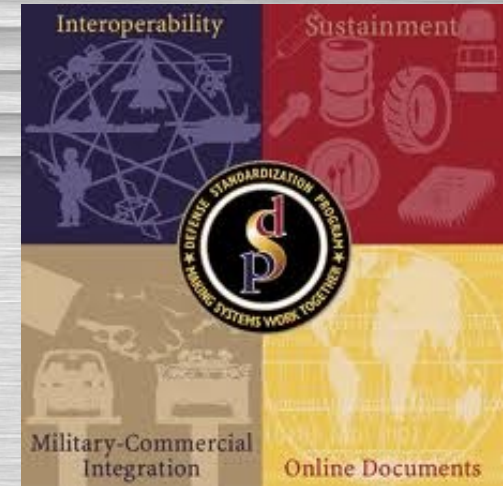




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SUCCESS with STANDARDIZATION Defense Standardization Program Workshop

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- **Current ARL Specifications & Standards Personnel**

- Richard J. Squillacioti, Leader, is retiring in August
- Brian E. Placzankis is taking over as office lead
- William S. Lum
- *Chris E. Miller will begin assisting part time

- *Best mechanism for Technology Transfer from R&D to the Soldier.*
- *Directly Supports Army Futures Command and the Warfighter.*
- *Specifications at ARL actively monitored and maintained & evolve to support changing requirements.*
- *Facilitates coordination between ARL technical subject matter experts and the end user community products or processes.*



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**S&SO WILL:
LEVERAGE EVERYONE'S
EXPERTISE**

ENGAGE & GUIDE

FILL IN GAPS as needed

SUPPORT / SERVICE

GOVERNMENT AGENCIES

Defense Logistics Agency (DLA)

Defense Supply Center

Philadelphia – DSCP

INDUSTRY

Producers / Manufacturers

WMRD TECHNICAL CAPABILITIES

METALS

CERAMICS

COATINGS

CORROSION

POLYMERS

COMPOSITES

VEHICLE COMPONENT TESTING

NONDESTRUCTIVE TESTING

ARMOR CHARACTERIZATION

BALLISTIC RANGES &

STATISTIANS

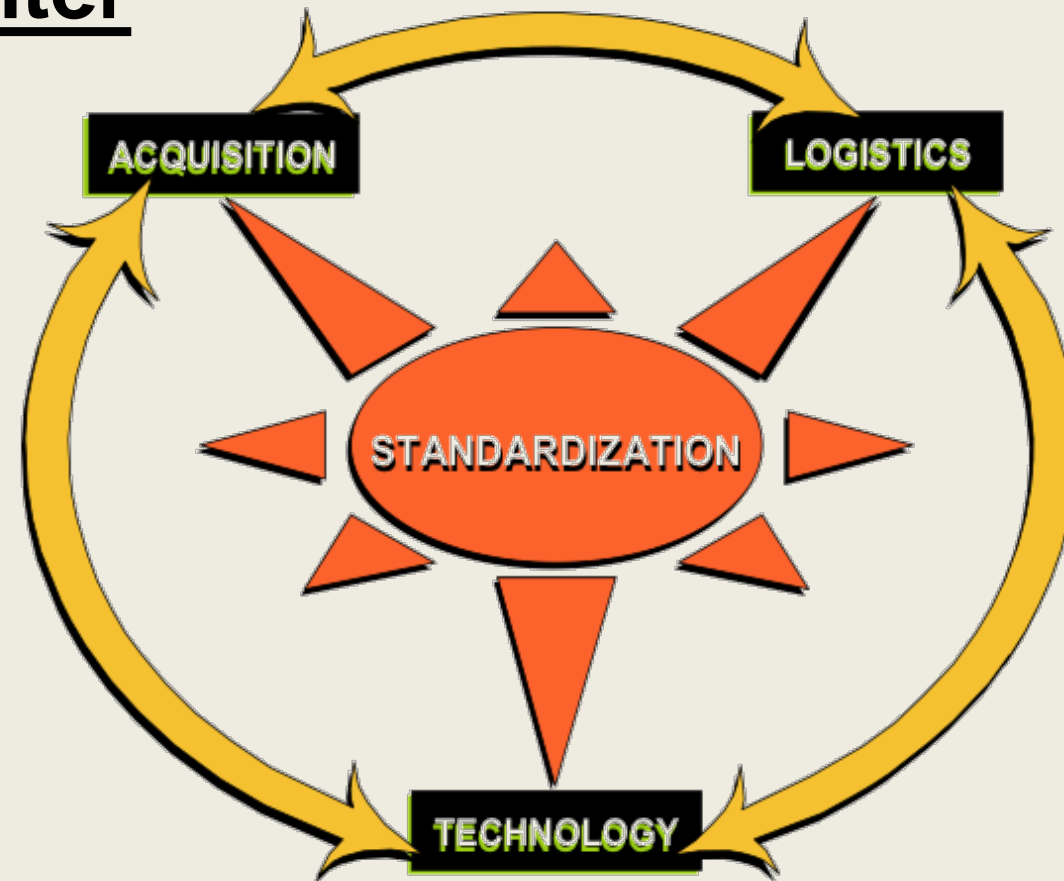
FABRICATED MATERIALS



Delivering Science and Technology Applications to the Warfighter

Specifications & Standards

- Complete the acquisition cycle
- Transition emerging technologies to the Soldier
- Maintain technological edge and battlefield overmatch
- No Specs = No Transition





1. Collaborate with a **Sponsor** that has a Vehicle or Platform that is in production or will be in production in the near future or for repair or replacement.
2. **Letter(s) of Endorsement** are supplied indicating that the Sponsor would like to have the material characterized and validated in specific applications and will use the material on their vehicles/platform, if the full scale testing is acceptable.
3. The material must **pass full scale testing** including ballistics, fire/toxicity, and material properties. The cost of this testing is supplied by the Producer or Sponsor.
4. If the material passes full scale testing the **material will be detailed out** in a specification. The cost for developing the quality assurance provision (accept/reject criteria, required properties with minimum or maximum requirements, etc.) will be supplied by the ARL Specifications & Standards Office (OMA funds).



Standardization Vectors:

- I. Addressing problems received from the field that effect the Soldier directly.
- II. Addressing problems that are received from other DoD agencies, i.e. Program Managers (PMs), Program Executive Office (PEOs).
- III. Addressing problems that are received from technical lab personnel.
- IV. Responding to Industry concerns on requirements, requests for clarification and interpretation of our documents.
- V. Overage documents and procurement issues remain due to cancelled documents. (Average age of documents 7+ years: Policy requires that documents be reviewed every 5 years.)

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ANNUAL DSP ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS



FY 1987 Win: Individual Achievement Award Winner; Army - Member of S&SO - U.S. Army Materials Technology Laboratory, Watertown, MA.

FY 1993 Win: Organizational Achievement Award Winners; Army - The Materials Standardization Office, Materials Directorate, Army Research Laboratory, Watertown, MA.

FY 1998 Win: Individual Achievement Award Winner; Army - Leader of S&SO - U.S. Army Research Laboratory, Aberdeen, MD.

FY 2008 – TEAM GIVES ARMY A SUPERSONIC COLD SPRAY

- MIL-STD-3021, “Materials Deposition, Cold Spray”

FY 2009 – WARFIGHTERS NOW HAVE MORE AND BETTER STEEL

- MIL-DTL-32332 (MR), “Armor Plate, Steel, Wrought, Ultra-High-Hardness”
- MIL-PRF-32269 (MR), “Perforated Homogeneous Steel Armor”
- MIL-DTL-12560J (MR), “Armor Plate, Steel, Wrought, Homogeneous (For Use in Combat-Vehicles and for Ammunition Testing”
- MIL-DTL-46177C (MR), “Armor, Steel Plate and Sheet, Wrought, Homogeneous (1/8 to less than ¼ Inch Thick)” INACTIVE FOR NEW DESIGN
- MIL-DTL-46100E (MR), “Armor Plate, Steel, Wrought, High-Hardness”



ANNUAL DSP ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS



FY 2010 – A NEW TEST STANDARD CUTS THE EROSION OF ROTOR BLADE PROTECTIVE MATERIALS

- MIL-STD-3033, “Particle/Sand Erosion Testing of Rotor Blade Protective Materials”

FY 2011 – NEW LIGHTWEIGHT ALUMINUM ALLOYS QUALIFY TO ARMOR MILITARY VEHICLES

- MIL-DTL-32375 (MR), “Armor Plate, Aluminum Alloy, 7085, Unweldable Appliqué”
- MIL-DTL-32341 (MR), “Armor Plate, Aluminum Alloy, 2xxx, Unweldable Appliqué”
- MIL-DTL-32262 (MR), “Armor Plate, Aluminum Alloy 6055 Weldable and Alloy 6061, Unweldable Applique”
- MIL-DTL-46027K (MR), “Armor Plate, Aluminum Alloy, Weldable 5083, 5456, and 5059”
- MIL-DTL-32505 (MR), “Armor Plate, Aluminum, Alloys 7017 and 7020, Weldable”
- MIL-DTL-46063H (Notice of cancellation for new acquisition/design for replacement of AA7039)

FY 2012 – NEW STANDARDIZED ARMOR MATERIALS CUT COSTS AND IMPROVE SAFETY

- MIL-DTL-64154, “Laminate: Fiberglass-Fabric-Reinforced, Phenolic”
- MIL-DTL-32378, “Laminate: Unidirectional, Reinforced, Cross-Plied, Aramid Fiber, Plastic Armor Material”
- MIL-DTL-32398, “Laminate: Cross-Plied Ultra-High Molecular Weight Polyethylene Unidirectional Reinforced Plastic Armor.”



Kopp-Etchell's Effect



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FY 2012 – NEW MILITARY COATINGS ENHANCE THE DURABILITY OF DoD ASSETS

- MIL-DTL-53039, “Coating, Aliphatic Polyurethane, Single Component, Chemical Agent Resistant”
- MIL-DTL-64159, “Camouflage Coating, Water Dispersible Aliphatic Polyurethane, Chemical Agent Resistant”
- MIL-PRF-32348, “Powder Coating, Camouflage Chemical, Agent Resistant Systems”
- MIL-DTL-53022, “Primer, Epoxy Coating, Corrosion Inhibiting Lead and Chromate Free”
- MIL-DTL-53030, “Primer Coating, Epoxy, Water Based, Lead and Chromate Free”
- MIL-DTL-53084, “Primer, Cathodic Electrodeposition, Chemical Agent Resistant”
- MIL-DTL-11195H (MR), “Enamel, Lusterless, Fast Dry, VOC Compliant, (For Use on Ammunition and Other Metals)”
- MIL-P-14105E, “Paint, Heat-Resisting (For Steel Surfaces)”
- MIL-PRF-22750G, “Coating, Epoxy, High-Solids”
- MIL-DTL-53072, “Chemical Agent Resistant Coating (CARC) System Application Procedures and Quality Control Inspection”

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ANNUAL DSP ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS (CONT.)



FY 2013 – NEW PERFORMANCE SPECIFICATIONS PROVIDE FOR ENVIRONMENTALLY SAFE AND COST-EFFECTIVE CLEANERS

- MIL-PRF-32359, "Cleaner, General for Ground Vehicles and Ground Support Equipment, Hazardous Air Pollutant (HAP)-Free"
- MIL-PRF-32405 (MR), "Cleaner, Hand Wipe, for Aviation and Missile Systems, Metallic Substrates, Low or Exempt VOC"

FY 2013 – REVISED SPECIFICATION PROVIDES "GREEN" METHODS FOR PRETREATING METALS

- TT-C-490F, "Chemical Conversion Coatings And Pretreatments For Metallic Substrates (Base For Organic Coatings)", **[Best of the Best]**

FY 2014 – NEW SPECIFICATION FOR ALUMINUM-BASED POWDERS FOR COLD SPRAY DEPOSITION SAVES MILLIONS OF DOLLARS

- MIL-DTL-32495, "Aluminum-Based Powders for Cold Spray Deposition"

FY 2015 – REVISION OF DoD DESIGN CRITERIA STANDARD: NOISE LIMITS

- MIL-STD-1474, "Design Criteria: Noise Limits" **[HRED document]**

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Laminated Polypropylene Composite Armor



FY 2016 – LAMINATED POLYPROPYLENE COMPOSITE ARMOR

- MIL-DTL-32549, “Laminate: Multi-layer Polypropylene Thermoplastic Composite Armor”

GOAL: Characterize a polypropylene tape-based laminated material (fiber) along with documented quality assurance parameters for the final armor panel.

This standardization effort enhances two aspects of DOD acquisition:

- (1) Increasing the robustness of the industrial base for DOD armor material by adding an additional qualified product to the supplier base and
- (2) Reducing the time to manufacture in an emergency situation.

It also;

- (a) Ensures future polypropylene material bought by the DoD meets acceptable performance quality standards.
- (b) Ensures that the Army is getting an adequate supply of high-quality composite armor produced by the most effective processing available today.
- (c) Will provide some assurance that the materials procured will provide our soldiers with the expected level of armor protection they need and deserve.
- (d) Effort should reduce the possibility of inferior or counterfeit materials from being procured.



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QUESTIONS



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