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Computers and Intelligence (PEO C4I)

The Acquisition Frontier

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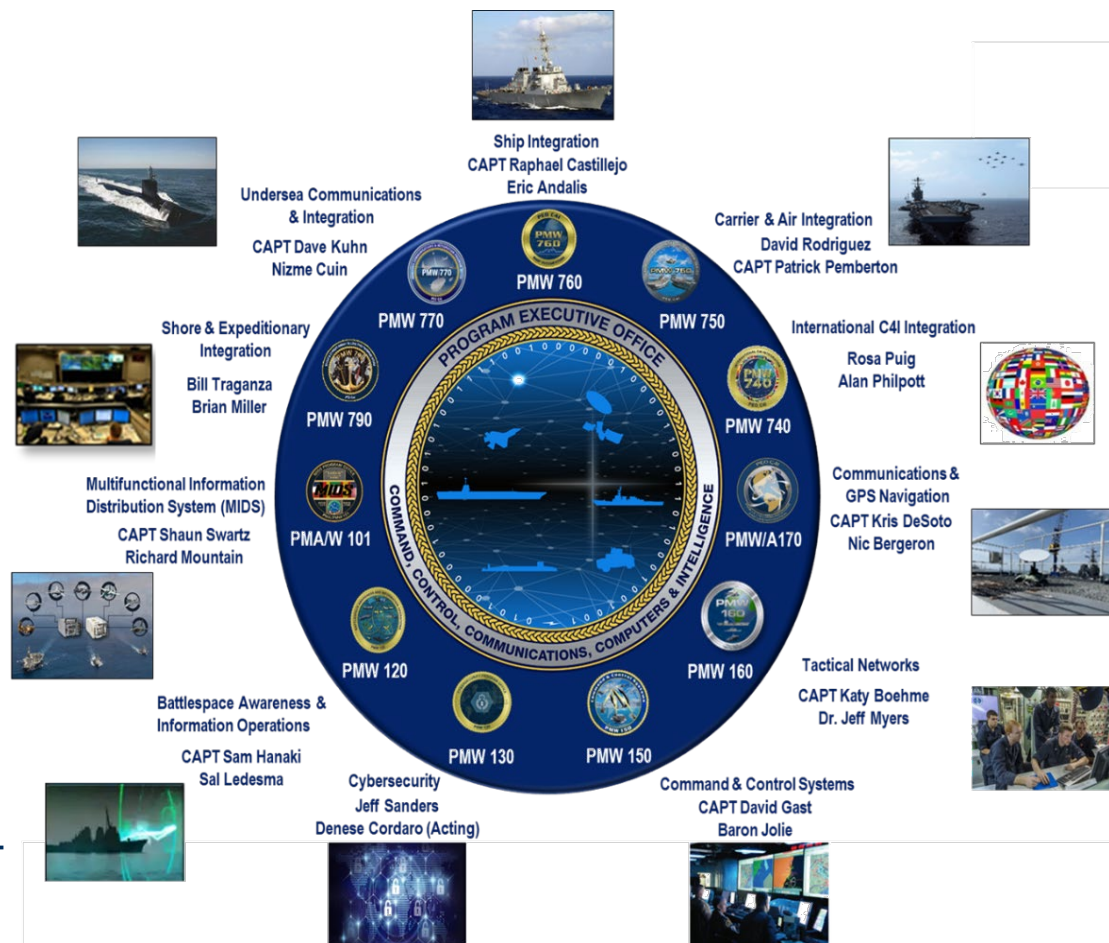


***Deliver threat-based C4I and space capabilities to enable
the fleet to compete, deter and win — tonight***



PEO C4I Overview

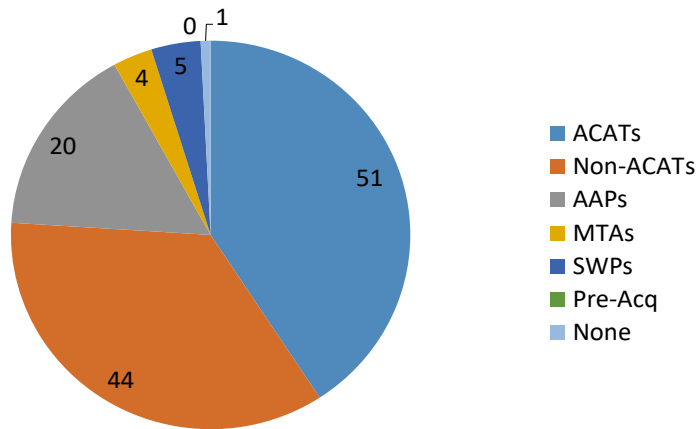
- 11 Program Offices supporting
 - Cyber
 - SIGINT and METOC
 - Networks (Afloat and Tactical Shore)
 - Command and Control & Intelligence
 - SATCOM, Tactical Radio Communications, and GPS
- 125 programs and projects
 - ACAT I: 7/ ACAT II: 9/ ACAT III: 25/ ACAT IV: 10/ Non-ACAT: 74



Adaptive Acquisition Framework in PEO C4I



Portfolio Make-up



- 3 Middle Tier Acquisition (MTA) Rapid Prototyping
 - 1 MTA Rapid Fielding
 - 5 Software Pathway (SWP)
 - 109 efforts smaller than ACAT II
 - 41% of portfolio is ACAT programs
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- Challenges and Successes
 - Ability to begin development sooner than traditional programs
 - Requirements generation process can be faster; fewer planning documents to initiate; contracting process still drives the schedule
 - Focused on delivering capability in 2 - 5 years versus the traditional 10 - 15 years
 - Misunderstood by some stakeholders



**Accelerated delivery of required capability that is
affordable, integrated and interoperable**