Let's Cure Defense IT Acquisition Madness with a Dose of its Own Medicine*

*....Trick the JCIDS Manual into Creating a new Defense Enterprise IT Acquisition *Process*

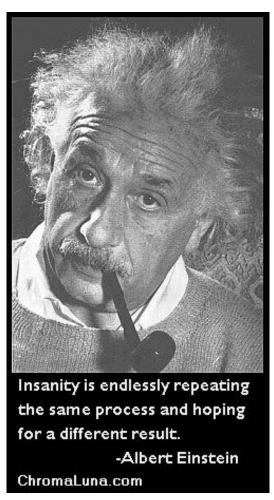
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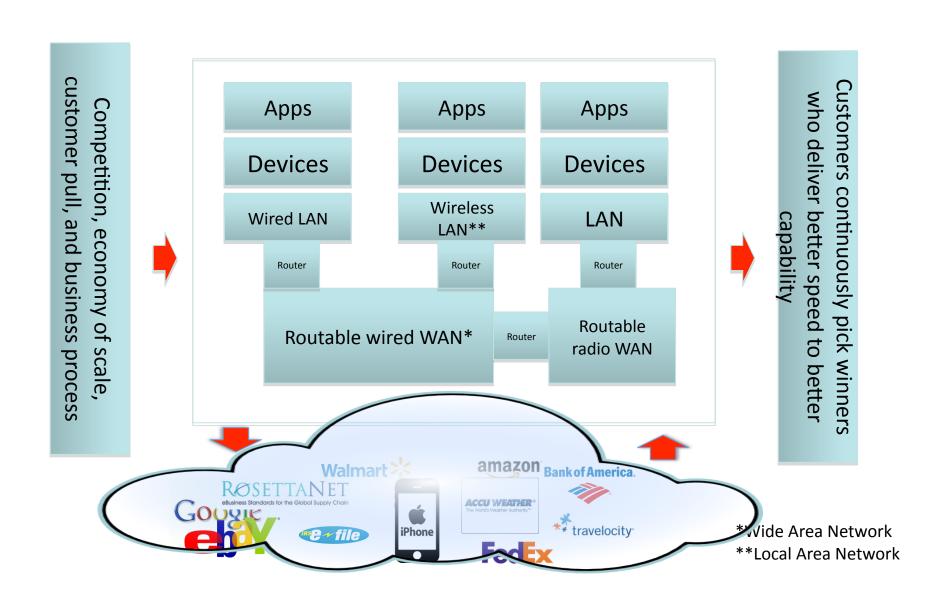
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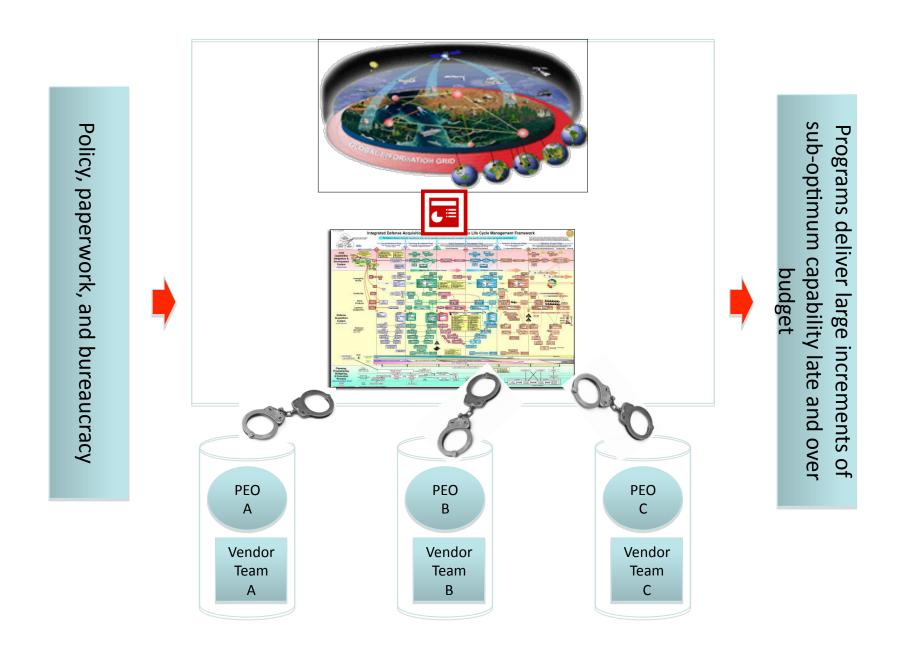




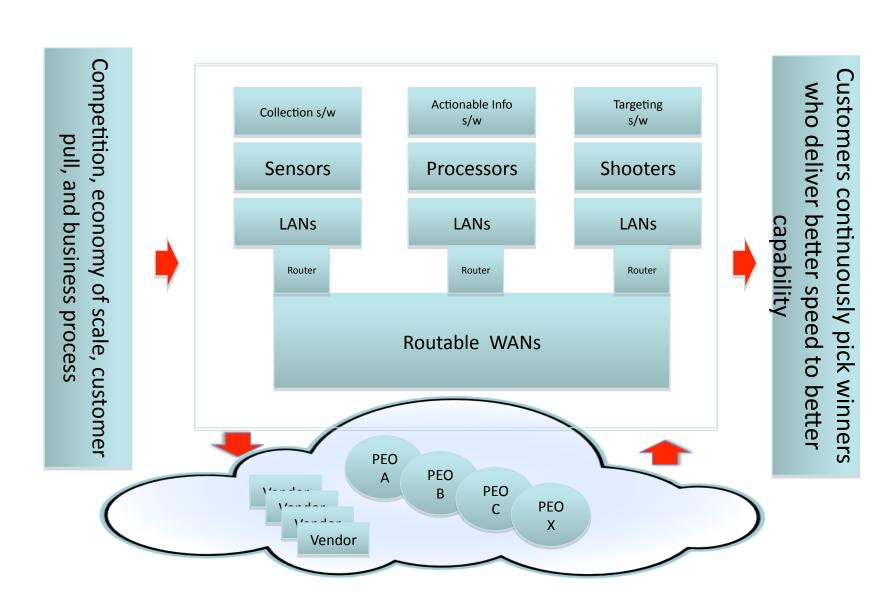
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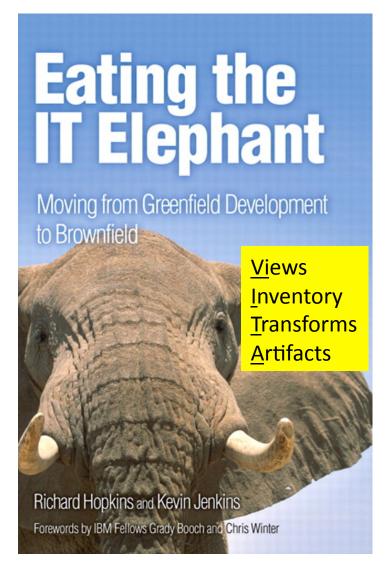


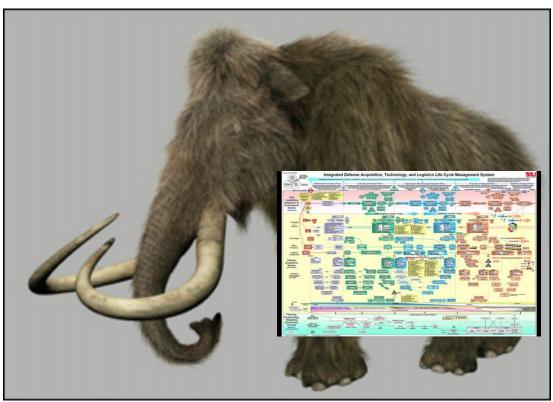
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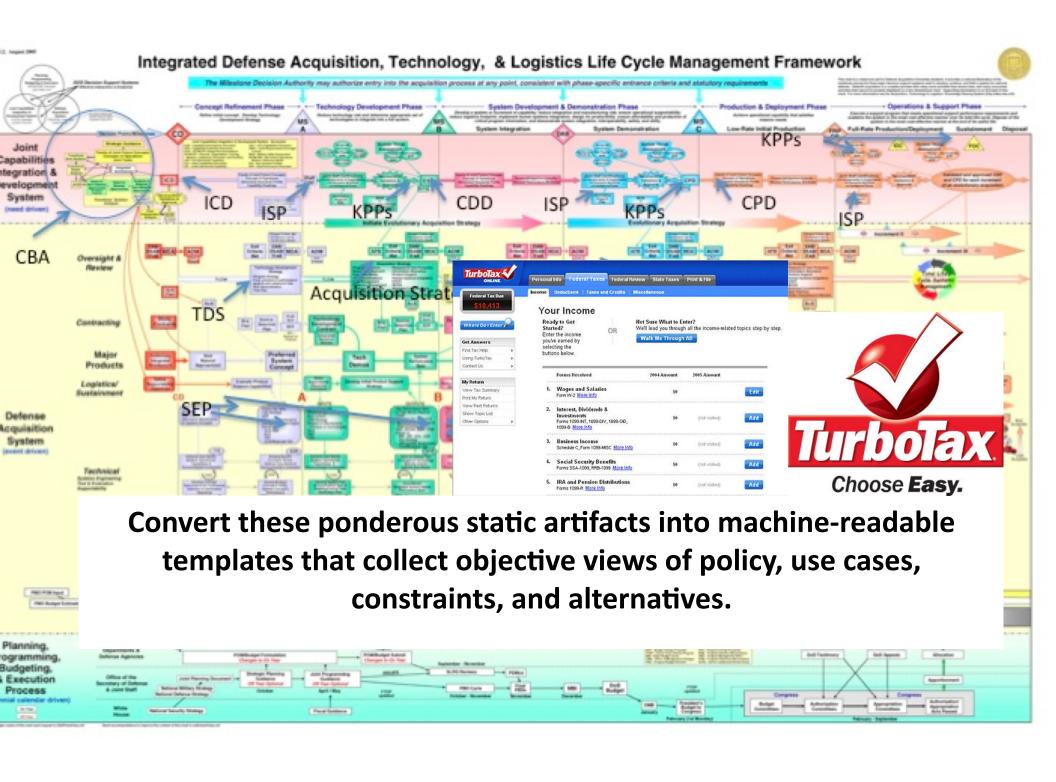








The IT Hairy Wooly Mammoth on Steroids!

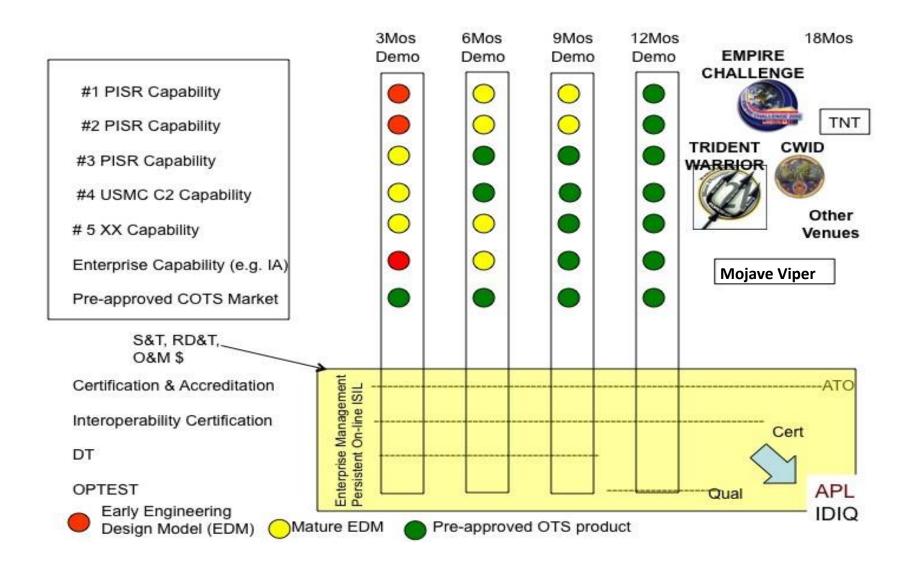


Federated Governance Model*

- Categorically specified and centrally managed open enterprise "platform"
- "Brand," i.e. agreed enterprise standards, best practices, and look & feel... enterprise "logo"
- Incentive model that makes it worth joining the enterprise and playing by the rules

*Per industry best practice re enterprise **open infrastructure, e.g. iPhone, e-Bay developers, Android, Google gadgets, e-File, etc.

**"Open" is a relative term, per iPhone vs. Android, but not abstract. Open architecture must be specifically defined and delivered concretely



A Persistent D, T&E, V&V, and C&A environment and workflow management process. The "Enterprise" process is essentially a Craig's List resource to capture and share best practice, and broker providers and consumers of net-enabled capability.

Defense Enterprise IT Acquisition Process CPD

- Establish GIG business model = e-Portal for consumable off-the-shelf (OTS) = COTS, GOTS & Open Source Software (OSS) certified net-ready components
- Define generic and objective net-ready assessment categories and methods (not universal specifications!) per enterprise business objectives
- Use a net-ready "logo" to create a federation of qualified, motivated, independent government, industry, and academic net-ready providers
- Base acquisition on components that can reduce risk re: cost, performance, and schedule and deliver capability faster.
 - Require logo as "responsive" to GIG procurements
 - Bake evolutionary COTS process into FAR boilerplate
 - Hardwire cross program collaborative work flow

Enterprise IT Capability Production Document should be a portal to make it easy to consume enterprise-enabled capability. I.e., consumer reports + online test environment + brokering service + pre-approved online purchasing vehicle