

## **ExFOB** Program

- ExFOB is an organization to identify, evaluate, and accelerate material solutions to increase expeditionary energy efficiency
- ExFOB was analyzed to compare the advantages and disadvantages of the program, and evaluate its contribution toward reducing expeditionary energy use and value added to the USMC



## Findings

- ExFOB accelerates COTS acquisition by shortening the selection and test & evaluation phases, saving approximately one year off of a two year cycle
- The four PORs evaluated by ExFOB have the potential to save ~26% of USMC expeditionary fuel and keep them on track to meet their 2025 goal

• ExFOB represents value added to the USMC in terms of speed, streamlined bureaucracy, focus of effort, wide application, lifecycle costs, product feedback and the ability to change as quickly as the evolving nature of war

• ExFOB's effectiveness is limited because of the restraints imposed by limited funding and traditional acquisition processes and timelines

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