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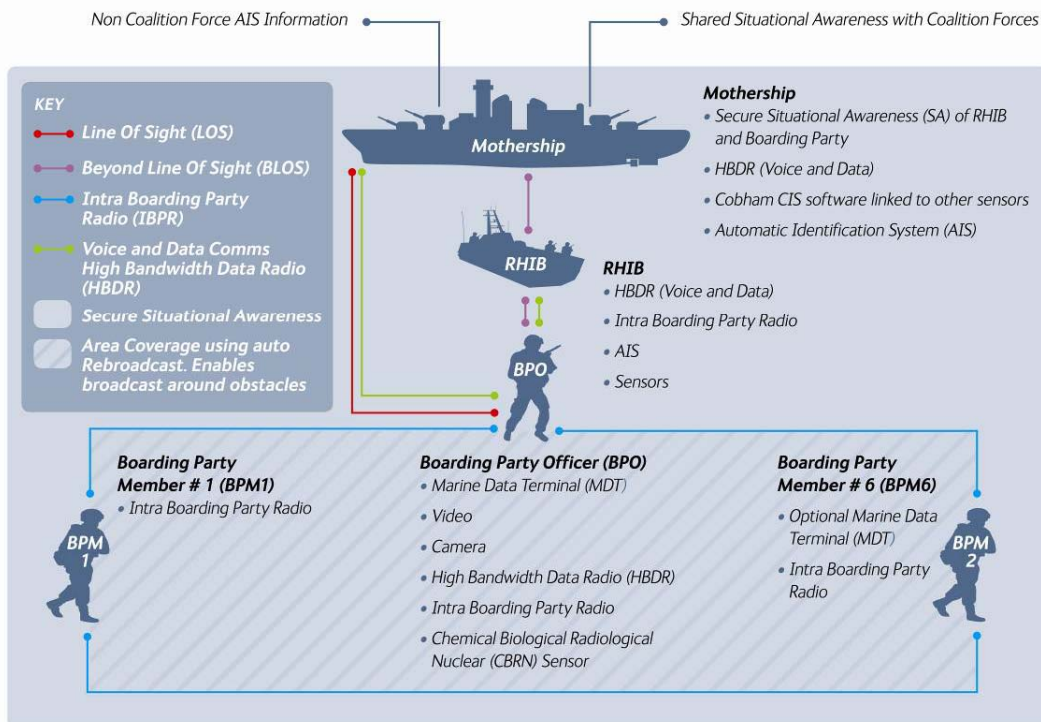
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Cobham Introduces New Situational Awareness System for Maritime Operations

LONDON, United Kingdom – Cobham has utilised its experience with command, control, communications, computers and intelligence (C4I) to develop an enhanced version of its successful Integrated Digital Soldier System (IDSS) for maritime operations.

The Marine Interdiction Operations System (MIOS) builds on the core capabilities of IDSS to provide boarding parties with long range situational awareness and a blue force tracking capability through encrypted image and data transfer. The system – developed by Cobham Defence Communications – also offers users additional capability including navigation, tactical messaging and sensor integration.

Marine Interdiction Operations System (MIOS™)



The system has been designed to support Military, Coast Guard, Search and Rescue, Border Protection, Law Enforcement and Special Forces; organisations who are countering the increased threat from piracy, smuggling and human trafficking.

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For more information about MIOS or the Company's other offerings, please visit Cobham on stand number 969.

About Cobham:

Cobham's products and services have been at the heart of sophisticated military and civil systems for more than 70 years, keeping people safe, improving communications, and enhancing the capability of land, sea, air and space platforms. The Company has four divisions employing more than 12,000 people on five continents, with customers and partners in over 100 countries and annual revenue of more than £1.4bn / US\$2.1 billion.

Cobham Defence Communications provides command, control, communications and situational awareness for military platforms / infantryman, improving combat efficiency and survivability of fighting platforms and troops prior to and in contact with the enemy. Many of the world's leading armed forces place their trust and reliance in the Cobham's family of interoperable tactical intercom systems, which can be 'mixed and matched' to fit specific platforms reducing capital costs compared to alternative systems.

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