



FCS Technology Insertion and Transition



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Ground Vehicle Systems and Support Equipment – For Today and Tomorrow



Current

- 70 ton main battle tank
- Unarmored Tactical
- 100% Manned Systems
- Conventional Power Trains
- Passive Suspension
- Steel Track
- Periscopes
- Conventional Armaments
- Point to point Voice Communication

Future

- 25-30 ton manned ground vehicle (FCS (BCT))
- Armored Tactical
- Combined Manned/
Unmanned Capabilities
- Hybrid Electric Systems w/
exportable power
- Active Suspension
- Segmented Band Track
- Indirect Vision Driving
- High Power (EM) and
Laser Weapons
- Shared Common Operating Picture
- Onboard Water Generation
- Fire-Resistant Fuels
- Laser Protection
- Diagnostics/prognostics
- Integrated C4ISR

Enabling the Current Force
Enabling the Future Force



RDECOM S&T Supporting FCS

Ground Vehicle Power and Mobility

Survivability

EGTL

ARMOR

GVPM
Programs

KE APS

Intelligent Systems

P&E SIL

RVT Overview

Water from Air

Autonomous Platform

CHALLENGES

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