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The logical approach to harness innovation

The Innovation Management science-based practices are the missing link which enables an organization to cross the Valley of Death between the S&T Portfolio and the technology needs of the DoD Programs of record.

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Infologic Capabilities Overview: Transitioning the S&T Portfolio in to the DoD Programs

Overview

According to a recent [Department of Defense \(DoD\) Report](#) to the Congress, there is a disconnect between the DoD Science & Technology (S&T) portfolio and the technology needs of the DoD Programs of Record. This phenomena, called the Valley of Death, results into the wasted R&D investments, unmet technology needs, immature technology insertion, and substantial increases in the Program development budget and time to the war fighters. This report recommends that

".... Program managers should take steps to ensure that technology transition events enable key system performance goals. One way to do this is to require Requests for Proposals (RFP) to include language requesting contractors demonstrate technology maturity and a plan for new technology insertion as part of the bid process. The feasibility of identifying and protecting technology transition funds from budget reprogramming should be considered to support this action"

Infologic Proposition

To address these issues, Infologic has developed an Innovation management model which is linked to the [DoD/FAR 5000.2 mandated Acquisition Management Framework](#). To assist the prime contractors in adopting a proactive approach, and address these issues during the RFP preparation and contract performance, Infologic can incorporate the following Innovation Management model, and associated methodologies and tools into their proposals and existing contracts. This model was selected for publication at the [2nd DOD Technology Maturity Conference](#) and [24th Army Science Conference](#).

