

(U) Sentient Overview

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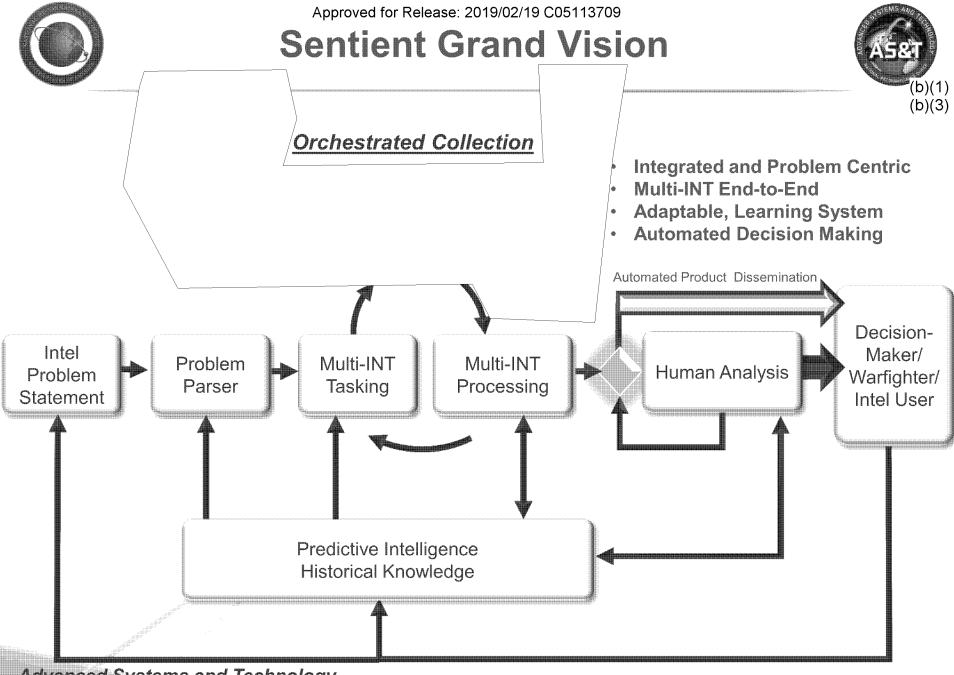
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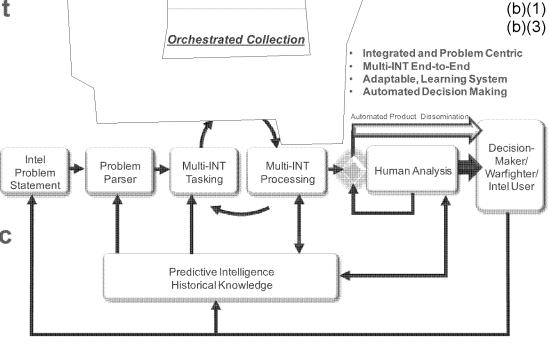






Automated sense-making from multi-INT source data to influence automated collection and actionable response

- + R&D Prototype Environment
 - Problem statement driven
 - + Exercising new collection CONOPS
 - + data feeds (b)(1) (b)(3)
 - Dedicated collection assets
 - More than just a simulation
- + Intelligence Problem-Centric
- + Multi-INT From End-To-End
- + Mission-Aware
 - + Anticipatory, Event-driven
 - + Employ historical knowledge, target signatures, and target patterns
- + Self-Aware available collection assets and capabilities
- + Automated To The Maximum Extent Possible



Automated Data Fusion & Resource Management → Tightens the Intelligence Operations Loop



(U) Sentient Challenges to the IC



- (u) Problem Decomposition:
 - Creating a machine-understandable representation of intelligence problems
 - Critical to enabling a <u>problem-centric</u> solution
 - Requires explicit representation of sensor phenomenologies, collection capabilities and target systems
- (u) Sensemaking:
 - ➢ Provides <u>machine</u> awareness the heart of the Sentient paradigm
 - Essential to achieve the level of automation and <u>sentience</u> required to provide global awareness
- (U) Orchestrated Collection:
 - Necessary for <u>fully-automated</u> execution in a <u>multi-INT</u> environment
 - Requires optimization of space, air and other collectors against complex target dynamics in a scalable and sustainable fashion

Capabilities must be Scalable and Sustainable



Sentient Concept



+ Problem-Centric

Not Tasking-Centric

+ Mission-Aware

 What Priority Intel Problems Must be Addressed, Historical Knowledge, Target Signatures, Target Patterns

+ Self-Aware

What Collection Assets are Available, Capabilities, System Performance

+ Multi-INT

 Integration of multiple intelligence sources and domains (legacy systems, all-source)

+ Automated Tasking & Collection

Tasking, Collection, Processing, and Products

+ End-to-End Systems Design Approach

From User Problem Statement To User Product Interpretation



Potential for Orchestrated National/Tactical Collection

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(U) Background



Past Present Future Multi-INT, end-to-end Integrated Single Mission integrated system Satellites within Satellites **Disciplines** Adaptable learning and automated Unique data decision making streams, Large data streams, limited limited number of Anticipatory dissemination pre-defined Intelligence products Significant data **Seamless information** translation and flow **INT-Specific data** system expertise exploitation tools required Intuitive collaboration System Sensor Problem Centric Centric Centric

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