

# Technology Impact On Future Products

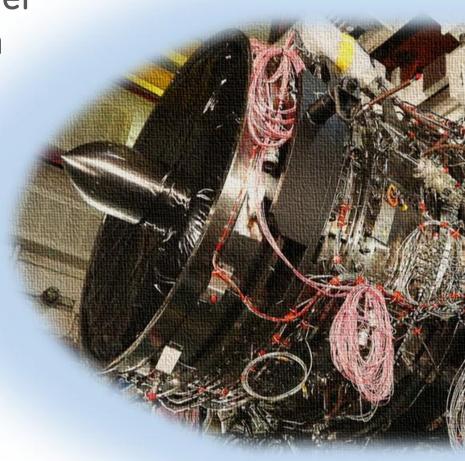
Thurmond Senter GE Aviation November 6<sup>th</sup>, 2014

Imagination at work

# Agenda

 Military Propulsion & Power Engineering Organization Update

- GE Heritage of Innovation
- Commercial Technology
   Synergy
- Military Customer Impact
- Conclusions







# Military Propulsion & Power Engineering

### Mark Pearson, General Manager

#### Formerly Three Organizations, Now Under One GM

- 1. Military Propulsion Engineering
  - Military Systems Engineering, MTES, Operations
- 2. Advanced Products & Development Programs
  - AETD, ITEP, Bus. Development/Technology Programs
- 3. Commercial Engines Engineering
  - Marine & Industrial Systems Engineering

#### **MPPE Priorities**

- One face to the military customer... technology, NPI, & fielded engines.
- Differentiated product offerings on next gen rotorcraft. Win ITEP.
- Transform the combat segment with adaptive cycle technology.
- Define and execute a differentiated industrial engine strategy.





# Technical Innovation ... Military Products

U.S. Jet Engine, I-A

Axial-flow Compressor, J35

U.S. Turboprop Engine, T31

Turbine-powered Helicopter Flight, T58

VSV Compressor, J79

Mach 2.0 Turbojet, J79

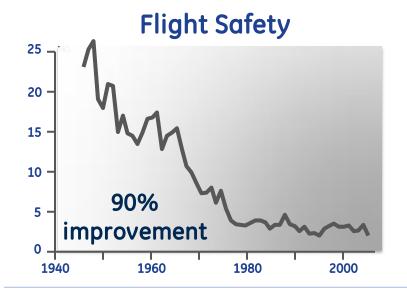
High bypass Turbofan, TF39

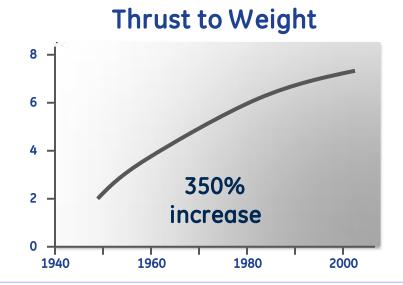
3-stream Adaptive Cycle Engine, ADVENT

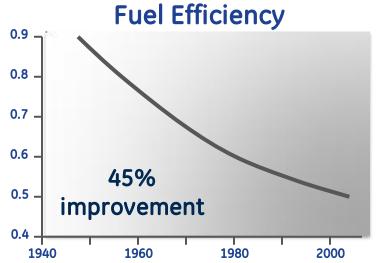


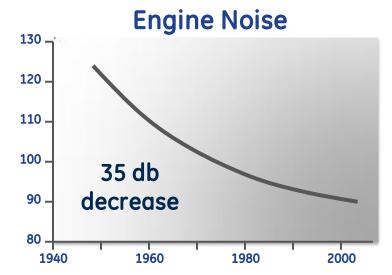


# 50 Years Of Engine Improvements











### The Suppliers' Broader Task ...

Delivering customer value with technology - Clean, quiet, affordable, and reliable systems

### Impact of New Technologies

- Fuel consumption
- Emissions
- Noise
- Ownership Cost
- Maintenance Burden
- Disruptions
- Thrust

#### **R&D** investments

- Materials
- Aerodynamics
- Combustion
- Cycles / Planforms
- Architectures
- Fuels



## The Future Of Combat Propulsion

Warfighter Need

**Propulsion Solution** 

Generational Improvement in Range, Loiter, & Combat Performance

Adaptive Engines with Advanced Components



**Enhanced Survivability** 

Advanced Exhaust
Systems



Demanding Power Requirements

Integrated Power & Thermal Management Systems



"The best way to predict the future is to invent it." - Alan Kay



 $= \left(FHV * \eta_{thermal} * \eta_{transfer} * \eta_{propulsive}\right) * \left(\frac{L}{D}\right) * \ln\left(1 + \frac{W_{fuel}}{W_{payload} + W_{empty}}\right)$ 

2020-2050?

- Highly Loaded Compressors
- High OPR Low **Emissions** Combustors
- Adaptive cycles
- Alternate or Compound Cycle
- Hybrid Electric **Propulsion**

- Low Loss Inlets
- Variable Low **Loss Exhausts**

 Distributed Power **Transmission** 

- Very High BPR **Turbofans**
- Ultra High BPR **Turbofans**
- Novel Alloys / MMC's
- Non-metallics

- Open Rotors
- Distributed **Propulsion**
- Wake Ingestion
- Advanced Engine **Architectures**



### Commercial Technology Synergy



















**Composites** 

**CMCs** 

Advanced Coatinas

High-Temp Materials

High P/R Compressor

**Advanced** Combustion

**Advanced** Cooling

Composite

Additive 3D **Printing** 

Robotic **Automation** 

Materials / Coatings

**Turbomachinery Design** 

Advanced Mfg. Lean Labs

Next Generation Commercial **Products** 



GEnx (2011)



Passport (2016)



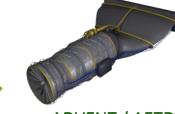
Leap (2016)



GE9X (2020)

>15M EFH before 2020

Next generation military product reaping the benefits of heavy GE investment in commercial technology



ADVENT / AETD

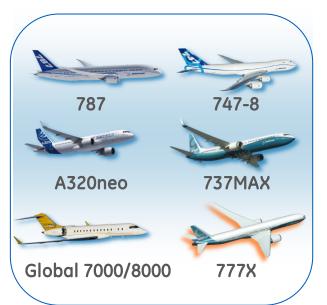


**GE38** 

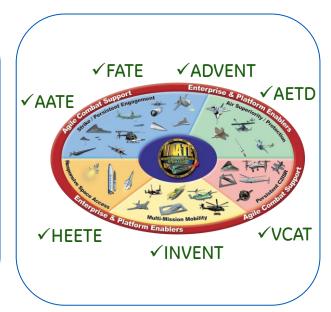
**Commercial Marketplace Driving Technology** Investment



### Heading Into Our New Shared Golden Age







Commercial Portfolio Reset

Investment in US Supply Chain Capacity

VAATE Technology
Portfolio



Prepared To Deliver Revolutionary Capability To The Warfighter At Affordable Cost And Acceptable Risk

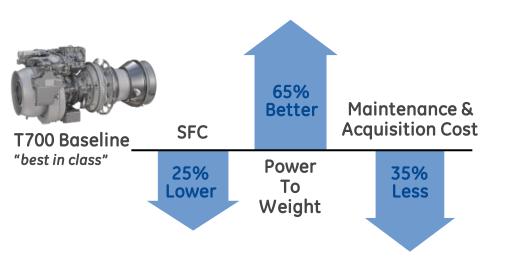


### Next Generation 3,000 shp Turboshaft



### The AATE Challenge

ITEP technology demonstration program



#### GE3000 ... The Solution

- Best in class performance & reliability
- Simple, single spool core design
- Modular architecture
- Affordable ... today & tomorrow
- Implements T700 experience
  - 90M+ flight hours
  - 5M+ combat hours
  - 18,000 engines delivered



### Improved Turbine Engine Program (ITEP)



composites



Condition-based

maintenance





Advanced 3D aerodynamics

Sand-tolerant technologies

### **GE Technology Pipeline** \$1.8B Annual Investment In Aviation Technology







#### **UH-60 Black Hawk**

- Enables internal & external lift at hot & high conditions
- Improved range



#### AH-64 Apache

- Allows full payload at hot & high conditions
- Improved time on station



### Future Affordable Turbine Engine (FATE)



- 5 year U.S. Army S&T demonstrator program started September 2011
  - 5,000 10,000 shp turboshaft
- Future turboshaft engine technology
  - Applicable to medium-heavy lift rotorcraft and turboprops
  - FATE technologies applicable to ITEP, JMR/FVL & upgrades to existing engines



### **ADVENT ... The Future Is Now!**

### **Core Test Highlights**

- TRL6 demo for key core technologies
- World record T3/T41 combination
- 1800+ Instrumentation sensors

### **Turbofan Test Highlights**

- TRL6 demo for adaptive fan technology
- 60% Flow holding
- Multiple single/double bypass transitions
- Validated 3rd stream heat sink capacity





**ADVENT Turbofan Engine** 



## **Driving Combat Engine Revolution**

#### **Commercial engines**



**GEnx** 

- √ Advanced aerodynamics & cooling
- √ High temperature alloys
- √ Ceramic Matrix Composites (CMC)
- √ High efficiency core

#### Military engines



F136

- √ Adaptive cycle & 3<sup>rd</sup> stream
- √ High pressure ratio
- √ Survivability technologies
- ✓ Augmentor/exhaust nozzle



GE9X

**AETD** 

(Adaptive Engine Technology Development)



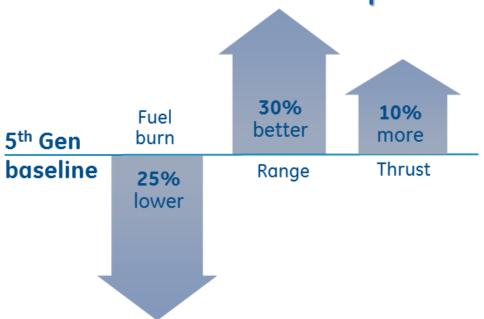
**ADVENT** 



### Adaptive Cycle Changes The Game



### **Enhanced Combat Options**



### Plus:

✓ Increased thrust

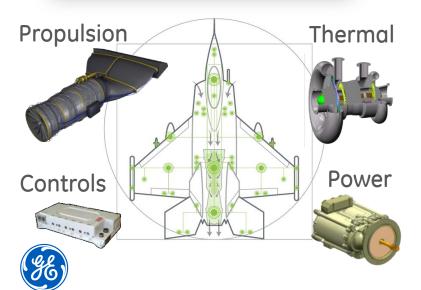
- ✓ Enables advanced weapons
- Improved cooling capacity ✓ Enhanced survivability



# Integrated Systems – Building Capabilities

# Electrical Power Integrated Systems Center (EPIS Center)





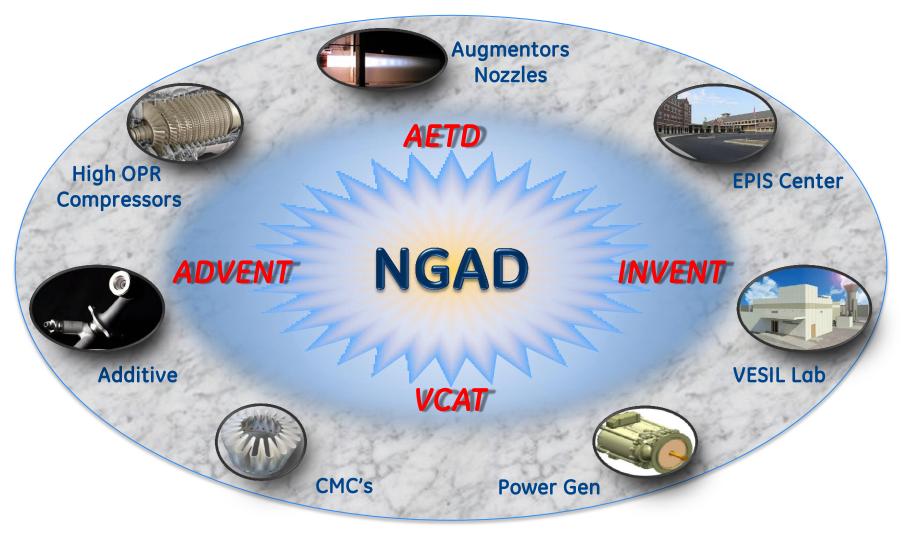
# Integrated Propulsion Power & Thermal Management

- Full scale aircraft power systems
- Integrated thermal management
- Adaptive cycle engine interface
- Real time hardware in the loop
- INVENT test and demonstration



**Vehicle Energy Systems Integration Lab (VESIL)** 

# A Complete Technology Portfolio ... Unique





### In Conclusion, GE Is...

- a proud partner with our military customers, promoting and advancing cutting edge propulsion technologies
- organized to address the integrated power-thermal managementsurvivability needs of future aircraft propulsion
- leveraging our commercial technology investments for advanced military propulsion
- excited and well positioned for helping to define the next generation of military propulsion

"What is chiefly needed is skill rather than machinery."

- Wilbur Wright, 1902

