

# The Department of Defense: Transforming the Business of Military Cultural Resource Data

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#### Overview

- Department of Defense Inventory of Cultural Resources
- DoD-wide Data Management Initiatives: DISDI
- Military Service-Specific Applications: MCRAD
- The Future of DoD Cultural Resource Data Management



### DoD-Managed Archaeological Sites (FY2005)

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From data submitted for the fiscal year 2005 Sec. Interior's Report to Congress

Total DoD Acreage (incl. Army Corps)		Approx. 41,000,000
Military Service	Total # Recorded Sites	Total Acres Inventoried
Department of the Army	68,605	5,713,447
Department of the Navy (incl. Marine Corps)	17,788	943,656
Department of the Air Force	15,784	1,692,191
Army Corps of Engineers	53,467	3,614,372
DoD-wide	155,644	11,963,666 (29% of total)

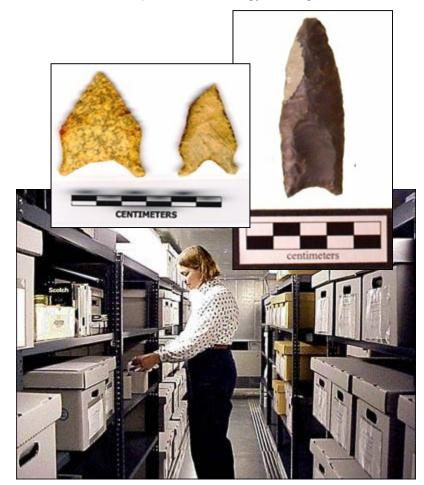


#### DoD's Inventory of Cultural Resources

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Archaeological
Resources - Coso
Rock Art National
Historic Landmark
District; China Lake
Naval Air Weapons
Station, CA



Archaeological Collections and Associated Records – Fort Bragg, NC (top); Fort Riley, KS (bottom) <sup>4</sup>



#### DoD's Inventory of Cultural Resources





**Site** – 16<sup>th</sup> century Spanish fort; Parris Island, SC



**Object** – Titan II Launch Facility, Vandenberg AFB, CA



**Building** – The Pentagon, Arlington, VA



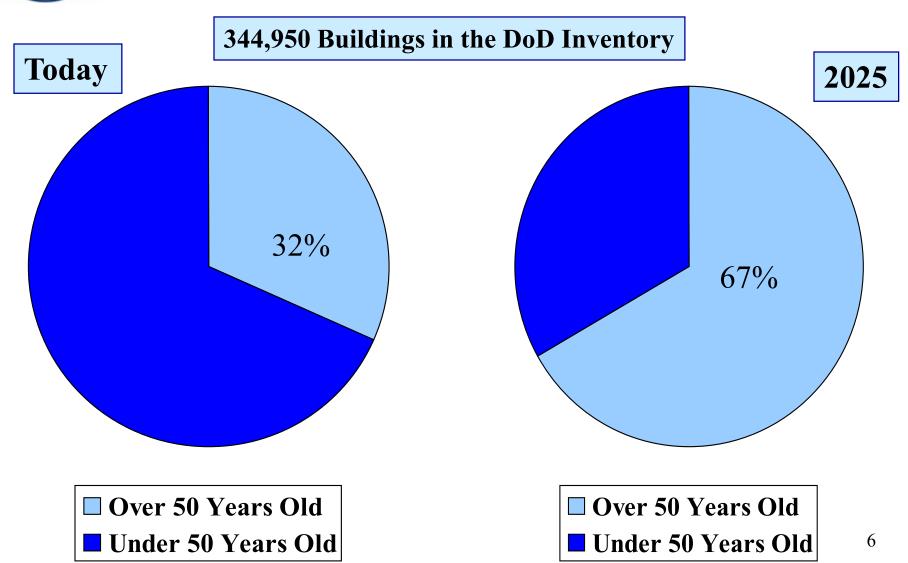
**District** – Ft Monroe National Historic Landmark District, Hampton, VA



**Object** – USS *Constitution*, Boston, MA



#### DoD Historic Buildings and Structures (FY 2005)

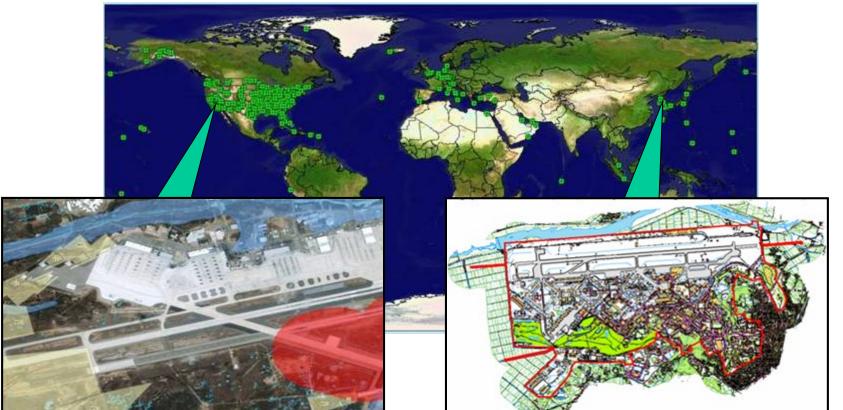




#### DoD-wide Data Management Initiatives: DISDI

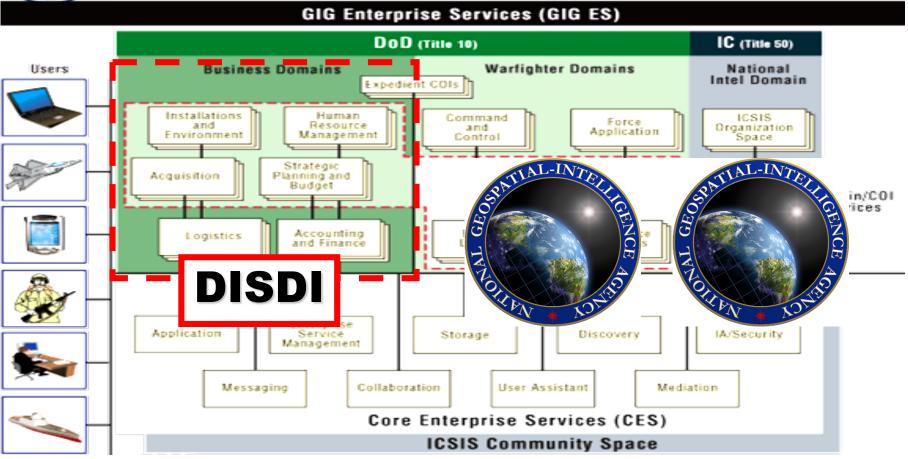
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"A DoD mission capability comprised of those people, policies, and practices necessary to acquire, steward and share installation, environmental, and range geospatial data assets for defense, federal, and national goals"





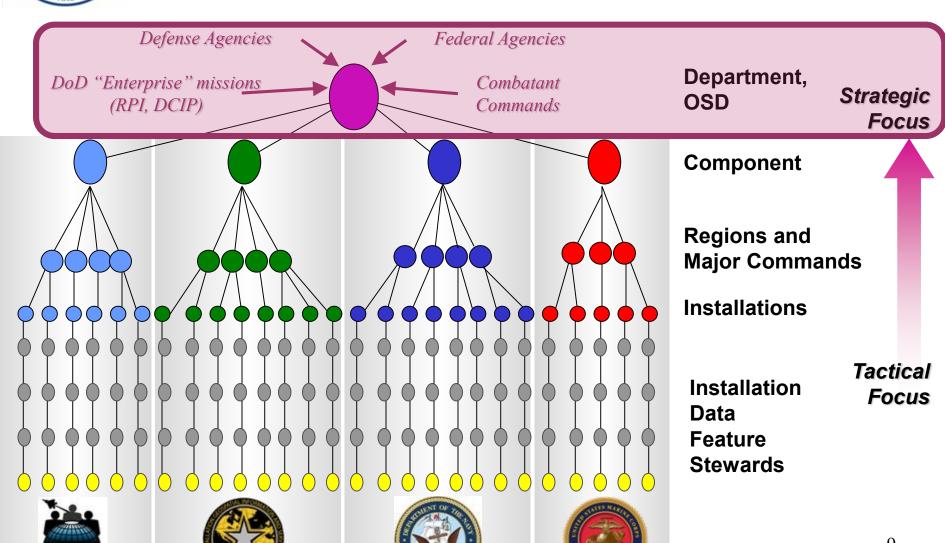
# Spatial Information Management Across DoD Global Information Grid (GIG) Mission Areas



- Business Mission Area
- Warfighter Mission Area
- Intelligence Mission Area

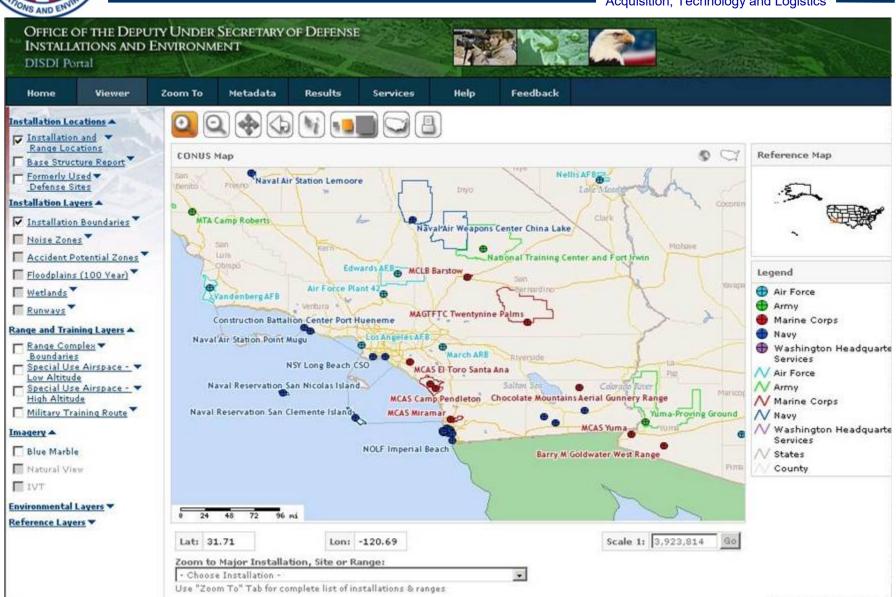


### DISDI Data Sharing Concept of Operations



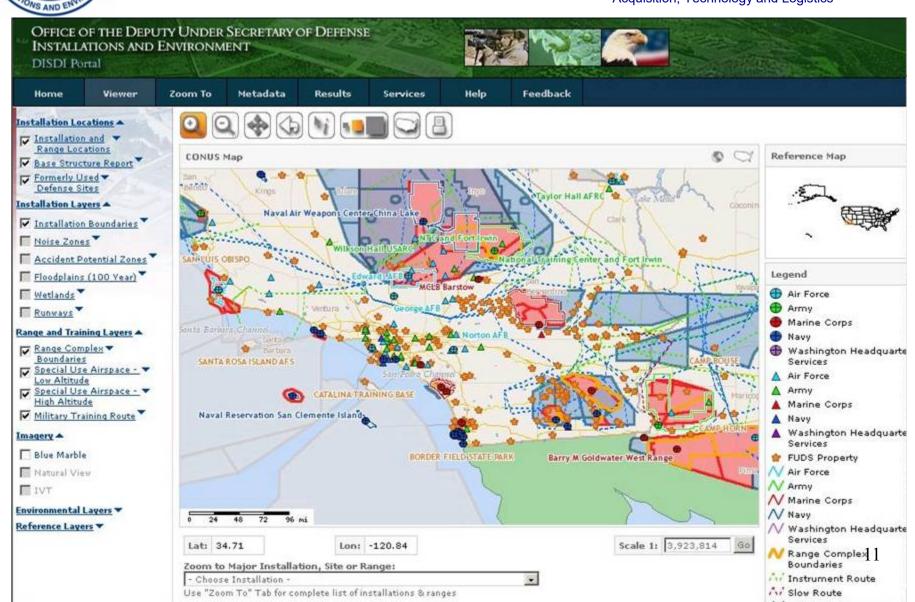


#### **DISDI** Portal





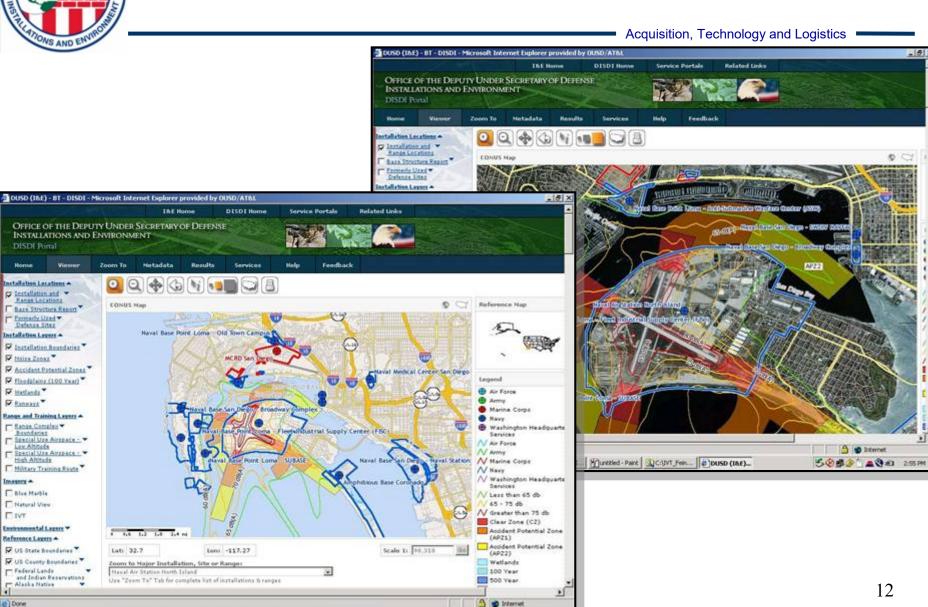
#### **DISDI** Portal





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#### Military Service-Specific Applications: MCRAD

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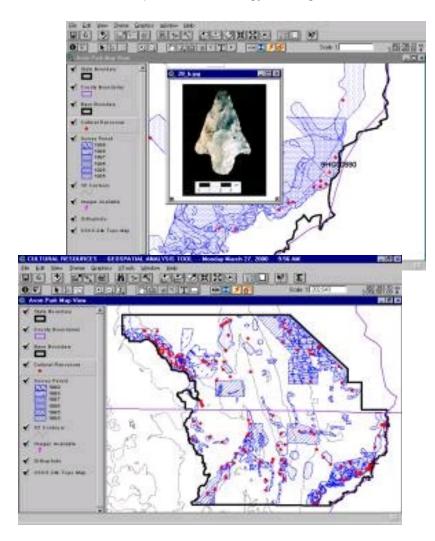
# Spatial Themes

Resources
Resource History
Buildings
Features
Events
Survey Method Areas
Test Locations
Probability Zones
Management Areas

Undertakings

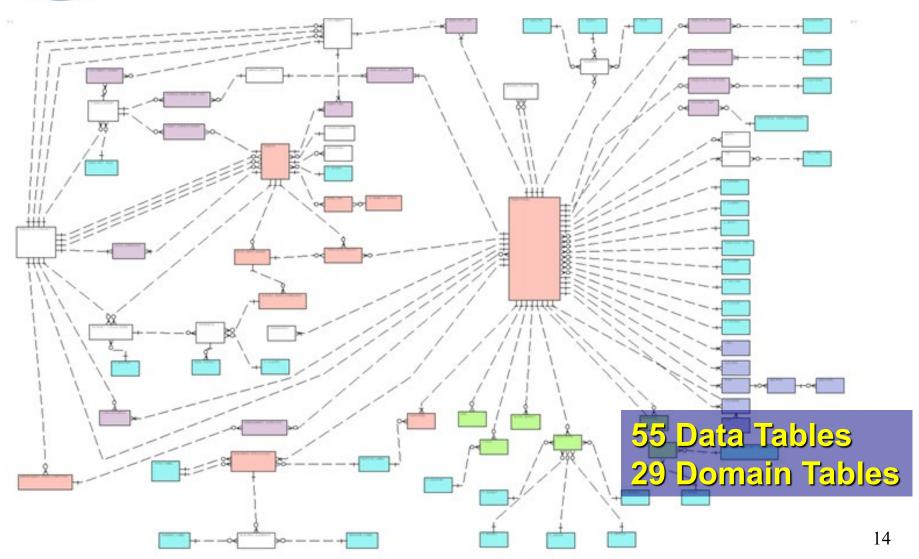
## Non-Spatial Themes

Documents
Compliance Consultations
Building Elements
NRHP Eligibility Status
Points of Contact
Artifact Collections
Artifacts
Artifacts
Artifact Tribal Affiliations
ARPA Violations





# Military Cultural Resources Analysis Database (MCRAD)





#### Next Steps for MCRAD

- Integrate into existing DoD (SDSFIE) Cultural Resources Standards
- Integrate in USAF Enterprise Environment, Safety and Occupational Health Management Information System
- Fill gaps in data model
- Continue data population
- Develop work process diagrams
- Develop report generation and analysis capability
- Address web deployment, security



## The Future of DoD CR Data Management

- Incorporation of Cultural Resources Data Sets into the larger DoD-wide business enterprise architecture
- Consistency of data collection to support internal and external reporting requirements
- Deployment of MCRAD across more installations
- Adoption of a data model (MCRAD or similar) to define the minimum data collection standard across DoD
- Incorporate data collection and data collection standards into all aspects of DoD cultural resources management programs



### Questions?

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#### For more information:

www.acq.osd.mil/ie/bei/disdi.htm

**Defense Installations Spatial Data Infrastructure** 

http://www.versar.com/mcrad-com/secure/mcrad-com-files/main.htm

Military Cultural Resources Analysis Database

https://www.denix.osd.mil/denix/Public/Library/NCR/toc.html

**DoD Conservation Program (includes Cultural Resources)** 

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