
- Developing techniques to use highresolution radar data to improve wind fields for models
- Providing automatic source term estimation using data from either sensors or observations





Pretreatments



Capabilities Needed

- Single vaccines that protect against multiple biological agents, administered via needle-free delivery systems
- Rapid drug development against emerging threats
- Prophylaxis for chemical warfare nerve agents
- Current Efforts
 - Evaluating select target antigens in various vaccine platforms for immunogenicity, safety, efficacy, and minimal dosing
 - Combining current products into one formulation for a straight recombinant protein vaccine (multi-agent vaccines)
 - Evaluating molecular/genetic platforms





Silver Bullet: Negative-strand RNA based vaccine expression system





Therapeutics



- Capabilities Needed
 - Effective countermeasures against viruses and toxins
 - Broad spectrum (multi-agent) therapeutic technologies
- Current Efforts
 - Identifying intersecting targets for intervention including common mechanisms of pathogenesis, common host responses, common housekeeping functions
 - Identifying and characterizing a candidate broad-spectrum nerve agent reactivator to replace the current reactivator (oxime) in nerve agent therapy



Nuclease-Resistant DNA Aptamers with 3'-Caps Bind & Neutralize G & V Agents





Decontamination





Current Efforts

- Modeling quantum-chemical agent/adsorbent Interactions
- Studying surface chemistry of vaporous H₂O₂ and ClO₂
- Developing solvent soluble decontaminating enzymes
- Aerosolizing activated H₂O₂ for decontamination of aircraft interiors

Capabilities Needed

- Non-corrosive decontaminants that are effective against a broad spectrum of agents
- Effective and safe decontamination for sensitive equipment and vehicle and building interiors





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Protection



Capabilities Needed

- Comprehensive protection against broad spectrum chemical/biological/radiological agents and toxic industrial chemicals
- Individual and collective protection systems that impose less logistical and physical burden on the warfighter

Current Efforts

- Developing end-of-service-life indicator for a wide range of chemical agents
- Developing selective and responsive nanopore-filled membranes as breathable barriers





Threat Agent Science

9

8

5

3

2

0

0

500

1000

1500

2000

2500

Sampling Time (min)

3000

3D in Air Above Soil (mg/m³)

- Capabilities Needed
 - Improved CONOPS based on better understanding of science
 Agent Fate on Soil
- Current Efforts
 - Studying toxicological effects for low-levels of exposure to agents
 - Researching environmental fate of agent





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3500

Rain Event

Rain Event

4500

4000














CBRN Unmanned Ground Reconnaissance (CUGR) ACTD

- Raman surface contamination detection in manned recon vehicles
 - TICs/TIMs
 - Non-Traditional Agents (NTA) along with traditional Chemical Warfare Agents
 - Integrate on-the move radiological and biological sampling and detection: reduce human error
 - Recon routes at the speed of the maneuver force, independent of terrain
- Unmanned CBRN detection capabilities
 - Recon urban terrain remotely
 - Keep crew out of contamination and of direct fire
 - Keep contamination out of the Recon Vehicle











Chemical Biological Defense S&T ...A New Approach

• Warfighter requirements from the JRO



• Innovative technology from the JSTO



Technology solutions transitioned to the JPEO

Technology for the warfighter!



National Guard CBRN Response – Achieving Unity of Effort at the Seams Between Local, State, and Federal Response

> Colonel Thomas Hook National Guard Bureau



(Source: Baltimore Sun, 16 Jul 2005)



MANAGEMENT

CONSEQUENCE



DETECTION & INTERDICTION

COUNTERPROLIFERATION









Rapid Damage Assessment Accurate Situational Awareness





Civil Support Team Unified Command Suite (UCS)



Radios **UHF/VHF** SATCOM **INMARSAT Phones DSN/Commercial** Data NIPRNET SIPRNET Video **Collaborative Video Conferencing Tools**

CST UCS in Support of Response Operations

WAL+MART



NGB Float and 72nd CST ADVONs at Belle Chase NAS



62nd CST UCS at the Super Dome on 30 Aug 2005





ANG aircraft at Belle Chase NAS, New Orleans





NG CD aircraft with sensor package

Hurricane Katrina/Rita Military Response (Source: Hurricane Katrina/Rita Comprehensive Timeline, 17 Oct 05, OASD (HD))





Joint Force HQs (State)





- Personal Staff
- Special Staff
- J-Staff 1 to 8
- Interagency
- Intergovernmental







•CBRN Detection

•Technical Search and Extraction

Decontamination

Medical Treatment





Weapons of Mass Destruction Civil Support Team

MISSION: Support civil authorities at a domestic chemical, biological, radiological, nuclear, and high-explosive (CBRNE) incident site by <u>identifying</u> CBRNE agents/substances, <u>assessing</u> current and projected consequences, <u>advising</u> on response measures, and <u>assisting</u> with appropriate requests for state support.





Interior of Analytical Laboratory System





Portable Gas Chromatograph/Mass Spectrometer



CBRNE Enhanced Response Force Package

CJCSI 3125.01: Chief, National Guard Bureau (NGB), will: Monitor and assist the Adjutants General and the State National Guard in providing well-trained and wellequipped Army and Air National Guard forces and resources to provide military support to domestic CM operations in response to a CBRNE situation.

MISSION

On order, respond to a Chemical, Biological, Radiological, Nuclear, or High Yield Explosive (CBRNE) incident and assist local, state, and federal agencies in conducting consequence management by providing capabilities to conduct personnel decontamination, emergency medical services, and casualty search and extraction.





Personnel Decontamination



Domestic Response Casualty Deco Training Support Package for USAR Chemical Companies 1999



United States Army Reserve Command 1401 Deshler St SW Fort McPherson, GA 30330-2000



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Mass patient decontamination

Emergency Medical Treatment: SPEARR

• Small-Portable-Expeditionary-Aeromedical-**Rapid Response** cal Evacuation Support • Supports a population at risk (PAR) of 500 • Provides: Emergency medicine, Emergency surgery, critical care stabilization, patient prep. UNITS OF CAPABILITY rome HOSP EXPANSION **EMEDS** +25EMEDS +10**EMEDS** BASIC **SPEARR** SME

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NNSA

- Unique scientific and technical expertise capable of dealing with nuclear/radioactive events and materials.
- Trained, exercised, speciallyequipped teams with prepackaged equipment to conduct search, render safe, recovery and consequence management operations.



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Pre-Crisis/Pre-CM Phase

- Baseline radiological measurements of at-risk facilities.
- Baseline measurements of New York City completed.







Pre-Crisis / Pre-CM Phase

- Intelligence
- Readiness preparations
 - Training
 - Deployment status
 - Equipment maintenance and packaging
 - Established Plans & Procedures
 - Local coordination





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Securing of Sources In Foreign Countries	Portals In Foreign Port Facilities	Portals in US Ports and on Border Crossings (Detection/Surve	Distributed Detectors (Detection/Survey) y)
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Crisis

- First Responders
 - Police, Hazardous Material Units, Coast Guard, Customs
- State and Regional Teams (Suspicious Package)
- Radiological Assistance Program (RAP) Teams

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- National Search Teams
- Home Teams

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Crisis Intervention

National Search Team

Locate and Identify Nuclear and Radiological Materials in Support of the designated Coordinating Agency

- Utilize low-profile techniques to locate
 - Nuclear or radiological materials
 - Dispersal Devices
 - Nuclear Weapons
- Different platforms
 - Hand held
 - Vehicle mounted
 - Aerial
 - Marine





Aerial Measuring System - Search

- Beechcraft B200 Fixed Wing Aircraft and Bell 412 Helicopter
- Nellis Air Force Base
- Andrews Air Force Base
- On-duty Team
 - Pilots
 - Scientist
 - Data Technician
 - Radiation Technician







Predictive Plume Modeling



World-wide Coverage

- Terrain and land-surface
- Vector and raster maps
- Real-time weather data
- Real-time hazard advisories available within minutes
- Distributed electronically
- Natural, chemical, biological, and natural resources
- Generic and specific sources
- Advanced modeling system
- Health effects and action levels

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National Response Plan

- December 2004
- Nuclear / Radiological Incident Annex
- Establishes Coordinating Agency, Advisory Team, and a Federal Monitoring and Assessment Center (FRMAC).
- Assigns the coordination of the FRMAC during the initial phase to the U.S. Department of Energy (DOE) National Nuclear Security Administration.



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Consequence Management

The DOE National Nuclear Security Administration (NNSA) has the role to coordinate the FRMAC and assist the states in their mission to PROTECT THE HEALTH AND WELL BEING OF THEIR CITIZENS with:

- Verified radiation measurements
- Interpretations of radiation distributions based on EPA, FDA or local Protective Action Guidelines
- Characterizations of overall radiological conditions





CMRT Time Line

- Conduct Advance Party meeting upon arrival.
- Begin monitoring and sampling plan.
- Upload predictive models and begin assessment of first responder data.
- Ensure Health and Safety of responders
- Begin producing maps and compiling data utilizing the Geographic Information System (GIS).
- Upload GIS to FRMAC Web.
- Set up secure communications.
- Begin logistics planning for follow on response.





CM Products: Monitoring and Sampling Data

- Direct monitoring measurements
- Isotopic mix (*in situ* spectroscopy)
- Sampling
 - Control (hotline to lab)
 - Prep
 - Analysis
- QA & QC
- Standardized data forms



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Consequence Management Aerial Measuring System (AMS)

- Mission Provides radiological detection capability mounted on helicopters and fixed wing aircraft to measure ground disposition of radiation in radiological emergencies
- Aircraft located at Nellis and Andrews Air Force Base
- Responds in 4 to 6-hours
- 40 team members





Laboratory Analysis

- Sample Hotline
- Sample Preparation
 - Documentation
 - database entry
 - chain-of-custody (sample tracking)
 - laboratory database
 - QA/QC process
- Sample Analysis
 - Laboratory Information Management System



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Assessment

- Provides interpretations of radiological conditions in terms of recognized Federal or State PAGs.
- Characterizes radiological environment to address reentry, return, and recovery issues.
- Geographic Information System (GIS)



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Consequence Management – Radiation Emergency Assistance Center / Training Site (REAC/TS)

Mission – Provide medical response, advice, and consultation for rapid assessment and treatment of high-dose radiation cases

- 24/7 capability
- Staffing 14
- Assistance to Federal, state, local government governments as well as the IAEA, foreign governments and private physicians
- Provides training programs for health professionals
- Maintains "Radiation Accident Registry System"

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FRMAC

- Multi-agency response.
- Large scale/long-term operations.
- Photo/video capability.
- Additional communications (voice, data, video).
- Data networks.
- Mechanical and electrical support for extended operations.
- Additional logistics and administrative support.



Digit Pace Exercise





Transfer from DOE to EPA

- At a mutually agreeable time AND after consultation with DHS and State, local, and tribal officials.
- The following conditions are to be met before transfer:
 - Immediate emergency condition is stabilized.
 - Offsite release of radioactive material has ceased.
 - Offsite radiological conditions have been characterized.
 - Initial long-range monitoring plan has been developed.
 - Other Federal agencies will commit required resources.





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Kunsan Focused Effort and the Counter-Biological Warfare Concept of Operations





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- Background
- C-BW Objectives
- Kunsan Focused Effort (KFE)
- Counter-Biological Warfare Concept of Operations (C-BW CONOPS)
 - Tenets & Approach
 - Implementation







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C-CBRNE Ops Program



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KFE Objectives

- Produce operationally relevant C-BW strategies, plans, and procedures
 - Non-materiel solutions developed by functional experts and based on scientific data and ops analysis
 - Use existing wing C-BW capabilities / infrastructure
 - Complement C-CW procedures
- Provide the basis for a C-BW CONOPS and guidance for AF units to prepare, respond, operate, sustain, and recover

PREPARATION					
	HAZA ASSESS		INTELLIGENCE		
TRAINING		METEOROLOGY		PREVENTIVE MEDICINE	
	SURVEILLANC		CLIN DIAGN	ICAL OSTICS	
SAMPLING		DETECTION		IDENTIFICATION	
	PHYSICAL PROTECTION		WARNING		
ALERT		REPORTING		NOTIFICATION	
	TREATMENT		CASUALTY MANAGEMENT		
EVACUATION		QUARANTINE/			
	CONTAM	INATION TROL	MORT AFF	UARY AIRS	

"To develop and institutionalize a comprehensive, AF-wide counterbiological warfare concept of operations for both deployed forces and homeland defense." CSAF Message July 2002



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Base Selection Considerations

- High ops tempo, wartime posture, and recognized threat of BW attack
- Senior leadership buy-in and commitment
- Senior staff stability throughout study period
- C-BW materiel and non-materiel solution sets in place (e.g., C-CW CONOPS in place, updated FSTR 10-2 plans, DoD sampling kits, RAPIDS, standard laboratory capability, in-place patient decontamination, etc.)



Aggressive exercise schedule that can be leveraged

PACAF/CC approved Kunsan AB as test-bed (KFE)



"The Wolfpack"









Kunsan Focused Effort



Improve USAF ability to recover and sustain operations in a BW environment in a real world setting



KFE Timeline





Baseline Assessment (May 04)

Kunsan can mitigate the effects of a BW attack, BUT...

- Requires additional understanding of the nature of BW
 - **C-CW TTPs well rehearsed, but often inappropriate for C-BW**
- Must optimize use of detection devices/methods available
 - First detection of an attack may be casualties
- Need basic C-BW plans/guidelines
 - Preparation and prompt decision making are key to success
 - Not a "MDG problem" to solve; must involve entire base
- Personnel turnover rate impacts C-BW readiness
 - Need to document solutions and plans
- Combined / Joint operations complicate planning and response



Key Operational Questions

- What is the BW "threat"?
 - What bio-agents can be effectively delivered by which mechanisms under what conditions and which are the most effective?
 - What will the effect on the base be?
- What is the residual hazard posed by re-aerosolization, surface contact, or person-to-person transfer?
- How much can we rely on our detectors?
 - How do we better use our detection and identification equipment based upon the character of the attack?
- What can we do about a BW attack?
 - How do vaccination, antibiotics, masking, restriction of movement, and decon impact the effects of the attack?

What are the critical timelines for implementing responses?



KFE Lessons: The BW Threat

- Many effective BW attacks are possible with different agents and delivery means, but there are significant challenges
 - Large scale military application of BW has never been done
 - Requires the development and production of quality agents and delivery methods (large scale testing)
 - All of the pieces have been done but there is high uncertainty when linking them all together
- Combat capability may be affected by BW attack
 - Limited operational flexibility with large casualties particularly within key AFSCs
 - Mission degradation varies by agent (disease) type



KFE Lessons: BW Residual Hazard

- Large area decon may not significantly reduce outdoor residual hazard
 - Difficult to determine where to decon and to verify effectiveness
- Most BW agents are not persistent
 - Time and sunlight reduce most agent levels significantly
 - Anthrax may reaerosolize from vehicle movement in the vicinity of agent release (high deposition)
- Other protective measures may be available (e.g., prophy, masks, etc)







KFE Lessons: BW Detection and Identification

- Timely detection of covert attacks is difficult due to agent identification technology insensitivities and operational modes
- Sentinel casualties are likely first indicator of many attacks
 - Still require diagnosis (agent identification) for best treatment and hazard management



Focus on medical surveillance and education to more quickly recognize and isolate infected personnel



KFE Lessons: C-BW Responses

- MCU-2 mask provides good protection, but must be worn during the attack – detection limitations make this unlikely
- Vaccine and/or prophylaxis treatment is highly effective for some BW agents
- Additional disease containment measures are important for contagious diseases



- Social distancing, personal hygiene, restriction of movement and quarantine measures can significantly reduce casualties
- Surgical masks worn by infected personnel can reduce secondary infections

The diversity of the BW threat and the limitations of current C-BW capabilities mandate a layered defense strategy



KFE Lessons: Response Timelines

- Medical intervention is most effective before symptoms
 - Pre-attack vaccination of personnel for smallpox and anthrax is very beneficial
- Timelines for mass prophylaxis in response to sentinel casualties are very short
 - Agent-specific

Maximum effectiveness requires a planned and exercised response



KFE Lessons: Managed Risk Strategy

- Use new procedures to compensate for equipment shortfalls
- Layered response actions required no "silver bullet" technology
- Involve entire base population
- Organize responses around "trigger" events:
 - Intelligence Warning
 - Weapon Event
 - Detector Alarm
 - Sentinel Casualty
- With few exceptions the responses are additive, BUT...
 - The risk/benefit calculation to implement a specific action changes based upon the trigger

Risk management requires a sophisticated understanding of the biological hazard environment



KFE Lessons: Layered BW Defense





C-BW Responses By Trigger Event

Intelligence Warning:

- Initiate vaccination
- Distribute/ initiate prophylaxis
- Elevate detector status
 - 24/7 & smart mode
- Restrict movement
 - Minimize contacts, close facilities, cancel events
- Implement collective protection
- Increase MOPP
- Increase FPCON
- Increase surveillance
 - Med, air, food, and water

Weapon Event:

- Take shelter
- Run detectors in manual mode
- Restrict assess to impact areas
- Conduct environmental bio sampling

Detector System Alarm:

- Don military mask / increase MOPP
- Implement contamination avoidance
 - Personal hygiene and decon
- Conduct forensic sampling
- Confirm detection via RAPIDS or ECL

Sentinel Casualties:

- Clinical diagnosis and treatment
- Quarantine and isolate personnel
- Don surgical masks (if contagious)
- Casualty management planning and preparation
- Personnel management decisions


Validation FTX (Apr 05)

- Three-day wing-wide exercise to validate strategies and TTPs
 - Initial response through sustainment and recovery
 - Mission requirements consistent with wartime taskings
- Quick recognition and execution of DCP was key to effective response
- Pre-distribution of prophylaxis reduced casualties and prevented deaths
 - Reduced direct casualties by ≈ 90%





KFE Final Report

- Entered coordination on 3 Oct 05
- Findings and recommendations:
 - Threat & Hazard Environment
 - Detection & Identification
 - Protection & Decontamination
 - Disease Containment
 - Operations
- Working towards:
 - CSAF approval
 - Final out-briefs to 8 FW, 7 AF, USFK, PACAF, PACOM





KFE Products & Tools

Education & Training

- BW Threat Intel Brief
- BW Threat Analysis & Briefing
- Bio Agent Smart Cards
- BW Knowledge Survey
- Operational Impact Analysis & Briefings

Sampling, Detection, & ID

- Biological Agent Testing Guidance
- Equipment Optimization Analysis

Decontamination

- Residual Hazard Database
- Decontamination Matrix

Disease Containment

- Disease Containment Plan
- Medical Treatment Protocols Guidelines

<u>Decision Support / Wing</u> <u>Commander & Staff Tools</u>

- Commander's Decision Tool
- Threat Working Group Charter
- Public Affairs Toolbox
- Legal Review and Analysis
- Force Protection Measures
- Mask/De-Mask Matrix
- AF Procedures for Investigating a Bio Event



C-BW CONOPS

- High-level concepts for how to work through a biological event
 - Addresses planning, response, and mission sustainment and recovery
 - Focuses on base-level actions
 - Based on KFE findings
- Entered coordination on 26 Sep 05
- Working towards:
 - CSAF signature by Dec 05
 - AF-wide implementation complete by Apr 07

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Tenets of C-BW CONOPS (1 of 2)

- CONOPS applies to all biological events
 - Biological warfare
 - Biological terrorism
 - Naturally occurring disease outbreaks
- Commanders decision making abilities may be hampered
 - Information will be limited
 - Timeline for actions will be compressed
 - Requires balancing mission criticality and risk to personnel
- CONOPS is based on Trigger Event Concept
 - The trigger event will determine the appropriate responses to the BW event



Tenets of C-BW CONOPS (2 of 2)

- Preparation will determine the response options available
- Measures to maintain operations:
 - Minimize casualties through layered defenses
 - Avoid exposure
 - Mitigate impacts of exposure
 - Risk Management Strategy
 - Understanding the hazard and operational implications is essential to implementing risk management strategy
 - Requires education and training (ETE Initiative)



C-BW CONOPS Approach

- Prevent or minimize personnel exposure
- Mitigate the impact of exposure
- Balance protection of personnel with need to sustaining operations
 - Apply ORM principles, techniques, and decision tools
 - Make best use of layered defense strategy
- Implementation requires guidance and training not new equipment





C-BW CONOPS Way Ahead

- Implement C-BW CONOPS at other constructs (i.e., different missions, populations, and operational imperatives)
- Publish C-BW policy, guidance, and TTPs
- Education, train, and exercise AF personnel
- Expand scientific and technical analysis



C-BW CONOPS Implementation Working Group (Air Staff & MAJCOMs) United States Air Force

Counter-Chemical, Biological, Radiological, Nuclear, and High-Yield Explosives (C-CBRNE) Master Plan

FY 2006-2007 Define, Organize, Train, and Equip Roadmaps



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Implementation activities tracked through C-CBRNE Roadmaps



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Using Smart Threads to Interdict Radioactive Materials

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Presentation Overview

- Definitions & Goals
- Smart Threads Components Platform Architecture
- Smart Threads Integrated Radiation Sensors (STIRS)
- Components and Examples of 'Scale-ability'
- Communications and Reach-back
- Synopsis
 - Questions & Discussion

Uranium Yellowcake





Definitions & Goals

Definitions

- Smart Threads is a modular architecture for Chemical, Biological, Radiological, and Nuclear (CBRN) detectors
- Smart Threads is a dynamic, easily expandable, selfconfiguring platform
- Smart Threads Integrated Radiation Sensors (STIRS) used for radiation measurements are described
- **Goals** Goals of the STIRS platform are to enhance both deterrent and inconspicuous detection capabilities for SNM and radiological materials.



Smart Threads Components

Hardware – Two main hardware components

- Smart Sensors. Each Smart Sensor contains:
 - Radiation detector gamma-ray, neutron, etc.
 - HV supply, signal processing electronics, microprocessor
- Smart Sensor Aggregator (SSA)
 - Aggregates Smart Sensor data RS485 bus polls sensors
 - Microprocessor Evaluates alarm conditions
 - Transmits data via Ethernet or wireless protocols



- Includes GPS, Bluetooth, and 802.11b wireless communications modules
- Other components as needed





Smart Threads Components (cont'd.)

Firmware:

- Common protocol and interconnection concept
- Modular platform for all types of CBRN detectors
- Data processing within each Smart Sensor
 - Radiation Smart Sensors report 'counts' per time
 - Perform statistical calculations
 - Processing sets the bandwidth on the RS485 comm bus
 - Sensor 'State-of-Health' parameters tracked





STIRS – Basic Platform Architecture



STIRS Platform Architecture Modular Configurations for Specific Missions



- A modular architecture for portable, transportable, and large STIRS systems.
- Utilize 'standard' building blocks; e.g.,
 - Power Line or Battery
 - HV Supply
- Communications protocols are standardized
 - Ethernet
 - Wireless protocols









Hardware STIRS Smart Sensors







Each STIRS Smart Sensor contains a radiation detector, HV supply, signal processing electronics, and microprocessor(s)

⁶Li Silicate Fiber Neutron Smart Sensor



PVT Gamma Ray Smart Sensor



Hardware Smart Sensor Aggregator (SSA)



SSA and Power Supply Module

- Collects data packets from sensors
- Calculates alarm information
- Drives packets to the Operator Display
- Integrates GPS, BlueTooth, 802.11b modules
- Power Supply reports status of batteries to SSA
- Power Supply recharges batteries



Smart Sensor Aggregator (SSA) Board



Power Supply and Power Conditioning Board



Hardware / Firmware STIRS Smart Sensors – RS485 System Bus

Smart Sensor RS485 Communications and Data Packet Concept





STIRS - Example 1 Portable Radiation Search Tools (PRST)

- Using any permutation of Smart Sensors, connected to a Smart Sensor
 Aggregator (SSA), any
 STIRS system can be easily configured.
- Example Portable Radiation Search Tools (PRST)





PRST Systems Backpacks, Vests, Briefcases



NucSafe PRST Models











Orthographic Projection – DTRA 3G PRST







Example of 'Build Your Own' PRST (Portable Radiation Search Tool)

- Radiation Threat Need a mission specific Portable Radiation Search Tool
 - Select STIRS Smart Sensors for mission
 - Connect to Smart Sensor Aggregator (SSA)
 - Configure for Deployment
 - Architecture allows:
 - Choice of CBRN Detectors
 - Operator Display
 - Add-on functions
 - Multiple Wireless
 Protocols
 - External battery



STIRS Example 2 Mobile System Schematic

- Larger and/or more numerous STIRS Smart Sensor components can be easily configured
- By use of an Ethernet switch, systems like SPARTAN can be configured.





Mobile STIRS Example – SPARTAN USV





SPARTAN Mobile System - USV



Van Mounted Mobile STIRS System





Van, SUV, and Patrol Cruiser Mobile Systems



STIRS Example 3 Multi-lane Vehicle Portal Radiation Monitors

- More complex systems are assembled by connecting groups of STIRS 'panels'
- Panels are connected to a 'Panel Aggregator' computer that monitors a fully integrated STIRS system.
- Multiple STIRS systems may be linked via Site Servers – data is made available to multiple users and stored to databases as desired.



Radiation Portal Monitoring Systems





Communications and Reach-back





Communications and Reach-back





Synopsis

- Smart Threads is a modular architecture for CBRN detector systems
 - Self-configuring platform
 - Dynamic
 - Easily expandable
 - Scaleable' Portable to Very Large Systems
- Smart Threads Integrated Radiation Sensors (STIRS) were discussed in this presentation
- Smart Threads can include numerous CBRN sensor systems



Questions & Discussion, Acknowledgments



NTS April 1953 'Badger' 300 Foot Tower 23 Kilotons

Threat Analog: IND on Elevated

Floor of High Rise

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Terrorist Motivations to Employ Chemical, Biological, Radiological, and Nuclear Weapons

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CBRN Terrorism

"Its not a matter of if, but of when"

- If so, why do most terrorist groups not pursue the acquisition of CBRN?
 - Lack of technical ability
 - Lack of resources (funds, materials)
 - Not motivated to pursue "what they are doing is good enough"
 - Fear of repercussion from target / public outcry
- But why do some terrorist groups ignore the challenges and attempt to acquire and more importantly employ CBRN weapons

Terrorism

- DOD Definition of Terrorism: the calculated use of violence or threat of violence to inculcate fear; intended to coerce or try to intimidate governments or societies in the pursuit of goals that are generally political, religious or ideological. (Source Joint Pub 3-07.2)
- An act or threat of violence against noncombatants to intimidate or influence an audience, with political change as the objective.
Typology of Terrorism

Ideological Categories	A More Narrow View
Nationalist-separatist	Practical
Social revolutionary	Practical
Religious fundamentalist	Apocalyptic - Practical
Non-traditional religious (closed cults)	Apocalyptic - Practical
Right-wing terrorism	Practical
Lone Wolves Right-Wing Religious Fundamentalist	Practical - Apocalyptic

Types of Terrorist Groups

 Today, terrorist groups can be categorized into two broad groups:

- **Practical**
- Apocalyptic

Practical terrorist groups use violence as a tactic to achieve their strategic goal.





Apocalyptic terrorist groups use religion as their ideology and typically dismiss all other forms of religion other than their own as false.

Practical Terrorist Groups

- Will commit atrocious acts
 - setting off car bombs in public places
 - kidnapping the innocent relations of his chosen enemies
 - committing assassinations
 - conducting suicide attacks
- May resort to mass casualty attacks if the group is weak and isolated.
- End states
 - Freedom
 - New society
 - New economic system
 - Autonomy
 - Reassignment of territory

"scale of actions is usually limited, despite the attendant drama"

 May use toxic chemicals or poisons if the circumstances warrant and the effects are focused

Apocalyptic Terrorist Groups

Religiously motivated

- Islamic
- Christian
- Jewish
- Hindu
- Others
- Retribution against unbelievers, heretics, and those with lesser commitment
- Willing to commit spectacular, extremely violent acts
- Willing to give their life in the attainment of their goals
- Unconstrained violence
- End states
 - New society
 - All methods are open

Historical Constraints

Technically & resource intensive

Conventional tactics work



Bottom Line

Conventional means have proven effective

Constraints On Violence

- Unnecessary to convey a message to target audience
- Loss of approval and support of the group that the terrorists claimed to represent
- Backlash from target nation or international community



"Terrorists want a lot of people watching, not a lot of people dead"

Lack of Constraint

Aum Shinrikiyo

- Circa 1990-1995
- Launched a number of attacks using botulinum toxin, Bacillus anthracis, sarin, VX, and hydrogen cyanide
- Had near and far term motivations; eliminate threats, proof of prophecy, instigate a war, & survive the apocalypse

Al Qaeda

- ♦ 1993 present
- Attempted to develop / acquire chemical, biological, radiological, & nuclear weapons
- Biological warfare laboratory was under construction near Tarnak Farms, Afghanistan
- Worked with poisons & toxins





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Performance Violence

- Spectacular violent acts with the intent of having the violence witnessed by the greatest number of people with little direct political impact.
- Killing the few does not suit the purpose of the apocalyptic groups. They are engaged in a cosmic war and the more horrific the act the better.
- The use of weapons of mass destruction – chemical, biological, radiological, and nuclear – are weapons that would achieve them to achieve the desired effects.



Along the Spectrum of Use



Along the Spectrum of Use



Revolutionary Armed Forces of Colombia

Cyanide

- Home made hand-grenades, composed of explosives and a cyanide compound inside a plastic container
- Cyanide tipped bullets
- Parathion
 - Added to water tanks supplying drinking water
 - FARC declared the water pipeline a a "military target"
- Biological Weapon
 - Cylinder bomb charged with 5 kilos of homemade explosive R1, potassium chlorate, aluminum powder, sawdust, scraps of iron and "a mix of clay with human feces"







Rajneesh Religious Sect

- Biological attack, circa 1984
 - Salmonella bacteria
 - Placed bacteria in eight local restaurants' salad bars
 - 751 affected
 - Two members pleaded guilty to salmonella poisoning charges & received four-year prison term
- Test run for a planned biological attack
 - Target was the town's water supply before the November election
 - · Cult decided to abandon the idea

Religious Cult Not Apocalyptic





Does Al Qaeda Have WMD?



"It presupposes that I do possess such weapons, and goes on to ask about the way in which we will use them. In answer, I would say that acquiring weapons for the defense of Muslims is a religious duty. To seek to possess the weapons that could counter those of the infidels is a religious duty. If I have indeed acquired these weapons, then this is an obligation I carried out and I thank God for enabling us to do that. And if I seek to acquire these weapons I am carrying out a duty. It would be a sin for Muslims not to try to possess the weapons that would prevent the infidels from inflecting harm on Muslims. But how we could use these weapons if we possess them is up to us."

Usama bin Laden

Al Qaeda– Striving for Better Weapons

- "Encyclopedia of Jihad", one entire volume is devoted to explaining how to construct CBW
- Attempted to construct a biological laboratory to develop a biological weapon using *Bacillus anthracis*
- Repeated attempts by cells and associates to use cyanide compounds & other toxic materials
- Interest expressed in nuclear and radiological weapons
- However, conventional attacks have proven successful





Conclusions

- Most terrorist groups will not employ CBRN weapons
- Practical terrorist groups will use them on occasion to enhance conventional weapons or for a very specific purpose
- Practical terrorist groups will not seek massive casualties
- Apocalyptic terrorist groups will seek CBRN weapons
- Most apocalyptic terrorist groups will fail to overcome the technical challenges to produce mass casualty devices
- An effective CBRN device, in the hands of an apocalyptic terrorist, will be employed in a spectacular manner against a symbolic target to achieve massive casualties

Networked Application of Chemical, Biological, Radiological and Nuclear Detectors for Early Detection and Warning of CBRN Events in Transit Environments

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Terrorist Attacks on Transit Systems

- The Tokyo Subway Attack March 20, 1995
- The Madrid Bombing March 11, 2004
- The London Metro Bombing July 7, 2005

<u>What's Next?</u>







Sample Scenario 1: Radiological Dispersal Device (RDD)

Spent nuclear fuel rods are supplied by Iran and shipped in a cargo container to Colombia then flown to Mexico and loaded on human mules used to smuggle drugs across the border. They are met in Arizona by sleeper cell agents who take the fuel rods by car toward its final destination. Three men get off subway cars at three different locations in downtown New York and head toward the New York Stock Exchange.

The Unique Challenges of the Transit Environment

- Biological sensing problems
 - High particulate counts
 - Platform counts 100 X outside counts (PPLA)
 - Interferants
 - Diesel trains, vacuum trains mimic 'Releases'
 - Skin cells, pollen mimic the biological signature
- Chemical sensing problems
 - Interferants
 - Pesticides and rodenticides
 - Cleaning agents, perfumes and deodorants
- Radiological sensing problems
 - Infrastructure provides many heavy steel obstructions conducive to shielding low level sources

The Unique Challenges of the Transit Environment

- Unusual ambient air currents
- Train operations
 - Piston effects
- Diurnal effects
 - Bimodal distributions due to AM/PM rush hours
- Seasonal effects
 - Pollen/spore count variations¹
 - Temperature
 - Humidity
- EMI / RFI







Reference 1: "An Introduction to Biological Agent Detection Equipment for Emergency First Responders", National Institute of Justice, NIJ Guide 101-00, December 2001 Page 14.



Transit MetroGuardTM System

Mission: Protect Riders & Their Infrastructure

-Complex Integration

-Systems of Systems

Transit

Protection

Systems

-Disciplined Approach

-Process-Driven

Intelligence Homeland Security



Safety



Public





Bringing Domain Expertise to a New Critical Mission

Defense

Detailed Management of Requirements

High reliability in extremely harsh environment

- Closely tailored to unique transit requirements
- Aggressive leveraging of COTS sensors & communications



System Reliability Probability of Detection Upgradeability Expandability Mean Time Between Failures Calibration Interval Internal Testing False Alarms Airborne Interference Response Time Maintenance Cycle & Cost Acquisition Cost Mean Time To Repair Technology Risk Decrease



Acquire: Sensor Suite

Air Particle Counter	
UV-LIF	
Wet Sample	
Collector	
Chemical	Radiological

Controller Power / Communications

Driving Detector Requirements

- Operation in a Harsh Environment
- Probability of Detection
- Probability of False Alarms
- Scheduled Maintenance Interval
- Calibration Interval
- High MTBF, Low MTTR



Remote Detector Unit (RDU)

Analyze: The Advantages of a Networked Approach

- The basic premise of the networked approach is that a distributed array of detectors can utilize temporal and spatial characteristics of releases to increase the Probability of Detection (PoD) and reduce the Probability of False Alarms (PFA), versus use of single point detectors by
 - Spotting trends
 - Negating single detector failures
 - Requiring fewer detectors to establish coverage

Analyze: The Advantages of a Networked Approach

Increases Probability of Detection

- Enables multi-sensor temporal and spatial correlation
 - Lower thresholds for Alerts correlated in time to allow detections that would otherwise go unnoticed
 - Lower thresholds for Alerts correlated in space (e.g., Waterfall Alerts)

Decreases Probability of False Alarms

- High threshold single detector alarms
 - Increases single detector signal to noise requirement
- Correlation between independent detectors
 - Reduces single detector failure alarms

Act: Coordinated CONOPs



Metro GuardTM Application to Scenario 1: RDD

Spent nuclear fuel rods are supplied by Iran and shipped in a cargo container to Colombia then flown to Mexico and loaded on human mules used to smuggle drugs across the border. They are met in Arizona by sleeper cell agents who take the fuel rods by car toward its final destination. Three men get off subway cars at three different locations in downtown New York and head toward the New York Stock Exchange. Understanding the Source of the Radiation: Nuclear Fuel Rods

 There are about 557 nuclear power reactors in the world; about 440 are currently in operation

 Most nuclear reactors are powered by fuel rods that contain two types of uranium ²³⁵U (2-3%) and ²³⁸U (97-98%)

 Fuel that is burned in a nuclear reactor undergoes controlled fission, releasing neutrons, other radioactive elements and plutonium (²³⁹Pu) Understanding the Source of the Radiation: Nuclear Fuel Rods

 The Fissioning process results in extremely hot and radioactive spent fuel

- After 3 years in a reactor, 1,000 lbs. of 3.3 percent enriched uranium (967 lbs. ²³⁸U and 33 lbs. ²³⁵U) contains¹:
 - 8 lbs. of ²³⁵U (alpha, gamma emitter)
 - 8.9 lbs. of plutonium isotopes (alpha, beta, gamma emitter)
 - 943 lbs. of ²³⁸U and assorted fission products



- OSHA standard of 5000 mRem/year for whole body radiation¹ exposure yields 0.57 mRem/hr
- Subpart D- Radiation dose limits for individual members of the public²
 - "The dose in any unrestricted area from external sources, exclusive of the dose contributions from patients administered radioactive material and released in accordance with (35.75), does not exceed 0.002 rem in any one hour"



References:

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Radiation Data in a Transit Environment



Radiation Data in a Transit Environment

- The station operational cycles are not evident in the bulk of the data
- The handful of outliers (0.08 and 0.1 mem/hr) occurred during normal station busy periods
 - No direct cause identified for any outlier
- 108 hrs of data
- Background radiological readings typically below 0.02 mRem/hr.
- Possible causes of outliers due to:
 - Presence of passengers treated medically with radioactive injections or implants
 - Granite emissions

Sensor Alarm to Video Association

Threat Detection



Video Monitoring / Association



Surveillance / Identification



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Sensor Alarm to Video Association


Summary

- Transit environments challenge detector system performance
- Networked application of CBRN detectors can provide early detection and warning
- Networked corroboration increases probability of detection and reduces probability of false alarms
- Analysis of the specific background, the expected propagation of agent material, and interferants is critical to system performance

Thank You



"Meeting Special Operations Forces" Chemical and Biological Defensive Needs"

PRESENTED TO: USSOCOM CBRN Conference Tampa, Florida December 6, 2005 Open Session

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Overview

• Who We Are

What We Do

Joint Warfighting Capabilities



Joint Service Chemical and Biological Defense Program



Delivering Joint Warfighting Capabilities





Establishment of the Chemical and Biological Defense Program

- 50 USC 1522
 - Creates Assistant to Secretary of Defense for NCB to "Coordinate and Integrate Overall Program"
 - Assigns Army as Executive Agent to "Coordinate and Integrate RDA Programs of all Services"
 - Assigns Army Chemical School as Training Base
 - Directs all Funding be Through a Separate DoD Account
 - Prohibits Services from Budgeting for NBC
 - Requires Annual Report to Congress

Supplemented by OSD Implementation Plan Creating Joint Requirements, Acquisition, Testing and Training Organizations



Mission

The Joint Program Executive Office for Chemical and Biological Defense is Responsible for Research, Development, Acquisition, Fielding, and Life-cycle Support of Chemical, Biological, Radiological, and Nuclear (CBRN) Defense Equipment, Medical Countermeasures, and Installation and Force Protection Supporting the National Military Strategy



Joint Program Executive Office Areas of Responsibility

Vaccines Treatments **Diagnostics Chemical & Biological Agent Detection** Individual Protection Information **Collective Protection Systems** Decontamination Weapons of Mass Destruction – Civil Support Installation/ Force Protection

Total Life Cycle Management



Joint – Interagency – Multinational Responsibilities

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Where We Are Going



Radical Islamists On Using CBRN

- "use of nuclear, dirty bombs, chemical and biological weapons by martyrs is justified as part of holy war strategy" (al-Qaeda message board, 11 Aug 05)
- "Attacking Washington Metro with chemical weapons to achieve amazing results" (al-Qaeda message board, 11 Aug 05)
- "The nuclear war is the solution for destruction of the United States." (Radical Islamist website, 26 Dec 02)



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So What?

Fallujah 2004





DoD Chemical and Biological Defense

Expanding Roles and Missions

Infrastructure

Power Projection

Battle Space



"Threats"

"Clas	sic"
СВ	W

Bio-Engineered And "Non-Traditional" Threats

Environmental Threats- TICs/TIMs Environmental/ Medical Surveillance Infectious Diseases

Expanded Capabilities Required!



System of Systems Approach to Counter the Threat

Sustained Combat Power





Systems Solutions





Systems Solutions





Migrating the Interface Data Aggregation and Network Connectivity





Modularity Vision – A Plug & Play CB System



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Where We're Going

- <u>Start</u> with Net Centricity In Mind
- <u>Start</u> with Accredited Information Assurance Solutions
- Common Infrastructure for CBRN Sensors
 - Bus/ Services Architecture
 - CBRN Modules

"Systems" From Modules



Making It Happen Software Support Activity

Born August 2004



SSA WORKS TO REALIZE THE VISION OF NET-CENTRIC WARFARE - FULFILLS JPEO-CBD RESPONSIBILITIES REGARDING INFORMATION ASSURANCE, DATA MANAGEMENT, and VV&A

- Architecture and Data Products/ Models
- Modeling and Simulation VV&A Guidelines
- Help Desk
- Contract Language For Data Models



<u>Collectively</u> How We Make It Work!

- <u>Common</u>, <u>Open</u> Standards and Architectures
- <u>Accredited</u>, <u>Verified</u> and <u>Validated</u> Software
- Technology Transition Agreements Between S&T and Advanced Development
- Lifecycle Modeling and Simulation Strategies
- Information Assurance In <u>All</u> Activities



What This Means to Delivering SOCOM Capabilities





Leaders Who Can Work the Process



... and Field Systems



Examples of SOF Leveraging Joint Efforts

- M53 Chemical Biological Protective Mask
- Joint Service Chemical Environment Survival Mask
- Joint Service General Purpose Mask
- Joint Service Aircrew Mask
- Joint Protective Aircrew Ensemble
- Joint Block 2 Glove Upgrade
- Chemical Protective Overboot
- Joint Service Transportable Decontamination System
- Joint Service Sensitive Equipment Decontamination System
- Joint Platform Interior Decontamination











Draeger TIC Detection Kits



Modified Automatic Chemical Agent Alarm (ACADA)





Joint Chemical Agent Detector (JCAD)

Improved Chemical Agent Monitor (ICAM)























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Summary

 Supporting SOCOM Through Direct-support Relationship and On-site Representation

 Framework and Process for Collaboration and Cooperation Supporting SOF CBD Materiel Development Efforts

 Leveraging Joint Services R&D for the SOF Warfighter

Meeting SOF's Chemical – Biological Defense Needs






Avon Protection Systems, Inc. Design and Development of New Advanced US Government Military Masks and Filters

Wayne Scheurer JSGPM Program Manager





Joint Service General Purpose Protective Mask (JSGPM) XM50/51



The JSGPM is the next generation ground/ship, and combat vehicle chemical and biological protective mask replacing the USAF and USN MCU2P series protective mask and the USMC and USA M-40 series protective mask.



USSOCOM M53





The USSOCOM M53 Mask System will replace the M45





USSOCOM Drives the Design

- Tremendous emphasis on weapons and sighting systems interface
- Fit all intended users
- Enhanced comfort for prolonged missions
- Amplified voice and radio communications
- Integrate with SCBA, PAPR and CCBA systems







M53 Key Performance Parameters

- Provide the wearer facial, ocular, and respiratory tract protection from CB agents, radioactive fallout particles, and TIC/TIMs.
- Provide equal to or better protection, when compared to the C2A1 filter
- Permit unobstructed and undistorted forward vision.
- The mask shall provide a durable drinking capability.
- Be compatible with current and co-developmental SOF CB garments.
- Mask will be able to use an external voice amplification device and an internal microphone.





Design Approach

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MILESTONE	ACTIVITY
Post Award Conference PAC	•Outline program
October 2002	Review specification
	•View list of critical equipment
Early User Assessment (EUA)	Produce mask prototypes
April 2003	•Conduct user trials
	•Risk Matrix
Critical Design Review (CDR)	•EUA complete
August 2003	•Engineering baseline approved
	•Draft repair level analysis
Transition to Production Readiness Review (TPRR)	Draft FMECA
Feb 2004	•Draft Safety and Health Hazard Analysis
System Delivery	•Tooling manufactured
April 2004	•Operation Trials and Evaluation specification prepared
	Production processes planned
	•Draft manual and training material complete
System Design and Development SDD complete	•Tooling and assembly and test equipment approved
March 2005	•400 Mask systems assembled and delivered
Milestone C (Government approval for production)	•Training complete
	•Draft OEM Manual complete





Post Award Conference /Early User Assessment

Post Award Conference – Objectives:

- To establish and agree a common understanding regarding the requirements of the Statement of Work and Product Description.
- To review critical equipment item list
- The key performance characteristics along with System Description and General Tasks defined in the Product Description would form the design strategies for the program



System Description & General Tasks (EUA)



 The NBC IPM is a lightweight, positive-pressure capable, protective mask incorporating state-of-theart technology improvements for use in direct action missions. Specifically, it provides improved protective capability against emerging CBR threats, better visual field-of-view, closer shooter cheek-tostock weld compatibility, and a more comfortable fit for longer duration wearing.







System Description & General Tasks (EUA)

General Tasks

The contractor shall design, develop, fabricate, test, and demonstrate a production-representative JSGPM SOF Variant in accordance with this SOW and the Product Description. The System consists of: a face piece having an integral single-piece lens, head harness, a single General Purpose filter together with a Particulate filter that address a variety of threats, a voice-amplified electronic communications device, a variable exhalation resistance valve, nose cups, eye lens outserts, optical correction capability, a drinking device coupler, a protective hood, and a water-resistant carrier. The contractor shall maximize the use of JSGPM design features, materials, manufacturing processes, and sustainment concepts in the system to optimize program cost efficiency, and effectiveness. The contractor shall exercise total system performance responsibility (TSPR).





Joint Services General Purpose Mask XM50/51



•The JSGPM program will provide an overall 50% improvement against the current equipment capability and cost including:

•Improved performance against CB agents, Toxic Industrial Materials and radioactive particulate

- •Improved field of view
- •Improved compatibility with interfacing equipment
- •Reduced weight and bulk
- •Significantly reduced breathing resistance
- •Reduced in life cost









JSGPM Visor





Sight correction



Visor Outserts



Weapon sighting







•Supplementary additional TIC'S and TIM'S

•Enhanced compatibility with personal equipment



M53 Filter Concept







Conformal filter design developed for JSGPM





M53 Specific Requirements

- Single sided filter with left and right capability
- Be compatible with SCBA, PAPR and CCBA
- Provide voice amplification
- Available in 4 sizes with interchangeable nosecups
- Provide a protective hood for head and neck protection



M53 Prototype









M53 Prototype







Initial Testing Phase

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Early User Assessment (EUA)







Early User Assessment (EUA)

- High Quality Hand Built Prototypes
 to demonstrate the design concept
- USSOCOM War Fighters Operationally tested the mask to validate the design
- Five days of intense testing encompassing as many operational scenarios as possible
- Avon was a present at the testing to investigate the issues as they happened





EUA Test Protocol



- Introduction
- New Equipment training (NET)
- Full ensemble, Primary and Secondary Fire in Negative Pressure Mode
- Full ensemble, Primary and Secondary Fire in Blower Mode
- Full ensemble, Primary and Secondary Fire in SCBA Mode
- Evaluate Drinking System
- Communication and Voice Projection Unit (VPU)
- Long-Range Fire
- Activities were conducted during day and night
- Interface with as much co-developmental equipment as possible
- Final Assessment





Early User Assessment Results

- Test participants expressed positive feedback of the XM53 prototype.
 - Excellent Field of View
 - Comfort
 - Compatibility with weapons systems
- Negative Feedback included:
 - Eyelens fogging
 - Protruding Voice
 Projection Unit
 - Close proximity of communication port and drink tube connections
 - VREU Design





Early User Assessment Post Test



• Avon prepares for the next phase of the development









Critical Design Review

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Critical Design Review

- Variable Resistance Exhalation Unit (VREU)
- Voice Projection Unit (VPU)
- Mask Configuration
- Nosecup Design
- Hood Design





Variable Resistance Exhalation Unit (VREU)

- Robustness
- Simplification of design
- Reduce profile





VREU Modification

EUA Design

New Design















Mask Configuration EUA







Mask Configuration Rejected Proposal





Proposal





Mask Configuration Approved Design













Nosecup Design



Inhaled air directed over visor





Nosecup CDR evaluation







Nosecup final configuration









Hood Design






Hood Design Consideration

- 24 Hour protection
- Light weight
- Easily donned
- Detachable



Hood Design





Sealing Zone

The yellow band indicates the tight contact area between second skin and mask to provide a liquid resistant seal (established by prototyping)











Hood Design









Hood Design







M53 Sizes







Interchangeable Nosecup









Product Qualification

 In April 2004, 400 medium size righthand M53 masks were delivered to the DoD for evaluation.





Final Test Phase

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Production Qualification Testing (PQT) and Operational Test (OT)





PQT/OT PLAN for SDD Masks

- PQT deals only with Developmental Tests
- OTassesses equipment compatibility, drinking and the ability to complete mission tasks
- Data is leveraged from previous JSGPM testing of common components and features
- Labs use previously written JSGPM test plans as a guideline for writing the M53 detailed test plans



Operational Test Exercises



- Field Exercises
- Maritime Scenarios
- Weapons Systems Firing
- Medical Skills
- Vehicle Driving
- Close Quarter Battle
- SOF Mission Needs





Operational Test



- Equipment Compatibility
 - Radio Equipment
 - SCBA Compatibility
 - Helmet & NVG
- Human Factors
 - Vision and Field of View
 - Overall Comfort
 - Breathing Resistance
 - Cheek to Stock Weld





Product Approval



- Production Verification Testing
- All design and testing was completed to support the war fighters needs and program milestone
- The program was approved to enter the production phase
- M53 mask development, design and test in 2.25 years
- A True Team was formed that successfully executed the development and has remained intact to execute the mask production.





Eyelens Manufacturing









Bonding







Bonding









Bonding









Assembly Line









Testing







Fielding Plan April 2006





Questions?

USSOCOM Conference December 6-8, 2005

Polymer Technologies for the Lockdown and Removal of Radioactive Contamination

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Contamination vs. Radiation

Contamination

Watersoluble ions

Windborne dust

Intimate contact (d=0)

Ingestible radiation

Mobile

Radiation

- Ionizing radiation damage to cells
- Intensity drops with inverse square
- Acute or chronic doses



Contamination must be suppressed immediately, whereas radiation can be dealt with in a longer timeframe.



Radiation Shielding & PPE



Jayne working in hot hood at INL.

Nuclide	Туре
Cs-137	beta/gamma
Sr-90	beta
Co-60	beta/gamma
Ru-106	beta
Pu-239	alpha

Possible spent fuel rod inventory.



Jayne training in rad PPE.

Personnel distance and contact time can be controlled.





ConOps Vision Timeline - Before





Importance of Plume Mitigation

TOPOFF 2 Terrorism Response Exercise May 2003 in Seattle, WA

Mock contamination from dirty bomb detected within c. 4 hours at San Juan Islands

Foot long stick of Co exploded at Manhattan would contaminate 1,000 sq. km, three states (NY Times, 2004)



Satellite image of Puget Sound.



ConOps: Immediate Post-Event Activity

Wide area application of IsoFIXIockdown polymerParticulate lockdownApplication from a distance



Isotron lockdown application with hydroseeder prevents personnel contact.

Pilot-scale testing in Seattle.



IsoFIX Lockdown Polymer Key Features

- Sprayable, elastomeric, removable polymer media
- Prevents transport by rain, wind, traffic



Once applied, the coating is easily and quickly peeled.



Pilot-scale demonstration of IsoFIX with SFD.



IsoFIX Lockdown Polymer Dust Suppression



Helipad dust suppression in Richland, WA.

Airborne lockdown immediate, full polymer properties within 13h

Helicopter dust suspensions cause personnel contamination (Chernobyl)



IsoFIX dust suppression trials in Richland, WA (2005)



56,000 lb. brush truck

IsoFIX withstands foot traffic, emergency ground vehicles



Treated section of ground did not break or lose integrity after brush truck test.



Advantages of IsoFIX Lockdown

- Contamination footprint contained
- Cross-contamination eliminated
- Critical operations may resume (NYSE)
- Personnel contamination is reduced
- Removable media to facilitate downstream decontamination



ConOps: Recovery & Reoccupation



Source: JZPhotos.com

How clean is clean?

DARPA SPO Radiation Decontamination Program, in collaboration with DHS, set performance criterion at 1 mSv/yr at 1m (near background)

Attain level at over variety of surfaces, materials



ConOps: Strippable Decon Coatings



Step 1. Survey suspected areas and determine decon needs
Step 2. Remove IsoFIX lockdown coating
Step 3. Apply optimal decon coating

conventional spray equipment
3 m² coverage per gallon
400 m²/hr per spray pump


Strippable Decon Coatings (cont'd)



Step 4. Remove decon coating

- Peelable, no equipment necessary
- 150 m² per man-hr

Step 5. Transport to appropriate waste facility

- Solid waste disposal
- Compression ratio of waste on order of 50% (worst case scenario)



Real World Performance of Strippable Decon Coatings

- Low man hours (Nine Mile NPP)
- Quick return to operations (3 Mile Island)
- Removable from complex surfaces
- Simultaneous locks down and decons (as opposed to scabbling)



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Highlights of ConOps Vision via Strippable Lockdown & Decon

- Expedient deployment to reduce personnel radiation exposure
- Cross-contamination avoidance
- Facile removal w/o resuspension risk
- Solid waste disposal (low-risk/low-cost)



ConOps Vision Timeline - After



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Strippable Coating Products & Experience

- Isolock-300
 - Anti-contamination and surface decontamination for reactor cavity
 - Designed for immersion service
 - Deployed at: Houston Power and Light, Nine Mile, Oyster Creek
- Isolock-HP
 - Designed for high cross-section "hot" particle capture
 - Deployed at Arizona NPP
- Isolock-VB (HSARPA)
 - Vapor barrier portion of 2-step TIC Neutralization and Removal System
 - Wide area application system
- IsoDEF[™] (CB Barrier System)
 - The first expedient shelter coating designed for barrier protection from chemical, biological and radiological contaminants
 - Demonstrated in live chemical agent trials in Czech Republic (HD Threat)
 - Currently in TRE Evaluation by JPEO ColPRO

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- Radionuclide Decontamination Program is Sponsored jointly by DARPA and DHS under contract HR0011-04-C-0050





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Safety & Toxicity of IsoFIX System

- Water-based Coating System
 - Non-flammable solution
 - Pre-mixed solution poses low health risk during application; mitigated by donning proper PPE
- Overall Environmental Impact
 - IsoFIX is waterborne and low VOC
 - No residue is left behind after removal



Safety & Toxicity of Decon Coating System

- Water-based HASPs
 - Non-flammable solution
 - Pre-mixed solution poses minuscule health risk during application; mitigated by proper PPE
- Solvent-based DTS
 - Flammable solution proper ventilation needed to reduce flammability limit of air
 - PPE should include solvent respirators
- Overall Environmental Impact
 - Solvent-based DTS is based on VOC-exempt solvent (acetone)
 - HASP is waterborne and contains no VOC
 - No residue is left behind after removal of the strippable film



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 - Deployed at Arizona NPP
- IsoFIX / HeloTRON (Technical Support Working Group)
 - Radionuclide and particle contaminant countermeasures
 - Designed for emergency service to "lock down" contaminants during S&R activities
 - Dual use as dust palliative for temporary helicopter landing sites
 - Removable on demand via peeling OR dissolution
 - System was deployed at field scale with TSWG, Seattle Fire Department and US Marine Corps oversight on May 13, 2005
- "Orion" System (DARPA Radiation Decontamination Program)
 - Deals with decontamination of dirty-bomb materials from common building surfaces
 - Complete decontamination system leverages strippable coatings to facilitate removal and transport of contaminants
 - Phase I demonstration completed April, 2005
- Isolock-VB (HSARPA)
 - Vapor barrier portion of 2-step TIC Neutralization and Removal System
 - Demonstrated for use on: NOx, HSO4, Cyanide, Ammonia, Ethylene Oxide and Cyclohexane remediation
 - Phase I effort will be complete June, 2005
- IsoDEF[™]
 - The first expedient shelter coating designed for barrier protection from chemical, biological and radiological contaminants
 - Demonstrated in live chemical agent trials in Czech Republic (HD Threat)
- Other systems developed by Isotron Team:
 - SprayPoly*: Asbestos control system
 - ALARA-1146*: First-generation radionuclide decon coating designed immediately following Three Mile Island accident.

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USSOCOM Responding to the Terrorist CBRN Threat: "Preparation or Panic"

Scenario #4

Sleeper Cell Agents Employed As	Chemical research laboratory technician—Columbia University, NYC Large high school custodian—downtown LA Supply clerk—Aberdeen Proving Ground, north of Baltimore Warehouse manager—large chemical manufacturer, near Chicago	
Their Objectives	Identify internal supply of readily accessible, incompatible chemicals Create a massive explosion Release substantial quantities of toxic air pollutants (CBR)	
Simultaneous Explosions	Same day—in/near 4 major U.S. cities Major local panic ➡ national fear Substantial loss of life—each site Serious long-term health & environmental effects Tremendous loss of confidence in homeland security	
Perpetrators Continue Their Employment	1–3 years, then resign Seek new employment Next targeted institution & city	1 and



Chemical Homeland Security System (C-HoSS)

Centralized and Relational Databases



The CCS Relational Chemical and Product Database (R-CPD)



Enhanced MIDAS Database Library



Regulated Hazardous Chemicals Acute Hazard Orientation





CPSC Specialty Regulated Substances Canada Export Control Lists **DEA Essential Chemicals DEA Precursor Chemicals DOC Export Restrictions** EU Black/Gray Lists IATA Air Transport Forbidden IATA Passenger Transport Forbidden IATA Regulated Substances UK The Red List (Water) **UN/FAO Prior Informed Consent**

Precursor Chemical Security Risks List





^a HSAS = Homeland Security Advisory System



Toxic Industrial Chemicals/Toxic Industrial Materials (TICs/TIMs)

Selected Examples

Baygon, Mobam, Temik, Zectran

Industrial Feedstocks:	Acrylamide, Chlorine, Hydrogen Chloride, Phosgene

Piperonyl Butoxide

Carbamate Insecticides:

Organochlorine Insecticides:

Organophosphate Insecticides:

Insecticide Synergists:

Fungicides:

Fumigants:

Seed Disinfectants:

Pentachlorophenol, Hexachlorobenzene, Maneb, Naban, Zineb

Calcium Cyanide, Methyl Bromide, Phosphine

Aldrin, Dieldrin, Endrin, Lindane, Heptachlor

Disulfotan, Meynphos, Parathion, Methylparathion

Methylmercury Acetate, Methylmercury Cyanide

GOALS: [1] Identify all chemicals with severe to extreme acute toxicity [2] Identify all chemicals in product classes with similar mechanisms of action

Incompatible Chemical Database

(Published Book)

Chemical	Chemical	Incompatible	I.C.	Interaction
Class		Chemical	Class	Hazard
Corrosives	Acetic Acid	Hydrogen Peroxide	Oxidizer	Explosion
	Nitric Acid	Acetylene	Flammable	Explosion
	Chlorine	Aluminum Powder	Metal	Spontaneous Fire
Flammables	Acetone	Chloroform	Carcinogen	Explosion
	Benzene	Chlorine	Corrosive	Explosion
	Carbon Disulfide	Potassium	Flammable	Violent Explosion
Reactives	Nitrotoluene	Sulfuric Acid	Corrosive	Explosion
	Nitroethane	Hydrocarbons	Combustible	Explosion
	Acrylonitrile	Bromine	Corrosive	Explosion
Products	Toilet Bowl Cleaner	Metal Powders	Metals	Explosion
	Bleach	Ammonia	Product	Poisonous Gas
	Paint Solvent	Chloroform	Carcinogen	Explosion

Safe Chemical Storage Codes

(Published Book)

Co	de # Chemical	Code #	Chemical
PK2	6 Acetaldehyde	RD26	n-Hexane
PR2	9 Acetylene	YL10	Hydrogen chloride
PR0	1 Ammonia	YL07	lodine
LG2	2 Aniline	RD23	Isopropyl alcohol
LG0	6 Arsenic	GN04	Lead
RD2	6 Benzene	LG24	Malathion
PK2	6 Benzine	LG07	Mercuric chloride
YL0	7 Bromine	YL27	Methyl chloroform
LG0	4 Cadmium	RD26	Methyl methacrylate
RD2	7 Camphor	RD26	Naphthalene
RD0	9 Carbon disulfide	YL12	Nitric acid
LG2	7 Chordane	WH23	Phenol
YL1	1 Chromic acid	RD06	Phosphorous (yellow)
LG2	3 Coal tar creosote	LG03	Potassium arsenate
GN2	6 Cottonseed oil	GN02	Potassium permanganate
GNO	1 Cupric nitrate	GN08	Soda lime
RD2	6 Cyclohexane	LG02	Sodium dichromate
RD2	7 1,2-Dichlorobenzene	RD26	Styrene monomer
GN2	2 Dimethylformamide	YL11	Sulfuric acid
PK2	1 2,6-Dinitrotoluene	RD26	Toluene
RD2	3 Ethyl alcohol	RD26	Turpentine
WH2	20 Formic acid	RD26	Xylenes

	Chemical Security Procedures Security Procedure Phases
Phase I	Vulnerability Assessment Identify chemical hazards, security risks, mortality risks
Phase II	Countermeasures Implementation Reduce vulnerabilities
Phase III	Verification Audit Independently confirm counter measure adequacy
Phase IV	Management System Integration Integrate chemical security procedures into line management functions

C-HoSS Security Criteria and Standards

- Chemical Hazard Class Rankings (by Hazard Class)
- Chemical Hazard Grades (1-4) (within each ranking)
- Product Concentration Grades (1-4)

Chemical Hazard Factor (CHF) = Ranking P Grade P Concentration

• Theft Risk Grades (1-4) (per product)

Chemical Security Risk Factor (CSRF) = Ranking & Grade & Concentration & Theft Risk

• Population at Risk Grades (1-4)

Chemical Mortality Risk Factor (CMRF) = Ranking P Grade Concentration Theft Risk P Population Risk

• Accessibility Factor Levels (Storage Constraint Levels and Descriptors) (0.5 - 4.5)

CMRF ① Accessibility Factor (AF) = Vulnerability Factor (VF)

Chemical Security Product Storage Codes

Based Upon CSRF	• Codes = AF Levels ^a
CSRF = 600, or CHF = $38 b$	= AF Level 1
CSRF = 1200, or CHF = 75	= AF Level 2
CSRF = 1800, or CHF = 100	= AF Level 3
CSRF = 2400, or CHF = 150	= AF Level 4

^a AF Levels will be calculated at 1/2 step intervals.

^b Whichever is lower for a hazardous material.



Chemical Security Criteria and Homeland Security Advisory System (HSAS) Correlation

	HOMELAND SECURITY ADVISORY SYSTEM (HSAS)						
	SEVERE HIGH		ELEVATED GUARDED		LOW		
		Red	Orange	Yellow	Blue	Green	
If CSR or CHF	F =	> 400 or 50	> 800 or > 80	> 1600 or > 110	> 2400 or > 130	> 2800 or > 160	
Then A Increase	F es	2 Levels	1.5 Levels	1.0 Levels	0.5 Levels	0 Levels	



C-HoSS Security Risk Assessment Analytical Reports

PRODUCT & CHEMICAL ANALYSES

Inventory by Product Type ^a Product by Location Product by Container Size Product by Weight Product Hazard Classifications Product Hazard Rankings Product Hazard Grades Product Hazard Factors Product Security Risk Factors Product Accessibility Factors Product Accessibility Levels/Storage Codes Chemicals by Product Pure Chemicals by Location Pure Chemicals by Weight

PRECURSOR CHEMICAL ANALYSES

Precursor Chemicals by Location Precursor Chemicals by Container Size Precursor Chemicals by Weight Precursor Chemicals Hazard Classifications ^b Precursor Chemicals Hazard Rankings Precursor Chemicals Hazard Grades Precursor Chemicals Hazard Factors Precursor Chemicals Security Risk Factors Precursor Chemicals Accessibility Factors Precursor Chemicals Accessibility Factors

SPECIALTY MODULE ANALYSES

Air Releases Water Contaminants Toxics Pesticides Hazardous Waste Solid Waste Storage Tanks Munitions Chemical Safety Industrial Hygiene

INCOMPATIBILITY ANALYSES

Prioritized Incompatibility Threats by Product Prioritized Incompatibility Threats by Room Prioritized Incompatibility Threats by Building Prioritized Incompatibility Threats by Facility



Inventory by CHF Inventory by CSRF Inventory by AF Inventory by Storage Levels Inventory (shift) by HSAS

^a Chemical, Precursor Chemical, Munition, Chemical Agent, Simulant.

^b Assigned by their worst classification: (1) innate classification, or (2) reaction product classification.

C-HoSS Capabilities vs. Chemical Security Procedures

Security Procedure Phases

C-HoSS Capabilities

PHASE I Vulnerability Assessment Identify chemical hazards, security risks, mortality risks	Chemical Hazard Factor Report Chemical Security Risk Factor Report Chemical Mortality Risk Factor Report Chemical Vulnerability Risk Factor Report
PHASE II Counter Measures Implementation Reduce vulnerabilities	Accessibility Factor (Storage Constraint) Report (per chemical/material)
PHASE III Verification Audit Independently confirm counter measure adequacy	Chemical Vulnerability Factor "Report Card" (to the local fire department)
PHASE IV	Integration of C HoSS w/ chemical tracking system

Management System Integration Integrate chemical security procedures into

line management functions

Integration of C-HoSS w/ chemical tracking system Daily C-HoSS correlation w/ Homeland Security Advisory System For information, contact:

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Global Threat Reduction Initiative Reducing the Threat of Nuclear & Radiological Terrorism

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An Act of Nuclear or Radiological Terror has two components:

- Enemies of the State willing to carry out such an attack
- The technical means to produce a weapon
 - Purchase a weapon from an existing nuclear power
 - Develop a weapon using nuclear or radiological material

To reduce the threat of nuclear or radiological terror, we can address either or both of these components, by:

- Eliminating those enemies willing to employ these devices
- <u>Preventing the enemy's acquisition and employment of nuclear</u> and/or radiological weapons/materials





The US Government has many organizations that play a key role in preventing the enemy from acquiring nuclear and/or radiological materials. <u>Some of these major players include:</u>

- Department of Energy National Nuclear Security Administration's Office of Defense Nuclear Nonproliferation
- Department of Defense Defense Threat Reduction Agency, the geographical Combatant Commanders, USSOCOM
- Department of State Bureau for International Security and Nonproliferation, Bureau for Verification, Compliance, and Implementation, others
- Department of Homeland Security Domestic Nuclear Detection Office, Transportation Security Administration, Customs and Border Protection, Coast Guard
- Federal Bureau of Investigation
- Central Intelligence Agency
- Nuclear Regulatory Commission





These government agencies have developed a broad range of programs to deter, detect, defeat, or respond to the nuclear/radiological threat at home and abroad. These programs focus on the full spectrum of prevention and response, including:

- Weapons/material elimination or secure disposal
- Facility/Site Security (deter theft)
- Facility/Site Monitoring (detect theft)
- Local Security Response (defeat and recover)
- Detect movement of weapons/material abroad
- Interdict shipment abroad
- Detect entry into US (Border/Ports)
- Interdict weapon prior to employment
- Consequence management after attack
- Forensic analysis & response

Given the lack of an overall architecture to direct and coordinate these programs, it is essential to have good interagency communications to ensure that programs are complementary rather than duplicative.

GTRI





The Global Threat Reduction Initiative was created in May 2004 to:

1. <u>Consolidate</u> existing DOE nuclear material removal and radiological material security efforts *into a single NNSA office* to maximize synergy of mission and effectively leverage technical expertise and resources

- Russian Research Reactor Fuel Return Program (RRRFR)
- Reduced Enrichment for Research and Test Reactors Program (RERTR)
- Foreign Research Reactor Spent Nuclear Fuel (FRRSNF) Acceptance Program
- BN-350 Spent Fuel Disposition Project
- Radiological Threat Reduction Program

2. <u>Accelerate</u> nuclear material removal and security timelines, in some cases by as much as 50%, identify the highest risk materials as immediate priority recoveries, and develop combined diplomatic and operational action plans to carry out these efforts

3. <u>Expand</u> existing efforts to address other nuclear and radiological materials not yet covered under existing threat reduction efforts




GTRI focuses on the large quantities of nuclear and radiological materials that are not adequately secured and pose an immediate and urgent proliferation and terrorist threat

High-Risk Civilian Nuclear Materials Worldwide

- Over 140 research reactors around the world still operating with highly enriched uranium
- Over 300 shut-down research reactors and associated facilities have large quantities of spent fuel
- Approximately 4 metric tons of Russian-origin fresh and spent fuel at more than 20 research reactors in 17 countries
- Approximately 20 metric tons of U.S.-origin research reactor spent fuel in more than 40 countries

High-Risk Radiological Materials Worldwide

- High-risk radiological materials exist in virtually every country
- Thousands of high-risk radiological sources exist across the U.S.
- Many of these sources are not longer in use, some have been abandoned



At-Risk Materials



• The threat can come in a variety of forms and sizes, ranging from person portable (in a pocket) to truck-size







- Elimination: The less material there is, the easier/cheaper it is to secure
 - Elimination of Weapons Grade Nuclear Material
 - Recovery and secure disposal of disused radiological sources
- Detection: It is easier/cheaper to secure material at its source, than to resecure it after it has gone missing
 - Intrusion detection is relatively inexpensive
 - Detection/monitoring systems deter insider participation
- Delay: The longer it takes to remove the material, the greater the chance of stopping the theft
 - Locks, barriers, equipment dispersal can add to delay time
 - On-site response force provides additional delay
- Response: The sooner we know that material has been stolen, the greater the likelihood of interdiction and recovery
 - Real time monitoring and alarms to offsite responders
 - Dedicated off-site response force enhances effective response
 - The faster the response, the smaller the footprint of search





The Office of Global Radiological Threat Reduction

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Mission

Identify, recover, secure and store on an interim basis radiological materials in the United States that could be effectively used as a radiological dispersal device (RDD) or "dirty bomb." This includes identifying, recovering, securing and storing on an interim basis Greater than Class C radiological sealed sources that are voluntarily declared unwanted and unused and other radiological materials considered at-risk.







The Threat Within the U.S. -Vulnerable Radiological Sources





 Abandoned Well-logging Sources (Americium/Beryllium and Cesium-137 sources).

• Well-logging sources declared excess and unwanted by a licensee.



The Threat Within the U.S. -Vulnerable Radiological Sources





Large and Small ²⁴¹AmBe Neutron Sources; Pure ²⁴¹Am sources; Small ²⁴¹Am Gauge and Calibration Sources

²³⁸Pu Neutron Sources, Heat Sources and Medical Pacemakers

²³⁹PuBe Neutron Sources, DOE-owned Under Old Loan-lease Programs

⁹⁰Sr Radioisotope Thermoelectric Generators





- More Than 11,000 Sealed Sources Recovered Since 1993 (101,180 curies)
- Exceeded Congressional Goal
 - 5,529 Sources Recovered Oct. 2002 March 2004
- Interagency Coordination
 - Recovered Orphan Sources From New York, Boston, and Houston Area Prior to National Security Events
 - Responded to an Emergency Request From NRC to Recover Nearly 500 Sources From a Bankrupt Licensee in Pennsylvania
 - Provided Technical Support to IAEA
- Radiological Pilot Project
 - Supporting DHS and Working with NRC and Others
 - Security Enhancement Surveys for Medical Facilities in New York
 - Security Training for Radiation Professionals
 - Radiological Security Training for Law Enforcement



USRTR Recoveries by State







International Radiological Threat Reduction



Mission

Reduce on a global basis the threat posed by high-risk radiological materials by identifying, recovering, securing and disposing of such materials on an accelerated basis, as well as facilitating long-term sustainability that provides for effective controls.



The Threat Abroad – Industrial, Research, and Medical Radiological Sources

Cs-137 Seed Irradiators Stored in an Open Field.







Recovered RTGs



Abandoned Radio-isotopic Thermal-electric Generators (RTGs) in the FSU





Global RTR Efforts





IRTR Activities & Accomplishments



Bi-lateral and multi-lateral projects in over 40 countries:

- 72 RTGs recovered
- 7 RTG recoveries in progress
- Security Upgrades completed at 165 facilities/sites (as of end of FY05)
- Security Upgrades in progress at 234 facilities/sites (as of end of FY05)
 Partnerships and Specialized Programs
- IAEA Cooperation
 - Global Radiological Security Partnership
 - Radiological Regional Security Partnership Program
 - Significant funding support to other radiological security activities via the Nuclear Security Fund (NSF), including support to IAEA radiological missions (e.g., INSServ, RaSIA), regulatory systems (RAIS), and overall support of the Code of Conduct.
- Radiological hand-held detection equipment and training for first-responders (CRITr)
- Radiological search and secure equipment and training
- Interpol Cooperation Radiological hand-held detection equipment transfers and training









Office of Global Nuclear Materials Threat Reduction

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- Over 160 research reactors around the world are still operating on highly enriched uranium – 134 of these are civilian
- Approximately 4,000 kilograms of <u>Russian-origin</u> fresh and spent HEU fuel at over 20 sites in 17 countries
- Approximately 20,000 kg of eligible U.S.-origin spent nuclear research reactor fuel and targets in 41 countries
 - ~5,000 kg of HEU
 - ~15,000 kg of LEU
- In addition, there are approximately 3,000 kg of high-risk, weapons-grade uranium and plutonium that are not covered under existing programs and would be candidates for securing and/or removing

IAEA Nuclear Bomb Equivalents: 25 kg HEU / 8 kg PU



GNMTR Programs



Six programs work in concert to secure and/or eliminate high-risk, vulnerable nuclear materials at civilian nuclear facilities worldwide with the goal of preventing terrorists from acquiring weapons-usable nuclear material:

- Reduced Enrichment for Research and Test Reactors (RERTR) - Convert research reactors and medical isotope production processes to the use of LEU
- Global Research Reactor Security (GRRS) provides security upgrades to research reactors and related sites outside of the United States and the FSU
- Russian Research Reactor Fuel Return (RRRFR) repatriates fresh and irradiated Russian-origin research reactor fuel back to Russia
- Foreign Research Reactor Spent Nuclear Fuel (FRR SNF) Acceptance – repatriates US origin spent nuclear fuel back to the US
- **BN-350 Spent Fuel Disposition (BN-350)** provides safe and secure long-term storage for 3000Kg of plutonium bearing spent nuclear fuel from the BN-350 fast breeder reactor in Kazakstan
- Emerging Threats and Gap Materials (ET) addresses high-risk, vulnerable nuclear materials not covered in the existing programs





Global Research Reactor Security Program:

Secured approximately 13,000 kg of irradiated HEU, 2,500 kg of fresh HEU, and 3,000 kg of plutonium at 18 high-priority sites

Reduced Enrichment for Research and Test Reactors: 40 civilian research reactors converted to LEU in place of HEU Accelerated development of new high-density LEU fuel to allow additional conversions

Russian-Origin Fuel Return Program: 122 kg of Russian-origin fresh HEU repatriated to Russia

Foreign Research Reactor Spent Nuclear Fuel Return: Over 1,200 kg of US-origin HEU returned from 27 countries

BN-350 project:

3,000 kg of plutonium in Kazakhstan placed under IAEA safeguards





More than 590 representatives from 100 countries attended the Global Threat Reduction Initiative International Partners' Conference in Vienna, Austria from September 18-19, 2004

Conference Findings were adopted which included the following:

- Acknowledged all states share the objectives of GTRI
- Recognized that some states may require assistance in addressing activities under GTRI
- Supported acceleration and expansion of current threat reduction programs
- Supported conversion of research reactors from highly enriched uranium (HEU) to low enriched uranium (LEU) fuel, <u>where feasible</u>
- Encouraged all states to participate where possible
- Recommended all Member States work together with the IAEA to coordinate a mechanism to address opportunities for implementing GTRI projects and programs







- Significant quantities of vulnerable nuclear and radiological materials exist worldwide that pose a proliferation and terrorist threat
- In close cooperation with our international partners, the Global Threat Reduction Initiative is working to address these materials
- GTRI is an integral part of the interagency approach to reducing the threat of nuclear and radiological terrorism
- Interagency communication and cooperation is essential in preventing an attack by nuclear or radiological weapons in the US