



As one of five contracting centers of the Army Contracting Command, ACC–Aberdeen Proving Ground provides responsive, efficient, cost-effective and compliant contracts and business solutions to

Headquartered at Aberdeen Proving Ground, Maryland, ACC-APG provides comprehensive contracting and business advisory support to a diverse customer base. Through this customer support, ACC-APG provides sustained expertise in all areas of contracting including research and development, production and testing, installation and base operations, systems and system support, depot-level maintenance, fielding and sustaining Army weapon systems, foreign military sales, grants, cooperative agreements and other transactions.

The nature of these acquisitions consists of a wide range of products and services to include state-of-the-art technology and complex weapon systems. The mission support services provided by ACC-APG are crucial to equip the Soldier with the latest technology, goods and services, on time and at a reasonable cost.

ACC-APG contributes to the mission of its customers through six major competency areas:

- Research and development
- Command, control, communications, computers, intelligence, surveillance and reconnaissance
- Cybersecurity
- Test and evaluation
- Chemical and biological defense
- Soldier Protection

ACC-APG’s executive director and staff are located in northern Maryland at APG. Although this contracting center was officially stood up in 2008 with the activation of the Army Contracting Command, Army contracting has experienced a proud history of bringing critical procurement support to APG since 1917.

ACC-APG is comprised of 14 contracting divisions with two directorates providing oversight: Soldier, Chemical Research and Test Directorate and the Command Control, Communications, Computers,



The blimp-looking Persistent Threat Detection System is a large aerostat tethered to a mooring platform, which is accompanied by a Ground Control Station. The system is equipped with both visual and audio surveillance technology.

Directorate. There are eight contracting divisions located at APG and six geographically dispersed contracting divisions located at:

- Adelphi, Md.
- Natick, Mass.
- Research Triangle Park, N.C.
- Tobyhanna, Pa.
- Fort Belvoir, Va.
- Fort Huachuca, Ariz.

Collectively, the divisions awarded nearly 36,000 contracts in fiscal year 2014 valued at more than \$12 billion. ACC-APG provides customers with contracting expertise from an employee base of approximately 800 assigned contracting professionals comprised of 99 percent civilian employees. The military and civilian personnel embody ACC-APG’s vision to be a premier contracting center viewed by its customers as superior and recognized throughout Department of Defense as “best in class.”

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