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Enterprise Architecture: Integrated Global Information



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Overview

- **Integrated Global Information**
- **Federal CIO Architecture**
- **Air Force Business Modernization and Business Enterprise Architecture**



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Integrated Global Information

- **Access to information--
worldwide, robust, real-time,
24/7/365, protected, scaleable,
assured**
- **Seamless information exchange**
- **Responsible data stewardship**
- **One single, centrally-governed
enterprise infrastructure**

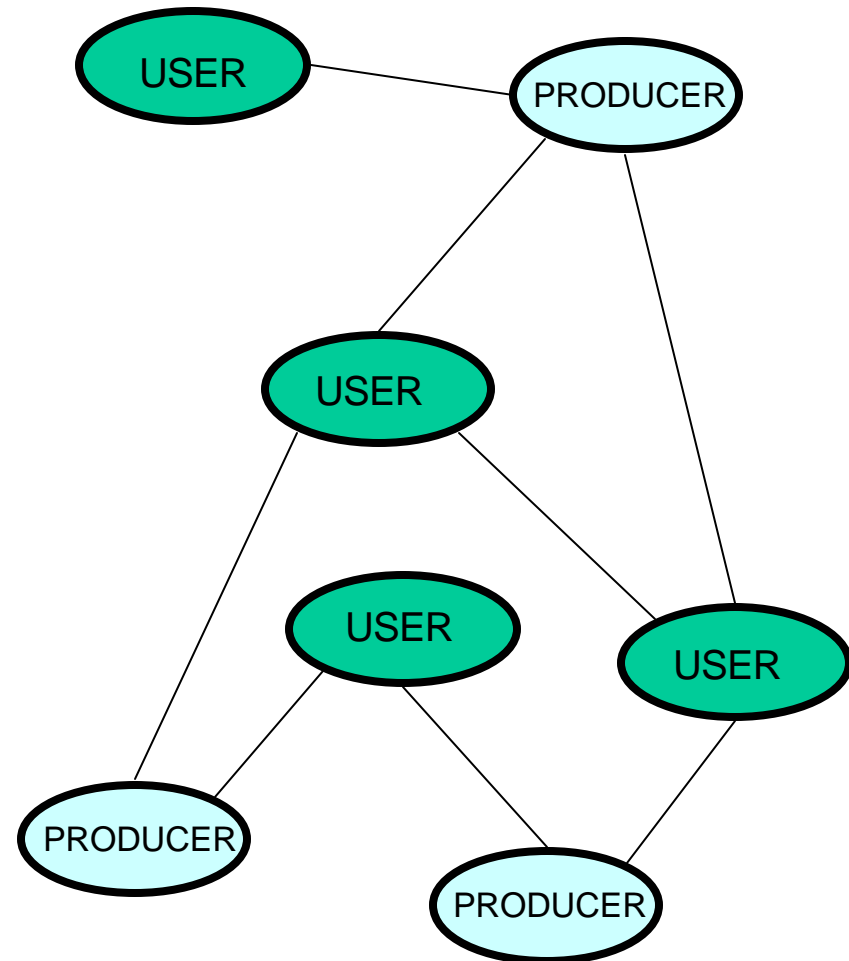




Current Environment

Today

- Redundant tools / formats / functions / “official” sources
- Difficulty finding useful information
- Collaboration efforts not clearly defined
- Information stewardship immature
- No consistency towards accuracy, timeliness, and validity
- Point-to-point communications leave some “out of loop”



Fragmented Information

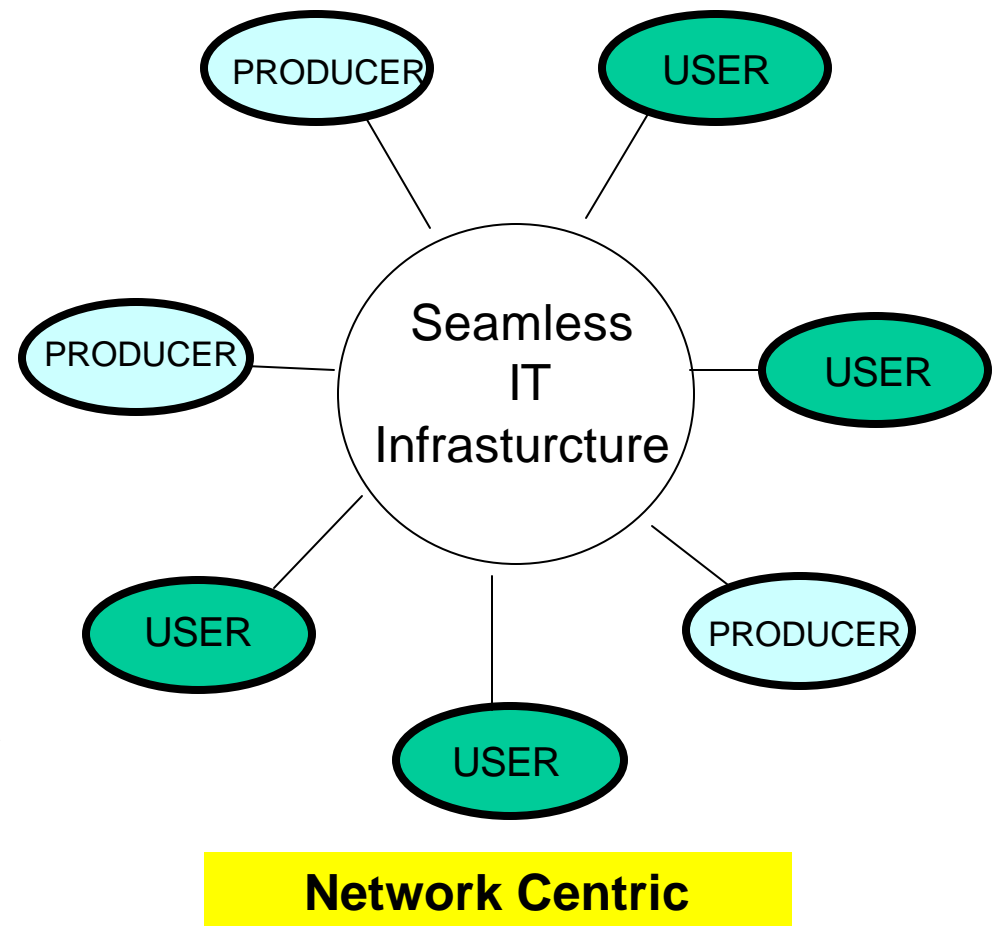


Future Direction

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Vision

- Publish/Subscribe approach to information sharing
- Common/standardized formats, tools and terminology
- Integrated infrastructure - "single" log-on
- Data Owners/Stewards providing authoritative sources
- Accurate, timely, trusted information readily available
- Enter data once - use it many times





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Federal CIO Council Architecture Objectives

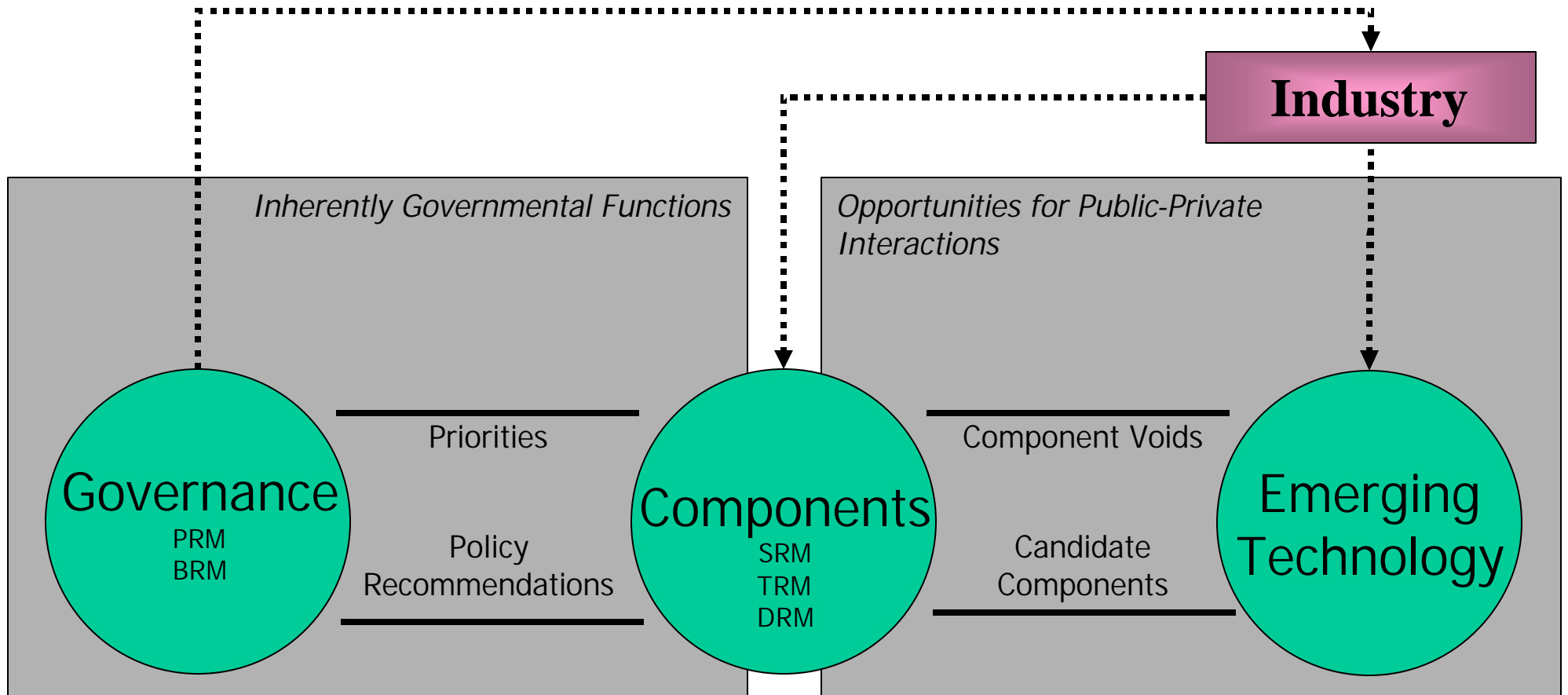
- **Integrate OMB and CIOC Architecture Efforts**
- **Develop (simpler) and Consistent Taxonomy and Terminology**
- **Facilitate Cross-agency efforts: common meta data, tools**
- **Oversee “operationalization” of architecture efforts**

A new subcommittee structure was developed to support these objectives



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Architecture and Infrastructure Committee Interrelationships





Enterprise Architectures (EA)

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Federal Enterprise Architecture (FEA)

DoD/Joint Enterprise (GIG, DoD-BEA)

AF Enterprise

 = "Sub-Enterprise" Architectures

AF Enterprise Architecture

C4ISR
WAR FIGHTING
ENTERPRISE
ARCHITECTURE

Business &
Combat Support
Enterprise
Architecture
(BEA)

Military-unique Infrastructure
Infostructure Enterprise Architecture
Common Use Infrastructure

INTEGRATED
ARCHITECTURES
(e.g., CONOPs; C2C
SIAP; GCSS; etc.)

Install & Log Personnel Finance Mgt Acquisition IAC Health Svs
Combat Ops Mobility Ops Space Ops Mod & Sim Special Ops Weather Air Traffic Mgt

AF Warfighting/Mission Support Architectures

Program/Node Architectures

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AF Enterprise Architecture Activities/Accomplishments

POLICY & GUIDANCE

- Policy Memos (Ent Arch; Web Enabling Technologies, Win2K migration; data strategy; XML registration; ...)
- Architecture Guidance Memos (Authentication; Standards vis-à-vis standardization;...)
- Discussion Papers (15 different topics)
- AF Policy Directive Drafts, AFPD 92-x (IRM; Enterprise Architecture)
- AF Data/Info Strategy PM draft (IAW DoD Net-Centric Data Strategy)

GOVERNANCE

- Enterprise Arch Integration Council (EAIC) stand-up & ops secretariat
 - Mission/Mission Support Architecture Councils guidance/oversight
 - Classified Integration Council (SAR/SAP Archs)
 - Collaboration with OSD, OMB, GAO, etc
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SECAF's BMMP Direction

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- **Charters Air Force Business Modernization & Systems Integration (AF BMSI) Office**
 - **Provide policy, direction, and integration for AF business enterprise solutions**
 - **Focal point for business management modernization to all external organizations**
- **Defines governance structure**



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AF Business Enterprise Architecture (AF BEA)

- **Purpose:**
 - Provide structured description of the enterprise against which to make decisions and manage resources
- **Scope:**
 - AF-wide business and combat support processes
 - Focus on BEA portion of AF Ref Models
 - Provide guidance to AF Architecture Councils
- **Uses:**
 - Integrates view of enterprise business activities
 - Describes lines of business
 - Determine roles of all functionals in each domain
 - Communicate intended future state (target)
 - Link investments to enterprise strategy
 - Inform, guide, and constrain decisions to reach target



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AF BEA Development Methodology



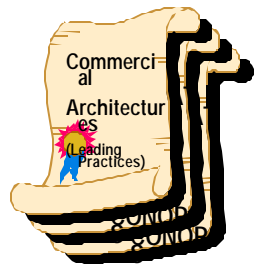
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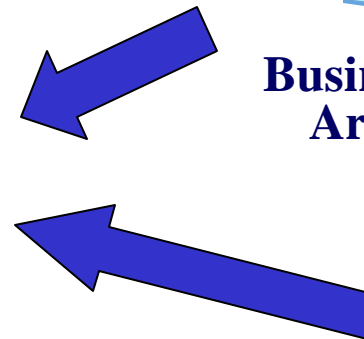
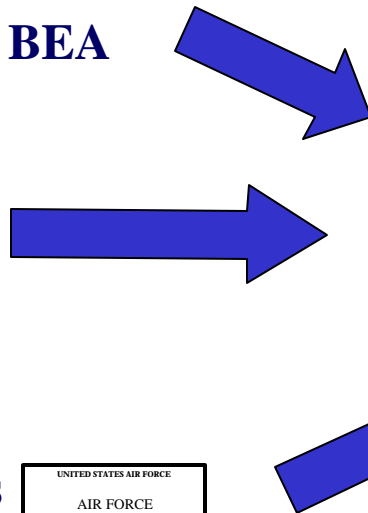
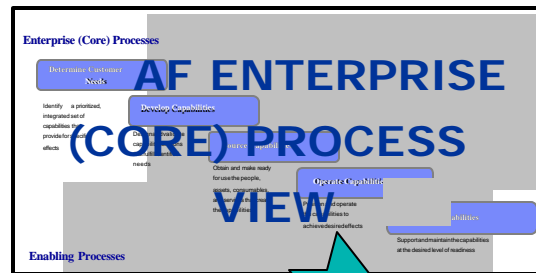
DoD BEA



Business Domain Architectures



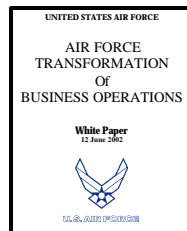
Commercial Architectures



- ✓ AF Combat Support (Core Process Aligned)
- ✓ AF Business Enabling Support
- ✓ AF Governing Support



AF TFP

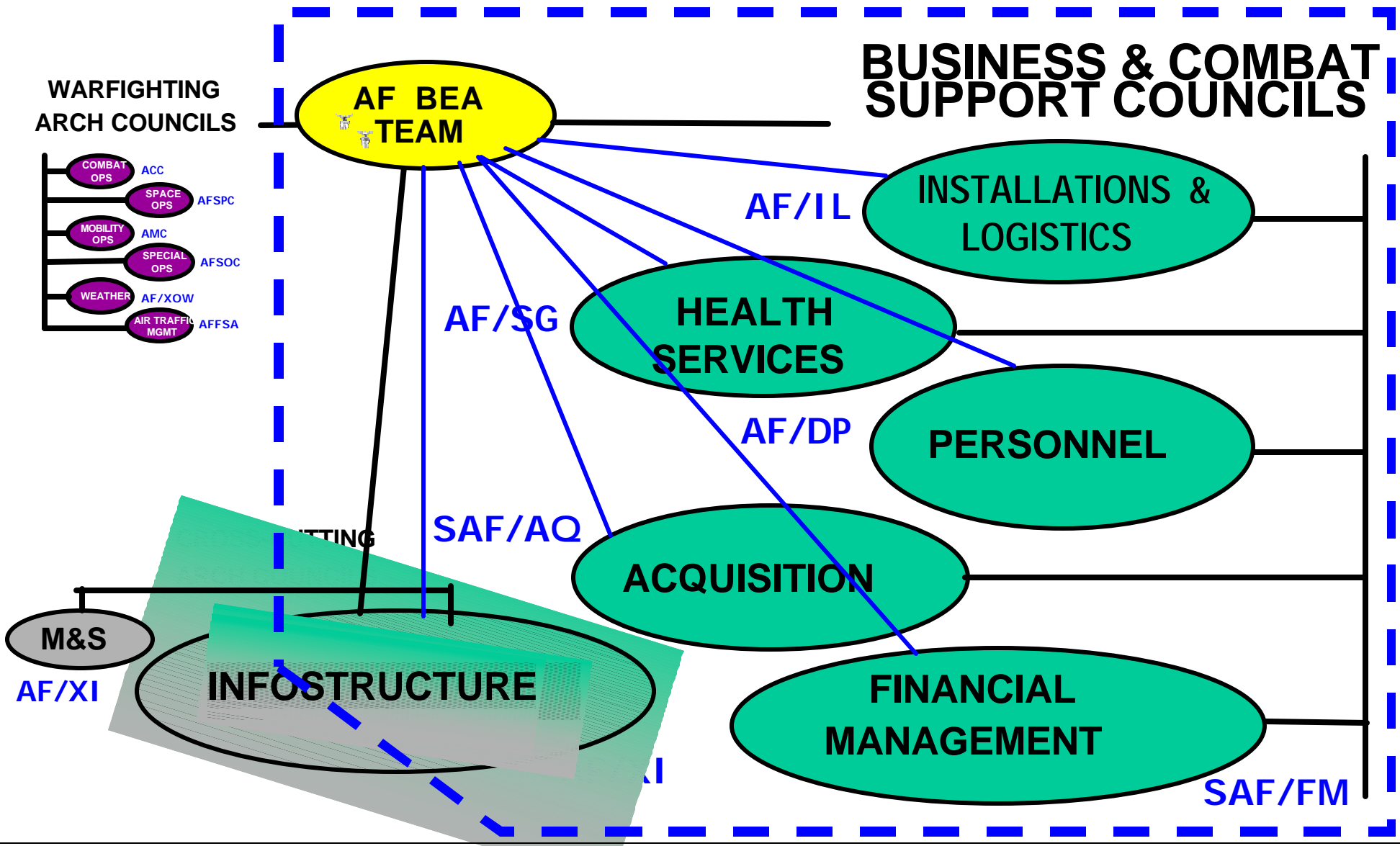


Business Transformation White Paper



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AF BEA will Leverage Existing Business Councils





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AF BEA Benefits

- **Provides a clear picture of mission, strategies, business processes and supporting technology across the enterprise**
- **Underpins a change control process over IT projects**
- **Enables reuse, reduces duplication of effort, and leverages economies of scale**
- **Promotes information and knowledge sharing**
- **Communicates standards and guidance**



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The End Game



The *right* information at the *right* time disseminated and displayed in the *right* way so...

Commanders and Warfighters can do the *right* things at the *right* time in the *right* way

And do it all faster than the other guy:
Information Superiority...Decision Dominance

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BACKUP

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Enterprise Architecture Governance Subcommittee

- **Subcommittee Mission:**
 - **Develop policy, direction and guidance by which the Federal Enterprise Architecture (FEA) is a driver of business process improvement, investment management, and technical decisions in order to institutionalize the FEA throughout Government**
 - **Assist in implementing the FEA and other Enterprise Architectures (EAs) throughout Government**
- **Three Subcommittee Goals:**
 - 1. Integrate EA into the Government's management processes**
 - 2. Define the alignment of department/agency EAs with the FEA**
 - 3. Describe how the FEA will facilitate the connection of State and Local EAs to Federal business lines and agency architectures**



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Components Subcommittee

■ Subcommittee Mission:

- Foster the identification, maturation, and re-use of enterprise architecture components and component-based enterprise architectures in Government**

■ Subcommittee Goal:

- Facilitate cross-Agency development and implementation of enterprise architecture components**

An Enterprise Architecture Component is defined as *"a self contained business process or service with predetermined functionality that may be exposed through a business or technology interface."*

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Emerging Technology Subcommittee

■ Subcommittee Mission:

- Coordinate and guide technology tracking efforts of the federal government. Accelerate the implementation of commercially-developed technology resolving common challenges**

■ Subcommittee Goals:

- 1. To provide a clearinghouse function between industry and agencies**
- 2. To help discover and close technological gaps in the federal business and technology infrastructure**