



# **Pivotal Role of Standards in a Great Power Competition**

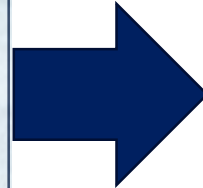
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# Our National Challenge

- **Great Power Competition**
- **Unprecedented speed / violence in the event of conflict**
- **Stress the national logistics system**
- **Industry ill positioned for mobilization**

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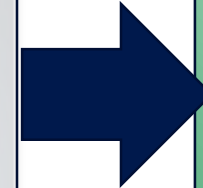


# Desired End-State

- **Effective deterrence**
- **Force capabilities that deliver greater fire power, less footprint**
- **Responsive secure global infrastructure**
- **Agile industrial mobilization**
- **Business models that enhance agility and innovation**

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# Path Forward

- **Establish joint government / industry working group**
- **Capitalize on INDO-PACOM collaboration to frame AGILE 2021**
- **Assess infrastructure requirements**
- **Document enabling business models**
- **Champion global repair network to provide near-term relief**



# Elements of Strategic Agility

- Agile Innovation Base
- Agile Sustaining Base
  - as agile as our operating forces
- Power Projection Capabilities (and Infrastructure)
  - to deter aggression
  - if deterrence fails, to rapidly achieve overmatch
- Responsive Supply Chains
  - to sustain the fight



**Standards enable all elements of strategic agility**

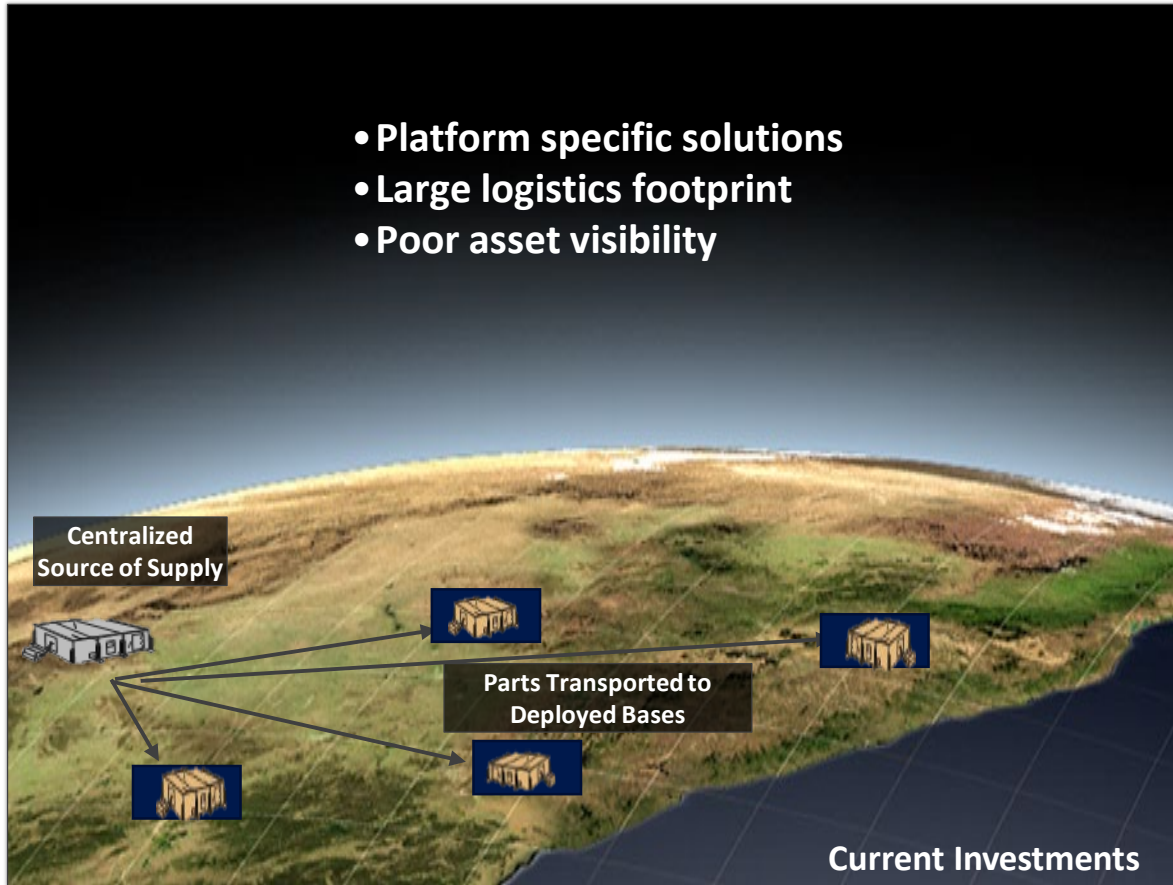
# Building the Future Force



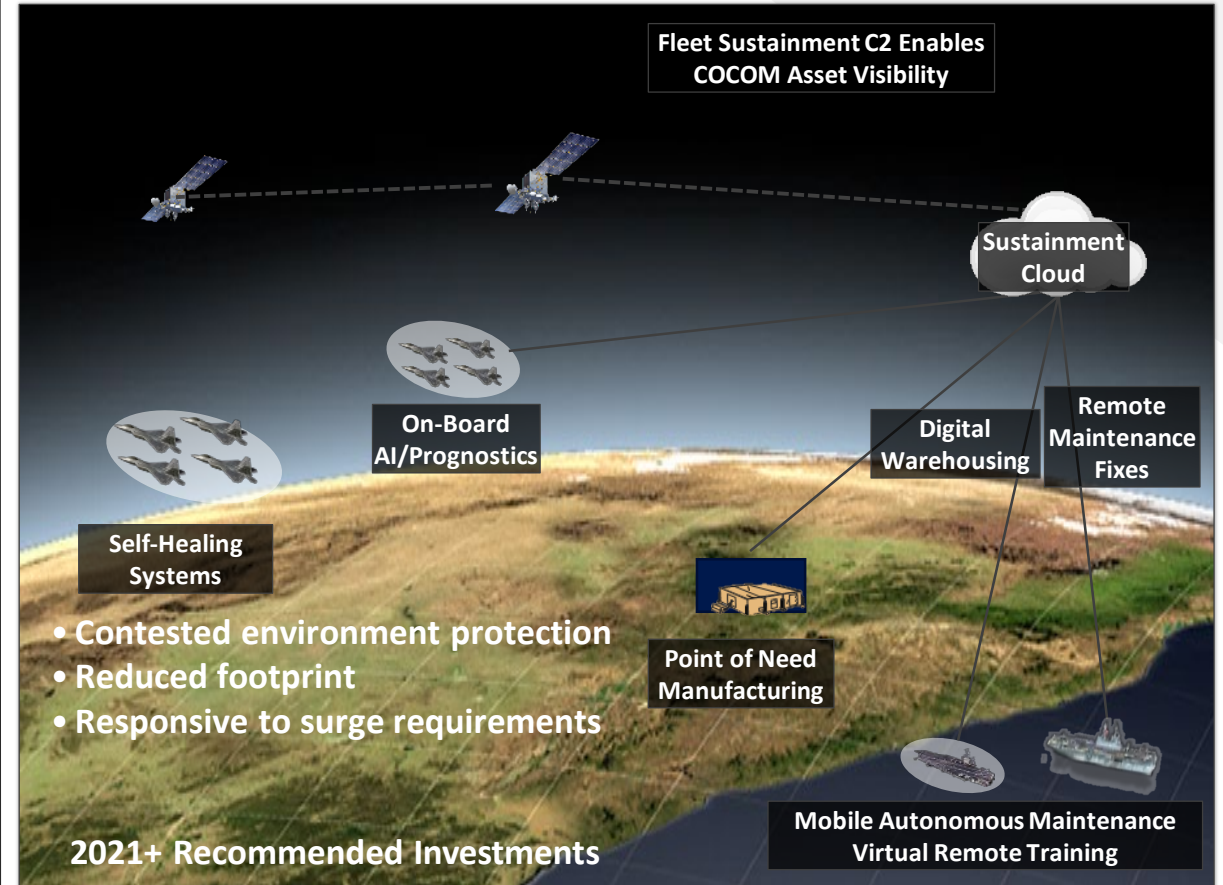
- **Joint Adaptive Distributed Operations**
- **Autonomous Systems**
- **Design for Great Power Systems**

## TODAY

- Platform specific solutions
- Large logistics footprint
- Poor asset visibility



## FUTURE VISION



Integrated, resilient, and responsive logistics and sustainment within A2/AD environment



# Autonomous Systems





# Design for Great Power Support



# Victory Together



- **Agile Development / Execution**
- **Open Systems / Continuous Tech Insertion**
- **Enabling Standards**



# WE NEED YOU



- **Champion the standards of the future**
- **Enforce current standards**
- **Proactively address DMSMS**

# **Imagine a World...**

- **Agile infrastructure enables global power projection**
- **Robust business models enable industrial agility**
- **Global repair network provides responsive sustainment**
- **International standards enable agility**