

Wickr ATAK Plugin

Enhancing situational awareness with secure communications

What is Wickr?

Wickr is an end-to-end encrypted service that helps organizations communicate securely through one-to-one and group messaging, voice and video calling, file sharing, screen sharing, and more. With Wickr, organizations can address data retention challenges associated with consumer messaging apps, and safely facilitate collaboration.

What is ATAK?

The Android Team Awareness Kit (ATAK)—or Android Tactical Assault Kit (also ATAK) for military use—is a smartphone geospatial infrastructure and situational awareness application that enables safe collaboration over geography. While it was initially designed for use in combat zones, ATAK has been adapted to fit the missions of local, state, and federal agencies.

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Wickr supports many agencies that use ATAK. However, until now, ATAK operators that use Wickr have had to leave the application in order to do so. To help reduce disruptions and operational risk, Wickr has developed a plugin that enhances ATAK with secure communication features. ATAK users are provided with a Wickr Enterprise, Wickr RAM or AWS Wickr account, so they can utilize Wickr within ATAK for secure messaging, calling, and file transfer. This eliminates interruptions, and the complexity of configuration with ATAK's chat features.

Military



The Wickr ATAK Plugin enhances the ability of military personnel to maintain full situational awareness, while quickly receiving and reacting to Wickr communications. Ephemeral messaging options allow sensitive information to be deleted from the device, while being retained on the Wickr compliance service to meet requirements, and facilitate the creation of after-action reports.

Law Enforcement



ATAK is a powerful tool for team tracking and mission planning, ensuring a safer and better response to critical law enforcement and public-safety events. The Wickr ATAK Plugin adds to ATAK's capabilities by supporting secure communications between tactical, negotiation, and investigative teams.

First Responders



ATAK aids in search-and-rescue and multi-jurisdictional natural disaster responses, such as hurricane relief efforts. The Wickr ATAK Plugin provides secure, uninterrupted communication between all levels of first responders to help them get oriented quickly, and support complex coordination needs.

Learn more about Wickr and the ATAK Plugin at wickr.com/atak-plugin or email wickr-interest@amazon.com