

Home Station "Planning / Resourcing"

- Design, implement, and exercise Ops and Intel fusion at the BDE & BN levels to enhance the common operating picture and increase situational awareness
- Reassess and update IPOE monthly with urban tactical sites reassessed every two weeks
- Country-specific planning utilizing SOCENT assets: JSOTF-Arab Peninsula (AP) and JSOTF-Gulf Cooperation Council (GCC)
- Design a BN FORCPRO OPORD / OPLAN that is site and country specific which focuses on IPOE, NAIs, and threat considerations to include movement along MSRs and transit between ADA sites and ADA assets (Fig. 5)

Home Station "Training"

- Utilize Table-Top Exercises (TTx) in order to find seams and gaps in planning and coordination efforts (Fig. 4)
- Develop BN-level SOPs tailored to deployed locations that replicate urban and complex settings during FTXs or TTx (EX: main post parking lots and vacant areas which provide realistic patterns of life)
- SOP development on common ADA convoy exercises:
 - Missile Redistribution
 - Vehicle Recovery
 - Logistics Escort
- Maintain proficiency on tactical reporting and operating tactical commo equipment



Tactical Pocket Reference
A Guide for U.S. Forces

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Home Station "People"

- Establish a staff manning cycle with a mid-deployment manning change in order to combat complacency and enhance operational and situational awareness (Fig.1)
- Draft pre-planned talking points emphasizing the value and operational impact of FORCPRO (campaign plan)
- Ensure there is an organizational understanding of the roles that all U.S. Joint Forces will have once arriving in theater to include CENTCOM CONPLANS

Home Station "Messaging"

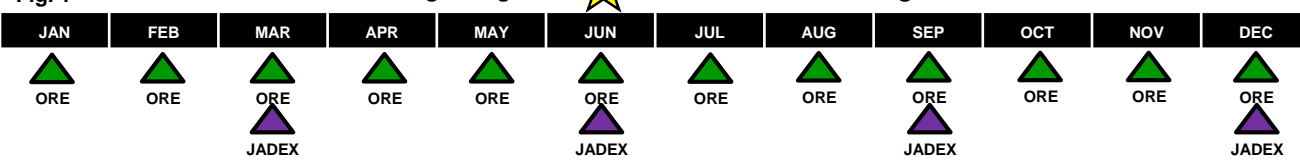
- Emphasize that U.S. Soldiers are strategic assets in both the eyes of the U.S. and the enemy
- Draft pre-planned talking points with a common central theme that FORCPRO has a strategic and tactical value to the ADA mission ("**one 7.62 round into the main array has a significant strategic impact**")
- Emphasize "Organizational Adaptability" at the Brigade, Battalion, and Battery levels
- Reinforce that FORCPRO is not just insider threat training

View of the ADA FORCPRO Mission



Source: www.dvidshub.net

Fig. 1 FORCPRO Manning Changeover



Deployed "Planning / Resourcing"

- Reassess and update IPOE monthly with urban tactical sites reassessed every two weeks
- Establish a BN-level U.S. Joint and Host Nation liaison party focused on integration
- Define the role of BN / BDE HHB elements:
 - QRF Element
 - U.S. Joint / HN liaison
- BN TOC and tactical units must maintain and exercise designated travel routes
- Identify overwatch NAs and ensure there is a COP between the BN TOCs and BCPs
- Adapt and integrate ADA CONOPs to the country-specific Joint services' concept of planning and training with NAVCENT, AFCENT, and MARCENT

Deployed "Training"

- Exercise and assess BCP to BN TOC monitoring of counter-surveillance Ops, ECP Ops, tactical reporting & coordination, missile redistribution missions, and logistical convoys
- Use Maintenance COs for cross-training of vehicle recovery missions
- Post overwatch sector sketches in BN TOCs for common planning and in order to establish rapid coordination and response capabilities with BN-level Ops and Intel planners (Fig. 2)
- Overlay and fuse organic RAID / Camera System surveillance picture with Joint systems in order to establish and enhance the COP (Fig. 3)

Deployed "Messaging"

- **Mindset = this is neither Afghanistan nor CONUS** → relaxed but alert
- FORCPRO mission and vulnerabilities must be continually messaged to Senior U.S. leaders (DoD & DoS) and U.S. Joint Forces
- **Strategic impact** of FORCPRO vulnerabilities must be clearly articulated during all VIP visits
- Current CENTCOM / EUCOM hurdles that contribute to FORCPRO challenges:

'Piracy and Smuggling' 'OEF De-Scoping'
 'DoD Budget Cuts' 'Regional Instability'
 'U.S. Downsizing' 'Regime Collapse'

Deployed "People"

**Mol Relationship = Raw / Unfiltered Intel
Partner Nation Engagements = You Can't
Surge Trust**

- Understand the Host Nation Military's and Ministry of Interior (Mol) culture and mission
What is their role in:
 - U.S. FORCPRO Support?
 - Civil Unrest Conditions?
- Understand the influence of the Cooperation Council for the Arab States-Gulf Coast Countries (GCC)
- Build relationships with U.S. Joint Forces via Key Leader Engagements, LPDs, briefings, small-scale exercises, and Joint *mirroring* exchanges

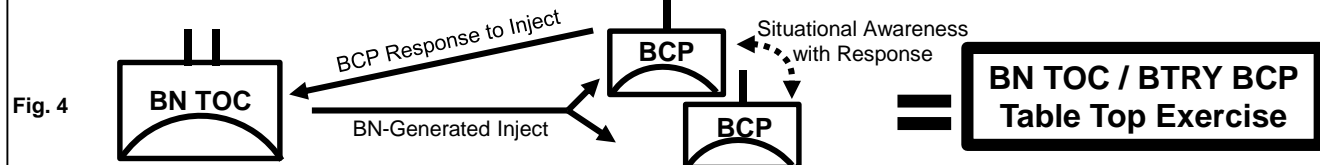
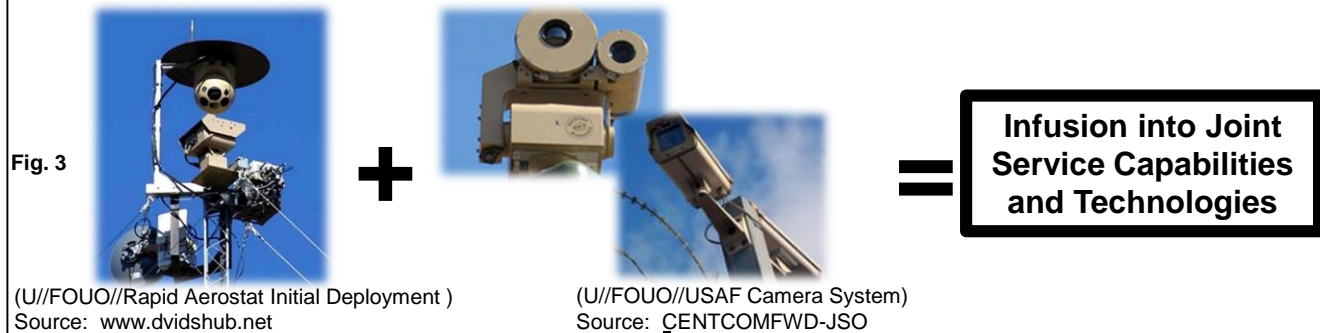
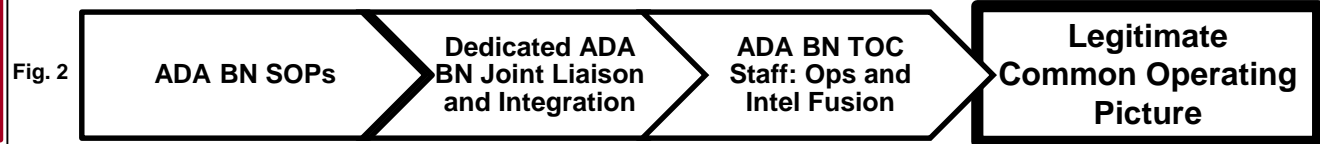


Fig. 5
"Asymmetric – In military operations the application of dissimilar strategies, tactics, capabilities, and methods to circumvent or negate an opponent's strengths while exploiting his weaknesses (JP 1-02)."