

Global Command and Control Systems-13 (GCCS-13) Initiatives

Description

The GCCS-13 is a Joint program that is designed to enhance the operational Commander's intelligence situation awareness through the use of a standard set of integrated, linked tools and services that maximize commonality and interoperability across the tactical, theater, and national communities. The GCCS-13 operates in Joint and Service-specific battlespace and is interoperable, transportable and compliant with the Defense Information Infrastructure Common Operating Environment (DII COE).

Operational Impact

The operational effectiveness of each program is affected with GCCS-13 changes since GCCS-13 is the baseline software for each program. GCCS-13 allows for the processing, analysis, and dissemination of intelligence between those systems it supports. Therefore, any changes to the software baseline affects the overall operational effectiveness with respect to interoperability and Service unique applications

Each program below, using GCCS-13 as its core software, will benefit in improved operational effectiveness:

- Technical Control and Analysis Center (TCAC)
- Topographic Production Capability (TPC)
- Tactical Exploitation Group (TEG)
- Counter Intelligence/Human Intelligence (HUMINT) Equipment Program (CIHEP)
- Tactical Combat Operations (TCO)
- Tactical Remote Sensor System (TRSS)
- Joint Surveillance Target Attack Radar System (JSTARS)
- Coastal Battlefield Reconnaissance and Analysis (COBRA)
- Tactical Electronic Reconnaissance Processing and Evaluation System (TERPES)
- Advanced Field Artillery Tactical Data System (AFATDS)

Program Status

The GCCS-13 Initiative is a new start program entering its first year of funding in FY02. The long-term goal of this program is to achieve an integrated, fully interoperable Marine Corps Intelligence System-of-Systems. The short - term goal is to establish a process and a corresponding set of procedures designed to allow PM Intel to make smart procurement decisions in its efforts toward achieving the long term goal. The GCCS-13 effort is divided into four missions. They are Administration and Facility Infrastructure Support,

Configuration Management (CM), Science and Technology Engineering Support (S&TES), and the Integration Support Team (IST). Each area has a specific mission responsibility with overlapping responsibilities in other areas.

Procurement Profile	FY02	FY03
Quantity:	0	0

Developer/Manufacturer Joint GCCS-13 Program Office