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### Fact Sheet: RDECOM Workforce

- RDECOM's core technical competencies position it to inform Army investment decisions and provide smart buyer assessment.
- RDECOM's institutional knowledge and technical experts enable customers to focus on their core competencies and meet cost schedule and goals.
- RDECOM's unique skill sets and systems engineering expertise are the underpinning of the program executive offices, continuing support to the life cycle management commands into sustainment.
- RDECOM's highly skilled workforce plays critical roles throughout the acquisition lifecycle process by informing milestone decisions, assessing the maturity level of technologies, and shaping developmental testing and fielding of materiel.
- Total manpower (FY13) (civilian, contractor, and military): 24, 390.
- Current civilian and military manpower: 13,700.
  - Average age: 49-53
  - Average years of S&E experience: 16
- RDECOM has 52 percent of the Army's scientists and engineers.
- 30 percent of RDECOM's scientists and engineers have a master's degree or doctorate.
- 37 percent of total FY13 customer driven support is provided by personnel not covered by TDA authorizations.
- FY13 reimbursable work years by customer:
  - PEOs: 5,445
  - AMC: 1,661
  - DoD: 1,904
  - Other Army customers: 513
  - Outside DoD: 127