

ARMY RDT&E BUDGET ITEM JUSTIFICATION (R2 Exhibit)

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BUDGET ACTIVITY 6 - Management support	PE NUMBER AND TITLE 0605604A - Survivability/Lethality Analysis		
COST (In Thousands)	FY 2008 Actual	FY 2009 Estimate	FY 2010 Estimate
675 Army Survivability Analysis & Evaluation Support	40693	40929	45016

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Survivability analysis products funded by this project are integrated across the spectrum of battlefield threats to include guns, missiles, mines and other methods of inflicting physical damage; jammers, countermeasures, and other electronic warfare techniques; information warfare attacks; and high and low power directed energy weapons. This survivability information permits developers, users, and decision makers to fully understand the technical details of the most important survivability tradeoffs for both systems and Soldiers. These technical survivability details enable properly informed decisions concerning systems and tactics that maximize both the combat power and survivability of Army forces. Survivability data and analysis results funded by this project are efficiently leveraged for many different Army uses, reducing total cost to the Army by eliminating the need for duplicative capabilities funded by individual system developers. Central funding of this mission assures the Army accurate and consistent treatment of survivability across all classes of systems, across all formal system Evaluations, and across the Army's AR 5-5 studies process. Work program is prioritized principally by the ATEC/AEC and is used by them in the Army's formal Evaluation process in such a way that ATEC can comply with its legally mandated responsibility to assess system survivability along with effectiveness and suitability. Program Managers (PM) and the Program Executive Officers (PEO) use the survivability analyses and data funded by this project to make design decisions that are optimized for survivability, to direct specific weapon system development efforts that are needed for survivability enhancement, and to structure product improvement programs. Soldier survivability data and analysis is leveraged to support the survivability portion of the HQDA G2 MANPRINT program. TRADOC combat developers exploit the survivability products funded by this project to initiate and improve survivability/lethality requirements, and to develop and refine doctrine and tactics. Also, the quantitative analytical results funded by the project are leveraged as core inputs to formal AR 5-5 studies and other studies as directed by Army leaders. While the Army is at war, analytical results funded by this project are also directly leveraged for survivability support to current operations. Finally, for particularly urgent or controversial survivability issues, data and analysis funded by this project are used directly by senior Army decision makers to assure technically sound program/production decisions.

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B. Program Change Summary

	FY 2008	FY 2009	FY 2010
Previous President's Budget (FY 2009)	41681	41066	42456
Current BES/President's Budget (FY 2010)	40693	40929	45016
Total Adjustments	-988	-137	2560
Congressional Program Reductions	-266	-137	
Congressional Rescissions			
Congressional Increases			
Reprogrammings	-225		
SBIR/STTR Transfer	-497		
Adjustments to Budget Years			2560

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Accomplishments/Planned Program:

FY 2008

FY 2009

FY 2010

Conduct integrated survivability, lethality, vulnerability analyses for developmental aviation, ground, soldier and munition systems including JCA, MRAP, Stryker, GSS, Excalibur, IMS and MRM. In FY08, conducted LF testing and completed ballistic survivability/vulnerability analysis on 4/7 ARH subsystems before ARH program termination. Completed ballistic survivability/vulnerability analysis for MRAP T&E, GMLRS Unitary IOT&E and Excalibur LFT&E SET-P1 test events, which included providing pre-shot predictions, performing damage assessments after each live fire test, completing post-shot analyses, behind armor debris (BAD) test/analyses, and crew survivability analysis and providing technical data required by ATEC for the Systems Evaluation Reports. FY09-FY11 plans include conducting engineering and crew casualty analyses for MRAP "Lite", JLTV and PIM LFT&E test events. SLAD will conduct LF testing and ballistic survivability/vulnerability analyses for both the JCA and LB Apache Block III LFT&E test events and conduct HWIL investigations on JCA & LB Apache Block III. SLAD will conduct EW vulnerability assessments for IMS, MRM, Excalibur and JAGM. SLAD will conduct ballistic survivability/lethality analysis for Excalibur, MRM, JAGM, GMLRS Alternate Warhead Program (AWP) and Excalibur Increment 1b. SLAD will provide ballistic and non-ballistic survivability/vulnerability/lethality analysis support to new Army carbine program and provide technical data required by ATEC for the Systems Evaluation Report. Provide ballistic survivability/vulnerability analysis support to Army studies. This effort provides the Army Future Combat Systems stakeholders with comprehensive survivability, lethality, and vulnerability assessments and vulnerability reduction recommendations that will enhance these attributes of the system-of-systems. CONTINUED BELOW...

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...CONTINUED FROM BLOCK ABOVE. Advanced FCS technologies such as Active Protection Systems, hybrid propulsion, and advanced armors are evaluated through precision experimentation and modeling and simulation. Methodology enhancements for simulation of new FCS technologies and system-of-systems operational constructs will be performed as required. Ballistic vulnerability analyses were completed on four of the FCS Manned Ground Vehicles (MGV) in FY08 and the data was provided to the PM, LSI, and for use in Army studies. These data and other engineering support contributed to the system functional review and the initial preliminary design review. A survivability based functional analysis and functional decomposition contributed to the development of the system-of-systems specification. Soldier survivability assessments were completed, including one for the NLOS-C special interest project. Additional vulnerability analysis of MGV platforms will be conducted in FY09 and the data will contribute to two scheduled program milestones; the FCS SoSPDR and OSD DAB; and provide guidance to FCS teams for engineering design and networking. Planning and execution of congressionally mandated LFT&E programs will be performed in conjunction with ATEC and OSD DOT&E including armor coupon testing. Further analysis and LFTE activities will continue in FY10-11. Ballistic vulnerability analysis of the FCS MGV will be conducted in support of planned CDRs, LFT&E activities, and initial qualification tests. Network analysis efforts will also continue during this time frame. Findings and recommendations for survivability enhancements will be disseminated to appropriate FCS stakeholders.

This effort produces assessments of the survivability of C4ISR systems in Electronic (EW) and Information Warfare (IW) threat environments and conducts Information assurance (IA) projects that reveal critical vulnerabilities in C4ISR systems. It also defines,

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<p>demonstrates, and recommends mitigation options to proponents and evaluators of C4ISR. Survivability analyses conducted in FY08 reduced the vulnerability of C4ISR such as Warfighter Information Network-Tactical (WIN-T), Joint Tactical Radio System (JTRS), Single Channel Anti-Jam Man-Portable Terminal, Secure Mobile Anti-Jam Reliable Tactical Terminal and Single Channel Ground and Airborne Radio System Advanced System Improvement Program; ISR systems such as Global Broadcast System; C2 systems integral to air and missile defense systems; GPS components integrated with weapon systems; and software blocking architectures. An IW vulnerability database is maintained for the benefit of the community. Priority testing and analyses will be conducted from FY09-11 including EW/IA modeling, JTRS waveforms and hardware, WIN-T increment 2 and 3, ACS, DGCS-A, FCS, and software blocking. Modeling and simulation tools will be developed as required. Also from FY09-11 this project will continue to analyze the evolving EW threat to GPS as integrated into Army weapons. Capabilities will be developed to simulate and evaluate mobile ad-hoc networks which are critical to future Army mobile networks and during FY09-11 they will be used to analyze Army networks and enhance their survivability. This will include vulnerability analyses of tactical internet components to radio frequency directed energy weapons (RFDEW). System-of-Systems Common Operating Environment (SoSCOE) assessments are also conducted. An IA assessment of SoSCOE was conducted in FY08 and from FY09-11 IA testing and analysis of evolving SoSCOE versions, Battle Command software and T-AIDR, and FCS spinouts will be conducted.</p>								
<p>Conduct integrated survivability, lethality, vulnerability analyses for developmental air and missile defense systems, pre-planned product improvements of current systems, and recently fielded systems. These systems include the Ballistic Missile Defense System (BMDS), Terminal High Altitude Air Defense (THAAD), PATRIOT, Surface-Launched Advanced Medium Range Air-to-Air Missile (SLAMRAAM), Joint Land Attack Cruise Missile Defense Elevated Netted Sensor System (JLENS), and Sentinel. In FY 08 SLAD developed state of the art hardware systems to test the PATRIOT system upgrades in countermeasure environments, conducted a risk assessment of the BMDS global communication networks, conducted extensive countermeasure testing and data analysis of the Sentinel radar and SLAMRAAM system, provided detailed recommendations for countermeasure and Information Assurance (IA) testing for the THAAD LUT, and provided detailed design plans to upgrade SLAD's target simulator to support FY 10 JLENS testing. FY 09 - 11 plans include providing the Missile Defense Agency (MDA) with assessments of BMDS Red/Blue IA testing, develop target simulator capability for extensive JLENS developmental testing, conduct additional SLAMRAAM countermeasure testing, provide test planning and conduct of Air and Missile Defense LUT activities, continued upgrade of extensive hardware assets providing realistic threat environments for system testing. In addition, SLAD will continue to provide survivability testing analyses and recommendations to Counter Rocket Artillery and Mortar (C-RAM) during spiral development, and provide innovative solutions and proof of principle testing to the Counter-MANPADS efforts.</p>					5400	5500	6606	
<p>System-of-systems survivability simulation (S4) - FY08: integrated higher-fidelity ballistics effects into S4 to enable analysis of threat effects in a mission context; FY09: extend S4 analytical capability by integrating engineering-level EW and CNO effects into the simulation; FY10: demonstrate MUVES3 V/L service to S4; This capability will enable SLV analysis of the networked-enabled future force. FY11: Continue to improve capability to simulate IW and EW attacks on network-centric battle commands.</p>					1238	1561	2200	
<p>Complete engineering design, site preparation work and concrete pad construction for rotorcraft Survivability Assessment Facility. This is a congressional add. Not a new start.</p>					1569			
<p>Small Business Innovative Research/Small Business Technology Transfer Programs</p>						393		
Total					40693	40929	45016	