Major Commands

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A major command is a subdivision of the Air Force assigned a major part of the Air Force mission and directly subordinate to Hq. USAF. In general, there are two types of major commands: functional and geographical.



Headquarters Joint Base Langley, Va.

Established June 1, 1992

Commander Gen. William M. Fraser III

MISSIONS

Operate USAF bombers (nuclearcapable bombers transferred to AFGSC Feb. 1, 2010); USAF's CO-NUS-based fighter, reconnaissance, battle management, and command and control aircraft and intelligence and surveillance systems

Organize, train, equip, and maintain combat-ready forces for rapid deployment and employment to meet the challenges of peacetime air sovereignty and wartime combat requirements

Provide combat airpower to America's warfighting commands (Africa, Central, European, Northern, Pacific, and Southern); conventional and information operations forces to STRATCOM; air defense forces to NORAD

COROLLARY MISSIONS

Monitor and intercept illegal drug traffic

Test new combat equipment

FORCE STRUCTURE

Three numbered air forces: 1st, Tyndall AFB, Fla.; 9th, Shaw AFB, S.C.; 12th, Davis-Monthan AFB, Ariz.
One primary subordinate unit: USAF Warfare Center, Nellis AFB, Nev. 21 wings

OPERATIONAL ACTIVITY

(as of Sept. 30, 2009) Flying hours: 27,316 per month

Major operations

Enduring Freedom (Afghanistan); Iraqi Freedom (Iraq); Noble Eagle (US)

Major training exercises

Accurate Test; Amalgam Dart/Fabric Series; Angel Thunder; Ardent Sentry; Atlantic Strike; Austere Challenge; Blue Flag; Bright Star; Eager Tiger; Eagle Resolve; Eastern Falcon; Emerald Warrior; Falcon Nest; Foal Eagle; Global Lightning; Global Thunder; Green Flag (East and West); Initial Link; Integrated Advance; Internal Look; Iron Falcon; Key Resolve; Jaded Thunder; National Level Exercise; New Horizons Series; Northern Edge; Panamax; Red Flag; Talisman Saber; Terminal Fury; Ulchi Freedom Guardian; Unified Endeavor; Valiant Shield; Vibrant Response; Vigilant Shield; Virtual Flag

PERSONNEL

(as of Sept. 30, 2009) Active duty 77,892 11,226 Officers Enlisted 66,666 Reserve Components 58,127 **ANG** 46,346 **AFRC** 11.781 Civilian 10,371 Total 146,390

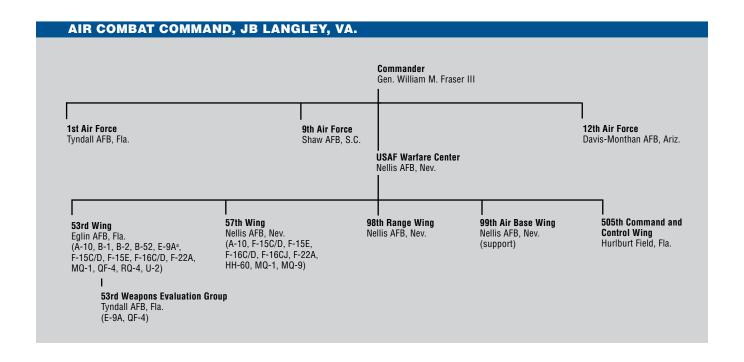
EQUIPMENT

(Total active inventory as of Sept. 30, 2009)

Bomber 149
Fighter/Attack 781
Helicopter 38
Recon/BM/C3I 283
Tanker 15
Trainer 25

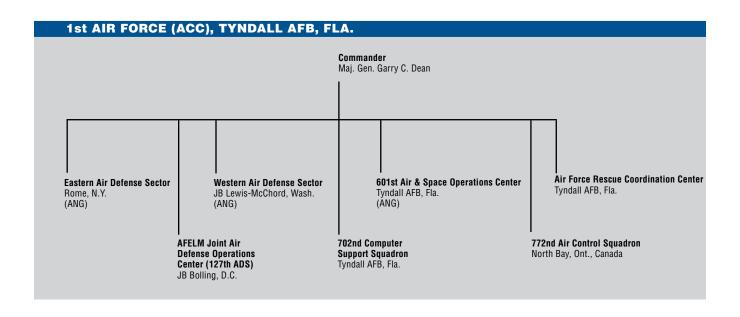


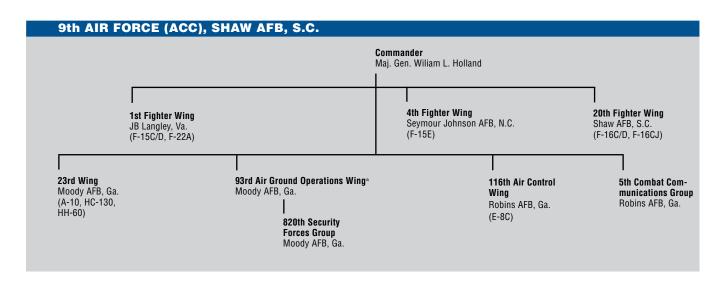
An F-22 Raptor from Holloman AFB, N.M., prepares for takeoff.

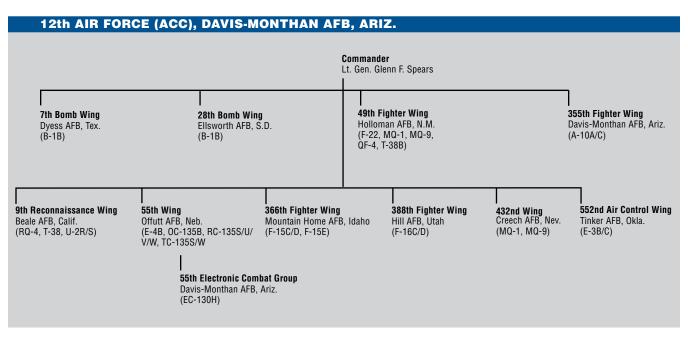


MAJOR UNITS	BASES	WEAPONS
1st Fighter Wing	JB Langley, Va.	F-15C/D, F-22A
4th Fighter Wing	Seymour Johnson AFB, N.C.	F-15E
7th Bomb Wing	Dyess AFB, Tex.	B-1B
9th Reconnaissance Wing	Beale AFB, Calif.	RQ-4, T-38, U-2R/S
20th Fighter Wing	Shaw AFB, S.C.	F-16C/D, F-16CJ
23rd Wing	Moody AFB, Ga.	A-10 (Pope AFB, N.C.), HC-130, HH-60
28th Bomb Wing	Ellsworth AFB, S.D.	B-1B
49th Fighter Wing	Holloman AFB, N.M.	F-22, MQ-1, MQ-9, QF-4, T-38B
53rd Wing	Eglin AFB, Fla.	A-10, B-1, B-2, B-52, E-9A ^a , F-15C/D, F-15E, F-16C/D, F-22A, MQ-1, QF-4, RQ-4, U-2
55th Wing	Offutt AFB, Neb.	E-4B, EC-130Hb, OC-135B, RC-135S/U/V/W, TC-135S/W
57th Wing	Nellis AFB, Nev.	A-10, F-15C/D, F-15E, F-16C/D, F-16CJ, F-22A, HH-60, MQ-1, MQ-9
93rd Air Ground Operations Wing	Moody AFB, Ga.	
98th Range Wing	Nellis AFB, Nev.	
99th Air Base Wing	Nellis AFB, Nev.	
116th Air Control Wing ^c	Robins AFB, Ga.	E-8C
355th Fighter Wing	Davis-Monthan AFB, Ariz.	A-10A/C
366th Fighter Wing	Mountain Home AFB, Idaho	F-15C/D, F-15E
388th Fighter Wing	Hill AFB, Utah	F-16C/D
432nd Wing	Creech AFB, Nev.	MQ-1, MQ-9
505th Command and Control Wing	Hurlburt Field, Fla.	
552nd Air Control Wing	Tinker AFB, Okla.	E-3B/C

^aTyndall AFB, Fla. ^bDavis-Monthan AFB, Ariz. ^cBlended wing with active duty and ANG personnel.









Headquarters Randolph AFB, Tex.

Established July 1, 1993

Commander Gen. Stephen R. Lorenz

Air Education and Training Command

MISSIONS

Recruit, train, and educate professional, expeditionary-minded airmen to sustain the combat capability of America's Air Force

Provide basic military training, initial and advanced technical training, flying training, and professional military and degree-granting professional education

Conduct joint, readiness, and Air Force security assistance training

FORCE STRUCTURE

Two numbered air forces and an educational headquarters: **2nd**, Keesler AFB, Miss.; **19th**, Randolph AFB, Tex.; **Air University**, Maxwell AFB, Ala.

Three DRUs: Air Force Recruiting Service and Air Force Security Assistance Training Squadron, Randolph AFB, Tex., and 59th Medical Wing, Lackland AFB, Tex. 18 wings

OPERATIONAL ACTIVITY

(as of Sept. 30, 2009) Flying hours: 38,758 per month

PERSONNEL

(as of Sept. 30, 2009)

Active duty
Officers 13,830
Enlisted 46,129
Reserve Components
ANG 5,549

AFRC 2,413
Civilian 14,557
Total 82,478

EQUIPMENT

(TAI) as of Sept. 30, 2009)

Fighter/Attack 229
Helicopter 49
Special operations forces 12
Tanker 28
Trainer 1,066
Transport 50



59,959

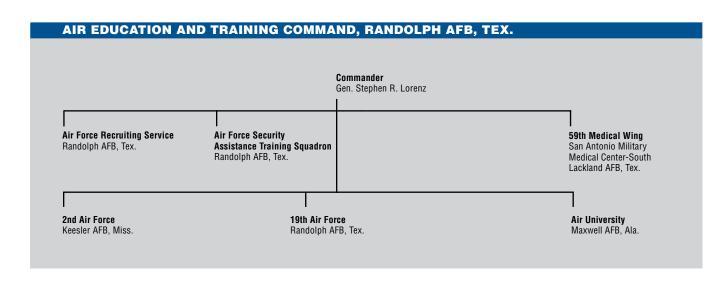
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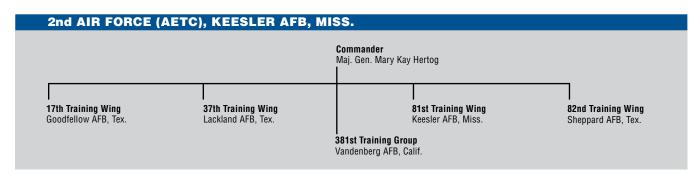
Four T-6A Texan IIs on a training mission over Laughlin AFB, Tex.

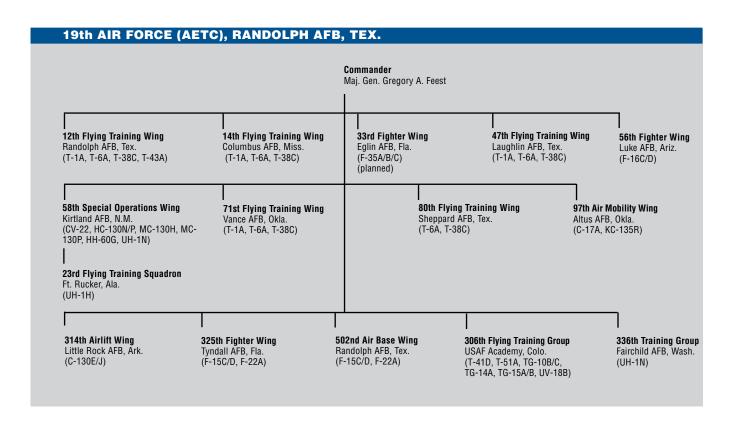


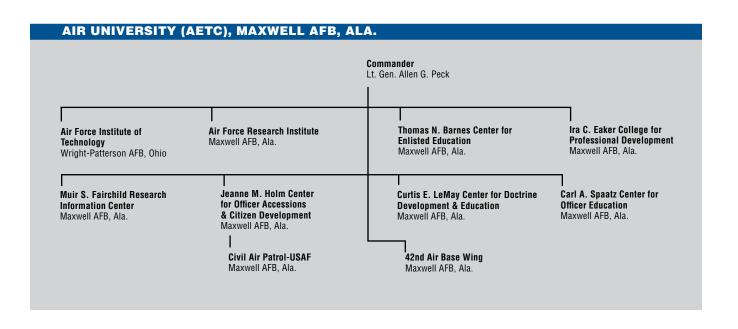
A TH-1H Huey crew training over southern Alabama.

MAJOR UNITS	BASES	WEAPONS
12th Flying Training Wing	Randolph AFB, Tex.	T-1A, T-6A, T-38C, T-43A
14th Flying Training Wing	Columbus AFB, Miss.	T-1A, T-6A, T-38C
17th Training Wing	Goodfellow AFB, Tex.	
33rd Fighter Wing	Eglin AFB, Fla.	F-35A/B/C (planned)
37th Training Wing	Lackland AFB, Tex.	
42nd Air Base Wing	Maxwell AFB, Ala.	
47th Flying Training Wing	Laughlin AFB, Tex.	T-1A, T-6A, T-38C
56th Fighter Wing	Luke AFB, Ariz.	F-16C/D
58th Special Operations Wing	Kirtland AFB, N.M.	CV-22, HC-130N/P, MC-130H, MC-130P, HH-60G, UH-1N
59th Medical Wing	Lackland AFB, Tex.	
71st Flying Training Wing	Vance AFB, Okla.	T-1A, T-6A, T-38C
80th Flying Training Wing	Sheppard AFB, Tex.	T-6A, T-38C
81st Training Wing	Keesler AFB, Miss.	
82nd Training Wing	Sheppard AFB, Tex.	
97th Air Mobility Wing	Altus AFB, Okla.	C-17A, KC-135R
314th Airlift Wing	Little Rock AFB, Ark.	C-130E/J
325th Fighter Wing	Tyndall AFB, Fla.	F-15C/D, F-22A
502nd Air Base Wing	Randolph AFB, Tex.	
Air Force Recruiting Service	Randolph AFB, Tex.	
Air University	Maxwell AFB, Ala.	









Air Force Global Strike Command

Headquarters Barksdale AFB, La.

Established Dec. 13, 1944*

Commander Lt. Gen. Frank G. Klotz

*Continental Air Forces, 1944; Strategic Air Command, 1946; AFGSC, Aug. 7, 2009.

MISSION

Develop and provide combat-ready forces for nuclear deterrence and global strike operations

COROLLARY MISSION

Assume lead command responsibility for the UH-1N helicopter

FORCE STRUCTURE

Two numbered air forces: **8th**, Barksdale AFB, La.; **20th**, F. E. Warren AFB, Wyo. Six wings

PERSONNEL

(as of Sept. 30, 2009)

Active duty		175
Officers	136	
Enlisted	39	
Civilian		1
Total		176

EQUIPMENT

Note: (1) AFGSC gained ICBMs and UH-1 helicopters from AFSPC on Dec. 1, 2009; helicopter data appear under AFSPC for this almanac. (2) AFGSC gained B-2 and B-52 bombers from ACC on Feb. 1, 2010; all active duty bomber data appear under ACC for this almanac



A Minuteman III ICBM launches on a test flight from Vandenberg AFB, Calif.

MAJOR UNITS	BASES	WEAPONS
2nd Bomb Wing	Barksdale AFB, La.	B-52H
5th Bomb Wing	Minot AFB, N.D.	B-52H
90th Missile Wing	F. E. Warren AFB, Wyo.	Minuteman III ICBMs, UH-1N
91st Missile Wing	Minot AFB, N.D.	Minuteman III ICBMs, UH-1N
341st Missile Wing	Malmstrom AFB, Mont.	Minuteman III ICBMs, UH-1N
509th Bomb Wing	Whiteman AFB, Mo.	B-2

Commander Lt. Gen. Frank G. Klotz 8th Air Force Barksdale AFB, La. Maj. Gen. Floyd L. Carpenter (units transferred Feb. 1, 2010) Commander Lt. Gen. Frank G. Klotz 20th Air Force F. E. Warren AFB, Wyo. Maj. Gen. Roger W. Burg (units transferred Dec. 1, 2009)



Headquarters Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio

Established July 1, 1992

Commander Gen. Donald J. Hoffman

Air Force Materiel Command

MISSION

Deliver war-winning expeditionary capabilities to the warfighter through development and transition of technology, professional acquisition management, exacting test and evaluation, and world-class sustainment of all Air Force weapon systems

FORCE STRUCTURE

Three major product centers Two test centers Three air logistics centers Three specialized centers One laboratory with 10 technology directorates 33 wings

OPERATIONAL ACTIVITY

(as of Sept. 30, 2009) Flying hours: 1,690 per month

PERSONNEL

(as of Sept. 30, 2009)

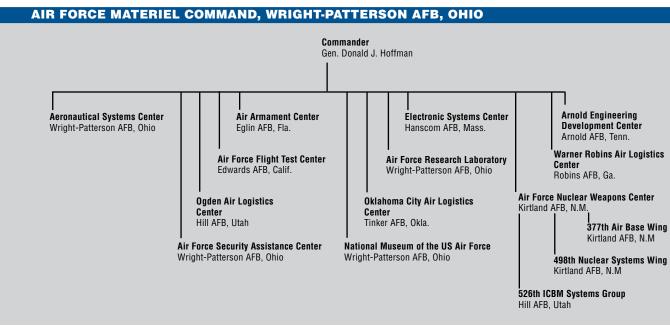
Active duty		18,627
Officers	5,823	
Enlisted	12,804	
Reserve Comp	onents	1,438
ANG	168	
AFRC	1,270	
Civilian		58,131
Total		78.196

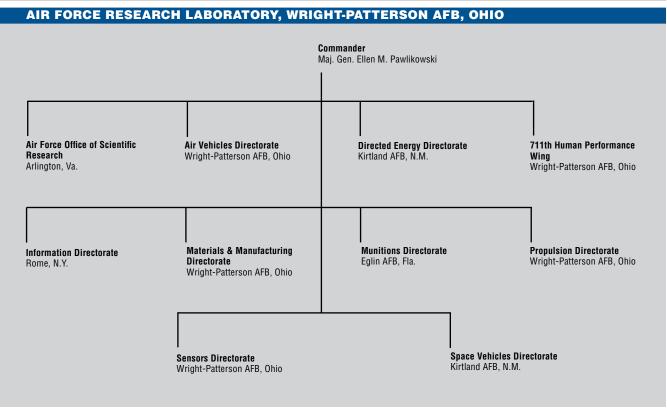
EQUIPMENT

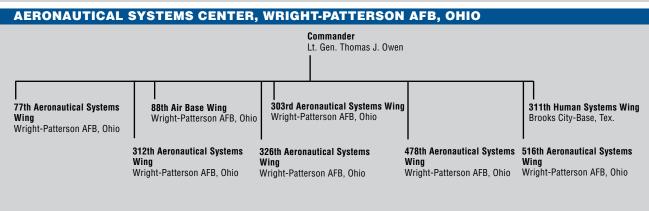
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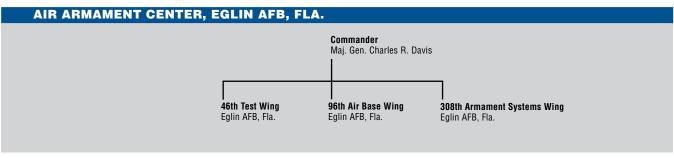
Bomber	5
Fighter/Attack	43
Helicopter	5
Recon	7
Tanker	1
Trainer	23
Transport	25

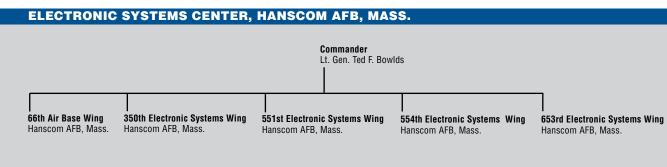
MAJOR UNITS	BASES
Aeronautical Systems Center	Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio
Air Armament Center	Eglin AFB, Fla.
Air Force Flight Test Center	Edwards AFB, Calif.
Air Force Research Laboratory	Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio
Air Force Security Assistance Center	Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio
Arnold Engineering Development Center	Arnold AFB, Tenn.
Electronic Systems Center	Hanscom AFB, Mass.
National Museum of the US Air Force	Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio
Air Force Nuclear Weapons Center	Kirtland AFB, N.M.
Ogden Air Logistics Center	Hill AFB, Utah
Oklahoma City Air Logistics Center	Tinker AFB, Okla.
Warner Robins Air Logistics Center	Robins AFB, Ga.
46th Test Wing	Eglin AFB, Fla.
66th Air Base Wing	Hanscom AFB, Mass.
72nd Air Base Wing	Tinker AFB, Okla.
75th Air Base Wing	Hill AFB, Utah
76th Maintenance Wing	Tinker AFB, Okla.
77th Aeronautical Systems Wing	Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio
78th Air Base Wing	Robins AFB, Ga.
84th Combat Sustainment Wing	Hill AFB, Utah
88th Air Base Wing	Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio
95th Air Base Wing	Edwards AFB, Calif.
96th Air Base Wing	Eglin AFB, Fla.
303rd Aeronautical Systems Wing	Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio
308th Armament Systems Wing	Eglin AFB, Fla.
309th Maintenance Wing	Hill AFB, Utah
311th Human Systems Wing	Brooks City-Base, Tex.
312th Aeronautical Systems Wing	Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio
326th Aeronautical Systems Wing	Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio
327th Aircraft Sustainment Wing	Tinker AFB, Okla.
330th Aircraft Sustainment Wing	Robins AFB, Ga.
350th Electronic Systems Wing	Hanscom AFB, Mass.
377th Air Base Wing	Kirtland AFB, N.M.
402nd Maintenance Wing	Robins AFB, Ga.
412th Test Wing	Edwards AFB, Calif.
448th Supply Chain Management Wing	Tinker AFB, Okla.
478th Aeronautical Systems Wing	Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio
498th Nuclear Systems Wing	Kirtland AFB, N.M.
508th Aerospace Sustainment Wing	Hill AFB, Utah
516th Aeronautical Systems Wing	Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio
542nd Combat Sustainment Wing	Robins AFB, Ga.
551st Electronic Systems Wing	Hanscom AFB, Mass.
554th Electronic Systems Wing	Hanscom AFB, Mass.
653rd Electronic Systems Wing	Hanscom AFB, Mass.
711th Human Performance Wing	Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio
309th Aerospace Maintenance and Regeneration Group	Davis-Monthan AFB, Ariz.

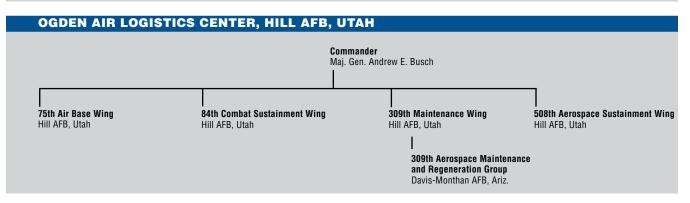


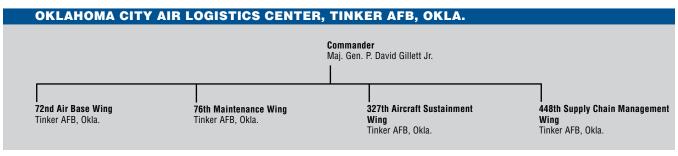


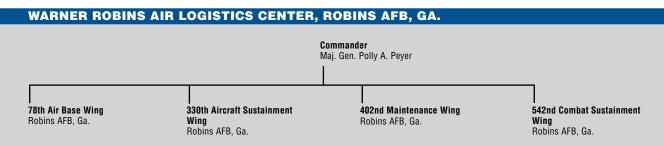


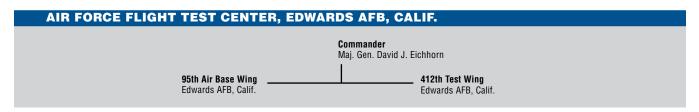












AFSPC

Headquarters Peterson AFB, Colo.

Established Sept. 1, 1982

Commander Gen. C. Robert Kehler

Air Force Space Command

MISSIONS

Provide an integrated constellation of space and cyberspace capabilities Operate missile warning radars, sensors, and satellites; national space-launch facilities; space surveillance radars and optical systems; space environmental systems; position, navigation, and timing systems; Air Force networks; (transferred ICBM mission to AFGSC Dec. 1, 2009)

Provide command and control for DOD satellites; missile warning; space weather support

Present full spectrum of cyber capabilities

Produce and acquire advanced space systems

OTHER RESPONSIBILITIES

Provide communications, computer, and base support to NORAD; technology safeguard monitors to support launches of US satellites on foreign launch vehicles

FORCE STRUCTURE

Two numbered air forces: **14th**, Vandenberg AFB, Calif.; **24th**, Lackland AFB. Tex.

Three centers: Air Force Network Integration Center, Scott AFB, Ill.; Space and Missile Systems Center, Los Angeles AFB, Calif.; Space Innovation and Development Center, Schriever AFB. Colo.

One FOA: Air Force Frequency Management Agency, Alexandria, Va. 15 wings

PERSONNEL

(as of Sept. 30, 2009)

Active duty		20,725
Officers	5,436	
Enlisted	15,289	
Reserve Comp	onents	3,041
ANG	1,140	
AFRC	1,901	
Civilian		7,906
Total		31,672

EQUIPMENT

(as of Sept. 30, 2009)

Missile warning systems: DSP satellites, Ballistic Missile Early Warning System, Pave PAWS radars, Perimeter Acquisition Radar Attack Characterization System, Space Based Infrared System, and conventional radars

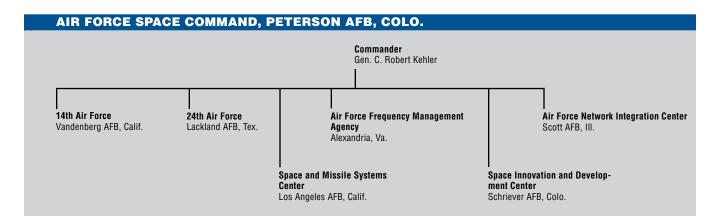
Helicopters (TAI): UH-1 25
Satellite command and control
system: Air Force Satellite Control
Network

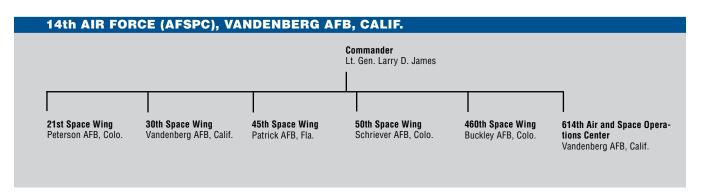
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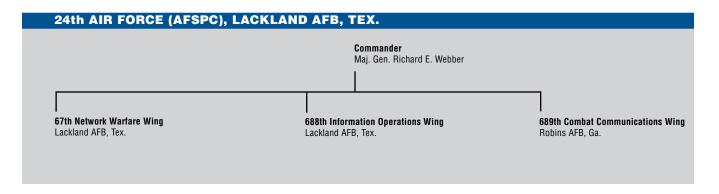
GPS: Block II/IIA/IIR	31
DMSP	5
DSCS III	8
Milstar	5
Interim Polar System	3
WGS	1

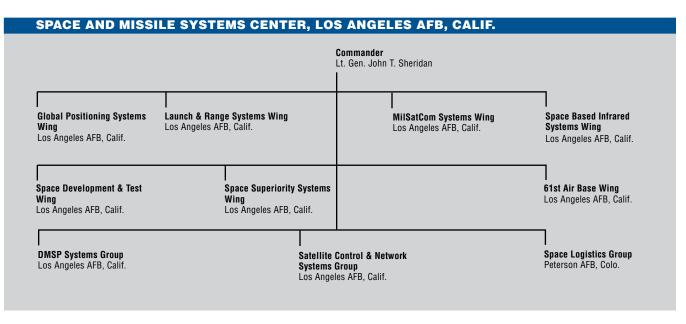
Space surveillance systems: Electro-Optical Deep Space Surveillance System and phased-array, mechanical tracking, and passive surveillance radars

MAJOR UNITS	BASES	WEAPONS/FUNCTIONS
AF Frequency Management Agency	Alexandria, Va.	Oversees access to electromagnetic spectrum
Air Force Network Integration Center	Scott AFB, III.	Oversees enterprise network, enables core cyber capabilities
Space and Missile Systems Center	Los Angeles AFB, Calif.	Acquisition and development of space and missile systems
Space Innovation and Development Center	Schriever AFB, Colo.	Testing, training, tactics development
21st Space Wing	Peterson AFB, Colo.	Missile warning and space control
30th Space Wing	Vandenberg AFB, Calif.	Launch, range operations, support for space and ICBM test
45th Space Wing	Patrick AFB, Fla., and	Launch, range operations, support for shuttle program,
	Cape Canaveral AFS, Fla.	and US Navy Trident test
50th Space Wing	Schriever AFB, Colo.	Satellite command and control
61st Air Base Wing	Los Angeles AFB, Calif.	Base support systems
67th Network Warfare Wing	Lackland AFB, Tex.	Organize, train, and equip cyberspace forces
460th Space Wing	Buckley AFB, Colo.	Missile warning and global surveillance
688th Information Operations Wing	Lackland AFB, Tex.	Deliver information operations and engineering infra- structure capabilities
689th Combat Communications Wing	Robins AFB, Ga.	Train and deploy expeditionary and specialized communications, air traffic control, and landing systems
Global Positioning Systems Wing	Los Angeles AFB, Calif.	Development, launch, and sustainment of GPS
Launch and Range Systems Wing	Los Angeles AFB, Calif.	Military space acquisition
MilSatCom Systems Wing	Los Angeles AFB, Calif.	Plan, acquire, and sustain space-enabled communications
Space Based Infrared Systems Wing	Los Angeles AFB, Calif.	Acquisition, integration, launch, and operating R&D spacecraft
Space Development and Test Wing	Los Angeles AFB, Calif.	R&D, purchase, and fielding of military space systems
Space Superiority Systems Wing	Los Angeles AFB, Calif.	Development, fielding, and sustainment of weapons systems









Headquarters Hurlburt Field, Fla.

Established May 22, 1990

Commander Lt. Gen. Donald C. Wurster

Air Force Special Operations Command

MISSIONS

Serve as America's specialized airpower, delivering special operations power anytime, anywhere

Provide Air Force special operations forces for worldwide deployment and assignment to regional unified commands

Tasked for seven mission areas: shaping and stability operations; battlefield air operations; information operations; intelligence, surveillance, and reconnaissance; SOF mobility; precision engagement; and agile combat support

FORCE STRUCTURE

One numbered air force: **23rd**, Hurlburt Field, Fla.
Two wings
Three groups
Air Force Special Operations Training
Center

OPERATIONAL ACTIVITY

(as of Sept. 30, 2009) Flying hours: 3,569 per month

Major operations

Enduring Freedom (Afghanistan); Iraqi Freedom (Iraq); Global War on Terror; Noble Eagle (US)

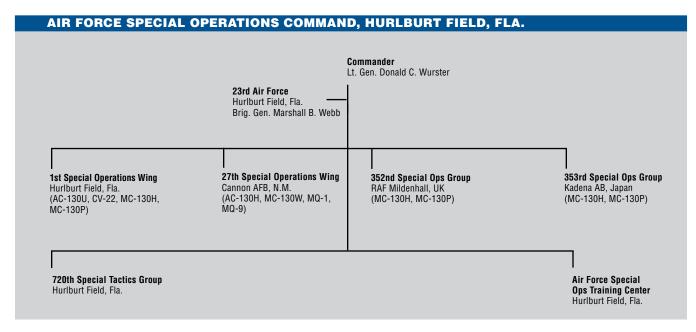
PERSONNEL

(as of Sept. 30, 2009) 12,274 Active duty Officers 2,290 Enlisted 9.984 Reserve Components 2,910 ANG 1,504 AFRC 1,406 Civilian 830 Total 16,014

EQUIPMENT

(TAI as of Sept. 30, 2009)
Helicopter 4
Recon 26
SOF 77

MAJOR UNITS	BASES	WEAPONS
Air Force Special Operations Training Center	Hurlburt Field, Fla.	
1st Special Operations Wing	Hurlburt Field, Fla.	AC-130U, CV-22, MC-130H, MC-130P
27th Special Operations Wing	Cannon AFB, N.M.	AC-130H, MC-130W, MQ-1, MQ-9
352nd Special Operations Group	RAF Mildenhall, UK	MC-130H, MC-130P
353rd Special Operations Group	Kadena AB, Japan	MC-130H, MC-130P
720th Special Tactics Group	Hurlburt Field, Fla.	





Headquarters Scott AFB, III.

Established June 1, 1992

Commander Gen. Raymond E. Johns Jr.

Air Mobility Command

MISSION

Provide rapid global mobility and sustainment through tactical and strategic airlift and aerial refueling for US armed forces

COROLLARY MISSIONS

Provide special duty and operational support aircraft and global humanitarian support

Perform peacetime and wartime aeromedical evacuation missions Perform en route employment and rapid forward deployment capabilities

FORCE STRUCTURE

One numbered air force: 18th, Scott AFB, III.

Two expeditionary mobility task forces: 15th, Travis AFB, Calif.; 21st, JB McGuire, N.J.

One DRU: US Air Force Expeditionary Center, JB McGuire, N.J. 18 wings

OPERATIONAL ACTIVITY

(as of Sept. 30, 2009) Flying hours: 44,400 per month

Major operations

Enduring Freedom (Afghanistan); Iraqi Freedom (Iraq); Noble Eagle (US); Humanitarian and disaster relief

Major training exercises

Ardent Sentry; Cobra Gold; Global

PERSONNEL EQUIPMENT

(as of Sept. 30, 2009) (TAI as of Sept. 30, 2009) Active duty 45,975 Tanker Officers 7.078 **Transport** 38.897 Enlisted Reserve Components 79.295

42,906 **AFRC** Civilian 8,800 Total 134,070

ANG

36,389



A C-17 on a mission out of RAF Fairford, UK.



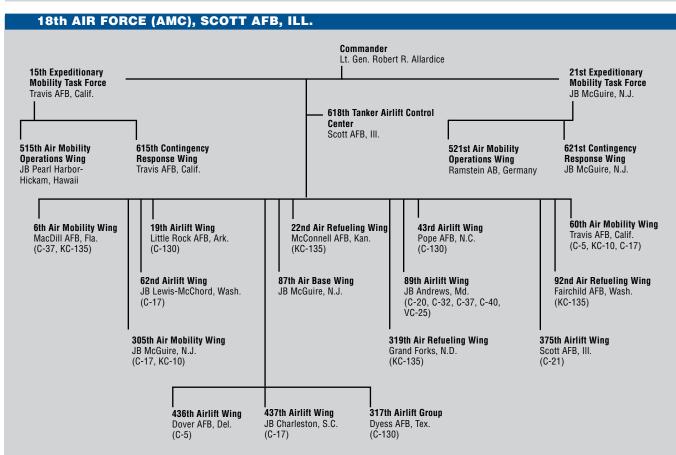
A C-5 Galaxy from Dover AFB, Del., loaded with cargo.

186

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MAJOR UNITS	BASES	WEAPONS
618th Tanker Airlift Control Center	Scott AFB, III.	
6th Air Mobility Wing	MacDill AFB, Fla.	C-37, KC-135
19th Airlift Wing	Little Rock AFB, Ark.	C-130
22nd Air Refueling Wing	McConnell AFB, Kan.	KC-135
43rd Airlift Wing	Pope AFB, N.C.	C-130
60th Air Mobility Wing	Travis AFB, Calif.	C-5, KC-10, C-17
62nd Airlift Wing	JB Lewis-McChord, Wash.	C-17
87th Air Base Wing	JB McGuire, N.J.	
89th Airlift Wing	JB Andrews, Md.	C-20, C-32, C-37, C-40, VC-25
92nd Air Refueling Wing	Fairchild AFB, Wash.	KC-135
305th Air Mobility Wing	JB McGuire, N.J.	C-17, KC-10
319th Air Refueling Wing	Grand Forks AFB, N.D.	KC-135
375th Airlift Wing	Scott AFB, III.	C-21
436th Airlift Wing	Dover AFB, Del.	C-5
437th Airlift Wing	JB Charleston, S.C.	C-17
515th Air Mobility Operations Wing	JB Pearl Harbor-Hickam, Hawaii	
521st Air Mobility Operations Wing	Ramstein AB, Germany	
615th Contingency Response Wing	Travis AFB, Calif.	
621st Contingency Response Wing	JB McGuire, N.J.	





Headquarters Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam, Hawaii

Established July 1, 1957

Commander Gen. Gary L. North

Pacific Air Forces

MISSION

Provide ready air and space power to promote US interests in the Asia-Pacific region during peacetime, crisis, and war

FORCE STRUCTURE

Four numbered air forces: **5th**, Yokota AB, Japan; **7th**, Osan AB, South Korea; **11th**, JB Elmendorf, Alaska; **13th**, JB Pearl Harbor-Hickam, Hawaii Nine wings

OPERATIONAL ACTIVITY

(as of Sept. 30, 2009) Flying hours: 8,769 per month

Major operations

Enduring Freedom (Afghanistan); Iraqi Freedom (Iraq)

Major training exercises

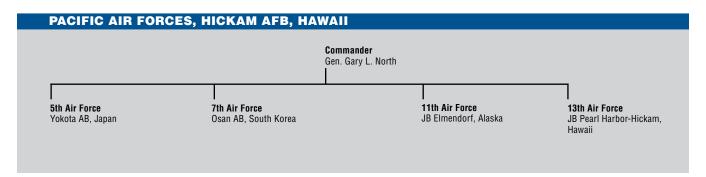
Balikatan; Cobra Gold; Commando Sling; Cope India; Cope North; Cope South; Cope Taufan; Cope Tiger; Cope West; Foal Eagle; Keen Edge; Key Resolve; Northern Edge; Pacific Airlift Rally; Red Flag-Alaska; Talisman Saber; Terminal Fury; Ulchi Freedom Guardian; Valiant Shield

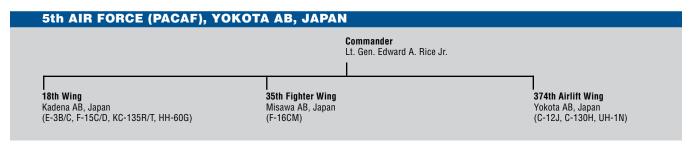


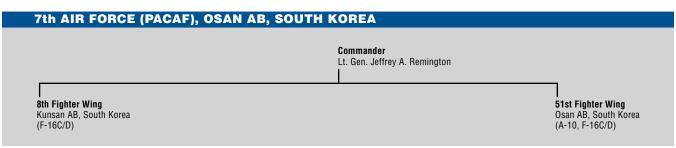
An F-15 takes on fuel from a KC-135 during training near Kadena AB, Japan.

PERSONNEL			Reserve Components		5,587
(as of Sept. 30	2009)		ANG	4,728	
Active duty		29.763	AFRC	859	
Officers	3.892		Civilian		8,131
Enlisted	25 871		Total		43,481

MAJOR UNITS	BASES	WEAPONS
3rd Wing	JB Elmendorf, Alaska	C-12F/J, C-17, E-3B, F-15C, F-22
8th Fighter Wing	Kunsan AB, South Korea	F-16C/D
15th Airlift Wing	JB Pearl Harbor-Hickam, Hawaii	C-17, C-37, C-40B/C
18th Wing	Kadena AB, Japan	E-3B/C, F-15C/D, KC-135R/T, HH-60G
35th Fighter Wing	Misawa AB, Japan	F-16CM
36th Wing	Andersen AFB, Guam	
51st Fighter Wing	Osan AB, South Korea	A-10, F-16C/D
354th Fighter Wing	Eielson AFB, Alaska	F-16C/D
374th Airlift Wing	Yokota AB, Japan	C-12J, C-130H, UH-1N







11th AIR FORCE (PACAF), JB ELMENDORF, ALASKA Commander Lt. Gen. Dana T. Atkins 3rd Wing JB Elmendorf, Alaska (C-12F/J, C-17, E-3B, F-15C, F-22) (F-16C/D)

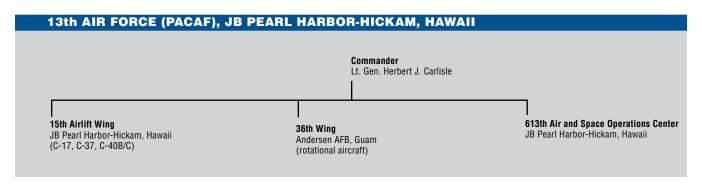
EQUIPMENT

(TAI as of Sept. 30, 2009)

Fighter/Attack 214
Helicopter 14
Recon 4
Tanker 14
Transport 37



C-130 aircraft on the flight line at Yokota AB, Japan.



USAFE

Headquarters Ramstein AB, Germany

Established Aug. 7, 1945

Commander Gen. Roger A. Brady

US Air Forces in Europe

MISSIONS

Provide combat and mobility forces to combatant commanders
Ensure forward-based access for global strategic operations
Deter potential threats to NATO security and assure allies and friends
Build partner relationships and air-power capabilities

FORCE STRUCTURE

Two numbered air forces: 3rd, 17th Ramstein AB, Germany Warrior Preparation Center, Einsiedlerhof AS, Germany One air expeditionary task force Nine wings

OPERATIONAL ACTIVITY

(as of Sept. 30, 2009) Flying hours: 6,800 per month

Major operations

Assured Delivery (Georgia); Enduring Freedom (Afghanistan); International Security Assistance Force (Afghanistan); Iraqi Freedom (Iraq); Joint Forge (Bosnia); Joint Guardian (Kosovo)

Major training exercises

Anatolian Eagle; Austere Challenge; Baltops; Clean Hunter; Medceur; Medlite; Noble Ardent; Northern Viking



A KC-135R assigned to RAF Mildenhall, Britain.

US AIR FORCES IN EUROPE, RAMSTEIN AB, GERMANY

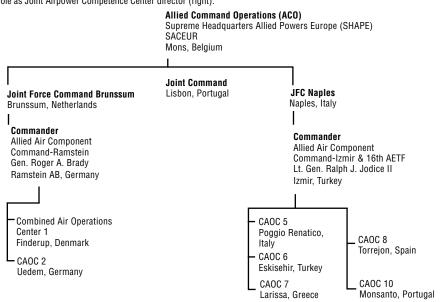
Commander
Gen. Roger A. Brady

3rd Air Force
Ramstein AB, Germany

Thair Force (administrative control)
Ramstein AB, Germany

Warrior Preparation Center
Einsiedlerhof AS, Germany

The USAFE organizational chart above shows peacetime lines of command. The charts below show the NATO wartime air command lines (left) and COMUSAFE's role as Joint Airpower Competence Center director (right).



Allied Command Transformation Supreme Allied Commander

Transformation (SACT)

Kalkar, Germany

PERSONNEL

(as of Sept. 30, 2009)

Active duty 25,644
Officers 3,192
Enlisted 22,452
Reserve Components 415

ANG 226 AFRC 189

 Civilian
 5,712

 Total
 31,771

EQUIPMENT

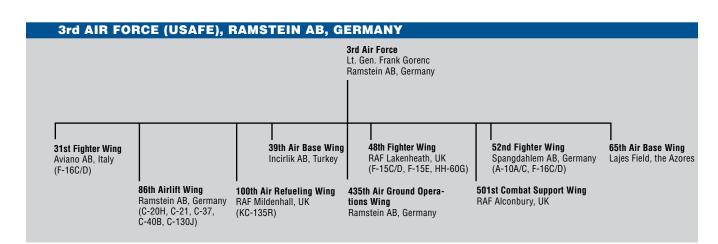
(TAI as of Sept. 30, 2009)

Fighter/Attack 201
Helicopter 5
Tanker 16
Transport 23



An F-16 taxis at Aviano AB, Italy.

MAJOR UNITS	BASES	WEAPONS
31st Fighter Wing	Aviano AB, Italy	F-16C/D
39th Air Base Wing	Incirlik AB, Turkey	Tactical range and contingency support, rotational aircraft
48th Fighter Wing	RAF Lakenheath, UK	F-15C/D, F-15E, HH-60G
52nd Fighter Wing	Spangdahlem AB, Germany	A-10A/C, F-16C/D
65th Air Base Wing	Lajes Field, the Azores	
86th Airlift Wing	Ramstein AB, Germany	C-20H, C-21, C-37, C-40B, C-130J
100th Air Refueling Wing	RAF Mildenhall, UK	KC-135R
435th Air Ground Operations Wing	Ramstein AB, Germany	
501st Combat Support Wing	RAF Alconbury, UK	



17th AIR FORCE (USAFE) (AIR FORCES AFRICA), RAMSTEIN AB, GERMANY*

17th Air Force

Maj. Gen. Ronald R. Ladnier Ramstein AB, Germany

*Supports US Africa Command.