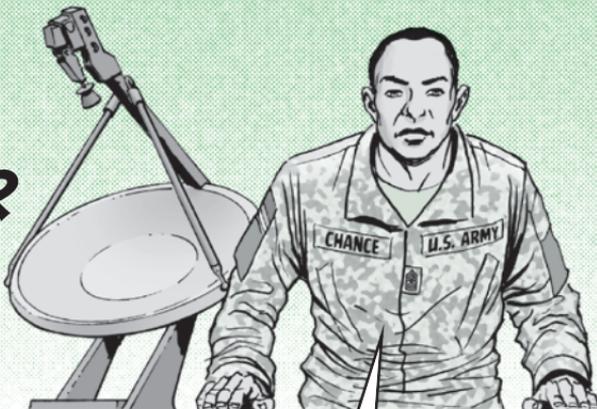


# ARE YOU READY FOR GCSS- ARMY?



SOLDIERS,  
GCSS-ARMY  
IS **NOT** YOUR  
SERGEANT  
MAJOR'S  
OLD SARSS,  
IT'S **NEW!**

GCSS-ARMY IS  
A WEB-BASED  
APPLICATION  
THAT GIVES THE  
ARMY VISIBILITY  
AT LOGISTICS  
LEVELS.

REPLACING SARSS IS JUST THE  
**BEGINNING!** NEXT YEAR, THE ARMY  
WILL START FIELDING GCSS-ARMY  
AS A REPLACEMENT FOR PBUSE AND  
SAMS. HERE ARE SOME KEYS TO  
HELP YOUR UNIT MAKE A **SUCCESSFUL**  
GCSS-ARMY TRANSITION...

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- **Do the checklist.** Complete all activities on the customer conversion checklist (CCC) at the D-180 preparation brief.
- **Get to know your resource manager (RM).** GCSS-Army is more than a replacement for the Standard Army Retail Supply System (SARSS). It's the future financial system of record for units. Supply support activities (SSAs) and their customers need RM expertise to make a successful transition. After conversion, RMs will take a lead role as finances become part of the supply and maintenance activities.
- **Complete data cleansing.** All items must be "converted" before your SSA is a functioning GCSS-Army warehouse. Tracking and completing data cleansing using the PM's templates are keys to success. This includes converting UIC/DODAAC information into the "new force element" structure.
- **Train before, during and after conversion.** Units that complete both live and web-based GCSS-Army training are more successful during the fielding process and transition. After fielding, use GCSS-Army's new equipment training materials to stay current and to train new Soldiers.
- **Leave nobody behind.** The most successful conversions happen in units where personnel attend all planned events, including specific cutover training.
- **Check in with the SASMO.** Your unit's SASMO will play a big role in keeping your GCSS-Army system humming. Get them involved early and your conversion will go smoother.
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