

# DELIVERING PERFORMANCE

Providing mobile, survivable, lethal and flexible platforms for use on land or at sea



Our proven M1117 ASV keeps U.S. Army personnel safe from the dangers of land warfare.

Textron Marine & Land Systems delivers superior, high-performance products that satisfy customer needs and expectations. Our land platforms provide mobility, survivability and lethality across military operations, while our marine products are ideal for expeditionary and search-and-rescue missions.

We consistently demonstrate high-quality and on-time delivery, combined with the ability to quickly ramp up to high-capacity production. During the production and Service Life Extension Program for the U.S. Navy's Landing Craft, Air Cushion (LCAC), we maintained 100 percent on-time delivery and reached a peak production rate of one LCAC every five weeks. Based on this experience and that acquired during a ramp up of the U.S. Army's Armored Security Vehicle (ASV) program to a rate of 48 per month, Textron Marine & Land Systems understands the demands of managing fast-paced programs. Quick recovery in the aftermath of Hurricane Katrina resulted in the delivery of critically needed ASVs within weeks, and recertification of our facility to ISO 9001:2000 quality standards in just 18 months.

Emerging from the combination of Bell Aerospace, Halter Marine and Cadillac Gage, Textron Marine & Land Systems has delivered performance in design and manufacturing in the New Orleans area for more than 40 years. Our highly experienced workforce utilizes a systematic, disciplined manufacturing philosophy for fabrication of specialty marine and armored vehicle structures, as well as integration of critical systems and subsystems. We utilize an assembly line concept for production programs — a concept proven on the LCAC and ASV programs, as well as on the U.S. Coast Guard's Motor Lifeboat (MLB) program. During peak production, one new MLB entered the Coast Guard's fleet every 12 working days.

We have more than 600,000 square feet of production, warehouse and office space with capabilities including industrial fitting and welding, as well as precision blasting and painting.

Safety is paramount at Textron Marine & Land Systems. We were recognized in October 2008 and 2009 with the Million Worked Hours Award by the National Safety Achievement Council for achieving one million hours without an occupational injury or illness. In addition, we also have earned the Occupational Excellence Achievement Award from the National Safety Achievement Council. Our highly efficient operations minimize time to delivery and maximize product quality.

Whether the hazards are on the battlefield or on the high seas, Textron Marine & Land Systems delivers performance whenever and wherever it is needed.



We support our LCAC with service life extension improvements performed by Textron Marine & Land Systems employees.



The Textron Marine & Land Systems 47-foot MLB is a rugged, self-righting multi-mission platform for search and rescue missions.

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## AT A GLANCE

**Textron Marine & Land Systems**

**Headquarters:** Slidell, Louisiana

**Product and service categories:** Advanced marine craft, surface-effect ships, armored combat vehicles, turrets and related subsystems

**Additional locations:** New Orleans, Louisiana

**Did you know?** Textron Marine & Land Systems delivered the 2,000th ASV to the U.S. Army in June 2009. We have achieved a production rate of 48 ASVs per month for more than four years running, as well as 100 percent on-time delivery for more than three years. In addition, these battle-proven assets have consistently exceeded operational readiness goals.

