

File 20110614.2039: I found two articles today [1, 3] about a new DoD report, described in a Bloomberg article I have yet to extract from the paywall, from the Department of Operational Test & Evaluation in the Pentagon. The articles explain that the report finds that weapons system procurement delays are the result of problems identified by testing, not the testing itself. I think the report is relevant to my thesis.

I think the report is [2], but it seems awfully short. This might be only a memo about the report.

Agenda ready to send to Dr Martin in the morning.

## References

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- [2] J. Michael Gilmore. Subject: Test and evaluation of defense programs, 3rd June 2011. Office of the Secretary of Defense, Operational Test and Evaluation.
- [3] Marcus Weisgerber. Testing doesn't cause weapons delays: Report. *DefenseNews.com*, 13th June 2011. URI: <http://defensenews.com/story.php?i=6804325&c=AME&s=TOP> retrieved on 14th June 2011.