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SOFTWARE DEFINED RADIO PROGRAMME DIVISION

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SDR Tactical Communications Workshop

The ITALIAN SDR Programme



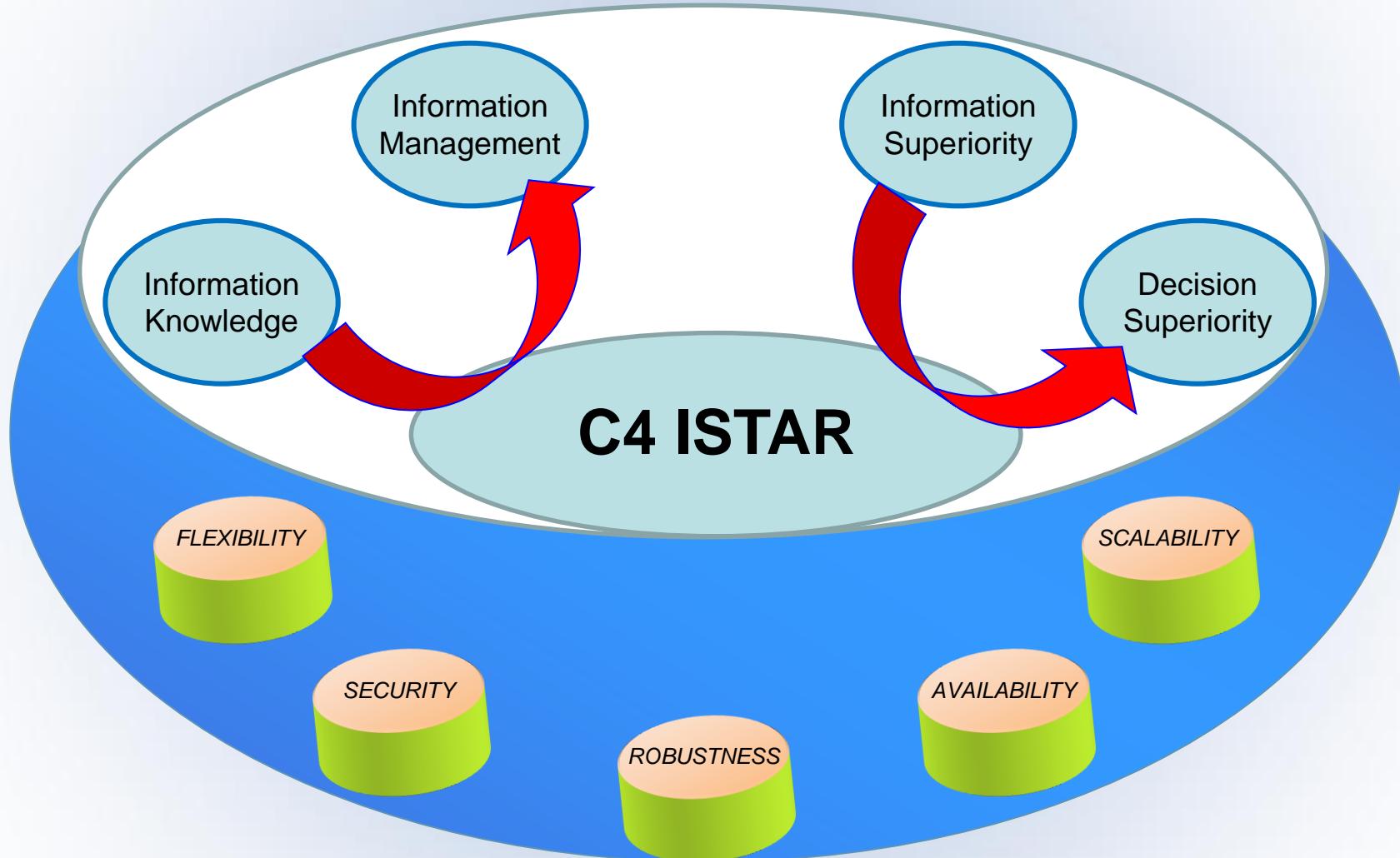
National vision on future
Operational Scenarios

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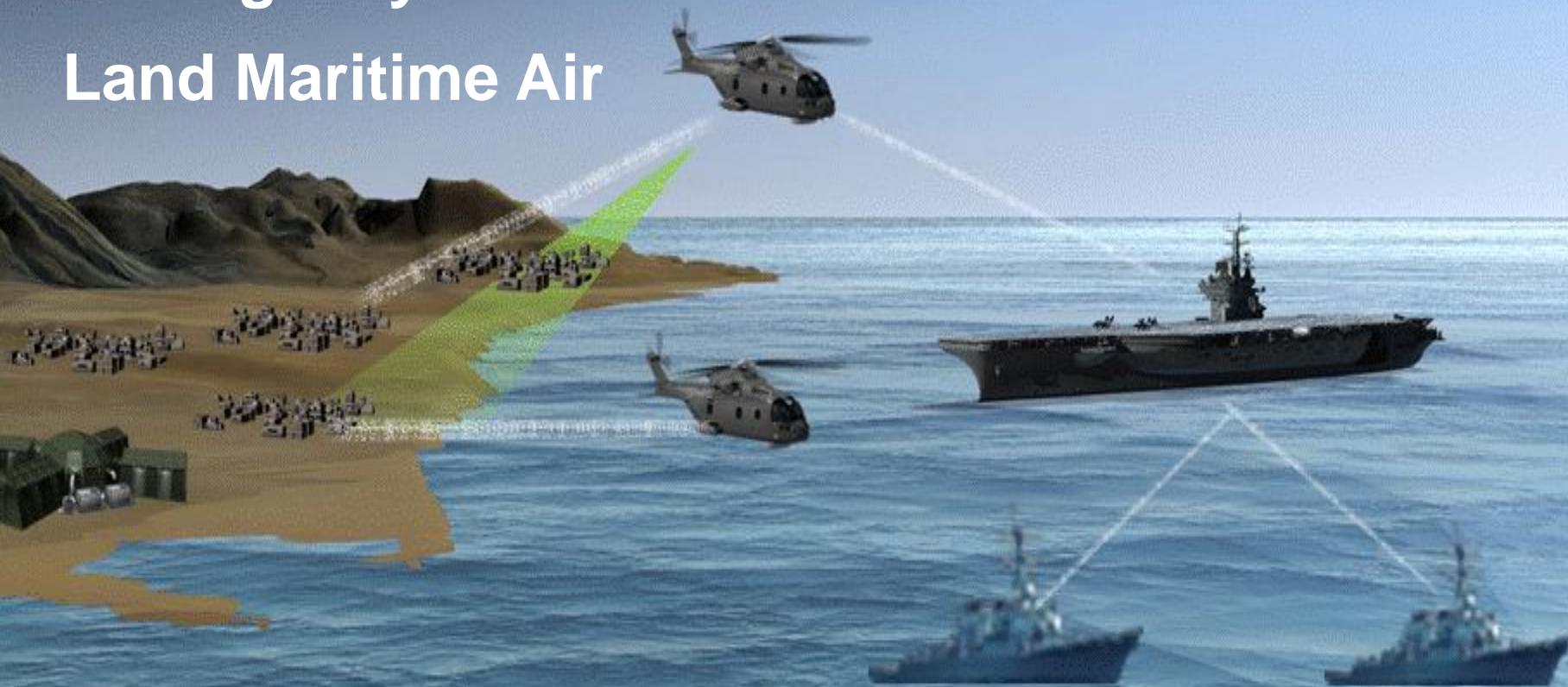
INTRODUCTION



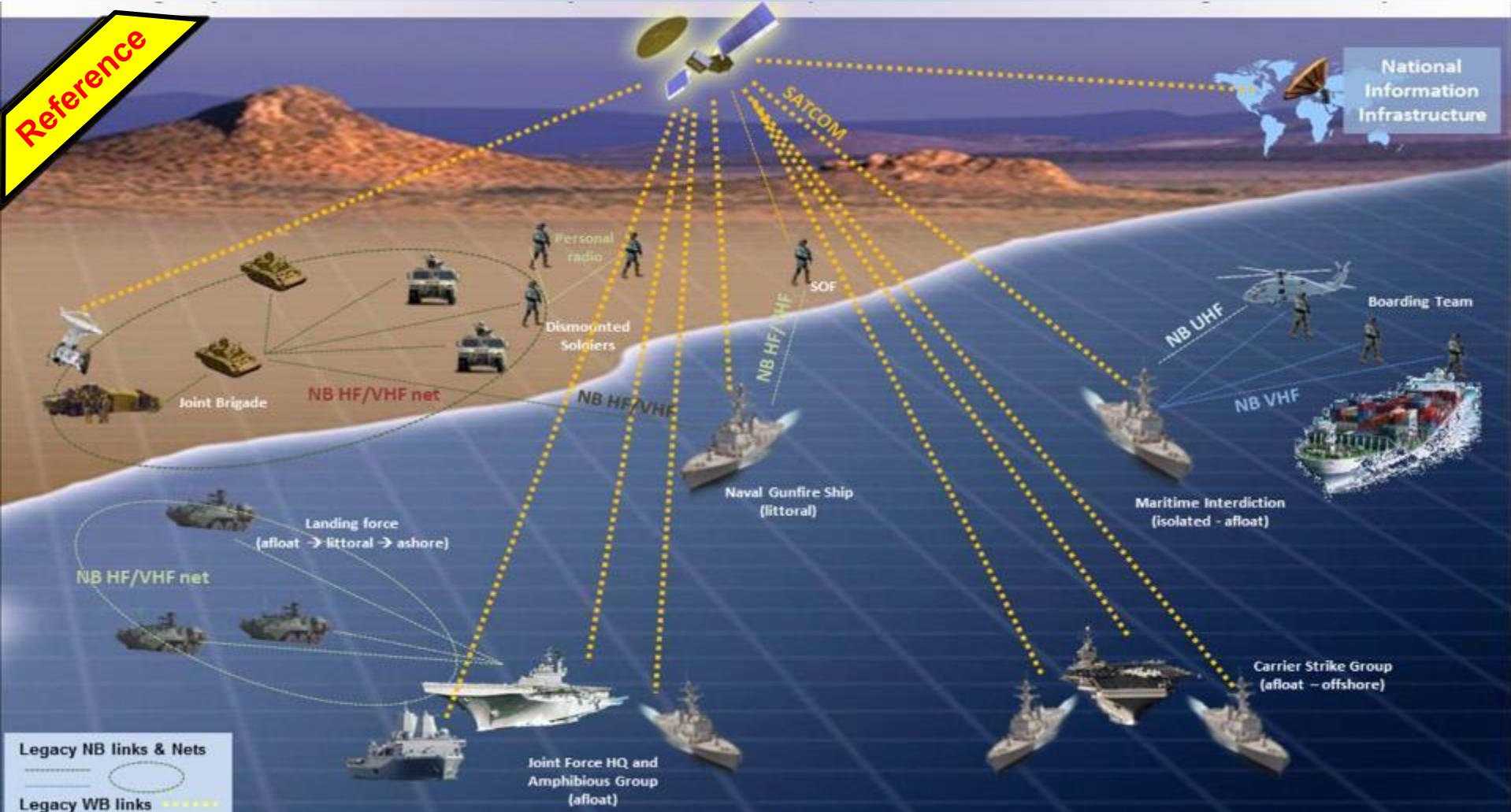
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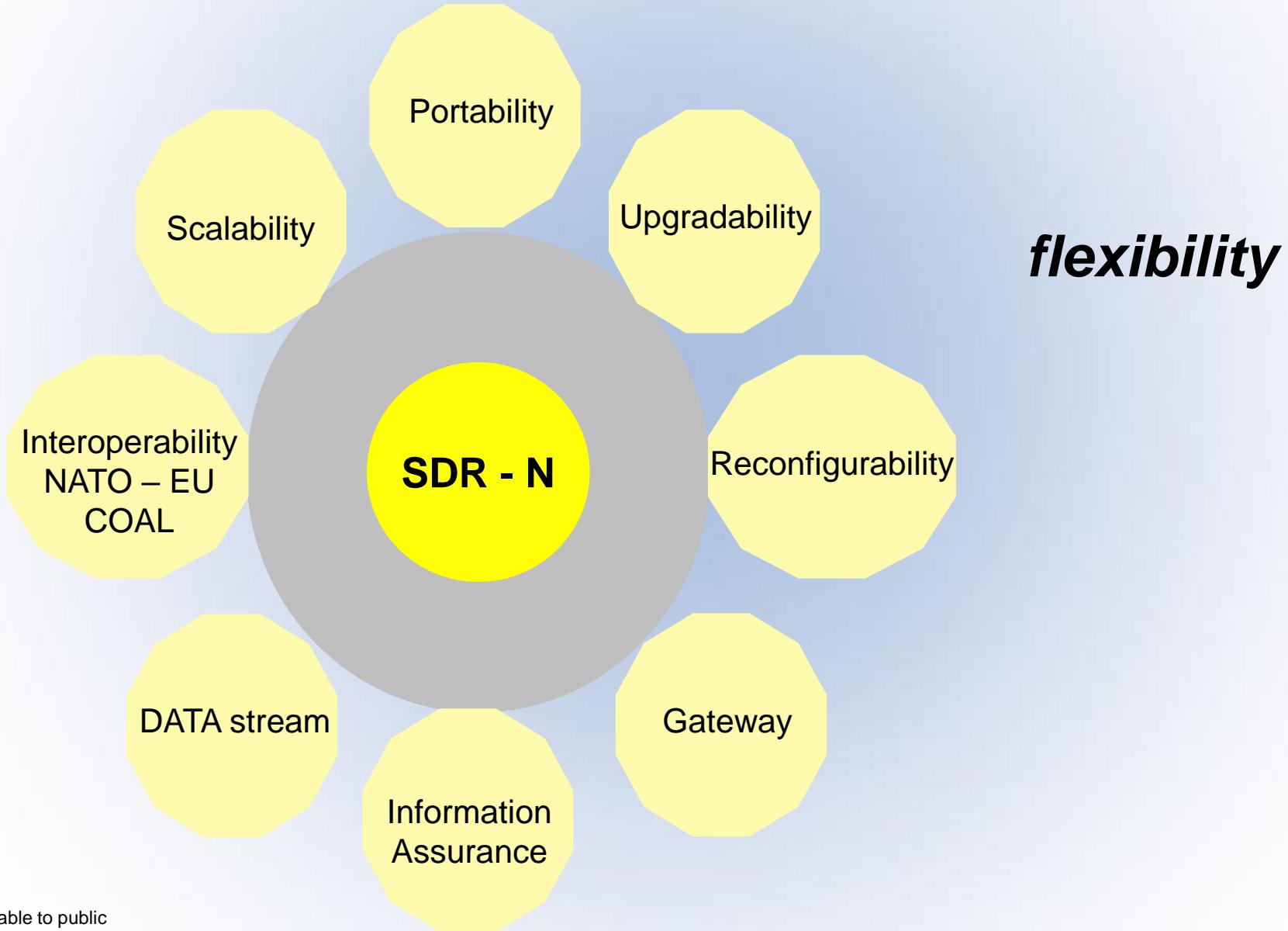
Joint & Multinational
Projection of the assets
Interagency
Land Maritime Air



Littoral Environment

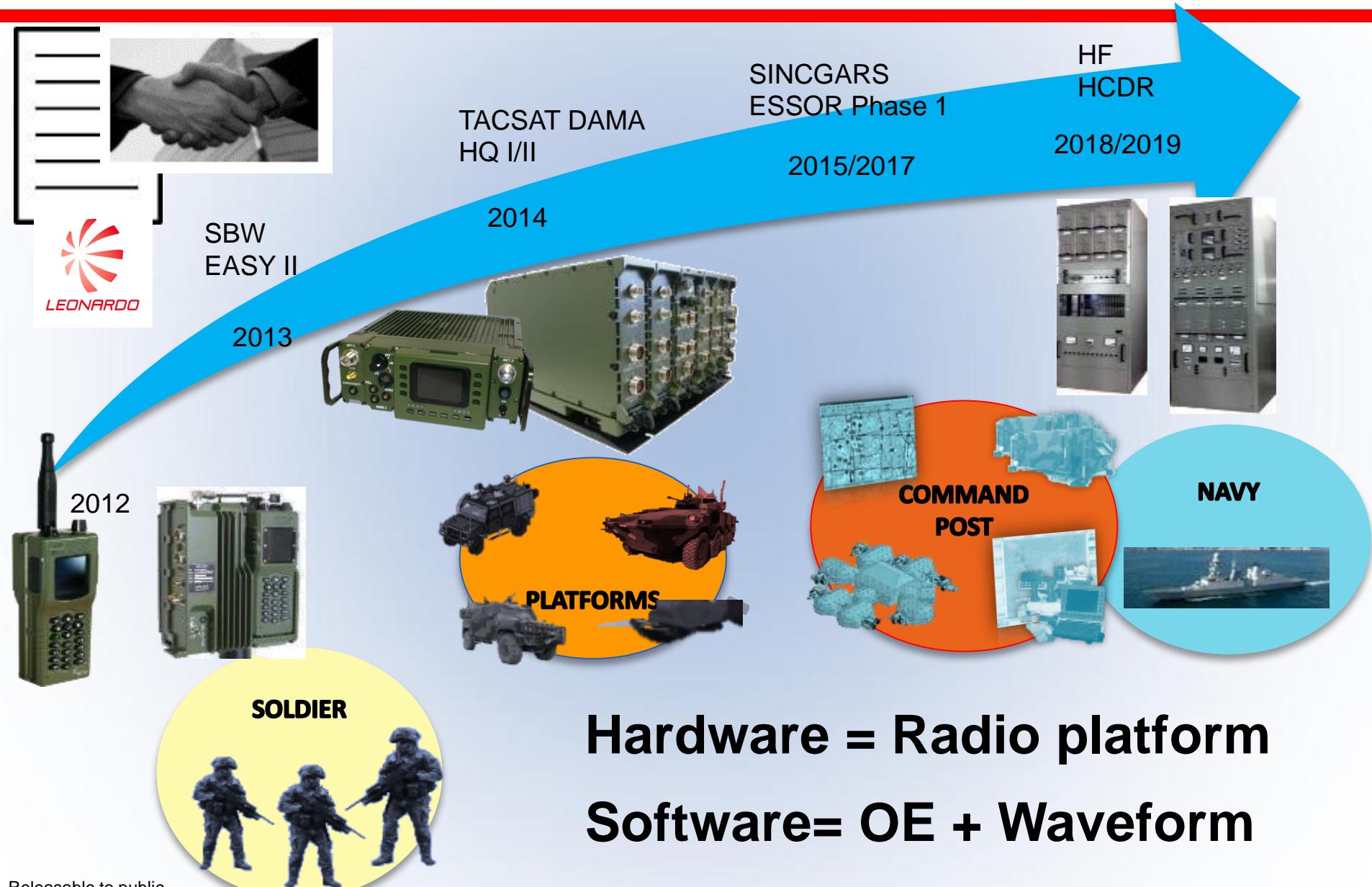


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National SDR Projects



National SDR Projects

legacy & future



HF WF
ESSOR HDR WF
HCDR WF



VHF-UHF

SWB WF
VLOS WF
SINCGARS WF
HQ I/II WF
TACSAT WF



Future Soldier



SWB WF
VLOS WF

National SDR Programs

F NEC



Legacy

X	SINCGARS 635/V	CNR 2000	SRT-651	AN/PRC -148	TSM 305
II / III	HCDR	RH4/RH5	AN/PRC-152		TST- 211B
---	SINCGARS 634/V				
...					
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..					
Tipos	PRR IPR	SINCGARS 633/P			
Dismounted	Vehicular	G-A-G	SATCOM		
UHF	UHF	UHF	UHF	UHF	X - Ku
VHF					

National SDR Programs

F NEC



X				 GROUND TERMINAL
II / III				
I				
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	 MANPACK 2 CH		VEHICULAR 4 CH	
	 DISMOUNTED SOLDIER			
Tipi	Dismounted	Vehicular	G-A-G	SATCOM
Band	UHF	VHF	VHF	UHF
			UHF	UHF
			X - Ku	

National SDR Programs

Naval Program

OSV



LSS



LHD

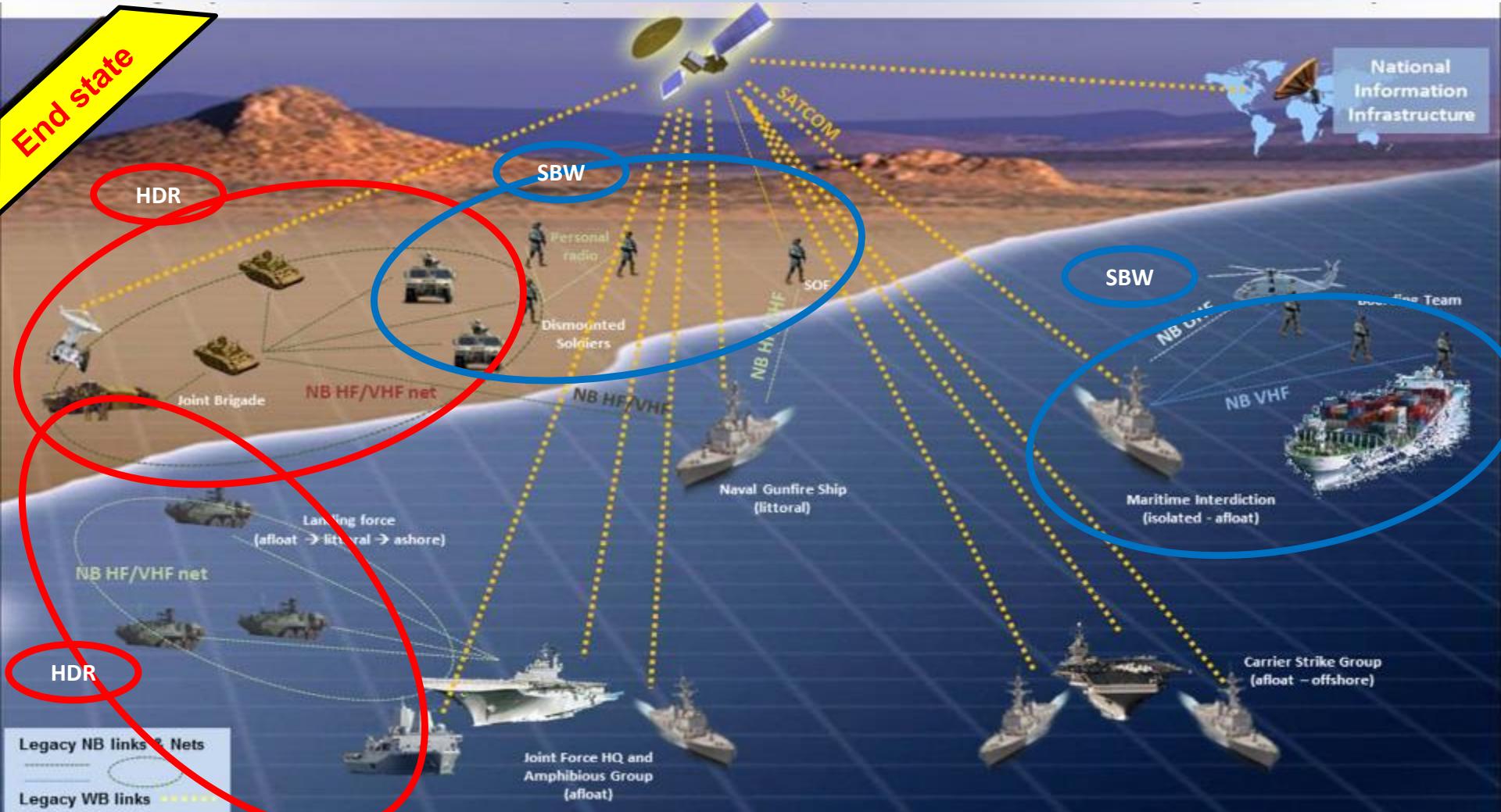


Navy **new naval programs** foresee full deployment of SDR technology:

- Unique Naval SDR HW platform (*external COMSEC*) for:
 - “HF house” (voice/data with 2G & 3G ALE)
 - VHF: fixed frequency voice / data
 - UHF: LOS fixed freq., EPM (Have Quick / Saturn), **Wideband** (SBW, future HDR)
- Land SDR HW platform

National SDR Programs

Littoral Environment



safeguard legacy systems

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International SDR Cooperation

European Secure Software defined Radio

interoperability through portability



PHASE 1

HDR WF (R&D)

PHASE 2

HDR WF

(Operational Capability 1)

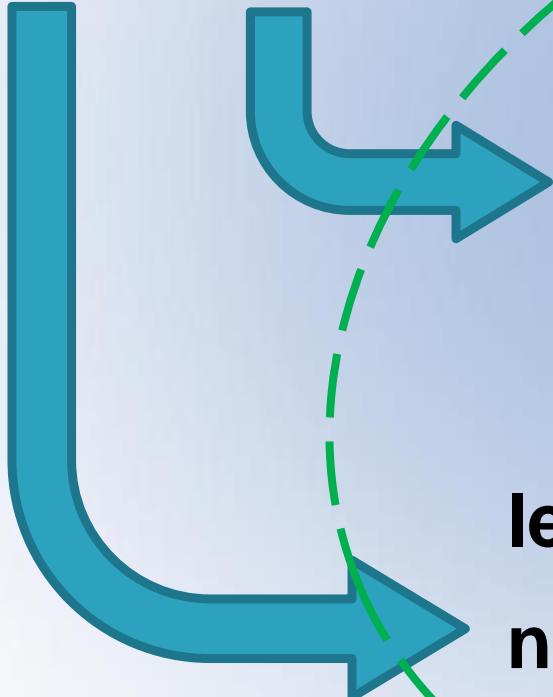
International SDR Cooperation

waveform interoperability



approach

NBWF/WBWF



ESSOR HDR WF

Soldier Wide Band (SBW) WF
(national solution)

**legacy (SINCGARS)
new waveform in
cooperation**

International SDR Cooperation

European Union



**ITA is part of the EU
PESCO initiative leading 4
different Project out of 17**

**ITA is actively participating
in the ESSOR PESCO
Project**

International SDR Cooperation

Certification and Standardization



ITA is supporting the standardization and certification of the SDR software architecture (based on the ESSOR Architecture) in order to:



- **Assure interoperability**
- **Improve WF portability**
- **Safeguard SDR investment**

International SDR Cooperation

Italian National Vision



Thanks for
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