



# Implementing C5SIR Modular Open Suite of Standards (CMOSS)

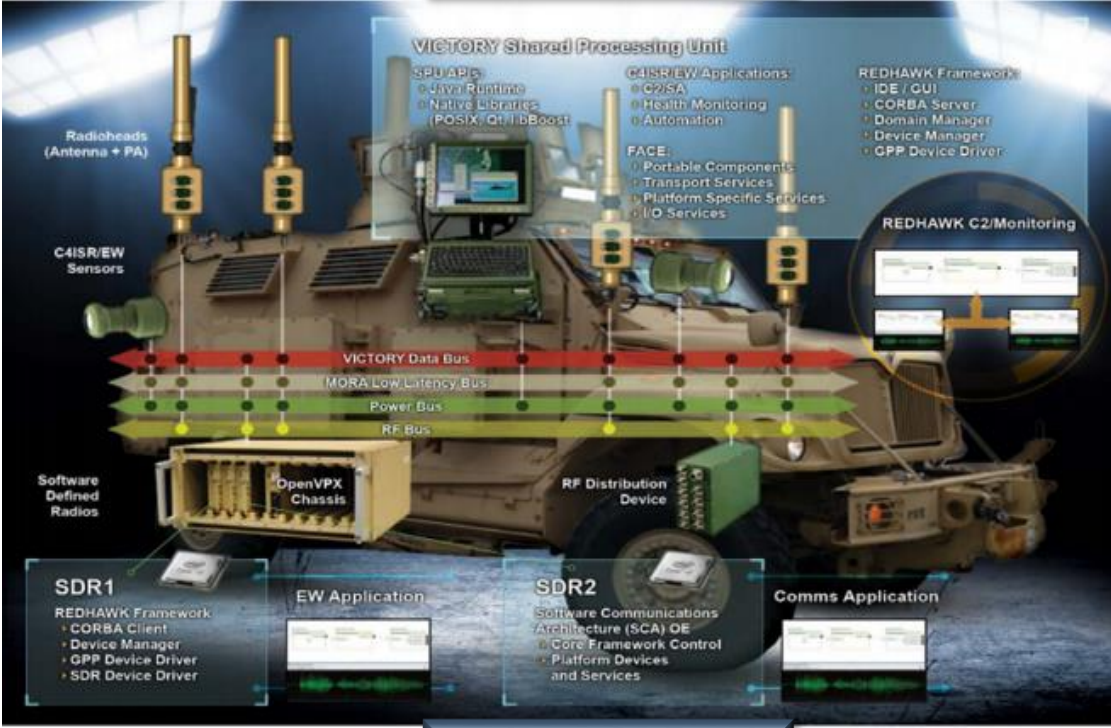
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# CMOSS Mounted Form Factor (CMFF) Capability Need

## Potential Solutions



## FOCUS of A-CDD

CMFF Chassis Ground Platform

CMFF Abbreviated CDD  
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## Operational Benefits:

- Addresses the overburdened platforms' size, weight, power, and cooling (SWaP-C) shortcomings.
- Enable the execution of Multi-Domain Operations (MDO) across multiple environments on ground and air platforms by Commanders, Leaders, and Soldiers.
- Provides extensive flexibility to configure platform mission needs and rapid insertion of new technology to meet emerging threat.
- Base document provides the integrating function for Command, Control, & Communications, Assured Positioning Navigation and Timing, and Electronic Warfare
- Prototyping driven by the CMFF A-CDD and aligns to individual capability roadmaps. Emerging capability on-ramped through agile methodologies.

**CMFF will:**

- Tailor Network Transport. Commanders and leaders lack the capability to **dynamically adapt network architecture** and resources (LOS and BLOS) to **match network transport capability with the commander's priorities** in support of full spectrum operations. Information transport available to **enable timely collaboration and information sharing**.
- Execute C2 OTM: Commanders and leaders engaged in full spectrum operations require the **capability to access, select, filter, share, display, and collaborate** on fused operations and intelligence information, while **operating away from their command post**, in air or ground platforms, and while dismounted at the tactical edge.

# CMOSS Solution Overview

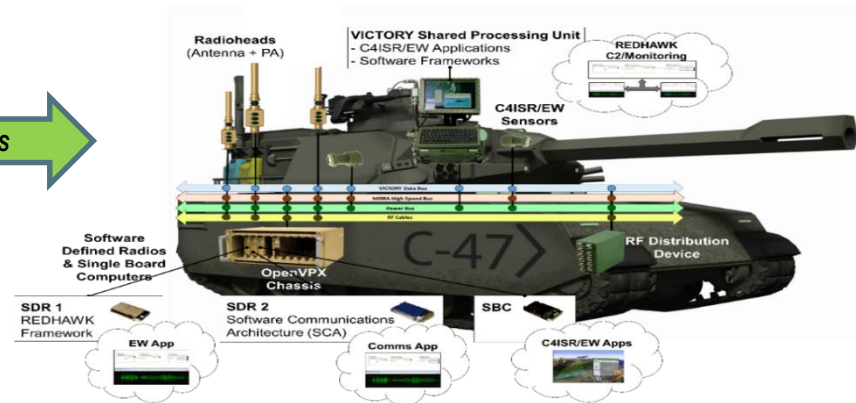
## Why Converge?



C5ISR/EW Modular Open Suite of Standards (CMOSS)



## CMOSS Architecture



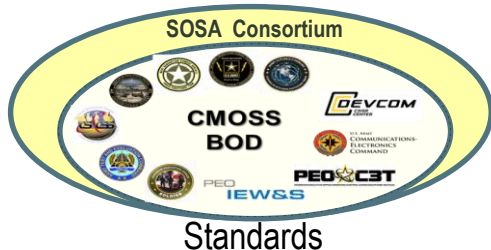
- CMOSS is a suite of standards to improve the soldier user experience (UX) and reduce the size, weight, power, and cooling (SwaP-C) of C5ISR, A-PNT and EW systems while increasing the flexibility and adaptability of these systems
  - “Universal” A-Kit – PMs field capabilities as cards into a common chassis, instead of installation kits (IKs)
  - Pooled radio resources such as antennas and amplifiers for Communications, Electronic Warfare (EW), and Signals Intelligence (SIGINT) systems
  - Shared processing resources such as computers and displays
  - Shared data services such as Assured Position, Navigation, and Time (A-PNT)
  - Foundation for enhanced convergence, interoperability and simultaneity between C5ISR systems
  - Reduced life cycle cost through increased competition, smaller logistics tails with common sparring, and upgrading to the latest hardware as parts are replaced
  - Rapid insertion of new technology/capability

Army, Air Force, Navy, Industry, and Academia collaborate under the SOSA Consortium to develop a holistic open architecture that leverages existing standards, maximizes economies of sale, and provides the flexibility to rapidly insert the latest capabilities.



# CMFF Strategy Overview

## ORGANIZE



CMFF Acquisition IPT  
Responsible for  
strategy and execution  
of the CMFF A-CDD

PEO C3T  
PEO IEWSS

## SYNCHRONIZE

- FY21 goal to demonstrate integrated CMOSS capability showing Mounted Mission Command (MMC) running over TSM and L band in a CMOSS form factor leveraging M-Code compliant PNT Card
- CMFF efforts will participate in multiple FY21 events to prove converged CMOSS capability (NetModX21 and PNT Assessment Exercise (PNTAX) part of PC21
- We will continue to engage with industry through solicitations, Technical Exchange Meetings, and through the Open Innovation Lab (OIL)
- Will align capability roadmaps and prototyping efforts across the PEOs to include Project Manager (PM) Mission Command, PMT Tactical Radios, PM Interoperability, Integration and Services, PM PNT and PW EW&C

## EXECUTE

### CMFF Strategy



Manage

- Manage and mature standards
- Educate community
- Leverage and apply to relevant S&T



CMOSS MIL, SIL, OIL

- Validate against CMOSS Standards
- Integrate capability
- Compatibility and performance testing / tooling



Field Experiment

- Baseline platform capability
- Compliance/performance tests
- Tech demonstrations
- Soldier Touch Points

# Open Innovation Lab (OIL)

The OIL is a Gov't facility that will accelerate technology transition and integration as part of the PNT Modernization Process and across the C5ISR Community

- Provides a unique, unclassified, facility for DevOps, integration and assessment of technology against Modular Open Systems Approach (e.g. CMOSS) and other open standards
- Leverages the investments of S&T, Industry, and Academia on future capabilities and solutions
- Collaboration, development and integration lab to accelerate mature technologies for insertion into the CMFF

Website provides a single point to register your technology, stay up-to-date on events, and synchronize with Army standards

<https://apntoil.army.mil/>

The screenshot displays the Open Innovation Lab website interface. At the top, the navigation bar includes 'OPEN INNOVATION LAB', 'HOME', 'ABOUT', 'EVENTS', and 'REGISTRATION'. The main header features a large 'WELCOME TO THE OPEN INNOVATION LAB' message with a background image of a soldier in a desert. Below this, a tagline reads: 'A collaborative space where industry, academia, and government can join forces to create the cutting edge of PNT technology'. The 'HOW IT WORKS' section is a three-step process: STEP 1 (Register and tell us about yourself), STEP 2 (If selected, we will contact you to learn more about you and your technology - we may invite you to the OIL), and STEP 3 (You come to the OIL, where we will evaluate your technology and determine the best path forward). To the right, there is a 'Log in to Contact Center' form with fields for 'Email' and 'Next'. Below the main content, there is a section titled 'STANDARDS AND SPECIFICATIONS' with a background image of two people looking at a screen.