



U.S.
PACIFIC
COMMAND
MISSION BRIEF



Combatant Command Structure



**President of the
United States**



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**Chairman, Joint
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Geographic Commands



**Central
Command**



**European
Command**



**Pacific
Command**



**Africa
Command**



**Northern
Command**



**Southern
Command**

Functional Commands



**Special Operations
Command**



**Transportation
Command**



**Strategic
Command**



**Joint Forces
Command**

Asia – Pacific Region



The Asia-Pacific region encompasses 51% of the earth's surface.



Mission

U.S. Pacific Command protects and defends, in concert with other U.S. Government agencies, the territory of the United States, its people, and its interests. With allies and partners, U.S. Pacific Command is committed to enhancing stability in the Asia-Pacific region by promoting security cooperation, encouraging peaceful development, responding to contingencies, deterring aggression and when necessary, fighting to win.



Mutual Defense Treaties

5 of 7 Mutual Defense Treaties



South Korea



Japan



Thailand



Philippines



Australia

Key partnerships enhance mutual security.

Global Security Concerns



India/Pakistan

Korean Peninsula

Taiwan Strait

Historical concerns color the security climate.



Transnational Threats

**Terrorism /
Extremism**



**Illegal
Narcotics**

**Information
Technology
Crime**



Piracy

**Other
Transnational
Crime**



**Weapons
Proliferation**



**Illegal
Migration**





U.S. Pacific Command Structure



U.S. Pacific Command



**U.S. Army
Pacific**



**Pacific Air
Forces**



Pacific Fleet



**Marine Corps
Forces Pacific**



**U.S. Forces
Korea**



**U.S. Forces
Japan**



**Alaskan
Command**



**Special Operations
Command Pacific**



**Joint Interagency Task Force -
West**



**Joint POW/MIA Accounting
Command**



**Asia Pacific Center for
Security Studies**

**Center of Excellence for Disaster
Management and Humanitarian Assistance**



Partnership, Readiness, Presence

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STRATEGY

PARTNERSHIP READINESS PRESENCE
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Regional Cooperative Security Program

- Bi / Tri / Multilateral Engagements
- Build partnership capacity & capabilities
- Disaster Response / Humanitarian assistance
- Global Peacekeeping Operations Initiative (GPOI)
- Multinational Planning Augmentation Team (MPAT)
- Requires extensive coordination / synchronization
- Communicates assurance to our friends
- Access for future contingencies
- Pacific Partnership
- Pacific Angel



Our Legacy





Conclusion

- The Asia-Pacific region is complex
- We partner with nations in the region to achieve common goals of security and shared prosperity
- Our relationships are lasting and built on trust

USPACOM supports U.S. National Security Strategy by promoting peace and stability in the Asia-Pacific region



Questions?



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