



Using Simulation and Analysis to Explore Enterprise Logistic Systems Vulnerabilities

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Presentation Outline

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- **Supply Chain Vulnerability**
 - **Enterprise Modeling Capabilities**
 - **Notional Analysis Example**



Motivation

- The international Cargo Security Council reports that cargo theft costs Americans \$60 billion per year¹
- Thefts in the United States range from \$5M container thefts in Norfolk, VA to \$600M worth of stolen goods in Los Angeles in 2000²
- Military logistic tails in war are a risk to personnel and divert major assets from fighting

Source: [1] "Cargo Security: A Partnership to Secure the Transportation Industry", Lt. Colonel David B. Binder, Florida Department of Transportation Motor Carrier Compliance Office.

[2] "Supply Chain Vulnerability", Dick McCormick, Pinkertons.



Supply Chain Vulnerability

- A study by the Cranfield School of Management^[1] defines the following:
 - Modern supply chains are not simply linear chains or processes; they are complex networks
 - Resilience is ‘the ability of a system to return to its original state or move to a new, more desirable state after being disturbed’
- Supply chain vulnerability involves a complex network of systems that must adapt to adverse conditions that arise from risks both within and outside the enterprise system

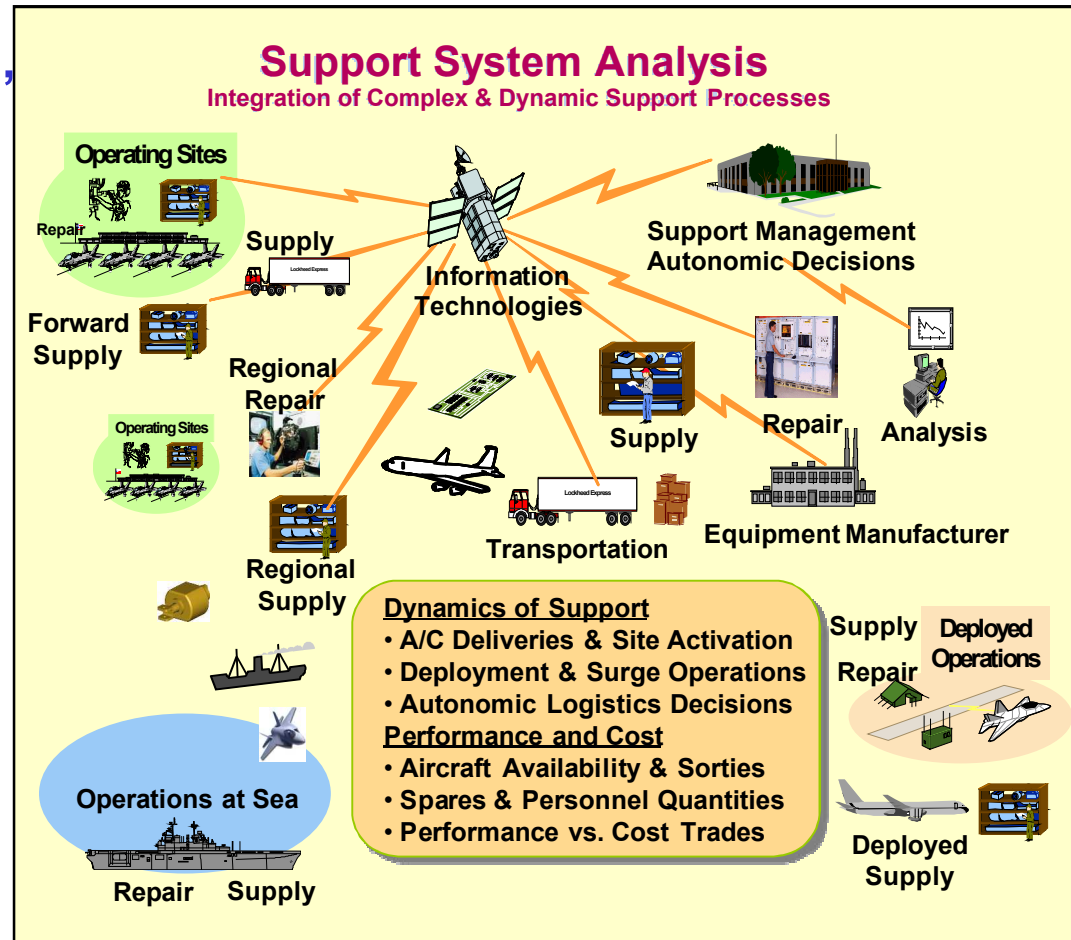
Methods and Tools for Supply Chain Vulnerability

- Mapping tools are used on supply chain network representations to identify key characteristics
 - Pinch points and Critical Paths
 - Risk areas that could be caused by long lead times, single source supply, low visibility, and other issues
- Principals of management
 - Risk awareness of supplier
 - Supply chain collaboration
- Current tools lack the capability to measure impact of solutions or strategies on enterprise level metrics

Supply Chain Vulnerability assessment should include the impact on the overall enterprise

Enterprise Modeling Capabilities

- Sandia has developed logistics modeling, analysis, and decision support tools
- Provides *integrated* modeling of supply chain and repair chain activities for a worldwide support system:
 - Demand generation
 - Field Level maintenance tasks
 - Part storage and inventory management
 - Support equipment and personnel usage
 - Unit repair activities and production at OEMs
 - Transportation, surge, and deployment



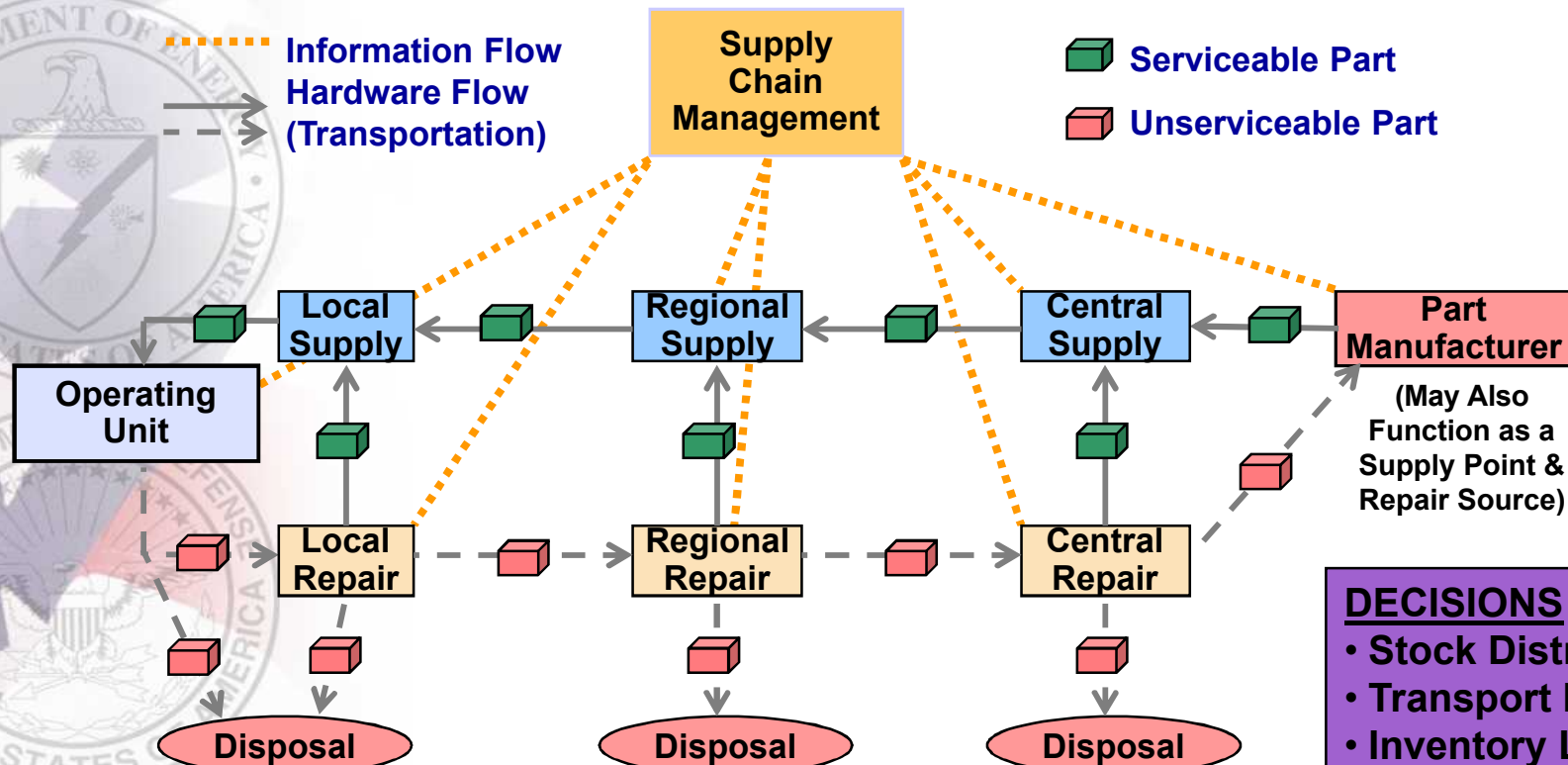
Links Sustainment System Performance to Readiness



Modeling and Simulation Capabilities

- **Modeling of Supply/Repair Chain Processes**
 - Global operations with arbitrary multi-echelon supply/repair capabilities
 - Integrated supply, repair, manufacturing, and transportation processes
 - System usage schedules (generating demands)
- **Analysis of Dynamic Changes Throughout the Life-cycle**
 - System delivery schedules
 - Transition from “normal” to deployed/surge operations
 - Changes in inventory controls, quantity/location of resources
 - Disruptions in Site operations and Transportation modes
- **Analysis of Support System Performance, Resource Requirements, and Costs**
 - System Availability, Mission Capable Rate
 - Supply fill rates, response times
 - Spares, personnel, support equipment, and transportation requirements
 - Cost indicators (investment and operating costs)

Multi-Level Supply Chain



Process Flow and Hierarchy Can Vary for Each Part and Operating Location

DECISIONS

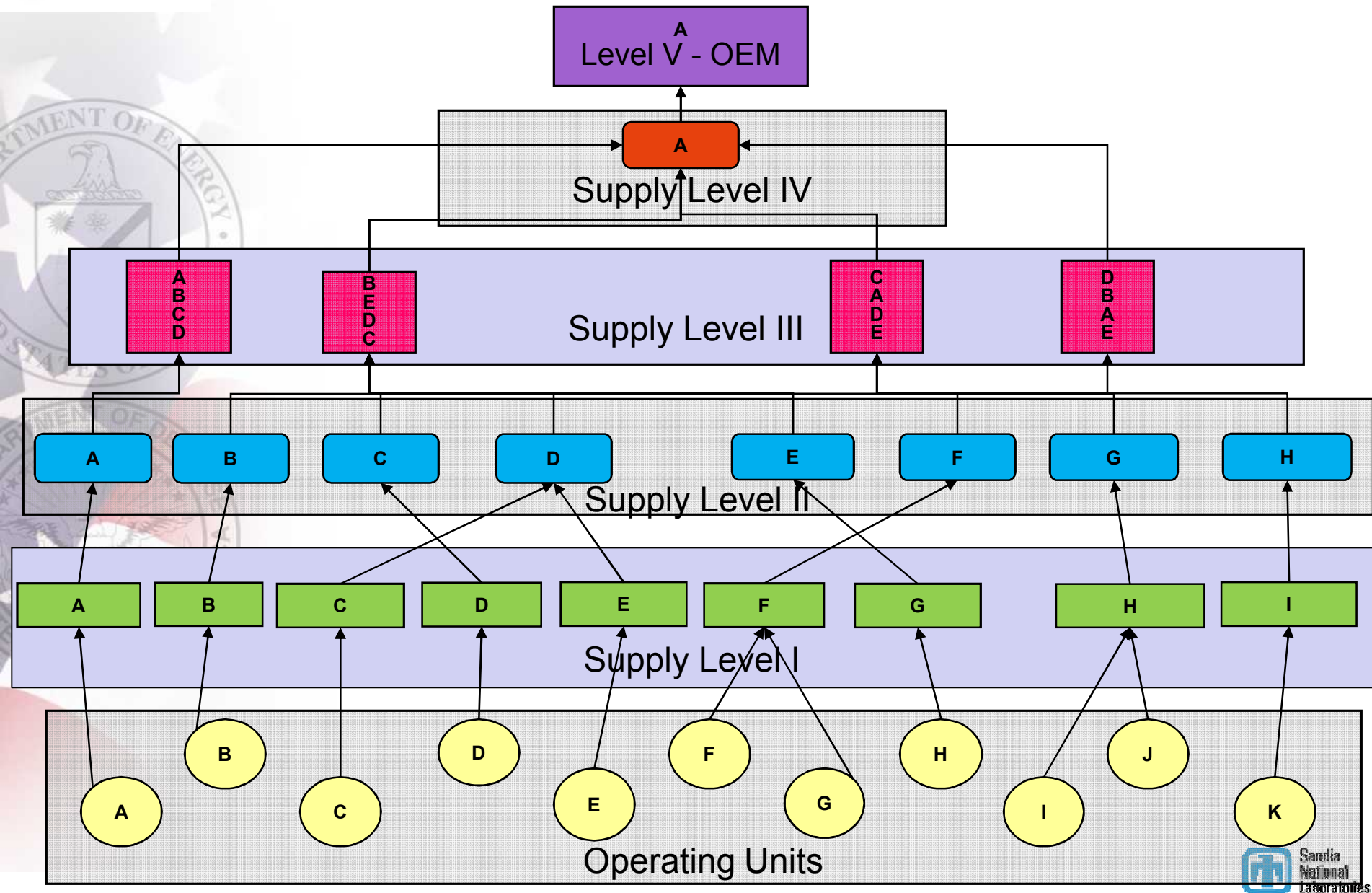
- Stock Distribution
- Transport Methods
- Inventory Levels
- Source of Repair
- Repair Capability
- Manning Levels
- Support Equipment

Notional Enterprise Experiments

- Two experiments were performed to test the stability of the enterprise supply chains
 - Experiment 1 modeled a robust enterprise
 - No transportation cost or delay time difference between supply levels
 - Expected minimal impact from disruptions
 - Experiment 2 enterprise less robust, but still stable
 - Significant difference in delay time and cost for transportation between supply levels
- Several scenarios were run for each experiment
 - Baseline scenarios served as comparison against other scenarios
 - Scenarios modeled disruptions of one or more sites for a period of time (assumption of 5-8 months recovery) over a 10 year simulation run

Goal: Identify vulnerabilities and analyze the effects of supply chain disruptions on Enterprise performance metrics

Example Enterprise Supply Requisition Chain



Experiment 1 Results

- Scenarios in Experiment 1 had minimal impact on the Enterprise performance

Experiment 1				
Trial	Model	Description	Mission Capable Rate (%)	Total Cost
1	Baseline Scenario	Baseline Model	85.80	\$ 7,396,184
2	Scenario_1	Baseline with Additional Level IV Warehouse Entity	85.77	\$ 7,385,511
3	Scenario_2	Baseline with Additional Level IV Warehouse and Original Level IV Supply Center disrupted	85.78	\$ 7,384,614
4	Scenario_3	Baseline with Level III supply site disrupted for 5 months during 10 year run	85.80	\$ 7,398,183
5	Scenario_4	Baseline with Level III supply site out for 5 months during 10 year run	85.74	\$ 7,438,565
6	Scenario_5	Baseline with Level II supply site out for 3 months during 10 year run	85.80	\$ 7,380,762
7	Scenario_6	Baseline with multiple sites out over 10 years	85.83	\$ 7,355,087

All scenarios show an approximately 85% MCR with similar total costs

Experiment 2 Design

- Two additional scenarios in Experiment 2 attempt to further stress the Enterprise

Experiment 2		
Trial	Model	Description
1	Baseline Scenario	Baseline Model
2	Scenario_1	Baseline with Additional Level IV Warehouse Entity
3	Scenario_2	Baseline with Additional Level IV Warehouse and Original Level IV Supply Center disrupted
4	Scenario_3	Baseline with Level III supply site disrupted for 5 months during 10 year run
5	Scenario_4	Baseline with Level III supply site out for 5 months during 10 year run
6	Scenario_5	Baseline with Level II supply site out for 3 months during 10 year run
7	Scenario_6	Baseline with multiple sites out over 10 years
8	Scenario_7	Baseline with a Level III supply site out for 5 months every 2 years during the 10-year simulation
9	Scenario_8	Multiple sites out (Level IV sites)

Experiment 2 Results

- In this experiment the important metrics include:
 - Average Mission Capable Rate
 - Total transportation costs
 - Average weekly supply delay time (during disruption and normal operations)
- Scenarios 7 and 8 result in significantly larger supply delay times during interruption periods
 - Demonstrates that the supply level III and level IV sites disrupted may be weak points or areas of focus for vulnerability

Experiment 2 Results					
Trial	Model	Average Mission Capable Rate (%)	Total Cost	Average Weekly Supply Delay during Disruption periods	Average Weekly Supply Delay during normal operations
1	Baseline Scenario	83.15	\$ 5,764,354		161.57
2	Scenario_1	83.11	\$ 5,764,071	N/A	239.80
3	Scenario_2	83.14	\$ 5,756,578	304.84	231.68
4	Scenario_3	82.68	\$ 5,760,967	216.05	160.76
5	Scenario_4	83.00	\$ 5,779,048	615.52	219.05
6	Scenario_5	83.29	\$ 5,746,279	199.90	226.48
7	Scenario_6	83.18	\$ 5,728,234	203.47	231.17
8	Scenario_7	82.59	\$ 5,804,698	613.89	185.00
9	Scenario_8	80.58	\$ 5,629,131	1,279.79	238.07



Summary

- **Understanding Supply Chain vulnerabilities is vital in today's world**
 - To be adequately prepared to protect critical assets
 - To mitigate risk in Military Operations
- **Simulation modeling and analysis provides the ability to better comprehend complex enterprise systems and their weaknesses**