

Welcome to the United States Army Operational Test Command podcast series.

The United States Army Operational Test Command, or OTC, is the Army's only independent operational tester. It is required by public law to test major Army systems before they are fielded to American soldiers. We test and assess Army, joint, and multi-service warfighting systems in a realistic operational environment using typical soldiers to determine if the systems are effective, suitable, and survivable.

OTC exists to give the unbiased truth in testing and is the final gut check to prove Army systems work in support of the warfighter. We believe safety and performance should never be compromised. We have a highly trained, educated, experienced, and professional workforce, and we understand the American soldier is our ultimate customer and our number one client.

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