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This plan is approved for use by the Technical Joint Cross Service Group. It is intended to serve as a road map of how analysis of the technical functions (research, development and acquisition, and test and evaluation) and capability areas will be analyzed based on the data provided by the several data calls (capacity, military value, and scenario) needed to support structured analysis and decision making. The contents of this plan include essential aspects of analysis planning needed to support TJCSG analytical team operations.

Transformation through base realignment and closure (BRAC) for 2005 is a challenging project. At the conclusion of the project, the Technical Joint Cross Service Group Chair will provide the Infrastructure Service Group (ISG) a set of decision recommendations to improve Department of Defense, research, development, acquisition, test and evaluation facilities.

The analytical team will use this plan and keep it current to support analysis and record the analytical procedures used to reach the final TJCSG recommendation of BRAC 05.

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### 101 **1.0 Introduction**

#### 102 1.1 References

- 103 1. Technical Joint Cross Service Group Master Plan V2.2 dated 22 April 2004
- 104 2. 2004 WBS/Schedule of Events for TJCSG BRAC 05
- 105 3. Transformation Through Base Realignment and Closure Technical Joint Cross
- 106 Service Group Information Control Procedures dated 13 April 2004
- 107 4. TJCSG Operational Quality Assurance Plan

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#### 1.2 Purpose of this Plan

110 The purpose of this plan is to provide background, lay out the roles and responsibilities,  
111 describe the analytical process, identify the resources needed to execute, and the describe  
112 the reporting tools of the Base Realignment and Closure 2005 (BRAC 05) technical  
113 analysis effort. It is not intended to be an all-encompassing document nor should it be  
114 viewed as static in nature. On the contrary, it is an evolving document that will be updated  
115 as time progresses and as the situation dictates. Information contained in this document is  
116 intended to supplement that found in reference (1).

### 117 **2.0 Roles & Responsibilities of the Analytic Team (AT)**

118 The mission of the Analytic Team (“A” Team) is to support the TJCSG analytic process  
119 by:

- 120 • supporting the technical analysis carried out by the TJCSG sub groups
- 121 • protecting the integrity of the database, the models, and the analytic process
- 122 • providing other analytic assistance to the TJCSG as directed by the TJCSG
- 123 Capabilities Integration Team (CIT) Chairman or requested by the CIT Military
- 124 Department (MilDep) representatives or the TJCSG sub group leads or their
- 125 designated representatives and approved by the CIT Chairman

126 The “A” team personnel are provided by the TJCSG membership (see Appendix A) as  
127 required. It is composed of representatives from each of the services. The “A” team’s roles  
128 and responsibilities are derived from its mission. In support of the TJCSG sub group  
129 technical analysis the “A” team provides tools and processes, provides advice, and offers  
130 other assistance as requested and able. In protecting the database, the models, and analytic  
131 process the “A” team manages and maintains the database, runs the various analytical  
132 models and methodologies, and establishes a documentation process that archives all  
133 essential TJCSG records. In providing other analytic assistance to the TJCSG as directed  
134 by the CIT Chairman or requested by the CIT MilDep reps or the sub group leads the “A”

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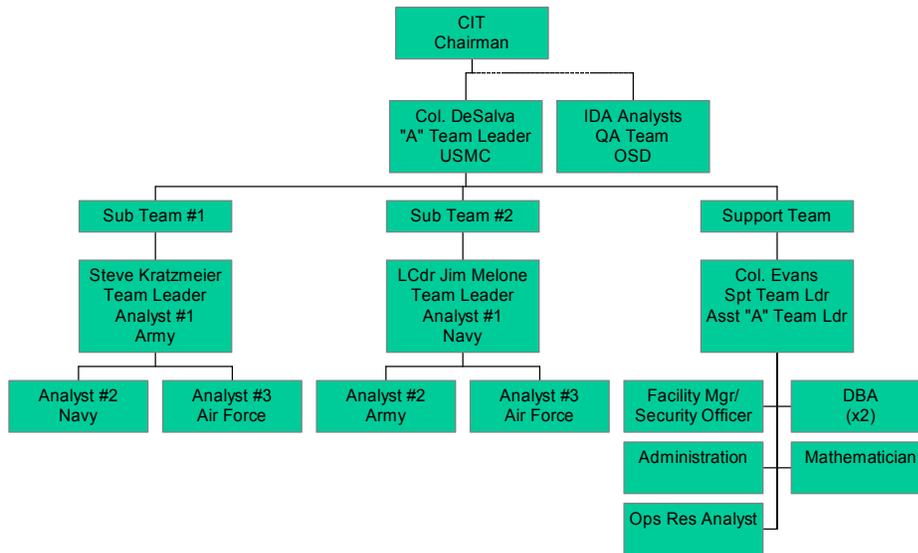
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135 team identifies and investigates issues impacting the analytical process, develops responses  
 136 to these issues, and presents them to the CIT or sub groups for consideration.

137 2.1 Team Organization

138 The AT has a core group of eight personnel sourced from the military services who are  
 139 fully employed in analysis beginning in March 2004 and continuing until the hand-off of  
 140 the final TJCSG report to the Secretary of Defense (SecDef) in early calendar year (CY)  
 141 2005. Backing up these core analysis personnel are support personnel. Support personnel  
 142 include the database administrators, security officer/facility manager, mathematician,  
 143 operation research analyst, and administration assistant.

145 During analysis of the first two data calls (capacity and military value or data calls #1 and  
 146 #2 respectively), the analytical personnel of the “A” team will be organized into two sub  
 147 teams. Each sub team will be lead by a sub team leader appointed by the “A” team leader.  
 148 Each sub team is composed of three personnel, one from each of the MilDeps. The support  
 149 sub team will fall under the direction of the support sub team leader who also is the  
 150 assistant “A” team leader. See the diagram below for a graphical representation.



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152 Organization of the Analysis Team

153 2.2 Proposed Employment

154 Each analytic sub team will be given the “lead” regarding either the capacity data call (#1)  
 155 or the military value data call (#2). The initial focus of effort will be the capacity data call  
 156 analysis and then shift to the military value analysis at the appropriate time. Whichever

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157 team is not the focus of effort will be in support to the team that is the focus of effort. This  
158 concept of employment will hold through completion of the analysis for data call #2. After  
159 completion of the data call #2 analysis but before the optimization/scenario development  
160 phase a different concept of employment will be implemented. During this third analytical  
161 phase, each analyst will be assigned a group of “bins” for which they will become the “A”  
162 team’s duty expert. Each bin is defined by the function (S&T, D&A, or T&E) and  
163 technical capability (DTAP) area it fits. There are thirty-nine bins in the TJCSG analytical  
164 framework.

### 165 3.0 Analytical Effort

#### 166 3.1 Objective

167 The objective of BRAC 05 TJCSG analysis is to provide the SecDef with a number of  
168 recommendations regarding the closure of existing CONUS based technical facilities and  
169 the realignment of remaining facilities so as to best posture the armed forces technical  
170 support infrastructure to meet current and future needs. The ultimate purpose of the  
171 TJCSG analysis is to provide recommendations for a desirable cross-service technical  
172 infrastructure (set of facilities) to be retained after BRAC 2005. These recommendations  
173 must satisfy certain constraints, such as retaining sufficient capacity to perform the required  
174 workload and satisfying policy imperatives. The recommendations must also balance the  
175 tradeoff between achieving savings through reducing excess capacity in the current  
176 infrastructure and retaining military value, defined in accordance with the BRAC selection  
177 criteria (see Appendix C). The purpose of this section of the analysis plan is to lay out the  
178 framework and analytical parameters and techniques to be used, identify the data call types,  
179 explain the analytical method, identify the tools, models, and methodologies that will  
180 produce these recommendations as well as present the undertaking’s risks.

#### 181 3.2 Constraints

182 Constraints on the analytic process take the form of strategic imperatives and  
183 transformational guidance. Constraints also directly feed the linear optimization  
184 methodology, as does military value. Constraints effectively limit the number of  
185 closure/realignment options evaluated during analysis by removing some theoretical  
186 possibilities from consideration. For example: a strategic imperative might say that the  
187 DoD must maintain the ability to engage in two nearly simultaneous regional conflicts.  
188 Imperatives focus on what is necessary to meet the current operational requirements.  
189 Transformation guidance focuses those areas wherein future capabilities are needed but  
190 where no or insufficient capability exists today. For example: transformational guidance  
191 might say that the DoD must have the capability to conduct remote diagnostics and  
192 maintenance actions for all of its major land, air and sea weapons systems using a  
193 dedicated C4I architecture by a given year. Imperatives and transformation guidance are  
194 required before any optimization analysis can begin. OSD is responsible for providing

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195 strategic imperatives and transformation guidance to the JCSGs for the purpose of  
196 conducting analysis. If constraints are not defined in sufficient detail as to provide  
197 meaningful guidance additional effort is necessary by the TJCSG, specifically the CIT, in  
198 order to either obtain this level of detail explicitly from OSD or to derive it from implied  
199 goals. Failure to provide sufficient detailed guidance in this area will result in delaying  
200 analysis or negatively impacting the fidelity of the analysis.

### 201 3.3 Types of Data Calls

202 There are three data calls supporting this effort. They are the capacity, military value, and  
203 scenario data calls, also referred to as data calls #1, #2, and #3 respectively. These are  
204 described in greater detail in subsequent paragraphs.

#### 205 3.3.1 *The Capacity Data Call*

206 The Capacity Data Call is the first of the data calls. This data call was released to DoD field  
207 activities on 6 Jan 04. The resulting data was scheduled to be released to the TJCSG on or  
208 about 5 Apr 04, however significant delays have been experienced resulting from problems  
209 in reporting. Its purpose is to paint a picture of how the existing infrastructure meets  
210 current needs. Current needs include both routine outputs as well as “surge” outputs. It is  
211 the baseline from which all follow on analysis actions is based. Expected results from  
212 capacity data analysis include identifying the location of capacity relative to function,  
213 technical capability, geographic location, and service and determination of how much and  
214 where “excess” capacity resides. Inherent in this is the identification of “excess” capacity  
215 relative to existing needs. “Excess” capacity needs to be considered relative to the time  
216 period in which it is being evaluated. Excess capacity is determined by identifying that  
217 capacity not currently being used and adding to it that capacity being used in areas not  
218 needed in the future and currently planned additional capacity. Projecting defense needs  
219 into the future implies that what is needed for today’s mission is not necessarily needed for  
220 tomorrow’s mission. Data analysis guided by imperatives, transformation guidance, as well  
221 as other direction from OSD/ISG will identify potential excess capacity now and into the  
222 future. The capacity data call, in conjunction with the military value data call, provides the  
223 initial input for the optimization process. It is expected that from the capacity data call will  
224 come the knowledge of what is the current capacity. Comparing this knowledge with force  
225 structure requirements supplied by OSD should yield a determination of what is required  
226 capacity and from these can be determined “excess capacity”. Identifying the excess  
227 capacity is a requirement of the analytical process.

#### 228 3.3.2 *The Military Value (MV) Data Call*

229 This is the second data collection effort. It has a sixty-day due date. It is due to be released  
230 in May and is due back During July 2004. Again, OSD will release this data after it has  
231 been reviewed and “certified”. The expected turnover of this data is the end of July or

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232 early August. The purpose of the MV data call is to collect sufficient descriptive data  
233 pertaining to individual technical facilities' operation so that their military value can be  
234 determined objectively. The military value data call in conjunction with the capacity data  
235 call provides the initial input for the optimization process. In addition to military value type  
236 questions, additional and clarifying capacity data questions are expected to be included in  
237 this data call. Expected results from military value data analysis include ranking of  
238 facilities by "bin". Part of the military value qualitative analysis includes "sanity" checks to  
239 identify any obvious errors in military value scoring and to ensure that MV scores are  
240 consistent with imperatives, transformation guidance, and other constraints. This also  
241 implies that constraints will have been identified, at least at a basic level by the time that  
242 this data is available for use.

### 243 3.3.3 Scenario Data Call

244 The Scenario Data Call is the third type of data call. Its specific duration and release date  
245 are as yet unknown however; it must begin no later than early first quarter of fiscal year  
246 2005 in order to support the submission of draft recommendations to the ISG by the end of  
247 first quarter of fiscal year 2005. It differs from the two earlier data calls both in how it is  
248 conducted and what data is collected. The scenario data call is driven by the results of the  
249 linear optimization analysis. Linear optimization analysis identifies the most promising  
250 closure and realignment options. The scenario data call must then fill in data gaps in  
251 facility data as well as add to that data in order to obtain a more detailed picture of like  
252 facilities for the purpose of additional comparative analysis. Inherently, this involves  
253 analysts drilling down at least one or two levels within the facilities in question in order to  
254 distinguish between similar facilities. Questions submitted at this point will be much more  
255 focused and simpler to answer than in the two previous data calls. Therefore, the turn  
256 around time for the answers will be greatly reduced with responses expected within a single  
257 week, not a number of weeks, as was the case in the previous data calls. The results of this  
258 analysis will be dependent on a holistic approach that is looking at a number of factors in  
259 addition to the inherent value of the facility.

### 260 3.4 Analytical Method

261 The method of analysis includes three components: data, process, and findings. These are  
262 described in the following paragraphs.

#### 263 3.4.1 Analysis Overview

264 Analysis is part of a multi-step problem solving process that begins with identification and  
265 understanding of the problem, followed by collection of data pertaining to the problem,  
266 continues with analysis of the data in order to develop it into information, develops  
267 alternative courses of actions, and ends with recommendation/implementation of courses of  
268 action most likely to achieve the desired goal(s). See Appendix D "Chart of the Problem

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269 Solving Process” for a graphical portrayal of this concept. Data is collected in order to  
270 better understand a problem and fill in gaps of understanding/knowledge. After collection,  
271 data is converted into information through initial analysis. Information becomes knowledge  
272 when the possessor of the information is able to use understanding of the information in  
273 order to predict future events based on this knowledge. Analysis is an iterative process and  
274 may require more than one data collection effort followed by analysis in order to arrive at a  
275 level of understanding needed to solve the problem. Armed with this knowledge, one is  
276 able to develop logical recommendations that will likely result in the desired goal(s).

#### 277 3.4.2 Analytic Process Assumptions

278 In any analysis assumptions must be made in order to take into consideration set  
279 parameters for the analytical effort. For the TJCSG BRAC 05 effort the following  
280 assumptions are made.

- 281 • All data received is the best available and is comparable. Both the capacity and  
282 military value data calls are initiated through the MilDeps and Defense Agencies.  
283 Prior to data being turned over to the TJCSG, this data is reviewed by the applicable  
284 MilDep or Defense Agency in order to certify that it is complete and accurate and  
285 collected in a manner consistent with the guidance provided at the time the data call  
286 was initiated. It cannot be overemphasized that the data gathered in every data call  
287 (capacity, military value and scenario) must be comparable. This includes the level  
288 at which data was gathered, its function and technical capability, and the definition  
289 of what constitutes a “facility” that this data describes. If data has been gathered at  
290 differing levels, some amount of summarizing or decomposition will be required in  
291 order that comparison may be made. At a minimum, data must be initially gathered  
292 at the function/technical capability (“bin”) level. For BRAC 05 analysis purposes  
293 however, data will often need to be able to be further decomposed one or two levels  
294 in order to obtain sufficient granularity with which to make meaningful  
295 comparisons. For example: collecting data on an air platform test facility would  
296 meet the minimum level of comparability by providing data at the function (test &  
297 evaluation) and technical capability (air platform) level. This level of detail is not  
298 sufficient for meaningful comparisons. Data would need to be further decomposed  
299 to identify the air platform major component (i.e., propulsion) and component type  
300 (i.e., rotary wing). This data gathering will most likely be conducted during  
301 scenario development and data collection.
- 302 • Additional data is available within time constraints. This will be very important in  
303 the conduct of scenario development and data call. It is assumed that the time  
304 required responding to a scenario data call will be much shorter than that  
305 experienced in the two earlier data calls. This will be because the scenario data calls  
306 will be much more focused in what info they are seeking and limited in to whom

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- 307 the data call is sent. The expectation is that scenario data calls will require two to  
308 five days for a response.
- 309 • All data provided by the various data calls from each of the MilDeps and defense  
310 agencies will be in the same data structure and compatible with the same software  
311 application and merged into one database prior to it being turned over to the  
312 TJCSG.
  - 313 • Analysis will endeavor to answer the questions of who (facility) is doing what  
314 (function-tech capability), where (physical location), how they are doing it  
315 (attributes-performance), and why this matters (military value).
  - 316 • Military Value equations and scoring schema are valid and measure meaningful  
317 aspects of the facilities being evaluated. They do not individually determine the  
318 military value; rather they are indicators of value.

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### 3.4.2.1 Order of Major Analysis Activities

321 Analytical activities include capacity data analysis, military value data analysis, linear  
322 optimization, and conclude with scenario data analysis (multiple iterations).

#### 323 3.4.2.1.1 Qualitative Analysis

324 This type of analysis will be performed by a validation team before any other analysis is  
325 performed to ensure that the data received is of sufficient accuracy and completeness, is  
326 comparable, and of sufficient granularity to support further analysis. For example: this may  
327 involve determining whether like data appears in the same units of measure was collected  
328 at the same capability level, etc. Some of this analysis is performed by the MilDep as part  
329 of their “certification” of the data they received from their respective installations, stations,  
330 and posts. Additional qualitative analysis will most likely be necessary by the TJCSG “A”  
331 team to ensure the data between the MilDeps and defense agencies is similarly comparable  
332 and that they are in the same format and of the same level of detail.

#### 333 3.4.2.1.2 Comparative Analysis

334 This type of analysis is most often thought of when discussing data analysis. It will occur  
335 predominantly during scenario data analysis. Comparative analysis is intended to match  
336 similarities and draw distinctions between two or more data entities (i.e. like facilities). For  
337 this effort, comparative analysis will be used to compare two or more like “facilities” in  
338 order to determine which has the greater military value (thereby ranking the facilities) and  
339 what combination of these facilities will meet the current force structure and strategic  
340 requirements while also positioning the DoD to be able to meet likely future requirements.

### 341 3.4.3 Capacity Analysis Methodology

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An approved capacity analysis methodology has been proposed but has not been accepted for use by the sub groups, the CIT, or the TJCSG. When methodology is approved, it will be described here.
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345 3.5 Tools/Models/Methodologies.

346 Assisting in analysis are a number of tools, models, and methodologies. There are three  
347 “tools” that will be used in analyzing the data call results. These are described below.

348 *3.5.1 Linear Optimization Methodology (LOM)*

349 This not a “tool” in the common sense of the word but rather a methodology for conducting  
350 linear analysis. It was developed by the Center for Naval Analyses for use in determining  
351 the best solution to a problem based on certain specific constraints and inputs. It is  
352 designed to provide the optimal solution given a single criterion. If a multiple criteria  
353 solution is desired, this tool may be used to run a series of optimization analyses using the  
354 results from the previous analysis to feed subsequent analyses. A significant portion of the  
355 military value analysis effort will be spent utilizing this tool.

356 *3.5.2 Installation Visualization Tool (IVT)*

357 Development of the Installation Visualization Tool (IVT) is led by the Air Force. The tool  
358 uses non-certified data for all DoD installations within the continental U.S. All Department  
359 of Defense locations with at least 300 personnel and are not leased are represented.  
360 Mapping is accurate to 1-meter for an installation and 5-meters to ranges.

361 For each installation, there are nine layers that can be overlaid on the satellite image. The  
362 layers consist of the following:

- 363 Installation & Range boundaries
- 364 Noise zones (AICUZ)
- 365 ESQD arcs
- 366 Accident Potential Zones (APZs)
- 367 Wetlands
- 368 Floodplains
- 369 Special Use Areas (SUAs)
- 370 Military Transportation Routes (MTRs)
- 371 Pollution non-Attainment Areas (Air pollution)

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373 The current schedule shows that all imagery and overlays will be completed by 1 May  
374 2004, at which time the tool should be available for use.

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375 3.5.3 Cost of Base Closure Actions (COBRA) Model

376 This Army developed tool is used to conduct comparisons between two or more facilities in  
377 order to determine the relative costs/savings that may be expected given certain closure or  
378 realignment actions. The results of this analysis are for comparative purposes only and  
379 should not be misconstrued to represent budgetary savings or costs.

380 3.6 Analysis Risk

381 As in any undertaking, there are elements of risk involved in  
382 the TJCSG BRAC 05 effort. These have been analyzed and are  
383 graphically depicted in the chart appearing below. Traditionally,  
384 risk is divided into three types: Cost, Schedule, and Performance. Additionally, when  
385 looking at risk items they are generally evaluated against the probability of occurrence  
386 (likelihood) and the consequence of occurrence (impact). Each risk evaluated below  
387 presents the occurrence likelihood and impact, overall assessment, and a strategy to  
388 minimize and or manage the risk.  
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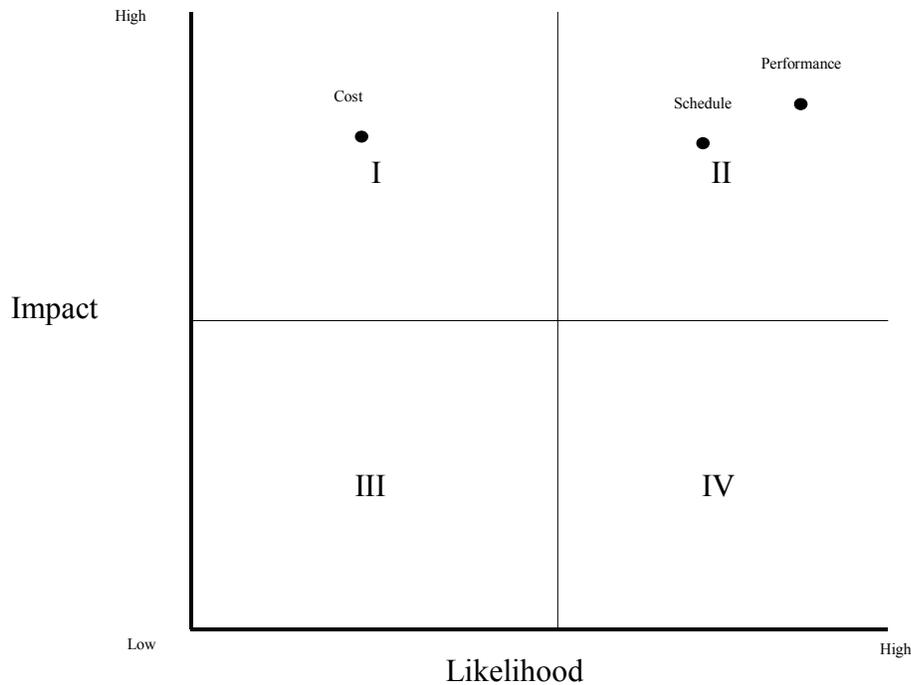


Chart of TJCSG Analysis Risk

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*This chart is divided into four quadrants (I, II, III, and IV), each described by likelihood and impact values. Low risk appears in quadrant III. Moderate risk appears in quadrants I and IV. High risk appears in quadrant II. Two of the three main elements of this effort*

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396 *appear in quadrant II (high impact and high likelihood). Clearly this effort involves high*  
397 *risk. Identifying and developing effective responses to risk permits the effective*  
398 *minimization and management of risk.*

#### 399 *3.6.1 Cost Risk*

400 Cost risk usually represents a significant consideration and translates into “the cost of doing  
401 business”. For example: are suitable and adequate funds and contracting vehicles available  
402 to provide the correct contractor support for performing the analysis in the time frame  
403 allocated? Some up front planning with the schedule is usually required to minimize this  
404 risk. In so doing adequate funding can be budgeted and contracted at the appropriate time.  
405 From earlier TJCSG discussions it was agreed that the MilDeps would provide analysts to  
406 the TJCSG’s analytic team and otherwise support the overall analytic effort with support.  
407 While this presents a low probability of a shortage of funds there is a high impact if  
408 funding shortfalls do occur. Therefore, the overall level of this risk is assessed as moderate.  
409 An appropriate strategy to minimize and manage this risk is to allocate independent funds  
410 to the analytic effort at the earliest opportunity.

#### 411 *3.6.2 Schedule Risk*

412 Schedule risk is the danger that an event will occur causing the schedule to be delayed.  
413 Developing and adhering to a detailed schedule that identifies all critical milestones can  
414 generally reduce schedule risk. Some risk is always associated with the schedule until the  
415 overall timeline is produced and given a reality check in order to ensure sufficient time is  
416 available at the various stages to complete the tasks effectively and completely. Although a  
417 high-level schedule exists, there is a high probability that the detailed schedule will slip.  
418 Should the schedule slip, the impact may be significant because there are a series of  
419 deliverables associated with specific due dates and a very tight timeline. Schedule  
420 flexibility is minimal. Therefore, risk is assessed as high calling for close scrutiny. See  
421 Reference 1 “POA&M/WBS/  
422 Schedule of Events for TJCSG BRAC 2005” for a detailed portrayal of events.

#### 423 *3.6.3 Performance Risk*

424 This, the final type of risk, is further broken down and evaluated into three areas with sub  
425 areas under each. Of the three general areas of risk, this is the area where BRAC 05 risk is  
426 the highest because it is here that the effort has the most exposure and where the slack  
427 caused by other risks must be taken up. All personnel must keep in mind that delays in  
428 completion of assigned tasks schedule will have a direct and negative impact on  
429 performance.

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### 430 3.6.3.1 Data

431 The first major area of performance risk is **Data**, with sub areas of fidelity, sufficiency,  
432 timeliness, and accuracy. Data risk involves the risk to the integrity of the data. The  
433 likelihood of data-related problems is moderate. The impact of data-related problems is  
434 very high. For example: analysis may not be able to proceed if there is a serious problem  
435 with the data. Therefore, the overall risk is assessed as high. This area should receive very  
436 close scrutiny and can be managed by conducting qualitative analysis of data upon its  
437 receipt by both the certifying agency and the AT.

### 438 3.6.3.2 Analysis

439 The second major area of performance risk is **Analysis**, with the sub areas of data  
440 consolidation, MV equations yielding credible results, and scenarios that are developable,  
441 credible, and timely. Since the data consolidation will occur under OSD oversight, MV  
442 equations have received a high level of scrutiny in formulation, and scenarios can be  
443 crafted to get credible results the likelihood of something going wrong here is relatively  
444 low. On the other hand, the impact of a problem here would be high as it would be a  
445 systemic failure of analysis. The overall risk for this area is moderate and a commensurate  
446 level of oversight will ensure success and reduce risk in this area.

### 447 3.6.3.3 Results

448 The final risk area of performance risk is **Results**, with sub areas of producible, IG  
449 auditable, timely, and sufficient. The likelihood that a defect is found here is quite high  
450 and the impact would be very serious. Therefore, the risk is assessed as being high.  
451 Although the IG is already on board and time lines are driven by statutory mandate any  
452 slipping of the schedule directly and adversely impacts on the quality of the results  
453 (performance).

## 454 3.7 Quality Assurance

455 In order to arrive at a quality product any significant effort needs an objective third party  
456 involved in reviewing processes, data and documentation. The BRAC 05 effort is no  
457 different. Quality assurance needs to be carried out at two levels: strategic and operational.  
458 Strategic QA deals with TJCSG adherence guidance and direction from higher authority.  
459 Operational QA deals with how the analysis is executed. An operational level QA team has  
460 been established that is sourced from personnel provided by OSD. These personnel review  
461 the efforts of the AT and provide objective comment on how well they support a quality  
462 product.

463 There are three areas requiring QA participation: process observance, data integrity, and  
464 documentation. Analytical processes are defined by the CIT and sub groups approved by

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465 the TJCSG Chairman. It is incumbent upon the AT to operate within the constraints of the  
466 process so defined. It is the QA teams responsibility to report to the CIT Chairman when  
467 the process is violated. Quality data is the center of all analysis. Data quality never gets  
468 any better than how it was received. It is the responsibility of the QA Team to report when  
469 activities by anyone involved in the analytical process compromises the integrity of the  
470 data. Finally, the QA team participates the TJCSG documentation process and ensures that  
471 all necessary documentation is properly archived and that their content is consistent with  
472 guidance initiating their creation. Additional details are available from reference (4), the  
473 “TJCSG Operational Quality Assurance Plan”.

### 474 **4.0 Support Requirements**

475 This section addresses those requirements necessary to support the analysis including  
476 facilities, security, personnel, training, and scheduling. Each of these areas is addressed in  
477 the follow paragraphs.

#### 478 4.1 TJCSG Analytical Team Office Facilities

479 Collaborative conferencing and office space is required by the TJCSG for the duration of  
480 this effort. Members of the TJCSG sub groups, the TJCSG analysis team, and CIT  
481 members need to use this space during the data qualitative and comparative analysis, linear  
482 optimization, and scenario development and analysis phases. Due to the sensitive nature of  
483 the data in question it makes eminently good sense to conduct all analysis activities in one  
484 location where security of the data and findings can be closely monitored.

##### 485 *4.1.1 Requirements*

486 Requirements for the analytic team workspace include:

- 487 • A secure area to allow open storage of sensitive (not classified) BRAC materials
- 488 • Access to a large (560 sqft) and four smaller conference rooms
- 489 • Working space for maximum of 25 personnel complete with desktops, computers  
490 configured with MS Office Professional software applications (word processing, e-  
491 mail, presentations) and telephones
- 492 • Additional requirements include network capability to the external agencies (.mil  
493 domain). Once use of the portal is approved for file sharing, use of the SIPRNet will  
494 be minimal or cease to be required.
- 495 • A FAX capability
- 496 • A computer Projection capability
- 497 • A copier capability
- 498 • A shredder capability
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### 500 4.1.2 Location

501 Space has been identified for use by the TJCSG at 2511 Jefferson Davis Highway and is  
502 commonly referred to as either National Center One (NC-1) or Presidential Towers One  
503 (PT-1). Spaces have been made available to the TJCSG on the second floor in Suite 2200.  
504 The space identified in the drawing shown in Appendix E “Diagram of Analysis Office  
505 Space” has been assigned to the TJCSG for BRAC usage from 15 April 04 through 30 Nov  
506 05.

### 507 4.1.3 Facilities Set-Up

508 Activities required coincident with occupying the space include:

- 509 • Installation of computing environment
- 510 • Rewiring of network
- 511 • Acquisition of copier, laptop, projector, computers, shredder, and fax machines

### 512 513 4.2 Security

514 Security arrangements specific to the analytic team’s office space are documented in  
515 Reference 3, “Security Standard Operating Procedures for TJCSG Analytical and  
516 Deliberative Spaces”. All analytical team members must read this document and sign a  
517 statement attesting to their understanding of it.

### 518 4.3 Personnel

519 Analytic team personnel will be fully employed in analysis support beginning in early April  
520 2004 until the final report is submitted to the SecDef. Supporting the analytical sub teams  
521 are a number of other personnel comprising the support sub team. These positions include  
522 database administrators, mathematician, operations research analyst, facility  
523 manager/security officer, and administrative clerk. The analytical and support sub teams  
524 are the “core” of the analytic team. During peak analysis periods such late April, late May,  
525 late July to August and early October to early November of 2004 sub groups will engage in  
526 intensive technical analysis.

### 527 4.4 Training

528 Personnel supporting this effort will need additional training using the various analytic  
529 tools, methodologies, and models as well as orientation training. LOM and IVT training  
530 will be conducted during the week of 12 – 16 July. COBRA “train the trainer” training will  
531 be conducted in support of the TJCSG on 1 – 4 June. Orientation training will be  
532 conducted at the AT workspaces and occur before any analytical work is assigned to new  
533 personnel.

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### 534 4.5 Plan of Actions and Milestones (POA&M)

535 See Reference 3 WBS/Schedule of Significant Events.

### 536 4.6 Funding

537 Some funding will be required for the purpose of supporting the analytical effort. MilDep  
538 funding has been provided for the IT portion and parts of the other requirements.

## 539 **5.0 Communications**

540 The TJCSG will find it necessary to communicate with other JCSGs, the ISG and the  
541 several MilDeps regarding issues, discussions, findings and recommendations pertaining to  
542 the analysis in support of this effort. It may be necessary to communicate information  
543 using telephone, e-mail, or other telecommunication systems. These forms of  
544 communication must take into account the sensitive nature of the BRAC 05 effort and be  
545 consistent with the security guidance contained in reference 3, "Security Standard  
546 Operating Procedures for TJCSG Analytical and Deliberative Spaces".

547 Reports are another form of communication. Appendix F "Analysis Reporting Format" is  
548 provided as a guideline for report formats.

### 549 5.1 Report Types

550 These reports are of three types: periodic, as required, and final reports that are explained  
551 below.

#### 552 *5.1.1 Periodic*

553 This report is required when significant events have occurred as a means of recording the  
554 results of deliberations and sharing of information with other interested parties. Such events  
555 may be TJCSG conferences, initial analysis results of data calls, etc. Reports are planned at  
556 the end of the capacity and military value data calls to show the analysis results. All reports  
557 sent to the ISG will be first routed through the CIT.

#### 558 *5.1.2 As Required*

559 It may be necessary during the course of working the BRAC 05 effort to respond to  
560 inquiries from the ISG or other interested parties. These will be run through the CIT.

#### 561 *5.1.3 Final Report with Recommendations*

562 The final report of recommendations will represent the collective judgment of the TJCSG  
563 regarding closure and realignment actions that ought to be taken. This report is the

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564 culmination of all analytical efforts. It is due in draft form by *November 15<sup>th</sup> (tentatively)*.  
565 It must be reviewed CIT and approved by the Principals before submission to the ISG.

#### 566 5.2 Format

567 Reports will be augmented by presentation of data both in tabular and graphical manner.  
568 See Appendix F “Analysis Reporting Format” for an example of a standard report format.

#### 569 **6. Summary**

570 This document describes a plan to conduct the analysis portion of the BRAC 2005 effort. It  
571 addresses the role and responsibilities of the analysis team, describes the analytical process,  
572 identifies the analysis team support requirements, and addresses communication concerns  
573 and formats. This plan is evolving as the effort moves forward. It will not be complete  
574 until after the final recommendations are handed over to the BRAC 05 Commission and  
575 Congress. Once that is done, this plan becomes a historical record of how analysis was  
576 planned and conducted during this undertaking. It is hoped that when future joint BRAC  
577 efforts are commenced, this document will be of assistance to the participants.

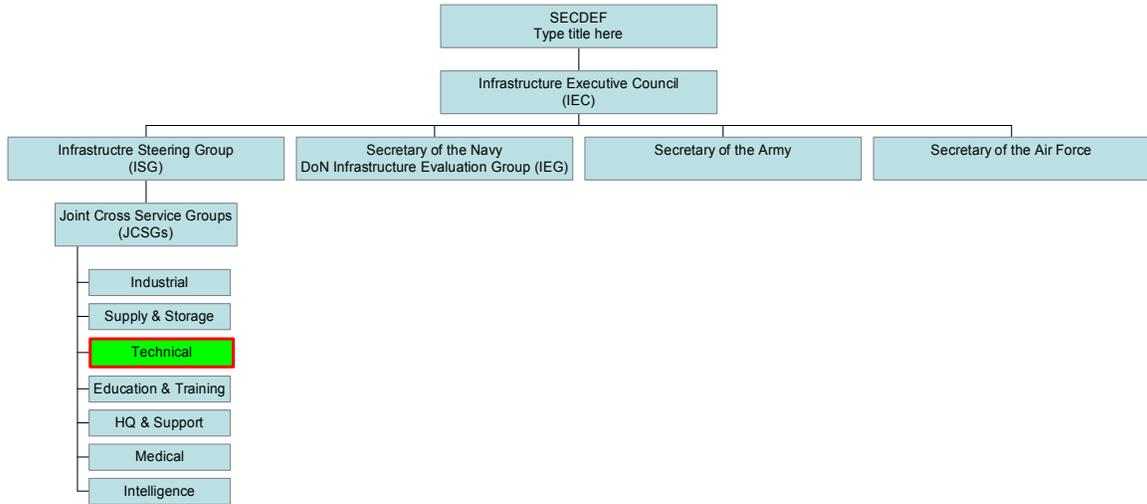
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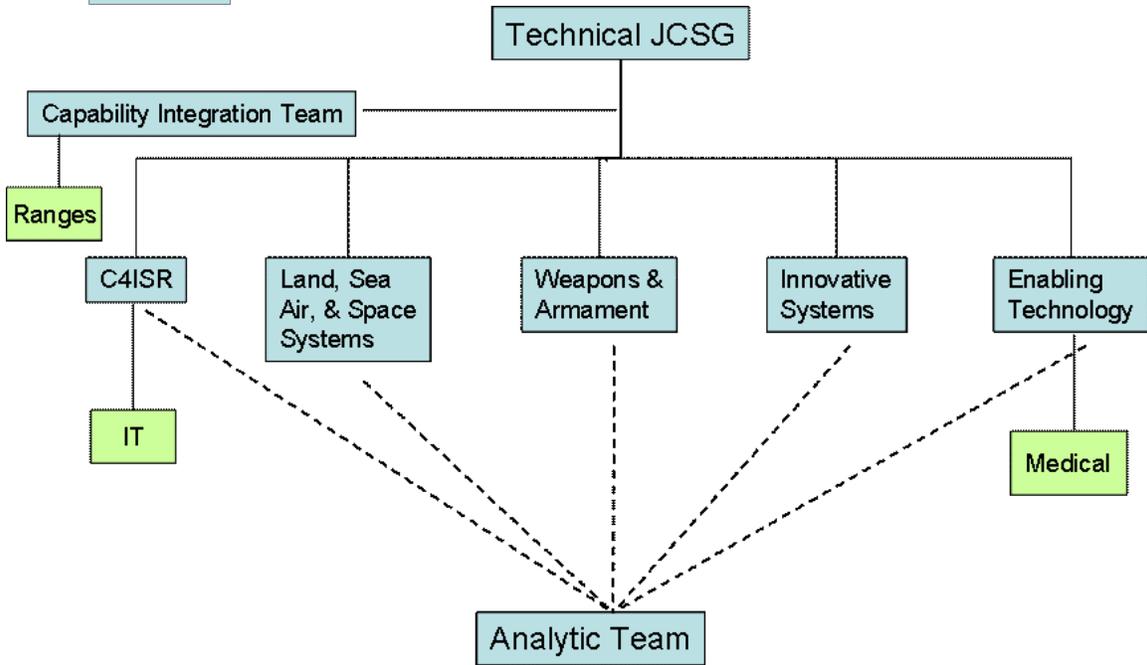
Appendix A  
Chart of BRAC 05 Organization

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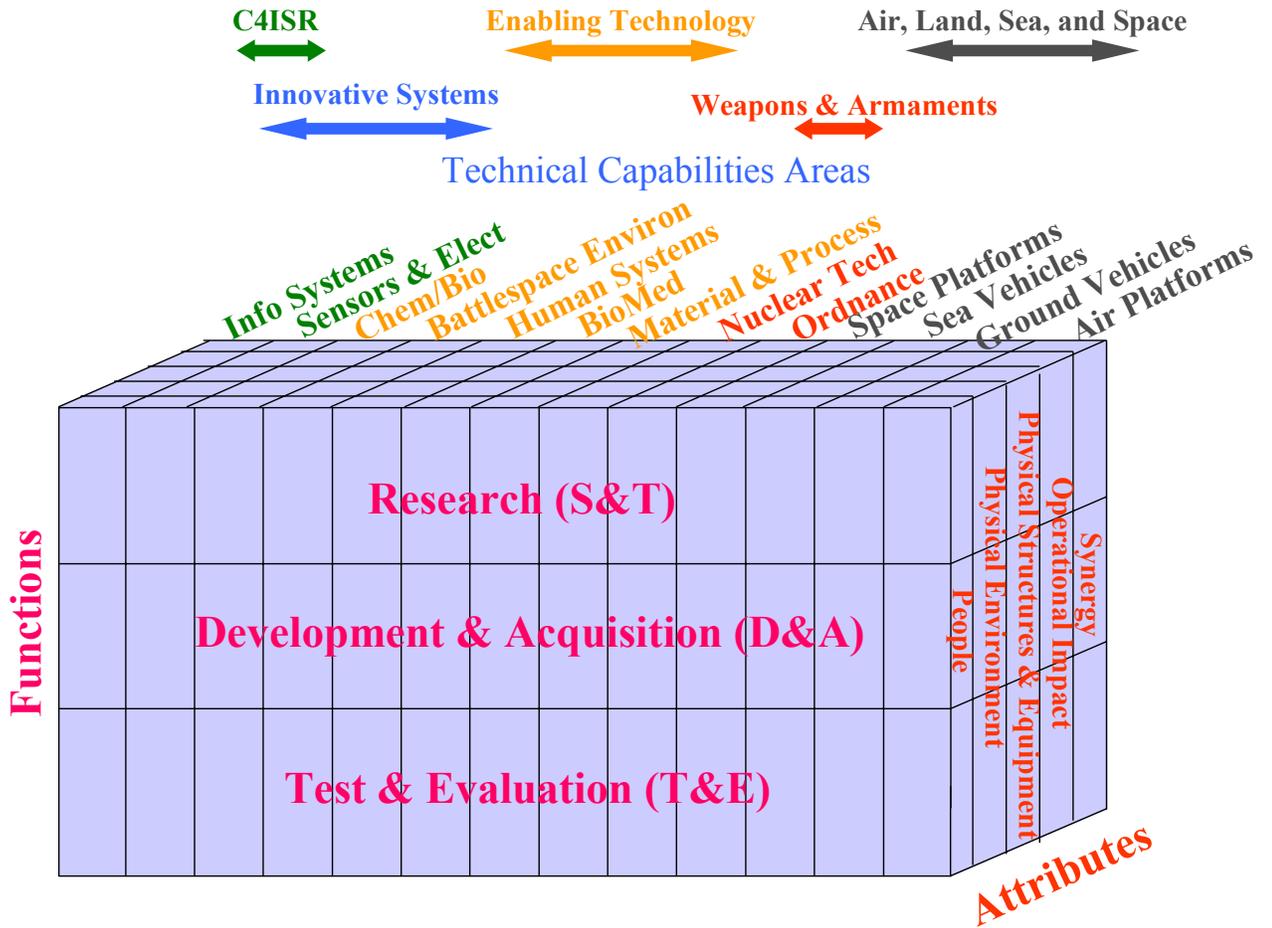
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TJCSG Functions, Technical Capabilities, and Attributes

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List of Approved BRAC 05 Selection Criteria

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**Military Value**

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1. The current and future mission requirements and the impact on operational readiness of the Department of Defense's total force, including impacts on joint war fighting, training, and readiness.

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2. The availability and condition of land, facilities and associated airspace, including training areas suitable for maneuver by ground, naval, air forces throughout a diversity of climate and terrain areas and staging areas for use of the Armed Forces in homeland defense missions, at both the existing and potential receiving locations.

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3. The ability to accommodate contingency, mobilization, and future total force requirements at both the existing and potential receiving locations to support operations and training.

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4. The cost and manpower implications.

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**Return on Investment**

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5. The extent and timing of potential costs and savings, including the number of years, beginning with the date of completion of the closure or realignment, for the savings to exceed the costs.

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**Impacts**

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6. The economic impact on existing communities in the vicinity of the military installation.

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7. The ability of both the existing and potential receiving communities' infrastructure to support forces, missions, and personnel.

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8. The environmental impact, including the impact of costs related to potential environmental restoration, waste management, and environmental compliance activities.

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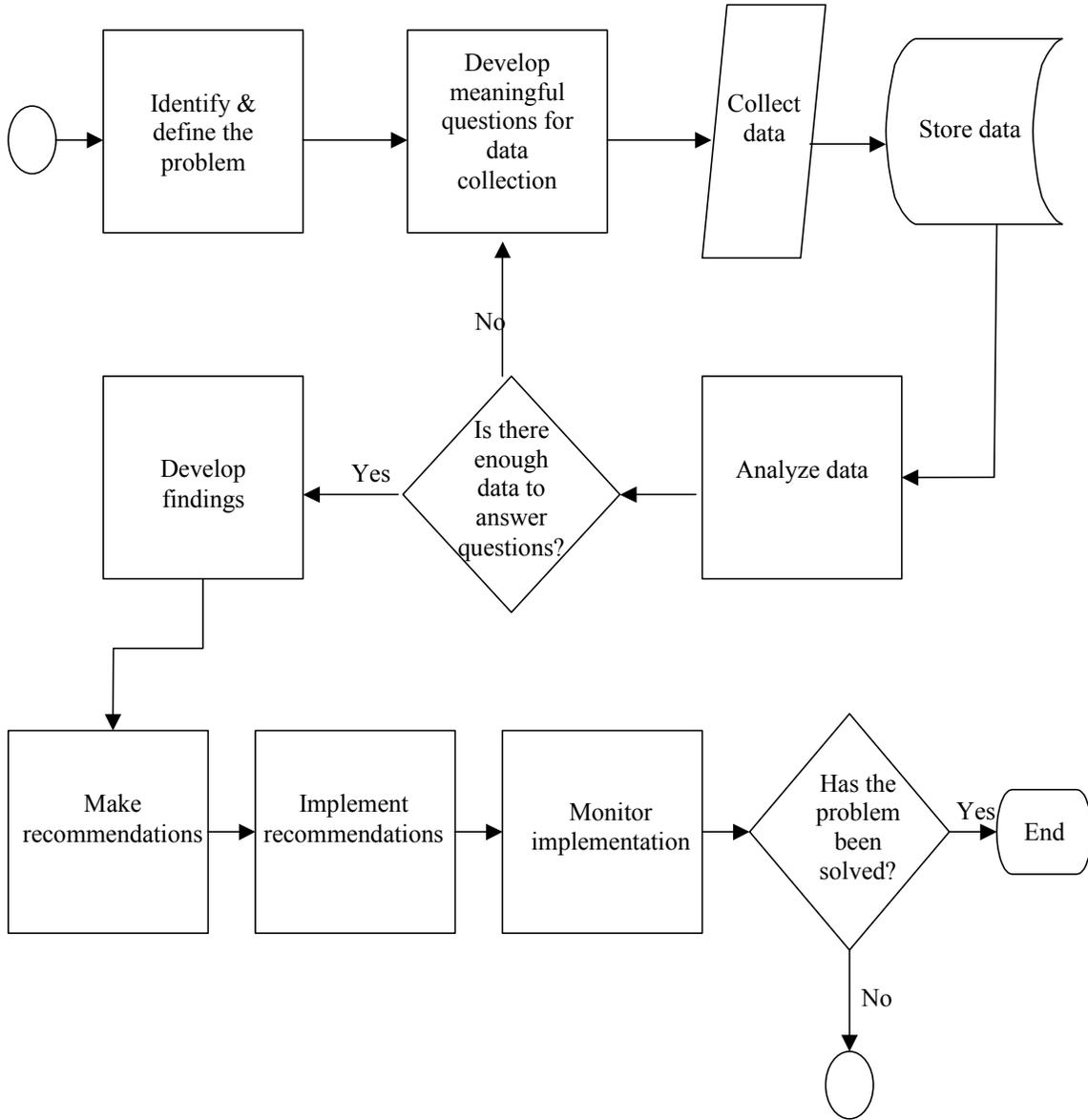
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Appendix D  
Chart of the Problem Solving Process

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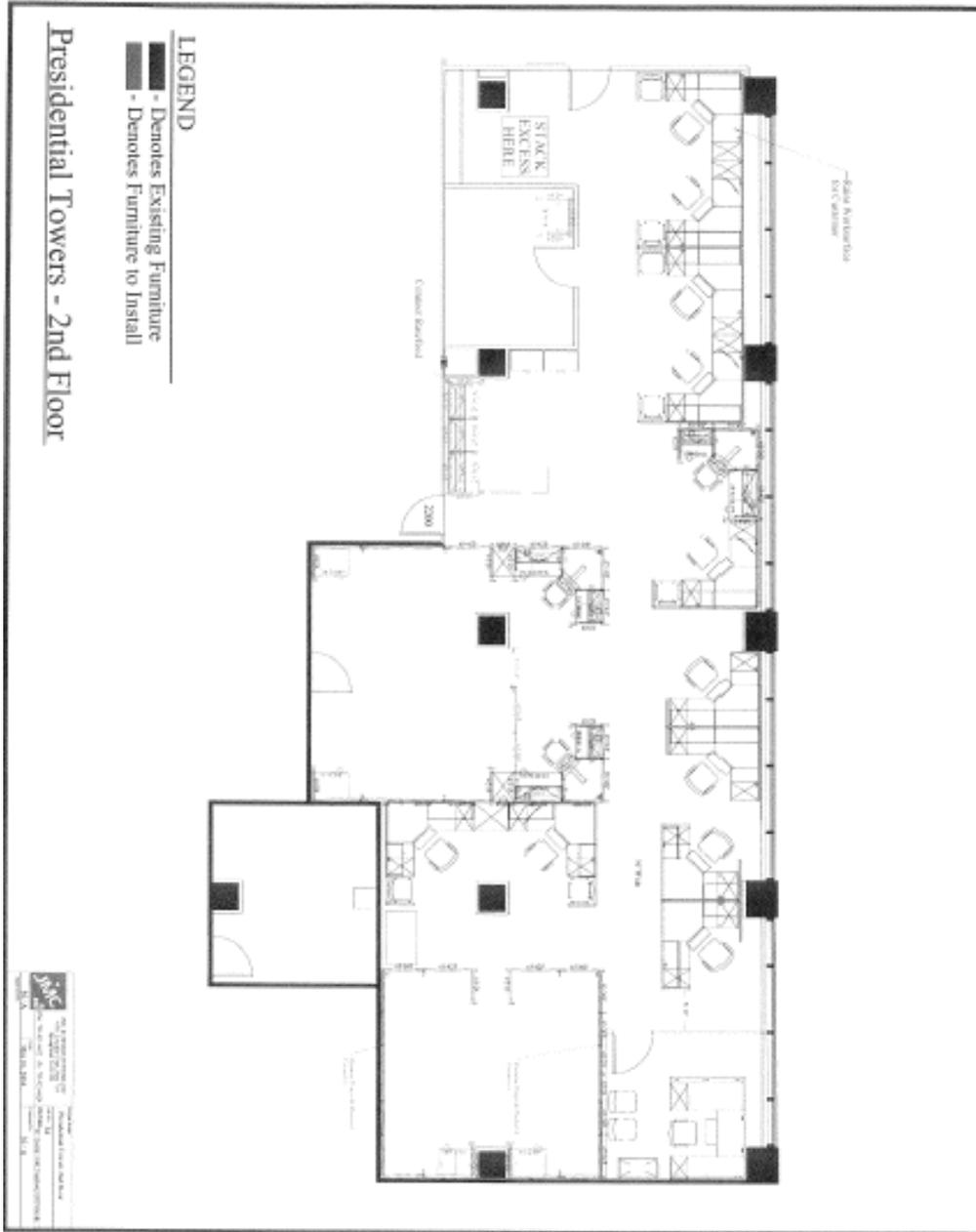
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Appendix E

TJCSG Analysis Spaces – NC-1, Suite 2200

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Appendix F  
Analysis Reporting Format

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I Introduction

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A. Evaluation Design

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B. Instrumentation

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C. Analyses

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III Objectives

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