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Army Science and Technology Master Plan - United States. Department of the Army 1998

Department of Defense appropriations for 2004 - United States. Congress. House. Committee on Appropriations. Subcommittee on Department of Defense 2004

Battlefield Automation: Army Land Warrior Program Acquisition Strategy May Be Too Ambitious - 1996

In November 1995, the General Accounting Office (GAO) reported to the Congress on the Army's efforts to automate a number of battlefield functions through creation of a vast network of computers, sensors, and communications systems that would provide a common, simultaneous picture of the battlefield from soldier to commander. More recently, GAO examined the Army's Land Warrior soldier system, estimated to cost in excess of \$1.4 billion, and its role in the 'digital' battlefield. The objectives for this report were to: (1) determine the status of various technology and human factor problems associated with system development; (2) evaluate the acquisition strategy for the Land Warrior system; and (3) assess plans to integrate the system with the digital battlefield. The Army developed the Land Warrior program to improve the lethality, mobility, survivability, command and control, and sustainability of infantry soldiers on the battlefield through the integration of a variety of components and technologies. Under the Land Warrior program, the Army is developing a computer/radio, software, integrated headgear (including an imaging display), weapon subsystem, and protective clothing and equipment to be integrated on the individual soldier. When developed, this equipment is expected to allow soldiers to interface electronically with other battlefield systems. The Army also plans to include a number of additional technologies later that are intended to further enhance the soldier's battlefield performance.

Digital War - William Merrin 2018-07-27

Digital War offers a comprehensive overview of the impact of digital technologies upon the military, the media, the global public and the concept of 'warfare' itself. This introductory textbook explores the range of uses of digital technology in contemporary warfare and conflict. The book begins with the 1991 Gulf War, which showcased post-Vietnam technological developments and established a new model of close military and media management. It explores how this model was reapplied in Kosovo (1999), Afghanistan (2001) and Iraq (2003), and how, with the Web 2.0 revolution, this informational control broke down. New digital technologies allowed anyone to be an informational producer leading to the emergence of a new mode of 'participative war', as seen in Gaza, Iraq and Syria.

The book examines major political events of recent times, such as 9/11 and the War on Terror and its aftermath. It also considers how technological developments such as unmanned drones and cyberwar have impacted upon global conflict and explores emerging technologies such as soldier-systems, exo-skeletons, robotics and artificial intelligence and their possible future impact. This book will be of much interest to students of war and media, security studies, political communication, new media, diplomacy and IR in general.

Energy-Efficient Technologies for the Dismounted Soldier - Committee on Electric Power for the Dismounted Soldier 1998-01-13

This book documents electric power requirements for the dismounted soldier on future Army battlefields, describes advanced energy concepts, and provides an integrated assessment of technologies likely to affect limitations and needs in the future. It surveys technologies associated with both supply and demand including: energy sources and systems; low power electronics and design; communications, computers, displays, and sensors; and networks, protocols, and operations. Advanced concepts discussed are predicated on continued development by the Army of soldier systems similar to the Land Warrior system on which the committee bases its projections on energy use. Finally, the volume proposes twenty research objectives to achieve energy goals in the 2025 time frame.

Department of Defense Appropriations for 2006 - United States. Congress. House. Committee on Appropriations. Subcommittee on Department of Defense 2006

Department of Defense Authorization for Appropriations for Fiscal Year 2000 and the Future Years Defense Program - United States. Congress. Senate. Committee on Armed Services 1999

Sensor Technology for Soldier Systems - Patrick R. Snow 1998

This collection of works on sensor technology for soldier systems includes papers on audio sensors and low-complexity recognition technology, electronic compass and vertical angle measurement sensors, laser sensor technology and many others.

Advances in Military Textiles and Personal Equipment - E Sparks 2012-07-13

The right clothing and equipment is of vital importance to the survival and effectiveness of military personnel. *Advances in military textiles and personal equipment* summarises key research on the design, manufacture and applications of military textiles. Beginning with an overview of design issues, part one explores anthropometric methods, psychological, colour and camouflage issues related to the successful design of military textiles. Materials and design issues in military helmets, footwear and hand wear are also reviewed. Part two goes on to consider applications of particular types of military clothing and equipment, including

optimisation of body armour design, high performance ballistic protection using polymer nanocomposite technology as well as advances in materials and modelling of chemical, biological, radiological and nuclear protective clothing. Finally, Advances in military textiles and personal equipment looks specifically at designing load carriage and advanced hydration systems for military personnel. With its distinguished editor and international team of expert contributors, Advances in military textiles and personal equipment is an invaluable resource for all those working in the design, manufacture and production of military clothing and equipment, as well as for the defence industry itself. Summarises key research on the design, manufacture and applications of military textiles Begins with an overview of the issues related to the successful design of military textiles and reviews materials and design issues in military helmets, footwear and hand wear Sections consider applications of particular types of military clothing and equipment, including optimisation of body armour design, and discusses advances in materials and modelling of chemical, biological, radiological and nuclear protective clothing

Weapon Systems - 2002

Weapon Systems, U. S. Army, 1996 - DIANE Publishing Company

Provides an overview of the major weapons systems & support equipment the Army is currently developing or has fielded. Sections include: project and sustain; protect the force; win the information war; conduct precision strikes; & dominate the maneuver battle. Over 100 color photos & drawings. Each weapon system described in detail as to mission, characteristics, foreign counterpart, program status, projected activities, & prime contractor. Appendices: contractors by system, contractors by state, points of contact & an index. Comprehensive!

Department of Defense Appropriations for 2000 - United States. Congress. House. Committee on Appropriations. Subcommittee on Department of Defense 2004

Tactical Display for Soldiers - National Research Council 1997-01-17

This book examines the human factors issues associated with the development, testing, and implementation of helmet-mounted display technology in the 21st Century Land Warrior System. Because the framework of analysis is soldier performance with the system in the full range of environments and missions, the book discusses both the military context and the characteristics of the infantry soldiers who will use the system. The major issues covered include the positive and negative effects of such a display on the local and global situation awareness of the individual soldier, an analysis of the visual and psychomotor factors associated with each design feature, design considerations for auditory displays, and physical sources of stress and the implications of the display for affecting the soldier's workload. The book proposes an innovative approach to research and testing based on a three-stage strategy that begins in the laboratory, moves to controlled field studies, and culminates in operational testing.

Army Logistician - 2000

The official magazine of United States Army logistics.

Army - 1994

Weapon Systems - 1994

Army RD & A Bulletin - 1995-05

Army Science And Technology Master Plan 2001, Volume 1, January 2001 - 2001

Improving Federal Financial Management - United States. Congress. Senate. Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs. Subcommittee on Federal Financial Management, Government Information, Federal Services, and International Security 2008

The United States Army ... Modernization Plan - 2003

Infantry - 2007

Training Lessons Learned on Sights and Devices in the Land Warrior (LW) Weapon Subsystem - 1999

The Land Warrior (LW) system is the Army's future system for the individual soldier. The LW consists of five subsystems, with the weapon subsystem the focus of the training research. The training of two platoons in preparation for a LW operational test was observed. Four sights and devices were trained (the close combat optic, two aiming lights, and the thermal weapon sight), plus a bore light. The training adequately prepared the soldiers to qualify on the M4 carbine with the close combat optic and the thermal weapon sight. Qualification standards were extremely difficult to achieve with the aiming lights on the M4, due to environmental conditions typical of Army ranges, not to lack of firer expertise. A standardized technique for boresighting all the devices was developed. Diagnostic skills needed by trainers and soldiers to effectively hit targets with each device were identified. The findings have immediate applicability to the Army, as the devices are currently being fielded. The report describes what contributes to quality training on the devices, and what should be integrated into marksmanship programs of instruction, technical manuals, and the training and doctrine literature.

Army RD & A Bulletin - 1999-07

Army Science and Technology Master Plan - United States Department of the Army 1998

Meeting the Energy Needs of Future Warriors - National Research Council 2004-10-01

The central characteristic of the evolution of the combat soldier in recent years is an increasingly sophisticated array of sensing, communications, and related electronics for use in battlefield situations. The most critical factor for maintaining this evolution will be the development of power supply systems capable of operating those electronics effectively for missions up to 72 hours long. To address the challenge, it is important that new approaches be sought on how to integrate and power these electronics. To assist in addressing this problem, the Army requested the National Research Council to review the state of the art and to recommend technologies that will support the rapid development of effective power systems for the future warrior. This report presents the results of that review. It provides an assessment of various technology options for different power level requirements, power system design, and soldier energy sinks. The report also describes future design concepts, focusing on low-power systems. Recommendations for technology development and system design are presented.

Honorable Warrior - Lewis Sorley 1998

A man of extraordinary inner strength and patriotic devotion, General Harold K.

Johnson was a soldier's officer, loved by his men and admired by his peers for his leadership, courage, and moral convictions. Lewis Sorley's biography provides a fitting testament to this remarkable man and his dramatic rise from obscurity to become LBJ's Army Chief of Staff during the Vietnam War. A native of North Dakota, Johnson survived more than three grueling years as a POW under the Japanese during World War II before serving brilliantly as a field commander in the Korean War, for which he was awarded the Distinguished Service Cross for "extraordinary heroism." The latter experiences led to a series of high-level positions that culminated in his appointment as Army chief in 1964 and a cover story in Time magazine. What followed should have been the most rewarding period of Johnson's military career. Instead, it proved to be a nightmare, as he quickly became mired in the politics and ordeal of a very misguided war. Johnson fundamentally disagreed with the three men—LBJ, Secretary of Defense Robert McNamara, and General William Westmoreland—running our war in Vietnam. He was sharply critical of LBJ's piecemeal policy of gradual escalation and his failure to mobilize the national will or call up the reserves. He was equally despondent over Westmoreland's now infamous search-and-destroy tactics and reliance on body counts to measure success in Vietnam. By contrast, he advocated greater emphasis on cutting the North's supply lines, helping the South Vietnamese provide for their own internal defenses, and sustaining a truly legitimate government in the South. Unheeded, he nevertheless continued to work behind the scenes to correct the nation's flawed approach to the war. Sorley's study adds immeasurably to our understanding of the Vietnam War. It also provides an inspiring account of principled leadership at a time when the American military is seeking to recover the very kinds of moral values exemplified by Harold K. Johnson. As such, it presents a profound morality tale for our own era.

Technology and Touch - A. Cranny-Francis 2013-11-12

Technology and Touch addresses the development of a range of new touch technologies, both technologies that we reach out to touch and technologies that touch us, by exploring how we use touch to connect with and understand our world, and ourselves.

Department of Defense Appropriations for 2003 - United States. Congress. House. Committee on Appropriations. Subcommittee on Department of Defense 2004

Acquisition: Acquisition of the Army Land Warrior System - 2002

This report concerns those managers who are specifically involved in the management, support, and oversight of DoD acquisition programs. The Land Warrior System is a first generation integrated fighting system for dismounted combat soldiers. The Land Warrior System is intended to enhance the lethality, command and control, survivability, mobility, and sustainability of individual soldiers and infantry units and is intended to be fully interoperable with the digital command and control of other platforms. The Land Warrior System's capabilities contribute to the Joint Vision 2010 operational concept of situational awareness and dominant maneuvering by dismounted forces. Funding for the Land Warrior System is \$497.3 million for research, development, test and evaluation and \$1,940.4 million for procurement. The Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition, Technology, and Logistics (the Under Secretary), the acquisition milestone authority, designated the Land Warrior System as an acquisition category I program on May 29, 2002, because the Land Warrior Program meets the requirements for an acquisition category I program based on estimated research, development, test, and evaluation costs.

Defence Industrial Base 2025 - Prof S K Palhan 2010-07-22

Revolution in military affairs has made armaments/weapons a major component of defence capability. The exponential growth of technology has resulted in the cutting edge being eroded very rapidly necessitating constant up gradation / replacement of defence hardware. Apart from government policies and capital intensiveness the DIB also has to view production and technology management procedures, research and development base, and human resource development for its sustenance. This book examines the technological life cycle of defence equipment and enumerates the experience and practices followed by some developed countries towards creating a vibrant defence industrial base. This is followed by an analysis of policies with regard to Defence Expenditure, Defence Acquisition and offset clauses for Import. The present status of Indian DIB, Research and Development Infrastructure, Ordnance factories and other Science and Technology agencies too has been elucidated to arrive at what is presently available. The sectoral requirements in terms of capability required by our land, sea and air forces have also been identified to include Electronic and Cyber Warfare domain.

Army RD & A. - 1999

Professional publication of the RD & A community.

Army Science And Technology Master Plan 2001, Volume 2 Annexes, January 2001 - 2001

Department of Defense Appropriations for 2000: Army acquisitions programs - United States. Congress. House. Committee on Appropriations. Subcommittee on Department of Defense 2003

Military Gadgets - Nicholas D. Evans 2004

Coalition soldiers in the war in Iraq had access to the most extraordinary array of high-tech weapons ever created. 'Military Gadgets' introduces over 100 of today's most exciting and advanced military technologies.

Training Lessons Learned on Sights and Devices in the Land Warrior (LW) Weapon Subsystem - Jean L. Dyer 1999

"The Land Warrior (LW) system is the Army's future system for the individual soldier. The LW consists of five subsystems, with the weapon subsystem the focus of the training research. The training of two platoons in preparation for a LW operational test was observed. Four sights and devices were trained (the close combat optic, two aiming lights, and the thermal weapon sight), plus a bore light. The training adequately prepared the soldiers to qualify on the M4 carbine with the close combat optic and the thermal weapon sight. Qualification standards were extremely difficult to achieve with the aiming lights on the M4, due to environmental conditions typical of Army ranges, not to lack of firer expertise. A standardized technique for boresighting all the devices was developed. Diagnostic skills needed by trainers and soldiers to effectively hit targets with each device were identified. The findings have immediate applicability to the Army, as the devices are currently being fielded. The report describes what contributes to quality training on the devices, and what should be integrated into marksmanship programs of instruction, technical manuals, and the training and doctrine literature." -- Stinet.

Department of Defense Appropriations for 2006: Army recruiting and retention programs - United States. Congress. House. Committee on Appropriations. Subcommittee on Department of Defense 2006

Army Science Board Ad Hoc Study on Technology for the Future Land Warrior - 1994

This report documents the results of a study to identify high payoff technologies programs to overcome technical and system barriers, and to recommend appropriate demonstration projects. Near term high payoff technologies identified include the squad radio, global positioning systems, a continuous, positive pressure NBC mask blower, the AIM light, and a leg brace for parachutists called LEAP (Lower Extremity Assistance for Parachutist). Longer term technology programs identified include location and target detection, combined arms integration, lightweight power, improved airdrop, NBC and individual equipment, and advanced medical/trauma care. A demonstration program is recommended for each of the longer term-programs as a means to evaluate trade-offs among various technical solution. The report concludes that technology for the Land Warrior is available. Recently completed programs demonstrated that the use of technology for the soldier profoundly improves individual and squad capabilities. Careful planning and testing is needed to procure the right mix of equipment for an adequate number of soldiers to enhance capabilities at a reasonable cost.

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Defense acquisitions assessments of selected major weapon programs : report to congressional committees. - 2013

Chemical Heroes - Andrew Bickford 2020-12-11

In *Chemical Heroes* Andrew Bickford analyzes the US military's attempts to design performance enhancement technologies and create pharmacological "supersoldiers" capable of withstanding extreme trauma. Bickford traces the deep history of efforts to biologically fortify and extend the health and lethal power of soldiers from the Cold War era into the twenty-first century, from early adoptions of mandatory immunizations to bio-protective gear, to the development and spread of new performance enhancing drugs during the global War on Terrorism. In his examination of government efforts to alter soldiers' bodies through new technologies, Bickford invites us to contemplate what constitutes heroism when armor becomes built in, wired in, and even edited into the molecular being of an American soldier. Lurking in the background and dark recesses of all US military enhancement research, Bickford demonstrates, is the desire to preserve US military and imperial power.