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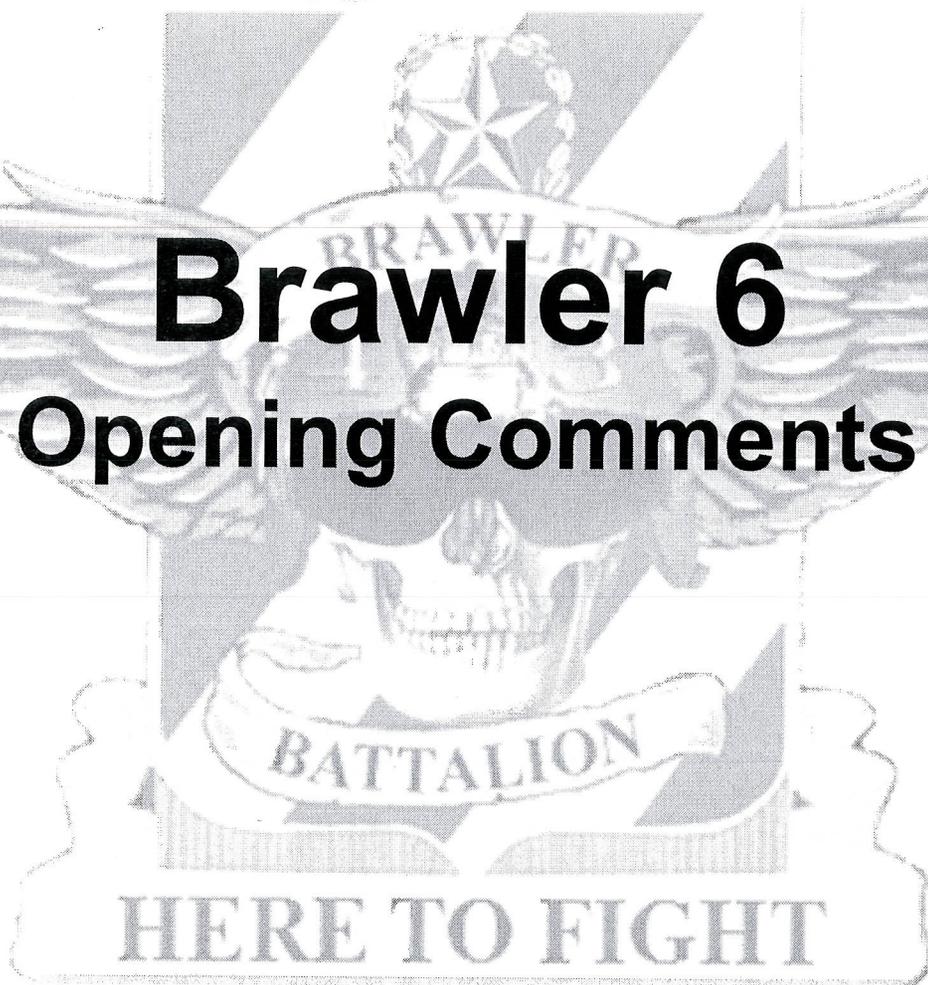


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Brawler 6

Opening Comments

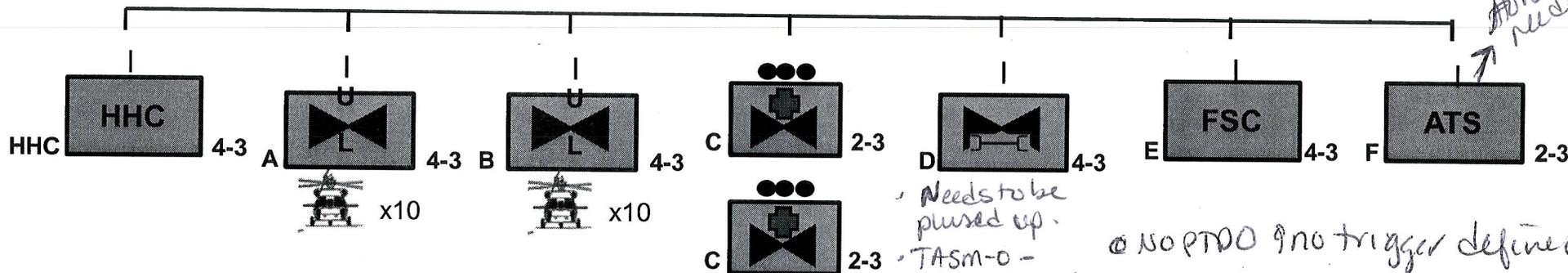
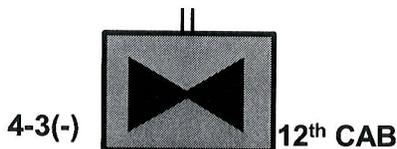
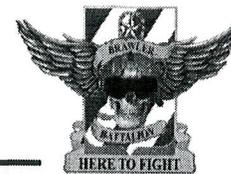


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Brawler Task Organization



• CTD Certificate in lecture.

↑ A/B needed

@ NOPTDO 9 no trigger defined.

Needs to be pushed up.
 TASM-O -
 can't be trained -
 not working on H10-M models.
 Unit must be provided for M10-M.
 2-3 phases per MO.
 needed.

• flying 2x more than briefed.
 • multinational interoperability demands increased.

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TF BRAWLER PERSTAT BY LOCATON

Total Personnel

379

A co - 38
 B co - 36
 C co - 35
 D co - 80
 E co - 65
 F co - 36
 HHC - 89

OAR-N
 A co - 0
 B co - 26
 C co - 0
 D co - 3
 E co - 9
 F co - 16
 HHC - 15
Total - 69 (13)

5 HHCs

UKRAINE
 A co - 1
 B co - 2
 C co - 0
 D co - 0
 E co - 0
 F co - 0
 HHC - 2
Total - 5 (1)

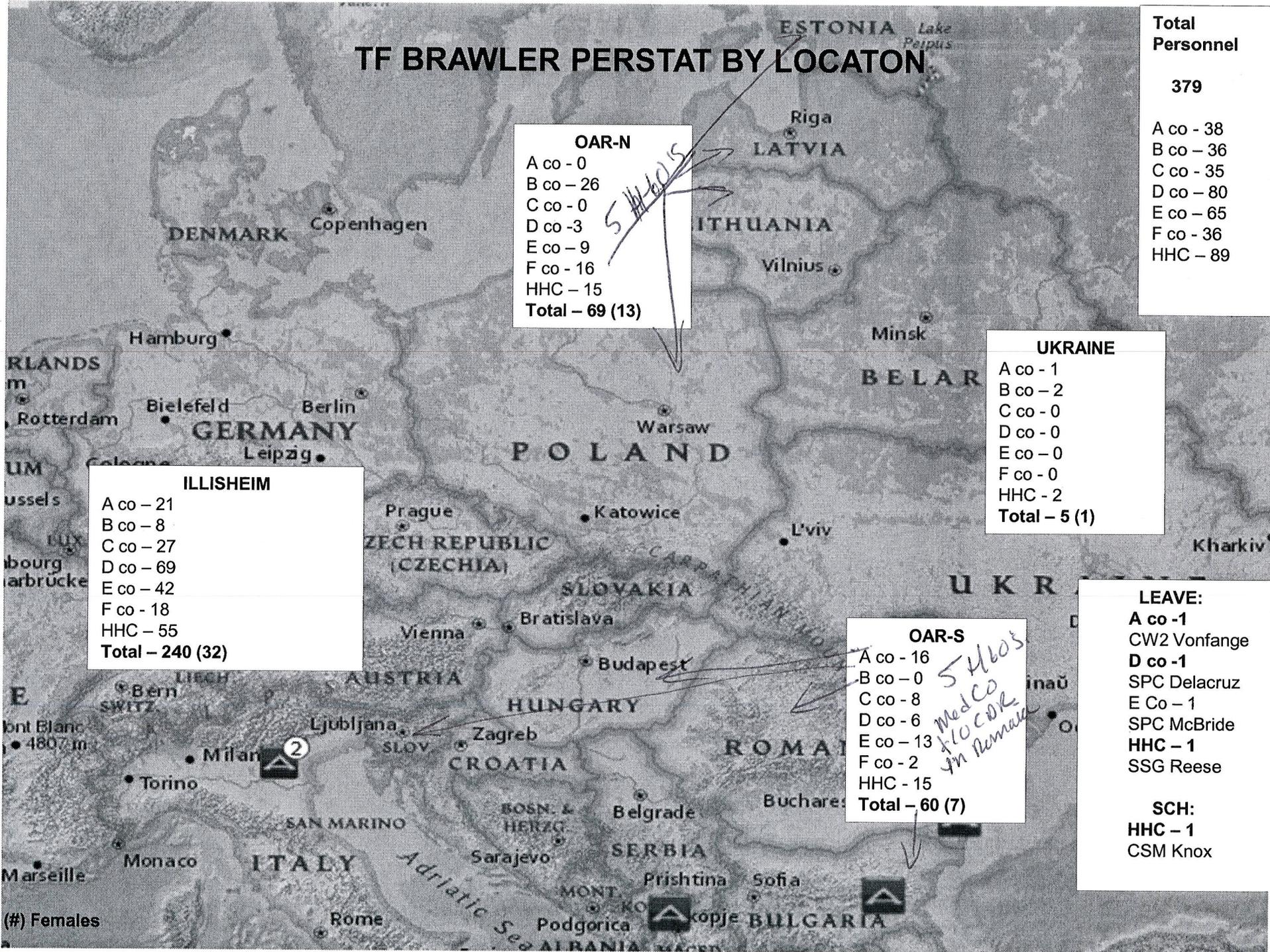
ILLISHEIM
 A co - 21
 B co - 8
 C co - 27
 D co - 69
 E co - 42
 F co - 18
 HHC - 55
Total - 240 (32)

OAR-S
 A co - 16
 B co - 0
 C co - 8
 D co - 6
 E co - 13
 F co - 2
 HHC - 15
Total - 60 (7)

*5 HHCs
 Med Co
 10 COB
 in Romania*

LEAVE:
A co - 1
 CW2 Vonfange
D co - 1
 SPC Delacruz
 E Co - 1
 SPC McBride
HHC - 1
 SSG Reese

SCH:
HHC - 1
 CSM Knox



(#) Females



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4-3 AHB Mission



- **Mission:** TF Brawler deploys to Eastern Europe to support OPERATION ATLANTIC RESOLVE. O/O, TF Brawler receives aviation attachments and conducts Unified Land Operations within the EUCOM AO. *And USAREUR. (12th CAB) fill gap of CAB reorganization.*
- **Commander's Intent:** TF Brawler safely provides top-notch Army Aviation capabilities to US and NATO allies within the OAR AO to build combined arms interoperability between US and NATO ground forces.
- **Key Tasks:**
 - Messaging: "Strong Europe" – Reinforce and Deter
 - Exercise Mission Command over multiple and simultaneous named operations
 - Constantly evaluate the mission requirements to pair with tailored aviation packages
 - Conduct operations within the constraints of host nation protocol
 - Continuously train and assess the battalion's METL
 - Ensure the utmost safety in all operations
- **Endstate:** TF Brawler builds trust between US Army Aviation and NATO forces through Air-Ground Operations while deterring threats against NATO countries; as a result, the NATO-member countries' borders remain intact and civilian populations are reassured by the presence of US Army Soldiers.

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Recent Operations



- **OAR North**
 - Saber Strike
- **OAR South**
 - Junction Strike
- **OAR Central**
 - Combined Resolve IV
 - Noble Jump

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OAR North: Saber Strike 2015 Pabrade Air Assault

Summary: TF Brawler-N provided aviation support to the ground forces of Lithuania and Germany during air assault operations at the Pabrade Military Training Compound in Pabrade, Latvia from 12-14JUN15. The task force moved approximately 85 NATO Soldiers throughout the event, training infiltration and exfiltration under both day and night vision goggle condition, and immediate CASEVAC.

Key Points:

- *The training event allowed for exposure to the aircraft in a controlled training environment. NATO partners were able to hot load aircraft, infiltrate a target area to accomplish their ground tactical plan and execute pick-up zone operations to facilitate exfiltration.*
- *JTACS from multiple NATO countries were able to control U.S. Army Aviation assets in congested airspace, refining their skill in airspace deconfliction.*

Commander's Assessment:

- **This training strongly supports USAREUR LOE 1, & 2**
- TF Brawler demonstrated interoperability between the rotational aviation unit and multiple NATO partners. The task force was able to operate in an extremely efficient manner, providing training to over 85 partners on tactics and procedures involving U.S. Army aircraft.

Command Team Reporting:

4-3 AHB: LTC Phil Mazingo, CSM Saunya Knox
AR-N OIC: MAJ Pat Wilde



Strategic Messaging & Implications

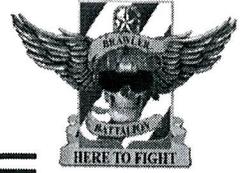
Aviation support demonstrates our ability to execute precision, doctrinally sound air assault operations with NATO allied partners. Rotational aviation forces remain responsive and flexible, delivering precision support to the Ground Force Commander in the execution of Unified Land Operations.

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OAR South: Operation Junction Strike (ASSAULT OPS)

Summary: TF Brawler-South supported Operation Junction Strike by providing 4 x UH-60M's and 1 x HH-60M staged out of MK Airbase, Romania. Operation Junction Strike provided 8 countries (Turkey, Romania, Bulgaria, Moldova, Poland, Croatia, Greece and Georgia) the opportunity to conduct joint international conventional and special operations training. TF Brawler planned and executed paradrops, helocast, vehicle interdiction, hasty/deliberate air assault operations and simulated MEDEVAC operations.

Key Points:

- TF Brawler conducted Vehicle Interdiction on 20JUN and 23JUN ISO Romanian and US training objectives.
- TF Brawler conducted Helocast Operations on 25JUN ISO Romanian and US NSW forces.
- TF Brawler conducted day/night hasty Air Assaults operations on 19-20JUN with 2xTurkish S-70's and 2xUS UH-60's.
- TF Brawler conducts Paradrop operations on 16JUN and 24JUN ISO Romanian troops.

Commander's Assessment:

- This training strongly supports USAREUR LOE 1 and 2
- TF Brawler demonstrated the US commitment to NATO Forces by improving joint unit strength and providing training to international forces.

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US and Turkish planning for upcoming night Air Assault mission



Romanian soldier jumping from UH-60



Vehicle interdiction with US and Romanian Forces

Strategic Messaging & Implications

- US demonstrates it's commitment to NATO and provides direct support to foster a stronger Europe.

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OAR South: Operation Junction Strike (MEDEVAC OPS)

Summary: TF Brawler-South supported Operation Junction Strike by providing 4 x UH-60M's and 1 x HH-60M staged out of MK Airbase, Romania. Operation Junction Strike provided 8 countries (Turkey, Romania, Bulgaria, Moldova, Poland, Croatia, Greece and Georgia) the opportunity to conduct joint international conventional and special operations training. TF Brawler supported daily simulated 9-line MEDEVAC requests sent by Romanian forces throughout the Operation and rehearsed and performed a live hoist operation during the Distinguished Visitor day on 23JUN.

Key Points:

- TF Brawler conducted day/night simulated MEDEVAC requests throughout 18-25JUN.
- TF Brawler conducted live hoist with Romanian forces in Braila, Romania on 23JUN.
- TF Brawler conducted hot FARP at MK Airbase ISO MEDEVAC/Assault missions throughout the Operation.

Commander's Assessment:

- This training strongly supports USAREUR LOE 1 and 2
- TF Brawler demonstrated the US commitment to NATO Forces by improving joint unit strength and providing training to international forces.

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CW2 Dan Killion conducting an interview for MEDEVAC support at Romanian DV day

HH-60 live hoist of simulated casualty from a Romanian Naval Vessel



MEDEVAC pickup at Capu Midia

Strategic Messaging & Implications

- US demonstrates its commitment to NATO and provides direct support to foster a stronger Europe.

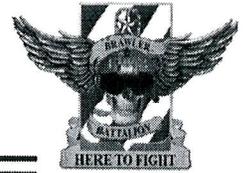
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Task Force Brawler Central: Combined Resolve IV



Summary: Task Force Brawler Central participated in Combined Resolve IV from 09MAY-06JUN2015; the largest JMRC exercise of the year. Task Force Brawler served as the only aviation asset for over 4,500 ground soldiers from many 13 different NATO countries. Task Force Brawler was able to provide 1/3 ABCT with assault, attack, lift, MEDEVAC, and CASEVAC capability for the duration of the exercise. Additionally, the Task Force was able to conduct extensive training on FARP operations, DART operations, sling loads, internal loads, convoy operations and force protection.

Key Points:

- TF Brawler Operated a 24HR FARP servicing both US and foreign aircraft.
- TF Brawler had the highest kill to shutdown ratio with AH-64Ds of any task force in the history of JMRC.
- TF Brawler was the first to conduct both real world slings and internal loads in support of multinational ground forces during a JMRC rotation.

Commanders Assessment

- This training strongly supports USAREUR LOE 1 and 2
- TF Brawler demonstrated the US commitment to NATO Forces by improving joint unit strength and providing training to international forces.

Command Team Reporting:
4-3 AHB: LTC Phil Mazingo, CSM Saunya Knox



TF Brawler successfully integrated a Bulgarian Air Force AS-532 Cougar Helicopter into the MEDEVAC coverage for Combined Resolve IV



3 AH-64D Apache Helicopters return from a successful battle against the Arianan armored forces.



Serbian Soldier kick off the Exercise with an air assault into Arianan territory



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Task Force Brawler Central: Operation Nobel Jump



Summary: TF Brawler planned and executed both Air Assault and Sling Load Operations ICW 11TH InfBat AASLT in Swietoszow, Poland on 12-18JUN2015. The mission was comprised of six UH60M helicopters executing sling load operations, cold load training of 100 Soldiers and a time on target infiltration of three 11 man teams and subsequent CASEVAC to their base of operations.

Key Points:

- *The air assault and sling load operations established an effective, working relationship between participating NATO forces and the rotational aviation unit. At the conclusion of the training event, the ground force was impressed by the flexibility of aviation support and the precision with which the operation was executed.*
- *The event provided mutually beneficial training opportunities for the aviation and ground force elements while demonstrating a high degree of teamwork with our allies.*

Commander's Assessment: *This training supports USAREUR LOE 1, & 2 TF Brawler built trust between US Army Aviation and NATO forces through Joint and Multinational Air-Ground Operations while enabling the NATO VJTF to maintain proficiency in deploying rapidly and decisively; as a result, before a crisis begins, NATO can reinforce member countries against potential threats to deter further escalation.*

Command Team Reporting:
4-3 AHB: LTC Phil Mazingo, CSM Saunya Knox



TF Brawler Infiltrates Soldiers from the Netherlands onto the OBJ While Czech gun trucks provide cover from support-by-fire positions



TF Brawler Infiltrates 1 GNC Soldiers onto the OBJ during the Dynamic Demonstration



TF Brawler conducts sling load training with Soldiers from the Netherlands

Strategic Messaging & Implications
Air Assault and aviation support demonstrates our freedom to move across Europe and team with multinational allies. Rotational Aviation forces can tailor available assets to best suit the Ground Force Commander in the execution of Unified Land Operations.

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Upcoming Missions



3RD QTR		4TH QTR, FY 15				1ST QTR, FY 16			2ND QTR				
JUN		JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	JAN					
AR-N		4-3 (Rotational Unit) UH-60 x 5											
Saber Strike MC: 4-3 UH-60 x 5 (4-3) AH-64 x 4 (2-159) HH-60 x 1 (4-3) FARP (4-3) 08JUN - 19JUN *CALFEX 17-19 JUN*		Noble Jump MC: 4-3 UH-60 x 6 (4-3) 11JUN - 18JUN		Operation Hunter MC: 2-159 AH-64 x 4 (2-159) FARP (2-159) 02OCT - 08OCT *CALFEX 7-8 OCT*		Belgian NATO RAP MC: 4-3 UH-60 x 5 (4-3) AH-64 x 4 (2-159) HH-60 x 1 (4-3) FARP (4-3) 01OCT - 30OCT		Rotational Unit HOTO 15NOV - 30NOV		Palestine Gallop MC: B/2-159 AH-64 x 4 CH-47 x 1 01DEC - 17DEC		Atlantic Resolve Warm Basing	
AR-S		4-3 (Rotational Unit) UH-60 x 5											
		Saber Guardian/ Rapid Trident MC: 4-3 CPX x 5 PAX 20JUL - 31JUL		Swift Response MC: 4-3 UH-60 x 13 (4-3, 1-214) HH-60 x 4 (4-3) 18AUG - 10SEP		Collective Chaos MC: C/2-159 AH-64 x 4 CH-47 x 1 01SEP - 30SEP							
CBR IV CALFEX MC: 2-159 AH-64 x 3 (2-159) FARP (2-159) 20JUN - 27JUN GTA		NO CH-47 SUPPORT MYII Fielding 27JUL - 01SEP		Immediate Response 15 MC: 4-3 CPX x 5 PAX 09SEP - 21SEP Slovenia		Trident Juncture TRJE 15 MC: 2-159 UH-60 x 3 (4-3) CH-47 x 4 (1-214) AH-64 x 5 (2-159) HH-60 x 2 (4-3) FARP (2-159) 21OCT - 05NOV Spain							
KFOR 20 MC: 4-3 HH-60 x 2 (4-3) 16JUN - 28JUN HTA		Allied Spirit II (X-days only) MC: 4-3 UH-60 x 5 (4-3) 16AUG - 21AUG HTA		Ample Strike 15 MC: 2-159 AH-64 x 3 (2-159) 03SEP - 19SEP *LIVEX 7-18 SEP* Czech Republic		16-01 CbR V (X-days only) MC: A/1-214 CH-47 x 3 (1-214) UH-60 x 5 (1-214) AH-64 x 2 (2-159) HH-60 x 1 (1-214) FARP (2-159) 02NOV - 09NOV		HTA		Allied Spirit IV MC: RU AH-64 x 4 (2-159) CH-47 x 2 (1-214) HH-60 x 2 (RU) FARP (RU) 16JAN - 20FEB			
71st Anniversary D-Day Normandy MC: 1-214 UH-60 x 2 (1-214) 01JUN - 08JUN		CAB Gunnery MC: 2-159 FARP (2-159) 01AUG - 30AUG GTA				CBR V CALFEX MC: 2-159 AH-64 x 3 (2-159) FARP (2-159) 16NOV - 21NOV HTA		GTA					
						RU RSO&I MC: HHC 12 CAB 15OCT - 15NOV Wiesheim							

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