



USMC M&S Standards Presentation

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2008 Standards Priorities/Goals

- **Background: Marine Corps does not lead any standard development areas**
 - **Focus is on leveraging activities taken by other services and industry**
 - **Emphasis today is to continue to maintain insight into major standards development efforts**

- **Marine Corps is expanding its use of distributed operations in support of MAGTF training while ensuring Integration, Interoperability, Interconnectivity, Compatibility (I3C)**
 - **Significant interest in the current LVCAR study and its potential impact on new distributed simulation standards**
 - **Marine Corps pursuing path to link aviation and ground training systems in support of both virtual and constructive training requirements**

- **Acquisition community goal is to use simulation to ensure C2 Harmonization**
 - **Uses DISA NETWARS as basis for connectivity**
 - **Needs to maintain insight into DISA roadmap and NETWARS development**



2008 Standards Issues

- **Current LVC environments are not inherently interoperable – LVCAR effort needs to define way ahead so Services can make necessary investments.**
- **DoD needs to continue to work to make standards visible across the Department**
- **DoD needs to continue efforts to institutionalize the effort to standardize metadata production and make it accessible across the Department**
- **Marine Corps needs to identify liaisons that will work with the other Services and DoD Agencies to gain needed awareness and insight into major M&S standards development**



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