

Team Defence Information

AI SWG

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Introductions



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**ARMY DIGITALISATION
PROJECT THEIA
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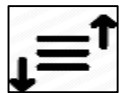
ECAB ENDORSED - DIGITALISATION

Do things differently to modernise; do different things to transform; think differently



Leadership in Digitisation is a national security priority

- *'The next war will be won in a hyperscale data centre by the side who can train algorithms the fastest' (Director Jt AI Centre, US DoD)*
- *'Algorithm competition will determine war-fighting superiority' (Li Minghai, PLA National Defence University).*



Setting and publicising priorities for digital transformation is essential

- *Our current efforts are disjointed, divergent and duplicative - multiple versions of the truth*
- *'Component-level responses to adversary action are achievable in 45 minutes, and need to be made in 5 minutes to be competitive' (US Futures Command Joint Warfare Assessment)*



We need to start valuing our data

- *85% of the Army's data – **the mineral ore of artificial intelligence** - is controlled by others*
- *We have four separate databases holding organisation and manning data*



The technology is the easy bit

- *'0% chance of realising breakthrough performance through Digital transformation if cultural change is not simultaneously addressed' (BCG 2019)*
- *The synergy of people and data will be the enduring priority*



Delivering transformation

- *Good ideas do not wait for planning rounds*
- *Architectures are key to alignment and the enterprise*
- *Lever and focus to our advantage*



What we are doing has been done by others

- *Google PageRank 1996; Amazon automated logistics 2012*
- *Maximise coherence with MoD; co-ord and co-op with oTLBs*
- *Build on our good work and initiatives*

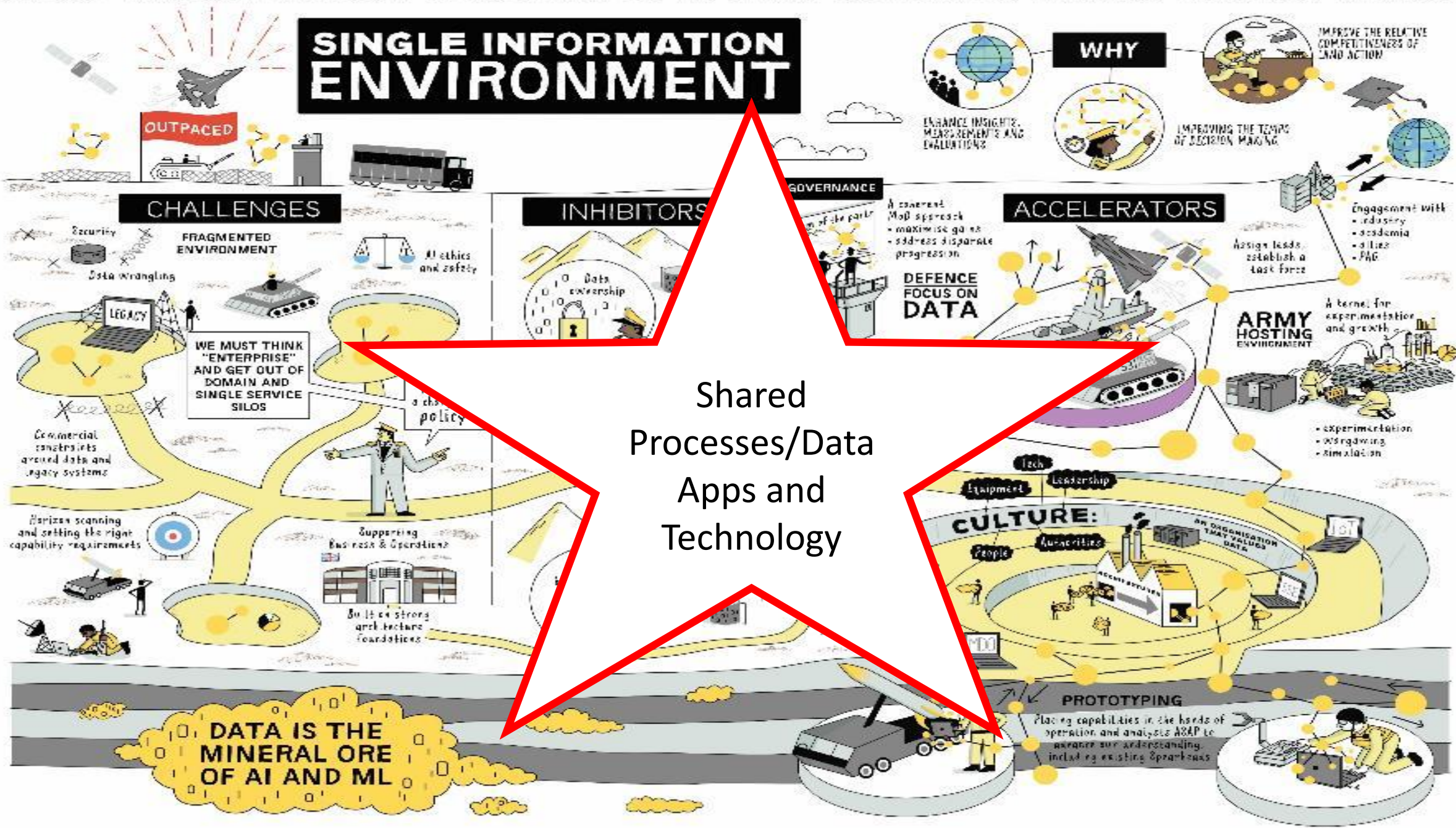
ARMY DIGITALISATION – LINES OF OPERATION

- Predictive maintenance – candidate lead D Sp.
- Machine C2 – candidate lead D Info.
- Global Status Control Tower / Army Readiness – candidate lead COS Fd Army.
- Robotic force multiplier – candidate lead D Cap.
- Bionic HR – candidate lead D Pers.
- APC processes – candidate lead HC.
- Persistent J2 understand – candidate lead D Info.
- Any sensor, Any effector, Any authorised decider – candidate lead D Cap.
- End to end secure logistics – candidate lead D Sp
- Automating the management of Military Transport – candidate lead DLW.

CONSISTENT THEMES FOR APPLICATION OF AI/ML AND AUTOMATION

- Pragmatically pursued as a potential solution to requirements
 - Expectation Management – seeing through the hype
 - Design-led, backed up with rigorous supporting S&T progra,
 - Clear requirement setting and management
 - Not treated as an E2E capability
 - Coherent Test and Reference
- Take the burden off the human and place it on the machine
 - Done where feasible and adding tangible benefit
 - Not pursued for its own sake
 - Human in/over the loop at all times
- Three SoS elements (agreed with MOD CSA):
 - *Data (critical – the ‘mineral ore’ to everything)*
 - *Architecture – clearly defined*
 - *Algorithms – what do we want from it and how is this tested/validated*
- Release criteria – technical, legal and ethical in combination
- Same principle apply to use in the homebase and deployed

SINGLE INFORMATION ENVIRONMENT



Director information

PROJECT THEIA: THE ARMY'S DIGITAL TRANSFORMATION

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THEIA

THEIA

-  Cloud Technology
-  RPA
-  Architectures
-  AI/ML

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TRANSFORMING
BATTLE-WINNING
INFORMATION CAPABILITY

INTEROPERABILITY

CONNECTIVITY

EASE OF USE

INTEGRATION

OPTIMAL
INFORMATION
CAPABILITY

NETWORK
AGILITY
& RESILIENCE

EFFICIENT
MANAGEMENT
OF CIS

REDUCED
COGNITIVE &
PHYSICAL BURDEN

INCREASING
SURVIVABILITY

SITUATIONAL AWARENESS & DECISION MAKING

SINGLE INFORMATION ENVIRONMENT

RESILIENCE

END
BENEFITS

IMPROVED
OPERATIONAL
EFFECTIVENESS

EFFICIENT, TIMELY
CAPABILITY DELIVERY

ENABLING:

BIG DATA

AI & ML

INCREASED TEMPO
OF OPERATIONS

CROSS DIMENSION
MANOEUVERE

EXPLOITATION
OF INTELLIGENCE
& TECHNOLOGY

INTEGRATED
INFORMATION
ADVANTAGE

OUTPACING
THE
THREAT

USER CENTRED

PROTOTYPING

COLLABORATION

VALUE FOR MONEY

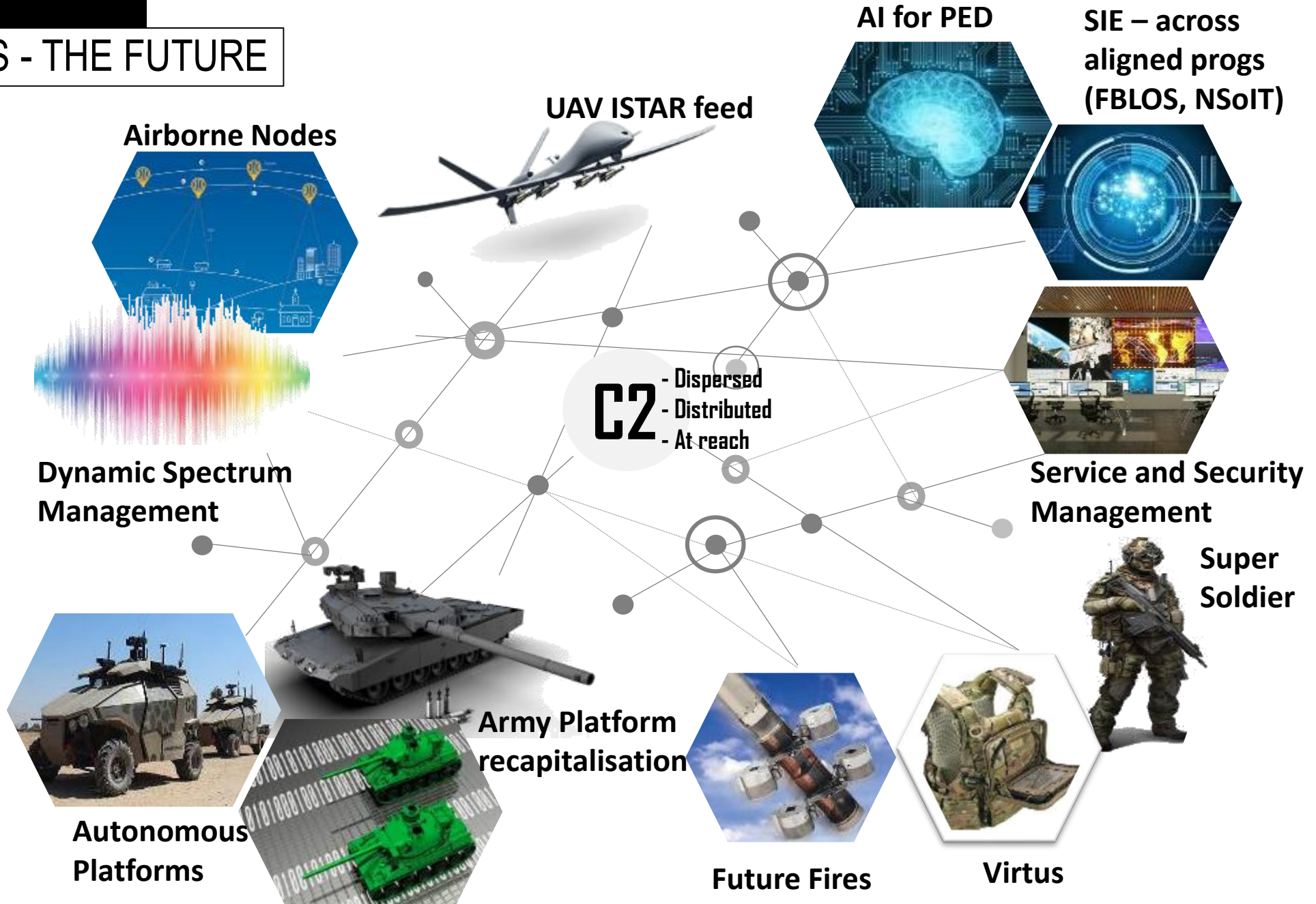
INCREASING EFFECTIVENESS

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NDRP/DC
NDR/C
TMINITY
DCA
JCMVT
DEARERS

2020 → 2030
CAPABILITY DROPS

2040 → 2050

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LAND ISTAR PROGRAMME

PROGRAMME OVERVIEW

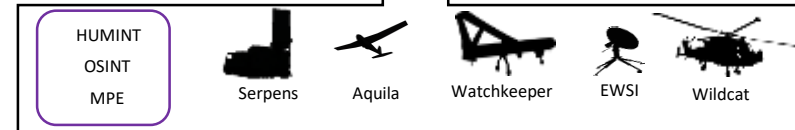
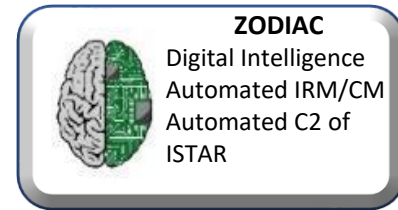
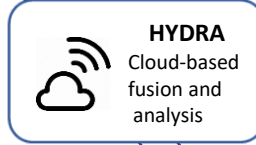


- ### Land ISTAR System Principles
- The core of the Land ISTAR system is the architecture required to process, evaluate and disseminate the data that it collects rapidly enough for it to be acted upon
 - It should always be operational and accessible from home and away to support all types of Land operations
 - It must be able to collect and cross reference information from the physical, virtual and cognitive domains
 - It should have the layering and mass required to operate successfully against environmental obstacles and the attempts of adversaries to defeat it
 - It must be able to exchange information with Defence, wider UK Government Departments and our allies

Joint and Allied ISR Sensors



- ### Sensors of Opportunity
- AJAX
 - MFP & LPS
 - GBAD
 - Cyber
 - Apache

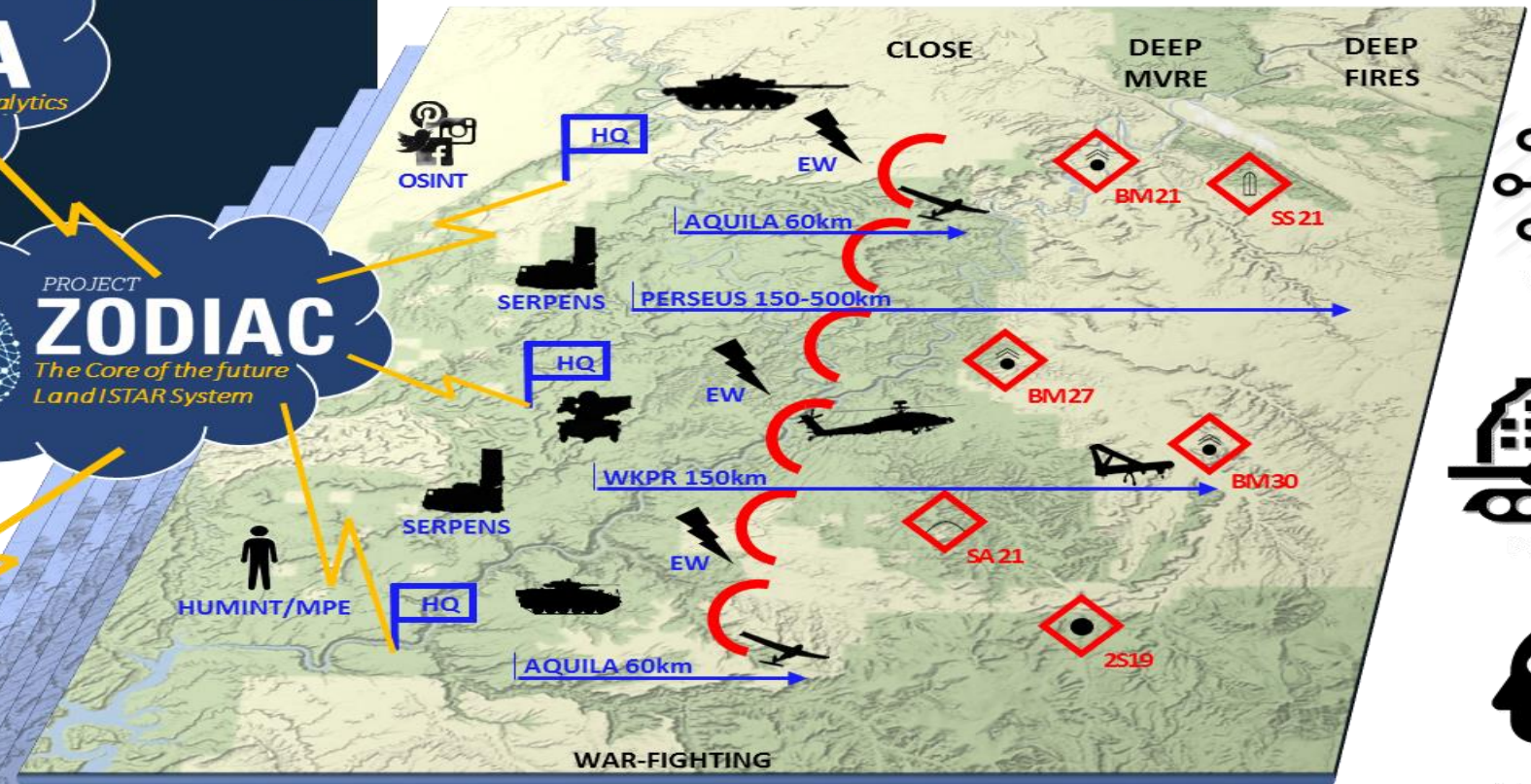


Land ISTAR Sensors





Home based capability, persistently engaged, permanently switched on



- WAR-FIGHTING
- COUNTER-INSURGENCY
- PEACE ENFORCEMENT – PEACE SUPPORT – PEACE KEEPING
- CAPACITY BUILDING - STTT
- LAND DETERRENCE & PRE-EMPTION
- ENGAGEMENT
- HOMELAND DEFENCE & RESILIENCE

NATO OTAN BI-LATERALS TRI-LATERALS

ABCANZ
American, British, Canadian, Australian and New Zealand Armies' Program

PROTECT, ENGAGE, CONSTRAIN, FIGHT

DIRECTOR INFORMATION

LAND CYBER PROGRAMME

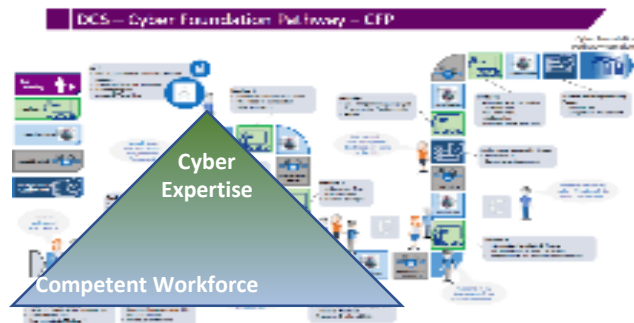
Cyberspace and the electromagnetic spectrum, a continuum



Protecting the force, resistance and resilience from attack



Understanding, identify our adversaries' Information and information assets



Delivering effects, deny or adapt via offensive operations and responsive counter measures

ALL OF THIS MUST BE UNDERPINNED BY QUALITY DATA

DATA INFORMATION CONSUMERS



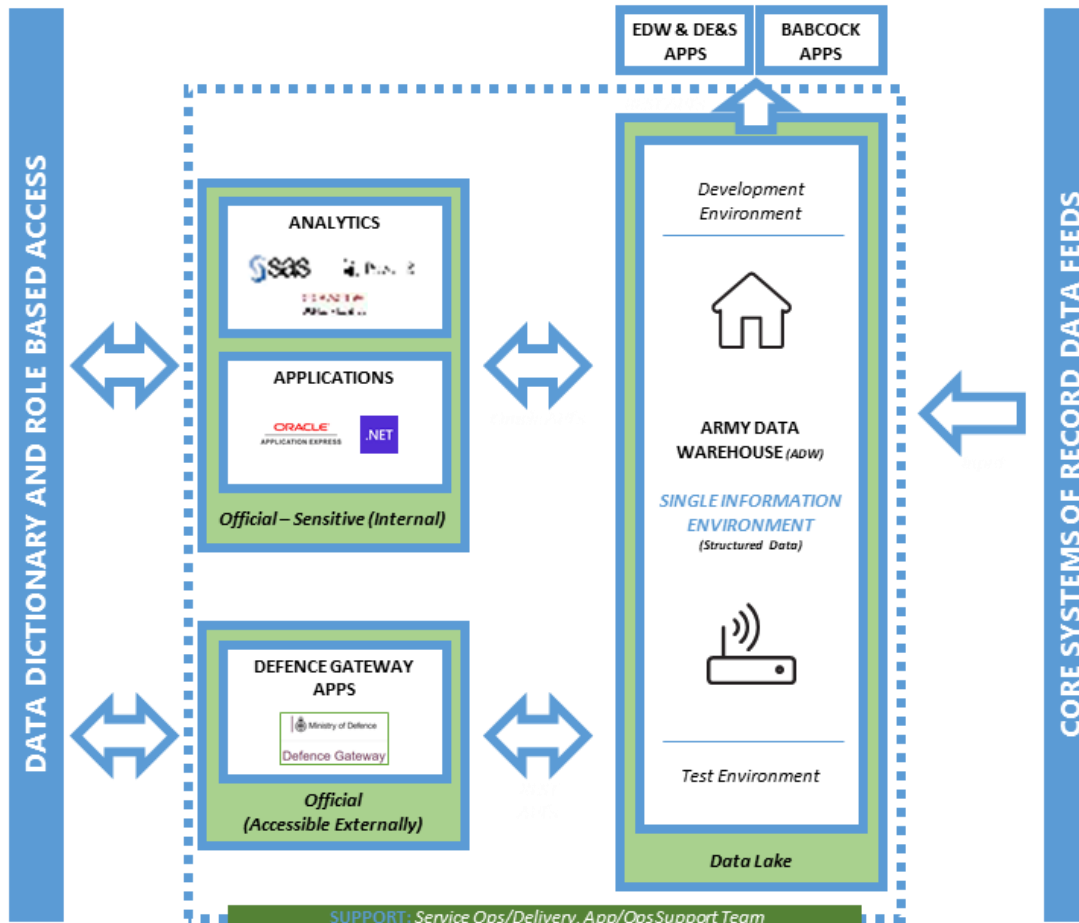
AUTOMATED DECISIONING NEEDS

INSIGHT NEEDS

VISUALISATION NEEDS

SELF SERVICE ACCESS

MULTI-PLATFORM DATA SHARING ECO-SYSTEM (Army Hosting Environment)



OPERATIONAL SYSTEMS AND TECH

- EQUIPMENT SYSTEMS & TECH
[JAMES, MARSHAL]
- LOGISTICS SYSTEMS & TECH
[MIDI, SS3, CRISP, BWIMS]
- AMMUNITION SYSTEMS & TECH
[UAMS, ASTRID]
- PLANNING SYSTEMS & TECH
[CHURCHILL, MUSTER]
- PERSONNEL SYSTEMS & TECH
[JPA, HRMS, CRT]
- FINANCE SYSTEMS & TECH
[CP&F, MIRANDA]
- ORG SYSTEMS & TECH
[SLIM, SDS BUDCON]
- TRAINING SYSTEMS & TECH
[TAFMIS]
- 3RD PARTY API'S SYSTEMS & TECH
[BABCOCK, DE&S EDW, DGW Apps]



The Army Data Landscape

API: Application Programming Interface
EDW: Enterprise Data Warehouse

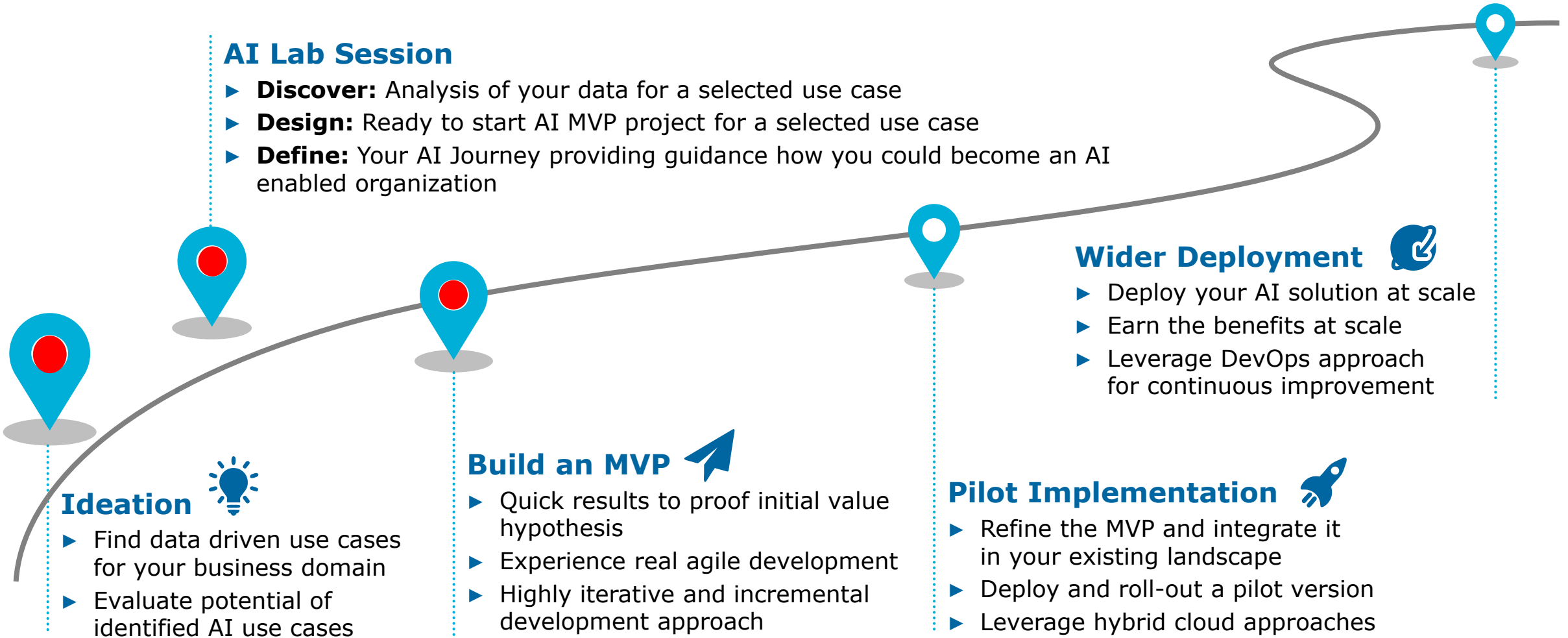


Atos AI LAB

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What does the AI Lab offer for our customers?

Atos will guide you all along your AI journey!



Implemented use cases

Service optimisation

Predictive maintenance

Decision Support

Sentiment Analysis

Quality Assurance

Scheduling optimisation

Route Planning

Risk modelling



Case Studies

Predictive Maintenance

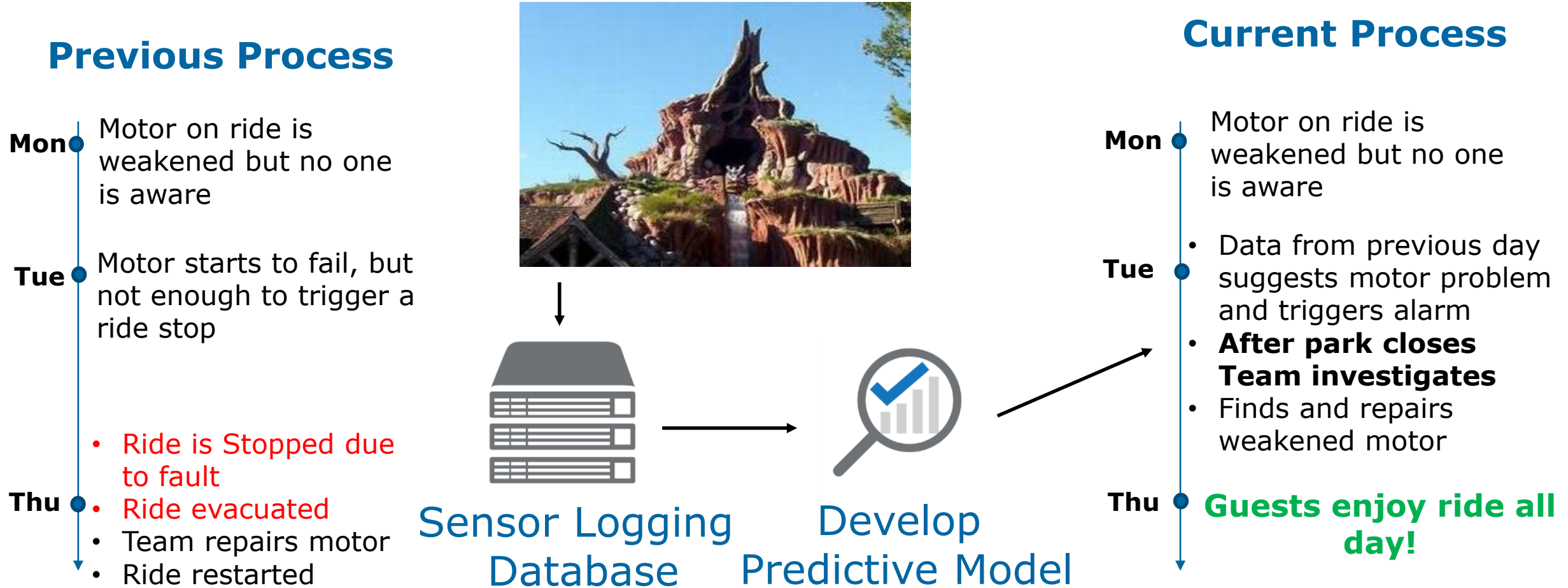
What did we deliver?

- ▶ 91% prediction of ride failures using advanced analytics on ride sensor data
- ▶ Ability to accurately predict ride failure **2-7 days** before occurring
- ▶ Ability to conduct **relevant** maintenance during scheduled ride down time
- ▶ Data suggested **hourly** predictions could improve active ride failure
- ▶ Improve management of attraction queue if failure imminent



What is the goal?

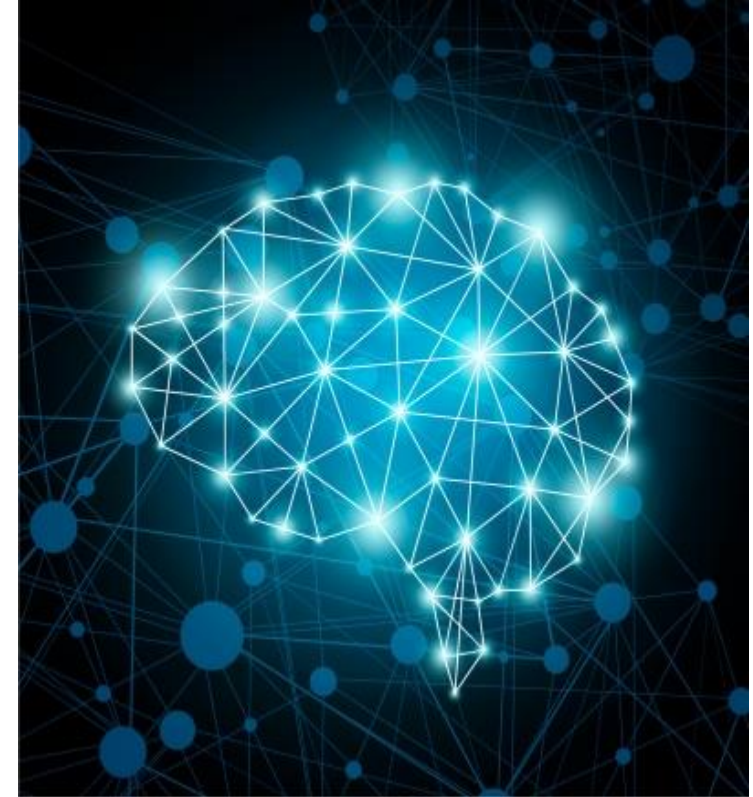
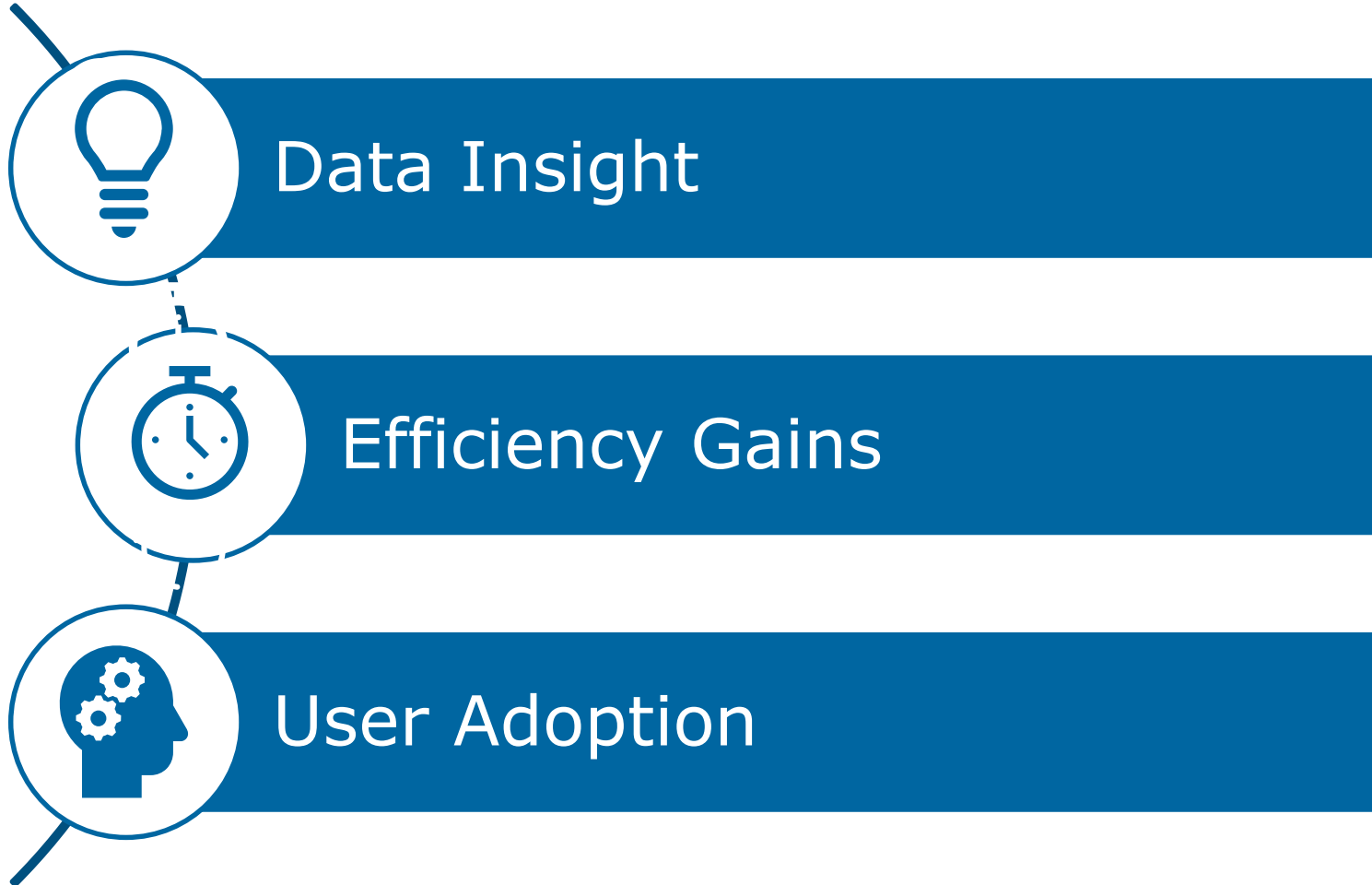
To predict when the ride will fail or needs maintenance



91% prediction rate on failure **2-7 days** before occurring

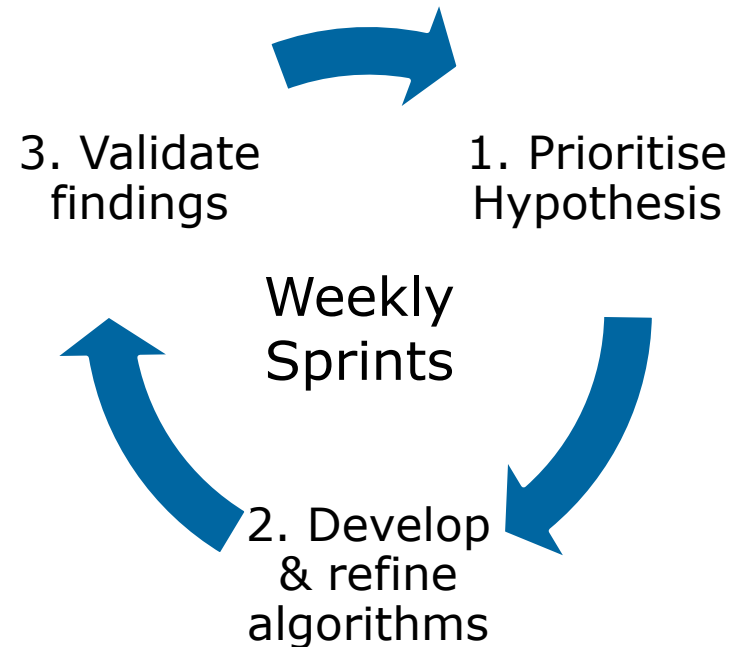
AI Supported Decision Making

How can AI support policing?



AI Supported Decision Making

Crime Pattern Analysis



- ▶ Automate data insight processes **from hours to seconds**
- ▶ Identify **patterns in unstructured data** to drive insight
- ▶ Identify **new links** for crime
- ▶ Open **new lines** of investigation
- ▶ Highlight most important data to capture

Lessons Learnt from applying AI into BAU

- ▶ POCs vs AI at scale – critical to exploitation
- ▶ Common platform to deliver – maximise existing investment / coherent roadmap
- ▶ Focus on end user & adoption
- ▶ Implement at pace and with purpose (Agile) (UOR / UCR)
- ▶ End to End alignment with accreditors/commercials

Any Questions?

Thank you

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