## NOV-3 Operational Information Requirements

## Description

Information exchanges express the relationship across the three basic architecture data elements of an NOV (operational activities, operational nodes, and information flow) with a focus on the specific aspects of the information flow and the information content.

The Information Exchanges of the NOV-3 should remain at a high level of aggregation to represent actual information workflow products that are used at the operational nodes shown in the NOV-2 (and not their subordinate operational nodes).

## Implementation

NOV-3 can be represented using:

- NOV-3 table.
- NOV-3 role-based table.

A'role-based table represents exchanges between Node Roles(node usages).

- NOV-3 spreadsheet report.

Sample

| \# | Operational Exchange Item | Sending Node | Receiving Node | Producing Operational Activity | Consuming Operational Activity |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | (i) Request | C Tactical C2 Node | Co SAR Asset Controller |  |  |
| 2 | (i) Control Order | C) Tactical C2 Node | Q Rescue Node |  |  |
| 3 | (i) Control Order | C) Tactical C2 Node | © Search Node |  |  |
| 4 | (i) Warning Order | C Search Node | © Place Of Safety | $\approx$ Send Warning Order | $\approx$ Process Warning Order |
| 5 | (i) Medical Condition | Co Search Node | Q Rescue Node | $\stackrel{\otimes}{8}$ Monitor Health | $\stackrel{\otimes}{ }$ Provide Medical Assistance |
| 6 | (i) Task | © SAR Asset Controller | © Search Node |  |  |
| 7 | (i) Task | © SAR Asset Controller | Q Rescue Node |  |  |
| 8 | (i) Distress Signal | © Person In Distress | S Search Node | $\approx$ Send Distress Signal | $\stackrel{\wedge}{ }$ Receive Distress Signal |
| 9 | (i) Distress Signal | © Person In Distress | Q Rescue Node | $\stackrel{\wedge}{8}$ Send Distress Signal | $\stackrel{\wedge}{ }$ Receive Distress Signal |
| 10 | (i) Distress Signal | © Person In Distress | \& Monitoring Node |  |  |
| 11 | (i) Track Info | © Monitoring Node | C) Tactical C2 Node |  |  |

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## Related views

An NOV-3 is initially constructed from the information contained in the NATO Operational Node Connectivity Description (NOV-2).

## Related elements

- Operational Performer
- Operational Exchange
- Operational Information
- Natural Resource
- Resource Artifact
- Post
- Software
- Capability Configuration
- Organization
- Operational Activity


## Related procedures

- Creating NOV-3 table
- Displaying Custom Measurements

