



Program Executive Office, Aviation

# Tri Service Interoperability Conference

## Army Aviation – Leading with MOSA Transformation



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# Our Mission Worldwide



Serve Soldiers and Our Nation by **Designing, Developing, Delivering & Supporting** Advanced Aviation Capabilities for Operational Commanders and Our Allies



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# Breadth of the PEO Aviation Portfolio

Worldwide Responsibility: 15,328+ Platforms



## Cargo Helicopters



**APO: 538**

- CH-47F: 465
- MH-47G: 73



## Apache Helicopters



**APO: 791**

- AH-64E: 791



## Future Vertical Lift



**APO: TBD**

- FARA
- FLRAA



## Utility Helicopters



**UH APO: 2,135**

- UH-60M: 1,375
- UH-60V: 760

**UH-72A APO: 477**



## Unmanned Aircraft Systems



**APO: 10,718\***

- MQ-1C: 15
- RQ-7B: 110
- LRR: 1,409
- MRR: 2,450
- SRR: 6,734

\* UAS APO Shown is Number of Systems. Actual number of Aircraft > 17,791



## Fixed Wing Aircraft



**APO/Systems: 278**

- ARLE, GRCS, ORC, C-12 Variants, C-23, C-26, UC-35, EMARSS



## MASPO



**Aircraft/CLS/FSR: 391**

- PC-12: 18 AC CLS, Mi-17: 95 AC CLS, MD-530: 78, Bell Huey II: 27, OH-58D: 124 CFSR, OH-58: 9 CLS, I-407: 30 CLS, Bell 206: 10 CLS

**Supporting Our Forces and Our Allies With Worldwide Strength and Diversity**

## APEO FMS International



**70 Countries**

503 Active Cases  
\$54.3B (Case Value)

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# PEO Aviation – Future Focused Army Objectives

**PEO Aviation Strategic Plan 2018**

**MDO**

**LSCO**

**JADC2**

**2021 PEO Guidance**

**United States Army Program Executive Office Aviation Forging the Future of Army Aviation FY22**



## Objectives

Build the Future Vertical Lift Ecosystem

Ensure Readiness & Relevance of the Enduring Fleet

Build Partner Nation Capacity

**Army 2030 and Beyond Force Structure**

*PEO Aviation Is*

***Defending Our Nation, Taking Care of our People, and Ensuring Success through Teamwork***



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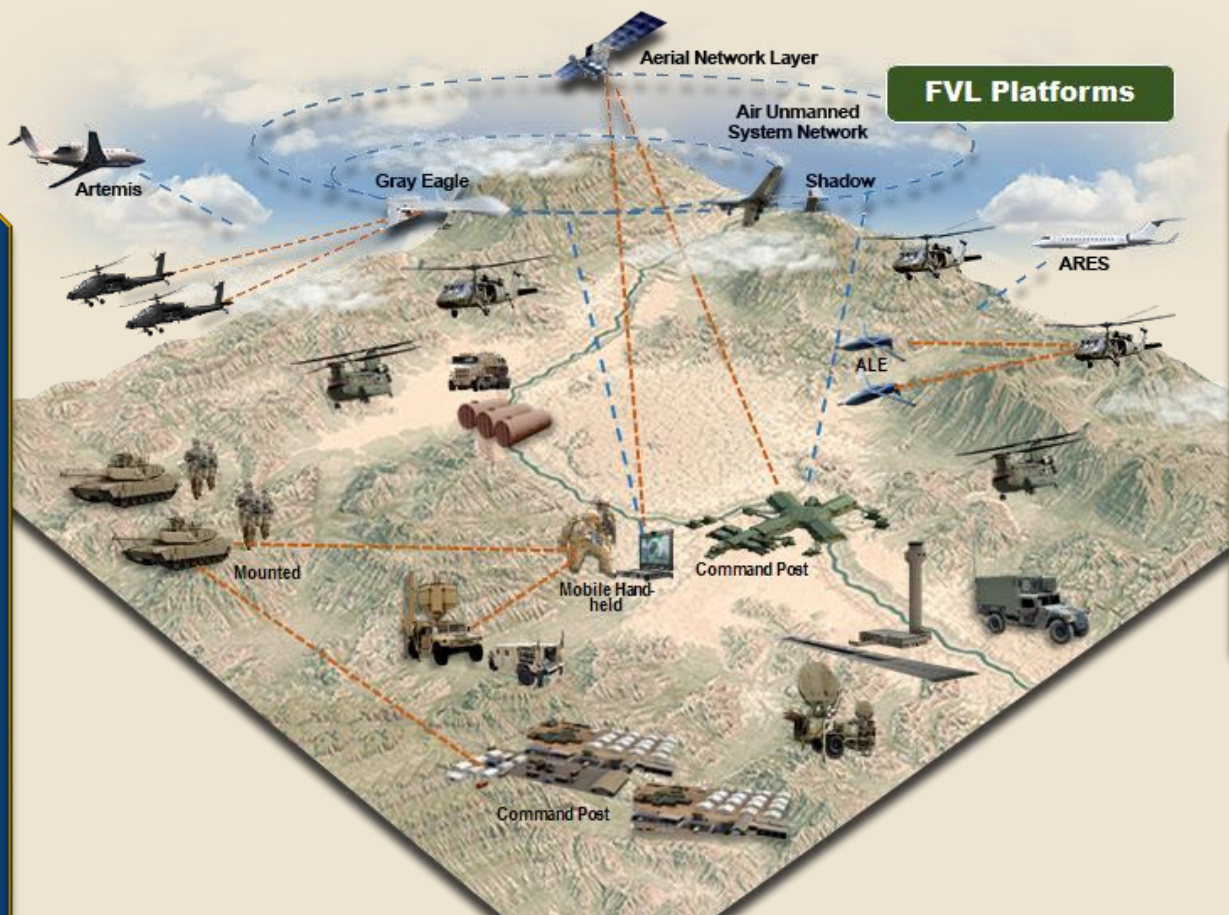


# Why the Urgency for MOSA Now?

## Unique Inflection Point

- Mandate for Rapid Capabilities to Pace Threat Evolution
- Must Accelerate Program Execution at the Speed of Technology
- Affordability Paramount in Current Fiscal Environment
- Opportunity to Leverage Across Future and Enduring Fleet is

# NOW!



## PEO Aviation MOSA Objectives

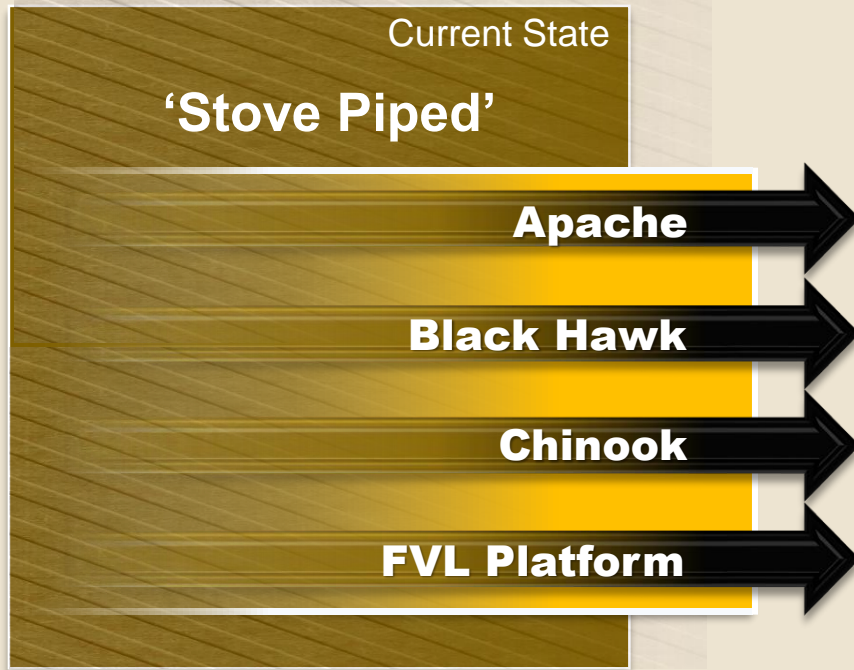
- Improved Affordability
- Increased Readiness
- Enhanced Capabilities
- Reduced Schedule Pressure
- Reduced Supply Chain Risk

*Must Engage Both the Technical and Business Processes Throughout the Aviation Life Cycle to Optimize Impact of MOSA*

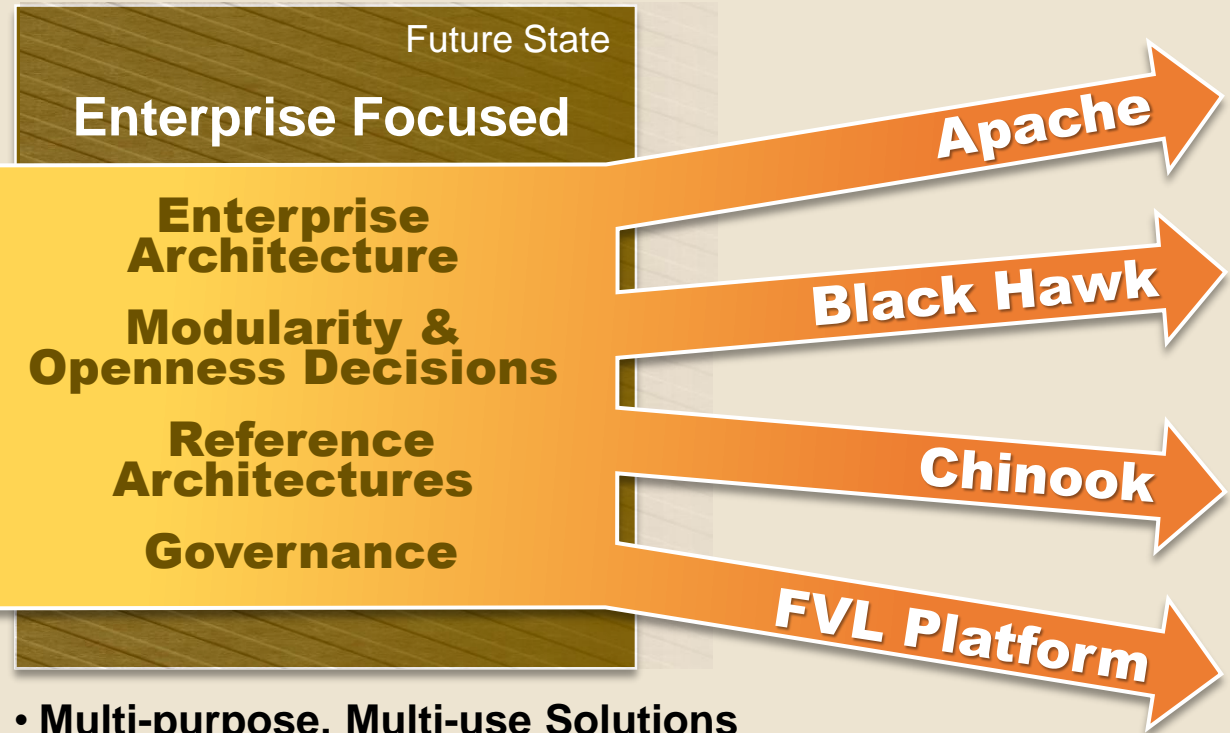


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# The Problem Set That MOSA Can Resolve



- Monolithic, Unique, Single-use Solutions
- Platform/Vendor Locked
- Costly In Terms of Cost/Schedule for Upgrades
- Overall Lifecycle Costs High



- Multi-purpose, Multi-use Solutions
- Reusable Open Architectures Solutions – Increased Competition
- More Optimal in Terms of Cost/Schedule for Upgrades
- Reduced Lifecycle Costs in All Phases of the Weapon System

*Develop Once, Field Many.....*

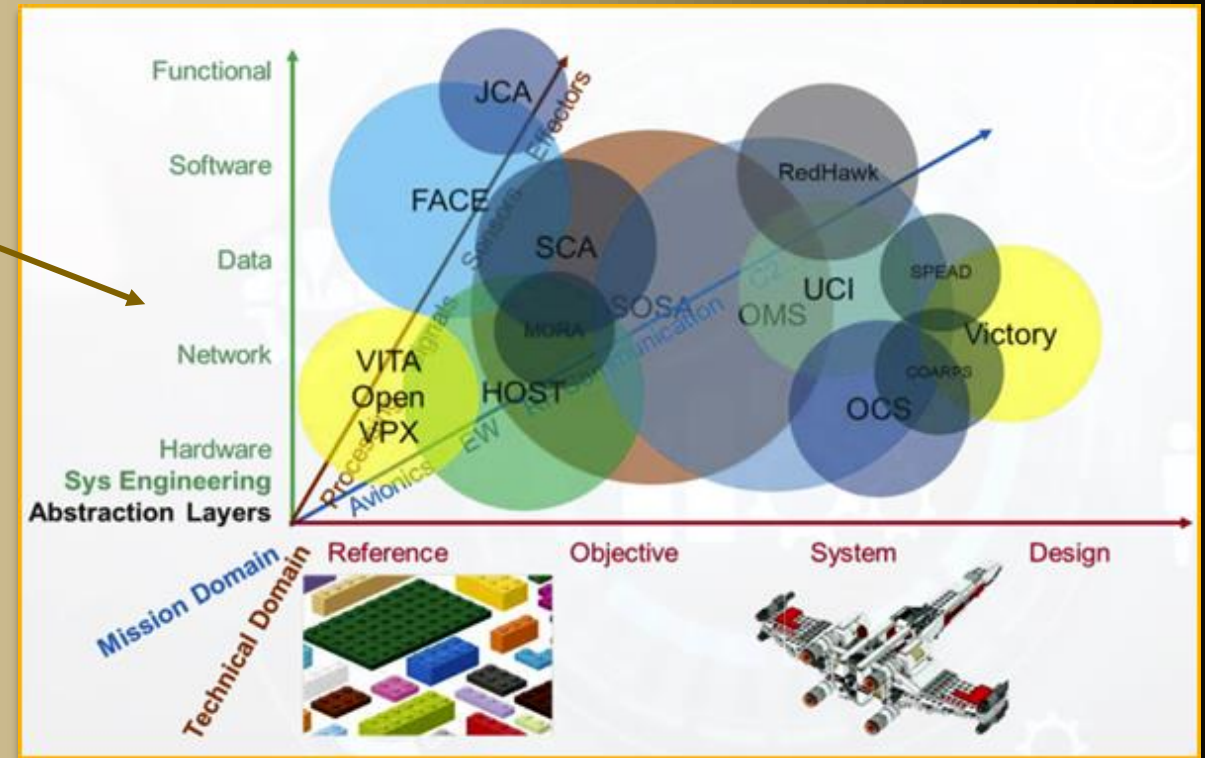
***MOSA Enables Critical Modernization for Army Aviation Enduring & Future Fleets***

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# Open Standards Evolving Across the DoD Enterprise

- Multiple PEOs addressing the need for OSA
- A number of standards do exist with varying degrees of maturity
- **PEO Aviation** – Started with FVL Architecture Framework (FAF), Enterprise Architecture (EA), synchronized with industry via Architecture Working Group (ACWG) and multiple CRADAs
- Cross-PEO standards collaboration underway – example of C3T and Aviation with *CMOSS Mounted Form Factor* (CMFF)



How do we proceed with clarity and demonstrable value when applying MOSA?



# PEO Aviation MOSA – Driving Forward

- **MOSA Transformation Office (TO)**  
Represents the Enterprise Perspective
- Targeting Major System Components (MSC)



## Published Internal PEO Aviation MOSA Policy

- ✓ Implementation Guide
- ✓ Reference Architecture Design Document (RADD)
- ✓ Identified Initial Major System Components



Initial MSC Priorities Are Based on Existing Common Components and/or Functions

### Initial MSC Priorities for PEO Aviation

- Aviation Mission Computing Environment
- Comms/Datalinks/Control
- Navigation
- Aircraft Survivability Equipment (ASE)
- Dynamic Airspace & Mission Planning Environment (DAMPE)
- Common Pilot Vehicle Interface (PVI)
- Degraded Visual Environment (DVE)
- Electrical Power Systems
- Unmanned Vehicle Control



Future MSCs Will be Prioritized Based on PEO Investment Strategy





# Driving Use of Modern Tools & Methodologies

## Digital Ecosystem

- MBSE(SysML)
- Digital Thread
- Infrastructure
- Product Life Cycle Management
- Modeling and Simulation

## Key Enablers



## MOSA

- Architecture & Standards
- Governance & Policy
- Business Practices
- Contracting Efficiencies
- Affordability & Savings

## Agile Development

- DevSecOps
- Software Factory
- Continuous Integration/Continuous Delivery (CI/CD) Pipeline
- Infrastructure
- Partitioning
- Qualification Material Release



Modular Open Systems Approach

## Cloud Based Environment



PEO Aviation MOSA Transformation is Synchronizing Modernization




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# Specific Example - Aviation Mission Computing Environment

*Fundamentally Different Approach to Capability Introduction*



- **AMCE Introduces Modular/Configurable Processing to Aviation**
  - Provides *Scalable*, *Configurable*, and *Modular* Processing Resources
- **AMCE Introduces Open Software Architecture**
  - Breaks Vendor Lock; 1 Capability  $\neq$  1 LRU
  - Enables  Approach



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## Specific Example – Communications/Datalinks/Control

### CMOSS Mounted Form Factor (CMFF) Modular Communications

- **Convergence** of Multiple LRUs Into Radio Cards - Open Standards Modular Environment
  - 1 Capability  $\neq$  1 LRU
- Aligns with Army's CMFF A-CDD Modular Communications Effort
- **Scalable** Form Factors – Ease of Integration
- Universal Control Through Aviation Radio Control Manager (**ARCM**)
  - Avoids Opening Platform OFP for New Radio Technology



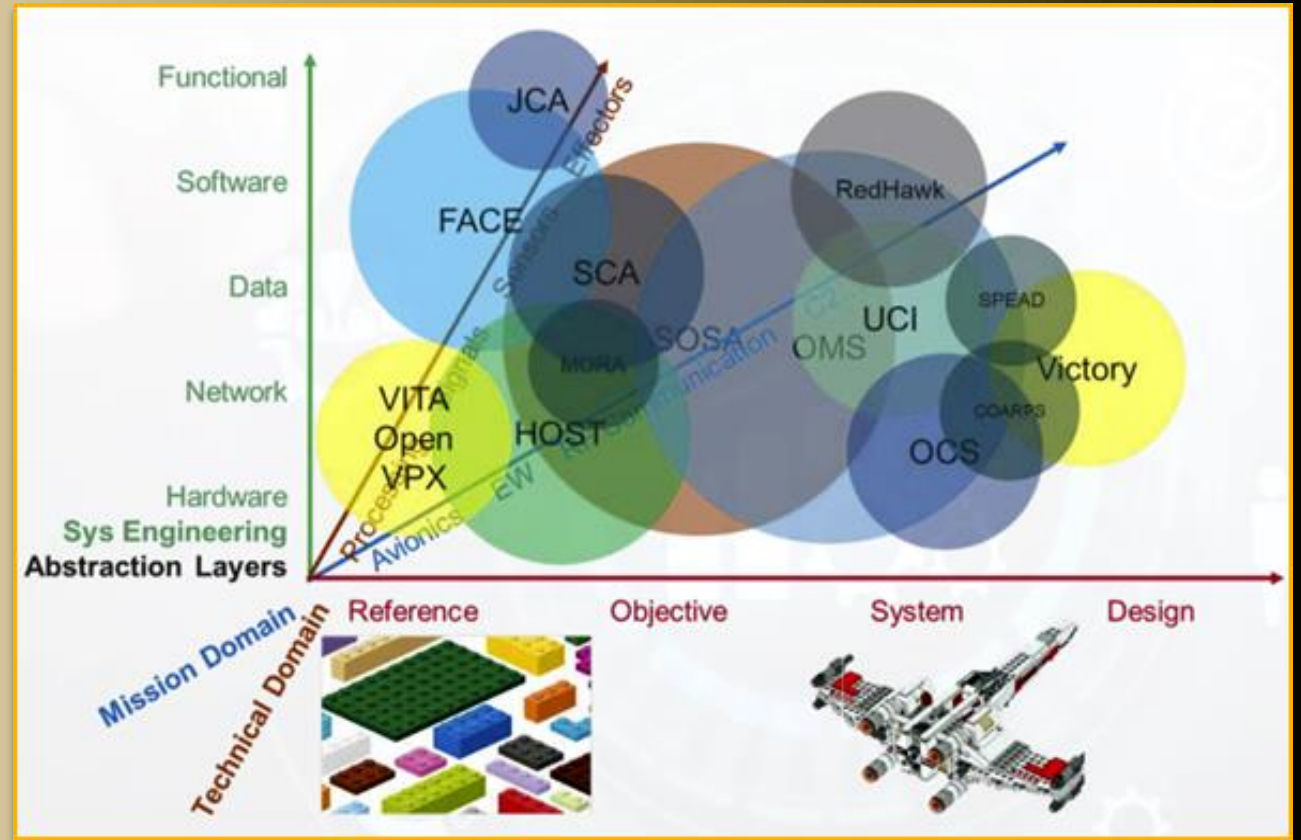
**Convergence of RF LRUs & Waveforms into Single RF Chassis**

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# Collective Path Forward

- **Tough Challenge** of Critical Modernization in a Fiscally Constrained Environment
- Challenge Can be Resolved Through **Joint Efforts** With Cross-PEO and Industry Collaboration
- How can government and industry better collaborate?



*PEO Aviation Is Leaning Forward to Confirm Appropriate Standards for Aviation Materiel Development, Qualification, and Sustainment*



# Closing Comments and Questions



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