

European Test and Evaluation Community Days Conference 25-27 April 2017

Day 0 - Meet and Greet (Monday 24/04)

Location: Landesverteidigungsakademie, Stiftgasse 2a, 1070 Vienna

16h30	Check-in starts
18h00	Welcome The host invites TECD participants to a welcome drink.

Day 1 (Tuesday 25/04)

Opening

Chaired by EDA – Roland **Van Reybroeck**, CPS Director, EDA

09h00	Speech – on behalf of Austrian Defence Minister LtGen Norbert Gehart , Armament Director, BMLVS, AT
09h20	Key Note - Impact of the EU Global Strategy on Defence Test and Evaluation Rini Goos , EDA Deputy Chief Executive
09h40	Welcome Note BG Michael Janisch , Director, ARWT, AT

Session 1 – Impact of the EU Global Strategy on test and evaluation requirements – Panel Discussion

Moderator: Roland **Van Reybroeck**, CPS Director, EDA

EUGS: ‘We must develop the capacity for rapid response also by tackling the procedural, financial and political obstacles which prevent the deployment of the Battlegroups, hamper force generation and reduce the effectiveness of CSDP military operations...’

Session one will approach the implementation of this and further EUGS requirements regarding T&E in a lively panel discussion.

09h50	Introductory note EU’s large network of Test Centres to support CSDP Operations more rapidly <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ BG Mats Ström, T&E Director, SE
10h00	Panel Discussion <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Capacity for rapid response through harmonization of standards <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Dr. Gerhard Hubricht, Rheinmetall, ASD-ELDIG Member ● Enhance procedures and cooperate closely with NATO <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Pierre Calvez, Head IVV Lifecycle Support Group, NATO Communication and Information Agency, NL ● Strategic view on T&E <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ BG Mats Ström, T&E Director, SE ● Early collaboration between industry and government <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Harald Mispelkamp, Hensoldt (formerly Airbus Group), DE

10h50 *Coffee and Group Picture*

Session 2 - CDP driven collaborative T&E requirements

Chaired by Peter Andersson (SE) and Isabelle Champagne (FR)

Session two informs on T&E demands reflecting examples of current priorities and challenges derived from the EDA Capability Development Plan.

11h30	CDP Priorities overview Dr. Thomas Eppacher , Project Officer CDP & CODABA, EDA
11h50	The European T&E Strategy Thomas Honke , Chair of Defence Test and Evaluation Base Plenary Group, EDA
12h10	EDA T&E Capability Gap Analysis - A procedural model J.Daniel Gonzalez Galdo , Project Manager, ISDEFE
12h30	<i>Lunch</i>
13h40	Challenges and opportunities in EU Test and Evaluation Juergen Stegmeir , Head of Unit, Airworthiness, Standardisation and Certification, EDA
14h00	Course Correction Fuze - Harmonised Qualification for CCF Joao Castelao De Abreu , Project Officer Ammunition Technologies, EDA
14h20	Countering Improvised Explosive Devices - T&E Requirements BG Helmut Oppenheim , Ministry of Defence, Austria
14h40	<i>Coffee and Exhibition</i>
15h20	Frontex activities of relevance for EDA Dragos Voicu , R&D Project Officer, Frontex
15h40	US Distributed Test & Evaluation Lessons Learned Ryan Norman , Programme Manager, US Test Resource Management Center
16h10	Smart energy in CSDP operations Richard Brewin , Project Officer Energy & Environment Systems, EDA, BE
16h30	<i>Conclusions Session</i>
18h30	Hosted Dinner

Day 2 (Wednesday 26/04)

Session 3 - European T&E cooperation examples and models

Chaired by Daniel Hernandez (ES) and Vincenzo Mauro (IT)

Session three provides T&E Collaboration examples and models reflecting Systems, Research and T&E Networking

09h00	European Land Robot Trials (ELROB) 2016 BG. Michael Janisch , Director, ARWT, AT
09h20	Aircraft Mission Avionics Testing - Requirements & Lessons learned TRDir Heiko Fischer , Head of Unit 'Flight Test Execution, Air Transport and Delivery Systems', WTD 61, DE
09h40	Test and Evaluation to enhance naval efficiency Cpt Nv. Giulio Cappelletti , Head of Office, IT Naval Test Centre
10h00	Dual-use space technologies for Earth Observation: IMINT & security Patrick J. Vaughan , Scientist, INTA, ES
10h20	<i>Coffee and Exhibition</i>
11h00	Test Ranges 2.0 - A cyber approach Commander Carsten Duer , CO Bundeswehr Simulation Center, Bundeswehr Cyber Security Center, DE
11h20	Additive manufacturing –impact on the defence T&E sector Taodan Kaptan Abood , Engineer of advanced manufacturing-AM, Prodirtec
11h40	EUROCONTROL's Validation Facilities - Research & Development and Validation Activities in Support of Civil-Military ATM Cooperation Frank Jelinek , Project Development Officer, EUROCONTROL Test Centres
12h00	<i>Lunch and Exhibition</i>
13h20	Joint Community of Experts Isabelle Champagne , Head Cooperation Division, DGA, FR
13h40	Multinational Missile Test Centre Biscarosse Didier Degout , Expert for capability analysis -specification & qualification. DGA, FR
14h00	Quantification and Certification of Structures - Full Scale structural testing Thierry Ansart , Head of Division T&E for Aeronautical Structure, DGA, FR
14h20	IRIS T Ammunition Surveillance - A collaborative program between Germany and Spain Emilio José De Oliva Herias , T&E Manager, INTA, ES
14h40	Weapon and ammunition testing in an industrial T&E centre – lessons learned Col.ret Stefan Krol , President, Saab Bofors Test Center AB Karlskoga, SE
15h00	<i>Conclusions Session</i>
15h10	<i>Coffee and Exhibition</i>

Session 4 – Coping with the challenges of future EU T&E capabilities

Chaired by Roland Van Reybroeck

Session four closes the circle, by giving the floor to the auditory. In an open discussion, participants will have the opportunity to share their thoughts and ideas about future EU T&E capabilities. What does the EU need? How can EDA cope with those requirements? Please feel free to share your comments before and during the conference using the conference mailbox (see QR Code below).

The session chairs will support this discussion as panellists.

Key points raised in this session:

- *Résumé,*
- *Comments from the auditory (also via forum)*
- *Activity proposals to the DTEB Plenary Group*

<i>15h50</i>	Open discussion
<i>16h50</i>	Closing remarks Roland Van Reybroeck

Day 3 (Thursday 27/04)

Excuse – T&E in practice; visit Austrian defence test centres

<i>09h00</i>	Depart from Stiftskaserne
<i>09h30</i>	Guided Tour including life T&E Demonstration of <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Group 1: Automotive Test Range in Zwoelfaxing (B.Peschak) • Group 2: Weapons and Ammunition in Steinfeld (H.Dorninger) • Group 3: Science Laboratories in Vienna.-Simmering (H.Oppenheim)
<i>14h00</i>	Transportation to Train Station and Hotel
<i>15h00</i>	End of Conference

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