

# Standard Unified Modeling, Mapping & Integration Toolkit (SUMMIT)<sup>SAND2011-9365P</sup>

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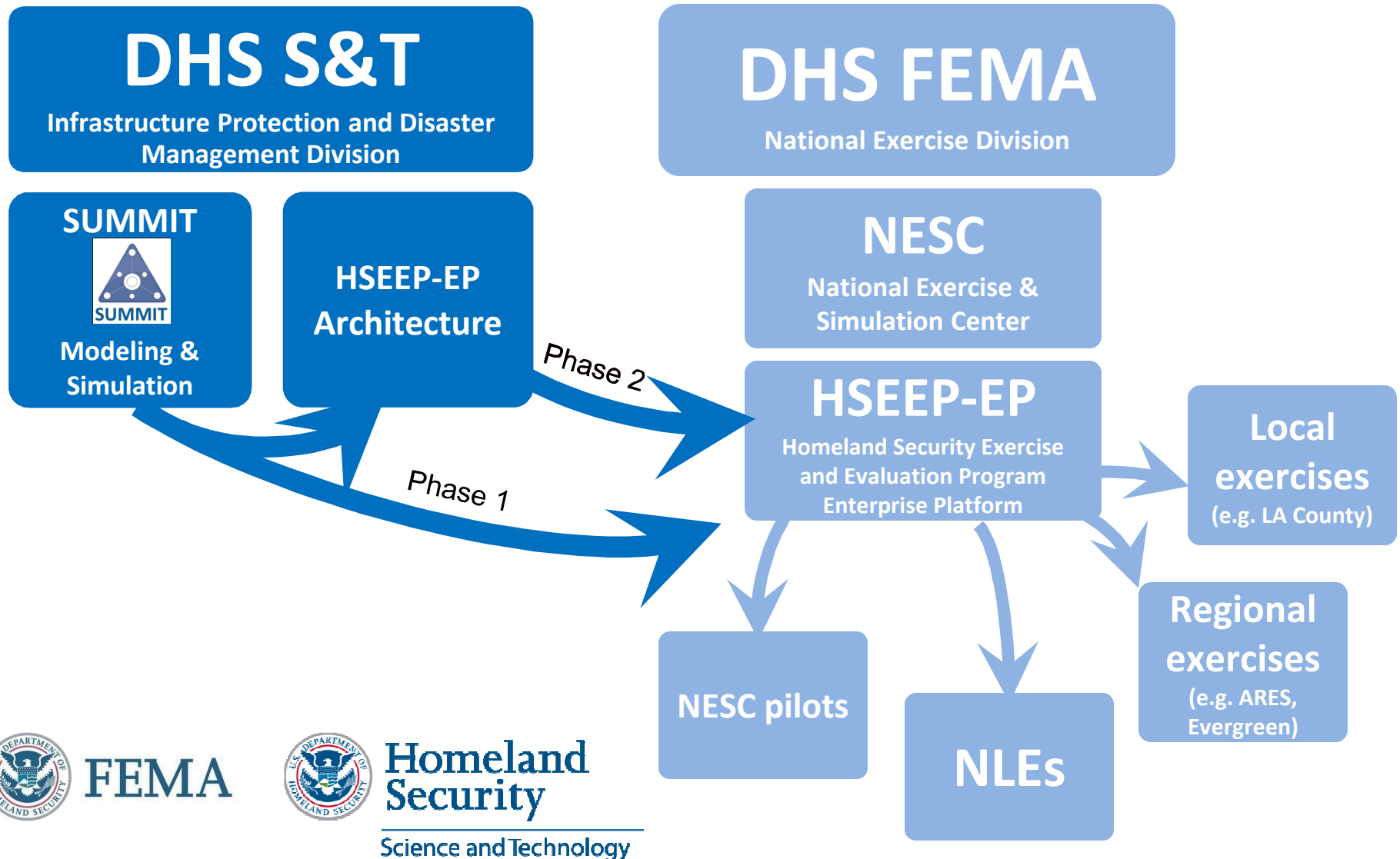
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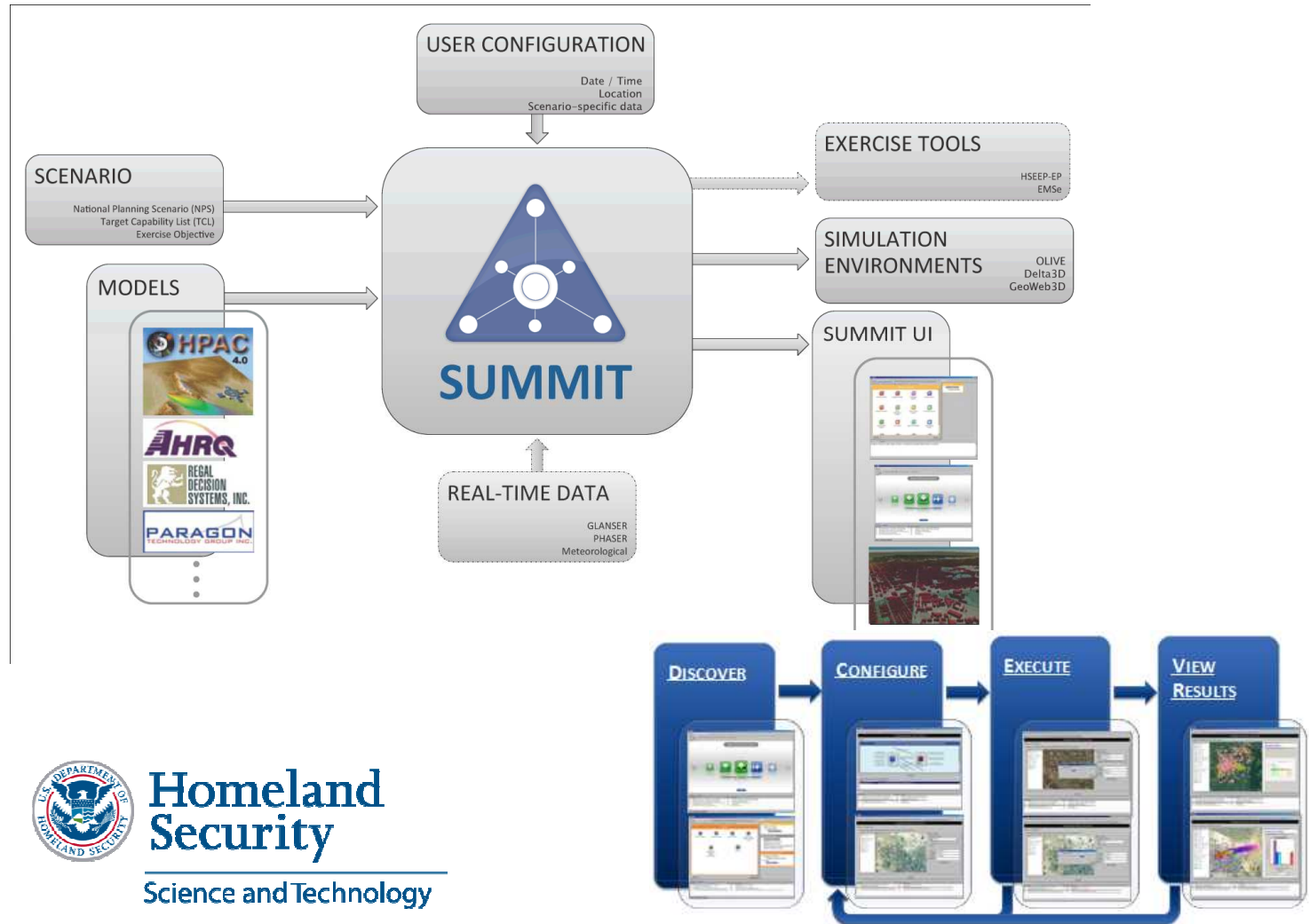
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# Technology Development for HSEEP-EP



# Modeling & Simulation (M&S) for exercises

**Mission Need:** The emergency preparedness community needs reliable access to, and ability to generate science-based information and data that supports evolving emergency planning, exercises and response operations, and that is consistent, readily interpretable, secure, and easy to share.



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# Project Outcomes

- NESC will provide M&S support to HSEEP users as a NESC service to federal, regional, and state/local exercises.
- M&S will provide science-based, quantifiable data and information across the exercise planning lifecycle.
- SUMMIT transition will serve as a model for DHS S&T transition to NESC.

## Deliverables

- Seed implementation of SUMMIT
- NESC M&S support (pilots) to federal, regional, and state/local exercises.
- Strategic and Tactical Transition plans
- Requirements for final implementation of SUMMIT/M&S in HSEEP-EP
- Business process for providing M&S to NESC customers

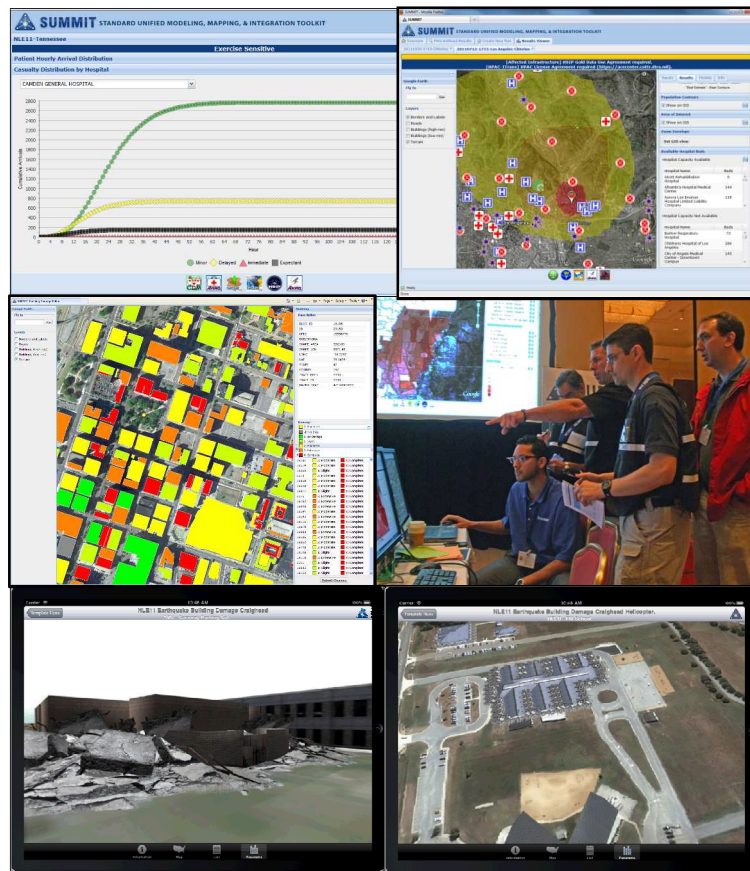


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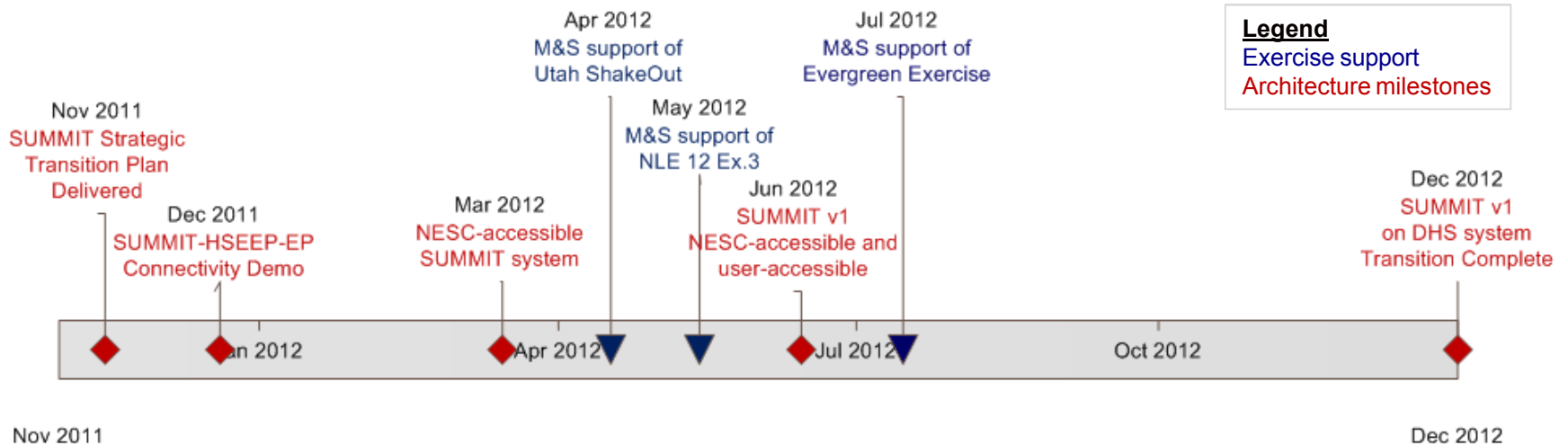


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# SUMMIT Schedule & Milestones



Ongoing transition activities that will occur throughout 2012:

- C&A
- Architecture testing
- Training



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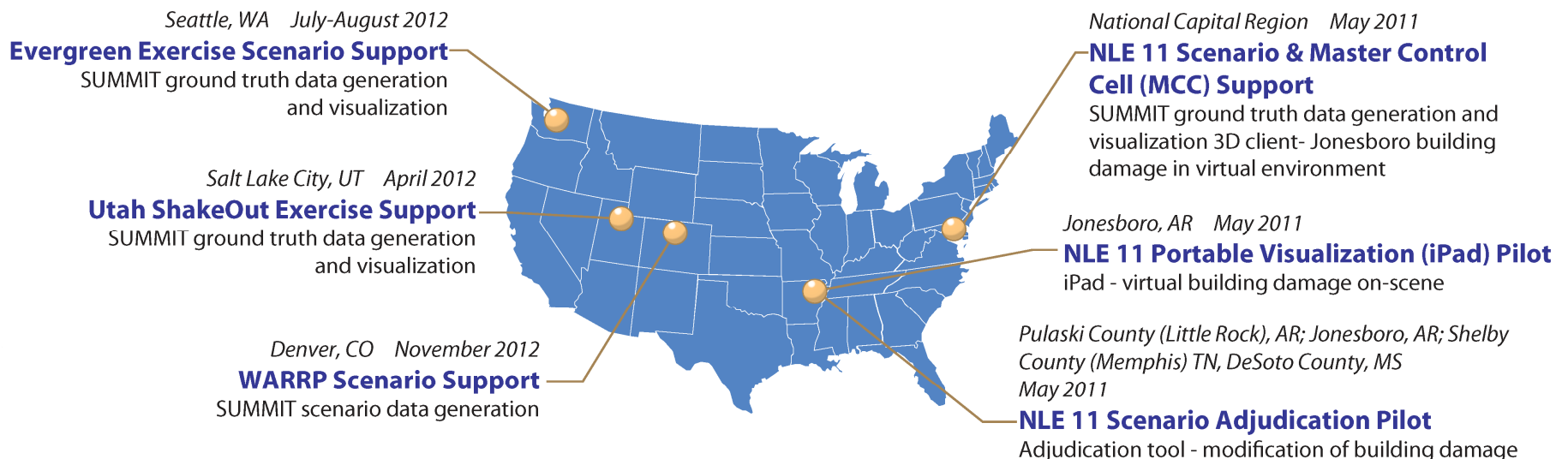
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# Current Status

## M&S Tool Development & HSEEP-EP Integration

- Developed the SUMMIT Integration Plan into HSEEP-EP, SUMMIT Strategic Transition Plan for NESC
- Demonstrated initial integration of SUMMIT into HSEEP-EP
- Testing SUMMIT Software Developers Kit (SDK) with model owners and commercial software partner
- Completing development of cascade SUMMIT architecture
- Initiated tactical transition discussions with NESC
- [with MIT/LL] Developing use cases for game-changing M&S insertion into HSEEP

## M&S Exercise Support



# Challenges and Mitigation

Challenge	Mitigation
Transition to FEMA-approved hosting environment <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Security</li><li>• Software approval</li></ul>	early engagement, customer involvement, engagement with CIO
Model integration & transition <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Model acquisition/wrapping</li><li>• Data handling</li></ul>	Model Acquisition Strategy, dedicated NESC efforts, MOUs/SLAs
End-user acceptance and use	Training and support under M&S service line



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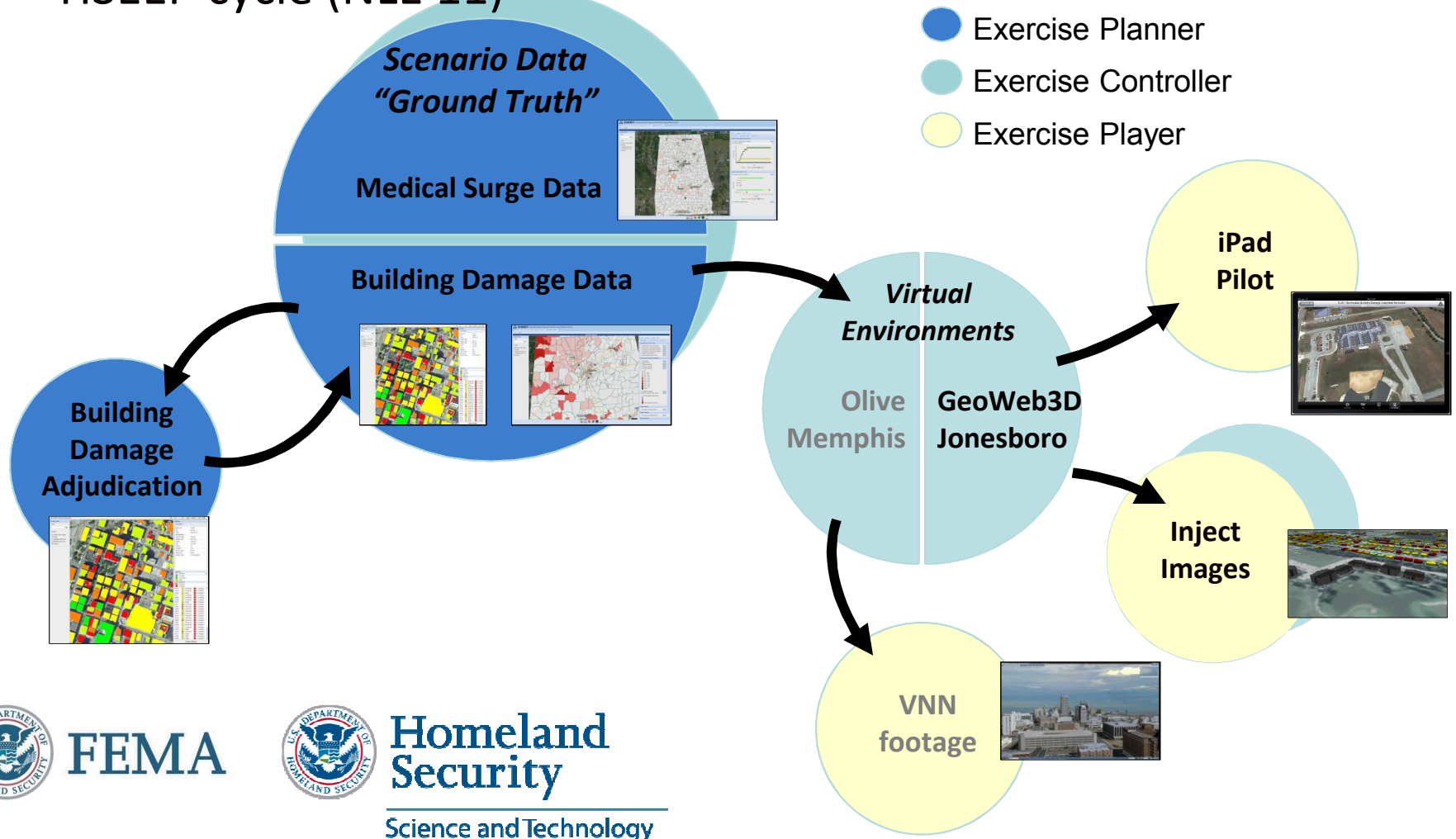
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# SUMMIT Major Accomplishments

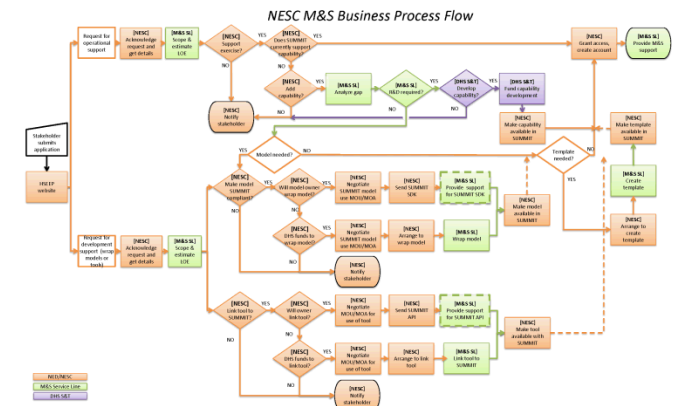
- Demonstrated M&S value across exercise roles and throughout HSEEP cycle (NLE 11)





# SUMMIT Major Accomplishments

- Demonstrated initial integration of M&S (SUMMIT) into HSEEP-EP architecture (via Web Services API)
- Developed NIEM conformance standard
  - First approved and authorized exchange for HSEEP-EP program
- Identified NESC M&S process flow and aligned it with service lines



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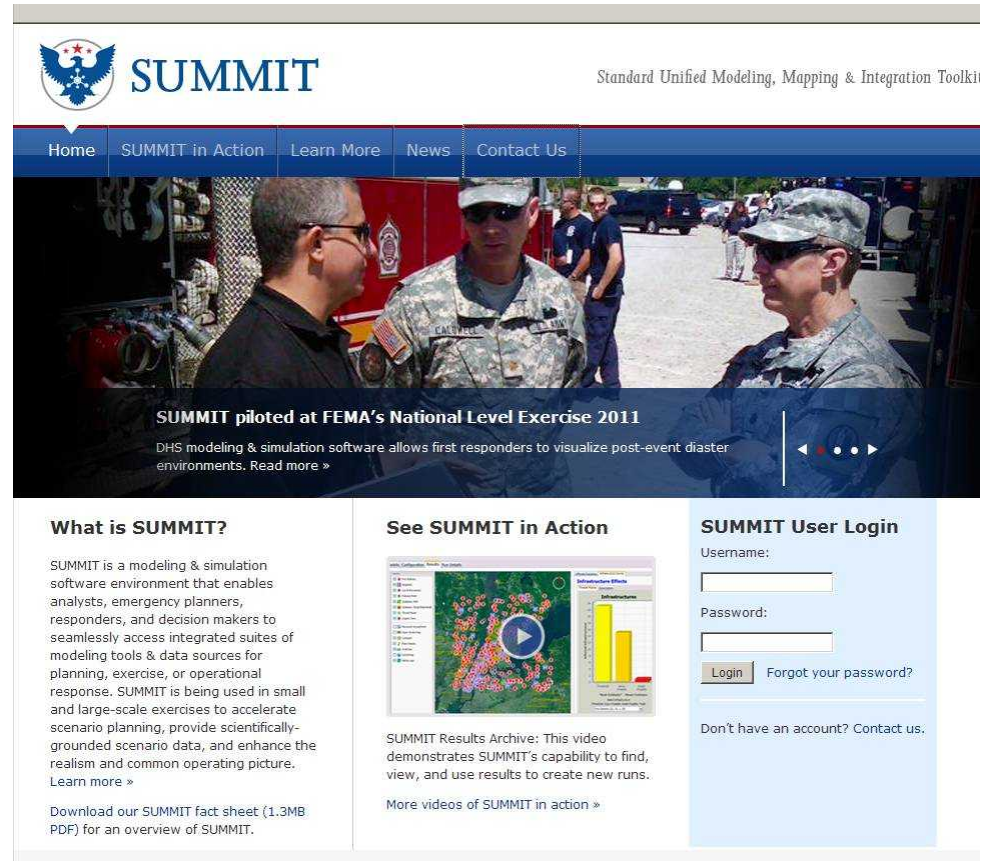
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# SUMMIT Major Accomplishments

- Developed initial SUMMIT end-user base, with >100 registration requests

<https://dhs-summit.us>



The screenshot shows the SUMMIT website homepage. At the top is the SUMMIT logo, which includes an eagle emblem and the text "SUMMIT". To the right of the logo is the tagline "Standard Unified Modeling, Mapping & Integration Toolkit". Below the logo is a navigation bar with links: "Home", "SUMMIT in Action", "Learn More", "News", and "Contact Us". The main content area features a large banner image of three men in military uniforms and civilian attire. Below the banner is the text "SUMMIT piloted at FEMA's National Level Exercise 2011" and "DHS modeling & simulation software allows first responders to visualize post-event disaster environments. Read more »". Below the banner are three columns of content. The first column is titled "What is SUMMIT?" and describes the software as a modeling & simulation environment for analysts, emergency planners, responders, and decision makers. It mentions that SUMMIT is used in small and large-scale exercises to accelerate scenario planning and enhance realism. It includes a link to "Learn more »" and a download link for a "SUMMIT fact sheet (1.3MB PDF)". The second column is titled "See SUMMIT in Action" and features a video player showing a map with a play button. Below the video is the text "SUMMIT Results Archive: This video demonstrates SUMMIT's capability to find, view, and use results to create new runs." and a link to "More videos of SUMMIT in action »". The third column is titled "SUMMIT User Login" and contains a login form with fields for "Username:" and "Password:", a "Login" button, and a link for "Forgot your password?". At the bottom of the login section is the text "Don't have an account? Contact us."



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