

# COTS and Legacy Integration

- **Everybody uses COTS in developing systems**
  - COTS integration is non-trivial - General Mitchell
- **Some COTS integration issues:**
  - structure of the architecture and constraints
  - middleware standards and products
  - techniques for mining legacy assets
  - maintenance of systems where you don't own source
  - approaches to minimize breakage when substituting COTS products
  - network standards and management issues
  - planning and management issues
- **Describe ongoing work, identify open issues, discuss emerging solutions**

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