



Program Executive Officer Land Systems Marine Corps Advanced Technology Investment Plan 2016



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The first step in doing business with PEO LS Science and Technology (S&T) is a thorough understanding of the Science and Technology (S&T) challenges facing PEO LS programs and how your proposed solutions/technologies can meet those challenges.

Towards that end, the enclosed ATIP identifies and prioritizes Top Technical Issues within PEO LS Programs, with the goal of informing, influencing, and aligning S&T investment to resolve program technical issues and support transition of critical capabilities to the warfighter. Each technical issue has been thoroughly vetted through the appropriate S&T Representative, Lead Engineer, Deputy Program Manager, and Program Manager to ensure an accurate representation of each program's highest priority technology needs.

The ATIP can also be accessed via the Office of the Secretary of Defense's Defense Innovation Marketplace (www.defenseinnovationmarketplace.mil/ATIP.html). This site is an extremely useful resource for information concerning Department of Defense investment priorities and capability needs.

In an environment of fiscal austerity, changing requirements, and rapid technical innovation, collaboration is vital to maximizing opportunities across the Science and Technology (S&T) Enterprise. This seventh edition of the Program Executive Officer Land Systems (PEO LS) Advanced Technology Investment Plan (ATIP) is promulgated with this goal in mind and with your participation; we can truly "focus the future faster" for our Warfighters.

As always, we welcome any comments or suggestions to improve the utility of this investment plan. Please forward any suggestions or comments to Mike Halloran, PEO LS Director S&T at michael.d.halloran@usmc.mil.

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