

Group I-3 UAV EO/IR Sensors

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Emerging Technology, a division of PEO-FW conducted an industry day event in conjunction with SOFWERX, to seek out new technology related to sensors and payloads for Group I-III UAV's. PEO-FW's particular interest was in production ready systems (i.e., minimum Technology Readiness Level (TRL) 7 and a minimum Manufacturing Readiness Level (MRL) of 7).

Event Outcomes

- SOFWERX invited 12 industry vendors
- Comprehensive collaboration discussions were held
- Focus was right with specific market segment and TRL level
- A "Golden Nugget" technology was discovered/ presented and was of high interest by the SOF community users and is currently being pursued for platform integration
- Desire to conduct additional similar events on other topics was conveyed by both users and government personnel