

Strategic Planning Advisory Review Cadre (SPARC)

Pilot Program



The Strategic Planning Advisory Review Cadre

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Current State

- Cumbersome process to utilize SMEs from field
- SME use is disjointed and uncoordinated
- SME requests are not prioritized
- Conops development often lacks strong field input
- No continuity from SME participants
- Stovepipe development - little if any coordination between Service Units



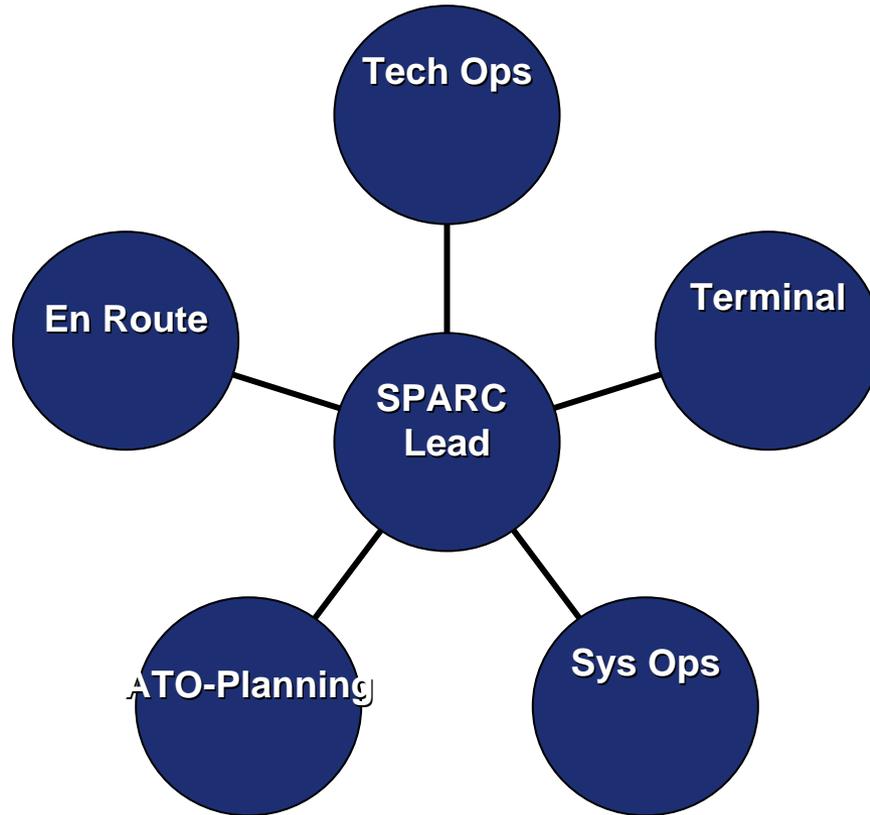
What is it?

- Cross-domain SME team led by cross-domain oversight group
- Enroute, Terminal, Sys Ops, Tech Ops, and the Service Centers are represented
- SPARC members remain at their facility and assist when operations permit (6-9 weeks travel?)

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Management Team



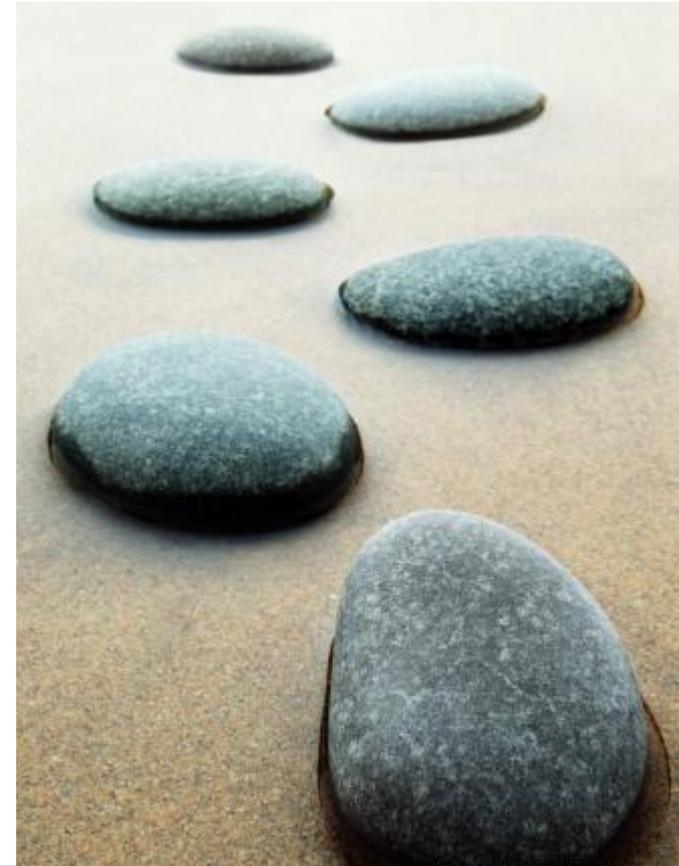
Benefits

- Cross-domain membership provides structure for collaboration between ATO organizations
- Brings transparency into the research development process and line of sight between current plans and future development
- Helps bridge the gap between Planning and Operations
- Provides an operational focus for Nextgen research
- Broad operational concepts can be developed with broad operational involvement



Next Steps

- Solidify organization
- Kick-off event September 15-17
- Planning SME needs and other activities for FY10



Questions?

