



Operational Sub-Committee Staff IPR Brief

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Agenda

- Engagement/Travel Update
- Operational Environment and Army Mission Requirement Papers
- Update on NCFA analytical tool – “Base-Line”
- Overview of October “War Game” – Questions & Overview



Engagement Update

What are they saying....

12 Engagements

9 Completed

Republic of Korea (ROK)

Japan

Estonia

National Security Council (NSC)

Australia

United Kingdom (UK)

United Arab Emirates (UAE)

France

Poland

3 Planned

Mexico

Israel

Germany





Site Visit Back-Briefs

- **California**
- **Minnesota**
- **Colorado**
- **Pennsylvania**
- **New York**
- **NGAUS/Nashville**



Future OE and Army Missions Papers

- **Purpose**: Explain the threat driving “to do what?” and explain the missions and capabilities the Army will be expected to do in the future.
 - Helps explain underlying rationale for Commissioner priorities
- **Status**: Initial Draft Complete
- **Next Step**:



October War Game Progress Report



Analytic Tool



- Leveraging capability of CAA's Marathon force generation simulation model.
- Marathon simulates the ability of a given operating force to satisfy specified demands operating under certain force generation constraints.
- Operating forces are usually represented at the SRC level of detail, with inventories across all three components.
- Demands are characterized by events, each of which has a specified start time, duration, and required forces.
- Policies specify how (typically cyclic) force generation rules apply to individual units, and can vary across specified time periods in a simulation.
 - Minimum cycle time prior to deployment.
 - Maximum cycle time without a deployment before reset.
 - Maximum deployment length.

The staff is using Marathon to examine the effect of varying policies, force mixes, and other levers on the Army's ability to satisfy anticipated mission requirements.



October “War Game”

(Questions)

❑ Size and Mix of the Army

▪ Operating Force

- Forward Stationing or rotational forces in South Korea?
- Forward Stationing or rotational forces in Europe?
- Rotational goals:
 - 1:2 1:4 vs 1:2 1:5?
 - 6 / 9 / 12 month BOG?
 - Reserve Mobilization length?
- Fix 12304B to increase Reserve accessibility?
- Does Mobilization sites resourcing levels meet TPFDD requirements?
- BCT mix of ABCT – IBCT – SBCT ?
- Location and inventory of Army Prepositioned Stockages?
- Key unit type expansibility time requirements left of bang?



October “War Game”

(Questions)

❑ Size and Mix of the Army (Continued)

▪ Generating Force

- Title 11 requirements?
- Recruiting requirements?
- MEDCOM mission (Dependents & Retirees)?
- Use of Department of the Army Civilians / Contractors?
- Total Army School capacity vs. utilization?
- Joint requirements?
- Key grade and skill placement for expansibility?
- RC: Command and Control (C2) requirements?



Way Ahead

- Between the September and October Sessions:
 - Collect Data to support / facilitate “Question” discussion and disposition
 - Examine “Lever” Effects on the Baseline Force and Identify Efficiencies
 - Continue Engagements ?