



# DoD Parts Management Under the Defense Standardization Program

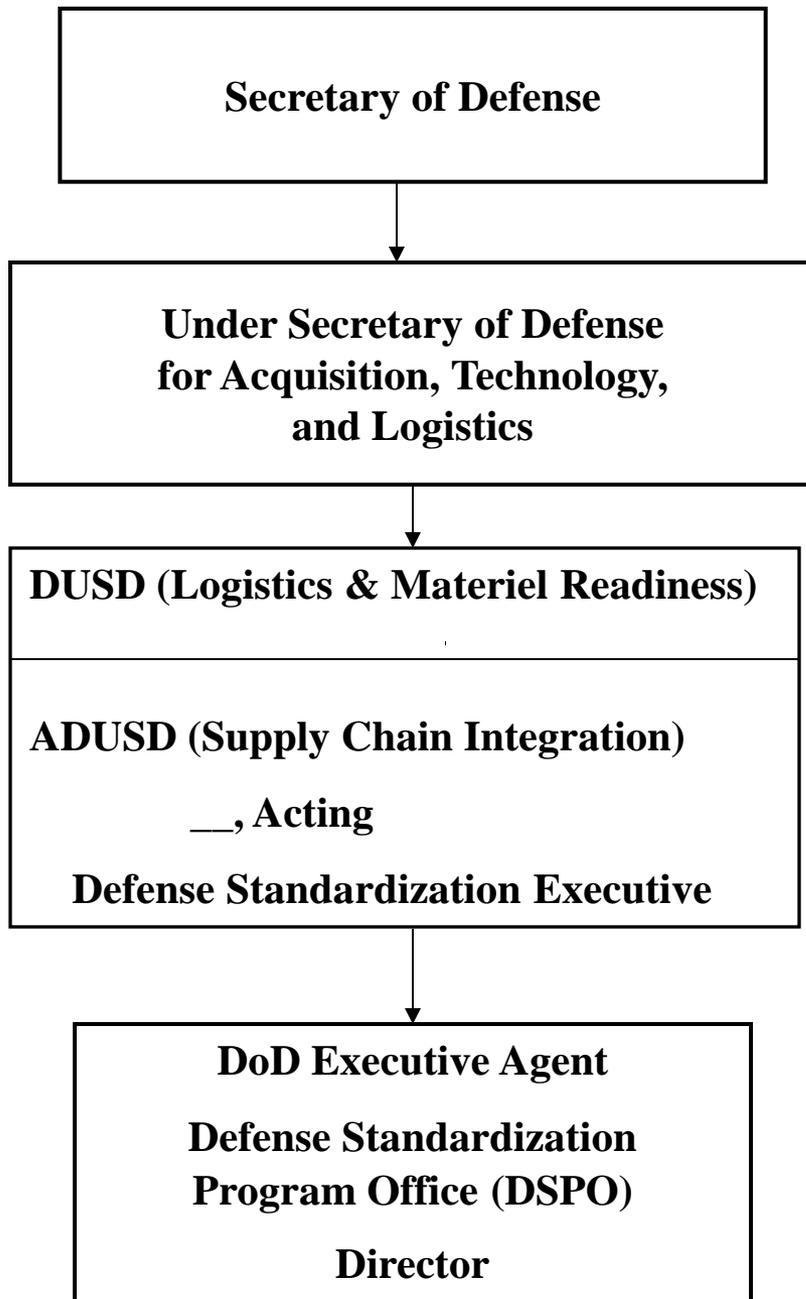
*DoD Parts Management Reengineering*

***Industry Day***

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# Centrally Managed

DEFENSE STANDARDIZATION PROGRAM OFFICE (DSPO)

ARMY  
DepSO\*

NAVY  
DepSO\*

AIR FORCE  
DepSO\*

DLA  
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Other DoD  
Agencies

MAJOR SUBORDINATE  
COMMANDS, CENTERS  
(E.G. TACOM)

SYSTEMS COMMANDS  
CENTERS  
LABORATORIES  
TECH. FACILITIES  
(E.G. NAVSEA)

FIELD COMMANDS  
CENTERS/DIVISIONS  
LABORATORIES  
DEV. CENTERS  
(E.G., ASC, ALCs)

DLA CENTERS  
(E.G. DSCC)

MORE THAN 100 STANDARDIZATION OFFICES IDENTIFIED IN SD-1, "STANDARDIZATION DIRECTORY"\*\*\* DEVELOP, ADOPT, REVIEW, AND MAINTAIN STANDARDS

# Decentrally Executed

\* DepSO = Departmental Standardization Office  
\*\*SD-1 available from DSPO website at [www.dsp.dla.mil](http://www.dsp.dla.mil). Click on "Library" and then click on "Standardization Documents Issued by DSPO."

# WHY DOD STANDARDIZES

## IMPROVE OPERATIONAL CAPABILITIES

- Joint Service Operations
- Coalition Warfare
- Higher Reliability
- Readily Available Parts & Supplies
- New Technology Insertion

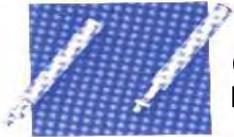
## REDUCE COSTS

- Larger Economical Buys
- Less Inventory
- Reduce Development Cost
- Common Training
- Reduce Maintenance Cost

## OTHER REASONS

- Safety
- Less Misunderstanding Between Government & Contractor
- Reduce Development Risk
- Competition

# REDUCE COSTS



A. Stud Type Spacer  
NAS 1829

**Standardizing on Aerospace Spacers:**



B. Swage Type Spacer  
NAS 1830

**Reduced inventory by over 1200 types of spacers**



C. Conventional Spacer  
NAS 1831

**Cost avoidance of \$6M over 5 year period**



# Defense Standardization Program Office (DSPO) Provides Support



TOOLS	TRAINING AND EDUCATION	JOINT AND SERVICE SPECIFIC EFFORTS	COALITION EFFORTS	STANDARDS DEVELOPMENT ORGANIZATIONS
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Acquisition Streamlining and Standardization Information System (ASSIST)</li> <li>➤ Government Industry Data Exchange Program (GIDEP)</li> <li>➤ Diminishing Manufacturing Sources and Material Shortages (DMSMS) Knowledge Sharing's Portal</li> <li>➤ Guide Books</li> <li>➤ Weapon System Impact Tool (WSIT)</li> <li>-</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Defense Standardization Annual Conference</li> <li>➤ DAU Led Courses</li> <li>➤ Continuous Learning Modules</li> <li>➤ Defense Standardization Program Journal</li> <li>➤ DSPO Led Courses</li> <li>➤ Case Studies</li> <li>➤ Industry Conferences               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-AIA</li> <li>-Aging Aircraft</li> <li>-DMSMS</li> <li>-ARSSG</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Defense Standardization Council</li> <li>➤ Joint Standardization Boards</li> <li>➤ Annual Defense Standardization Program Awards</li> <li>➤ <i>Parts Management</i></li> <li>➤ Qualification</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ <b>NATO</b> – operational, materiel, and administrative standards</li> <li>➤ <b>ABCA</b> - Australia, Britain, Canada, America – mostly land based standards</li> <li>➤ <b>AUSCANZUKUS</b> - Australia, Canada, New Zealand, United Kingdom, USA – mostly naval standards</li> <li>➤ <b>ASIC</b> - Air and Space Interoperability Council</li> <li>➤ <b>CCEB</b> - Combined Communication Electronics Board</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ <b>ANSI</b> - American National Standards Institute –</li> <li>➤ <b>ISO</b> – International Standards Organization</li> <li>➤ <b>IEC</b> – International Electrotechnical Commission</li> <li>➤ <b>ASTM International</b></li> <li>➤ <b>SAE</b> - Society of Automotive Engineers</li> <li>➤ <b>AIA</b> – Aerospace Industries Association</li> <li>➤ <b>AIAA</b> – American Institute of Aeronautics and Astronautics</li> <li>➤ <b>EIA</b> – Electronic Industries Alliance</li> <li>➤ <b>IEEE</b> – Institute for Electrical and Electronic Engineering</li> </ul>

# *DSPO Parts Management Responsibilities*

- DoD Parts Management Program
- Diminishing Manufacturing Sources and Material Shortages (DMSMS)
- Government-Industry Data Exchange Program (GIDEP)
- Item Reduction Program (during sustainment)
- Support ADUSD/Supply Chain Integration in addressing counterfeit parts

# *Counterfeit Reporting*

- GIDEP is the Federal Government Focal Point for Collecting Counterfeit and Suspect Counterfeit Information
- Commerce Dept Study shows over 9,000 counterfeit parts discovered in 2008
- GIDEP received reports of only 88 parts
- Solving this problem will take information sharing

# *"Barriers" to Submitting Suspect Counterfeit Reports*

- “Legal counsel does not permit”
  - One Defense Contractor’s legal counsel participating in AIA IPT has stated no legal issues to reporting and have never been sued.
- “Do not want to damage supplier relations”
  - Honest suppliers will work with you to get to root of problem and show they are honest.
- Do not want to appear to “have a counterfeit problem”
  - Being upfront is better than hiding the problem

## *Take Aways*

- GIDEP staff can teach how best to deal with reporting Suspect Counterfeit incidents.
- Greater focus by DoD, GAO, the news media, and Industry. Sharing through GIDEP (by all) is best way to head off the problem.
  - Any single QA shop has 15% chance of discovering Suspect Counterfeits

# *What Is Parts Management?*

- Selecting parts during weapon system design
- Analyzing parts for reliability, availability, and quality
  - Mitigating DMSMS (obsolescence) is critical
- Screening for common usage
- Reducing the number of unique parts
- Qualifying products

# *Diminishing Manufacturing Sources & Material Shortages Defined*

- "The loss or impending loss of manufacturers of items or suppliers of items or raw materials."
  
- Traditional Areas of DMSMS
  - Electronics with short production cycles (Intel Pentium II)
  - Single (or multiple) defense supplier goes out of business
  - Defense-Unique manufacturing process for legacy systems
  - Long Life Cycle Defense Systems (1940 gun barrels)
  
- Newer Areas of DMSMS
  - COTS embedded systems with no breakout BOM
  - Lead-Free Electronics or Hazardous Chemicals with no known substitute (RoHS)
  
- Future Areas facing DMSMS
  - Other Policy Initiatives (REACH, WEE)
  - Counterfeit Parts
  - Failing domestic manufacturing supply base

# *DMSMS Tenets*

- Prioritization of Solutions
  - Parts Supply
  - Aftermarket
  - Emulation
  - Redesign
- Enable Programs to Proactively Manage DMSMS throughout the entire Life Cycle of the Weapon System
- Develop Effective Metrics to support OSD Program Assessment Reviews
- Support the Collaboration and Sharing of DMSMS Case Resolution Results

# *OSD DMSMS Strategy*

## ➤ Mission

- The mission of DMSMS Management is to provide techniques, tools, policies and training that facilitate pro-active management practices across all Services and Agencies

## ➤ Vision

- Be the recognized leader within DOD and the Defense Industry for providing collaborative and cost effective DMSMS management and solutions

## ➤ Goals

- Ensure effective DMSMSM management by delivering available and affordable defense systems
- Ensure a sufficient and well educated DMSMS workforce
- Develop a complete and collaborative DMSMS enterprise serving the U.S. and coalition forces
- Ensure efficient DMSMS leadership by promoting best practices across Services and Agencies

# *DMSMS Guidebook (SD-22)*

- **Introduction**
- **Encompassing Total Life Cycle System Management and Performance Based Logistics Tenets**
- **Establishing a DMSMS Program**
  - Determining Level of Involvement
  - Implementation Intensity Levels
  - Selection of Practices
  - Key Program Elements to Consider
  - Program Implementation
  - DMSMS Management Program Elements
  - Bill of Materials (BOM) Development
  - Resolution Alternative by Acquisition Life Cycle Phase
  - Resolution Definitions
  - Continuous Modernization
  - Microcircuit Emulation program
  - Shared Data Warehouse
  - DMSMS Knowledge Sharing Portal
  - DMSMS Training Resources
- **Analyzing Results**
  - OSD Tracking and Accounting for DMSMS Programs
  - Resolution Cost Trade-Off Studies
  - Cost Avoidance
  - Business Case Analysis
  - Funding Impact versus Time
  - Performance Measures
  - Operations Impact Analysis (OIA)
  - Platform Readiness Status
  - Performance Measures
  - Design Interface Criteria Evaluation
  - DMSMS Progress Indicator
- **Appendixes**
  - Acronyms
  - Contract Language Examples
  - Assessment of DMSMS Resolution Alternatives
  - Design Interface Evaluation Criteria
  - Commercial Off the Shelf Guidance
  - DMSMS Assessment Guide
  - References

# *DMSMS Program Activities*

- Launched DMSMS Knowledge Sharing Portal
- Developed five DMSMS computer based training courses
  - Content vetted through DMSMS Working Group
  - Defense Acquisition University Continuous Learning Center
- Developed DMSMS Plan Builder available on Army SYSPARS
- Support the Shared Data Warehouse
  - Army
  - USMC
  - Navy
  - Air Force
  - DLA
  - GIDEP
- Participate in future DABS reviews
  - DAES Reports process explicitly includes DMSMS

# *Benefits of Parts Management*

- Cost avoidance
- Enhanced logistics readiness and interoperability
- Increased supportability and safety of systems and equipment
- Improved Warfighter support
- Reduced acquisition lead-time
- Benefits government and industry

# *Short History of Parts Management*

- The days of MIL-STD-965
- Acquisition Reform
- ADUSD(LPP) Tasking to Reengineer Program
- Parts Management Reengineering Working Group (PMRWG)
- Parts Management Reengineering Implementation Process Team (PMRIPT)
- Parts Standardization and Management Committee (PSMC)

# *Top Three PMRWG Recommendations*

- Revitalize parts management within systems engineering
- Make parts management a policy and a contractual requirement
- Develop improved parts management tools and metrics

# *Warfighter Support*

## Parts Management:

- Ensures optimum part is used in a design
  - quality, reliability, availability, logistical, and cost
- Provides Warfighter a more reliable, available, and maintainable weapon system
- Ensures the logistics community has a better understanding of the part and its application
- Provides metrics that relate parts management decisions to increases in readiness and ROI

# *Where are we going?*

- Coordinate directive parts management memorandum for AT&L signature
- Finish the reengineering implementation tasks
  - Support OSD/Systems Engineering's revitalization
  - Provide appropriate guidance and education
  - Develop helpful tools

# What Happens When You Don't Standardize



Photo of 10% of the 5000 Different Batteries Used by DoD<sup>22</sup>

# Back Up Material

# *History of Parts Management*

- 1977: MIL-STD-965, Parts Control Program**
- 1983: SECDEF Weinberger Spare Parts Acq memo**
- 1984: DEPSECDEF Taft DoD Parts Control memo**
- 1994: SECDEF Perry Acquisition Reform memo**
- 1996: MIL-HDBK-965, Parts Management Program**
- 2000: MIL-HDBK-512, Parts Management**
- 2004: Begin Re-engineering DoD Processes**

# *DSP Automation Toolset*

- DSP Web Site -- <http://dsp.dla.mil>
- Acquisition Streamlining & Standardization Information System (ASSIST)
  - <http://assist.daps.dla.mil> (password needed)
  - <http://assist.daps.dla.mil/quicksearch> (no password)
  - [www.assistdocs.com](http://www.assistdocs.com) (no password needed)
- Weapon System Impact Tool (WSIT)
- Qualified Products Database

# *2009 DMSMS and Standardization Conference*



- *September 21 - 24, 2009*
- *Rosen Centre Hotel - Orlando, FL*
- *<http://www.dmsms-stdz2009.com>*