STRATEGIC HIGHWAY NETWORK (STRAHNET) OVERVIEW

Military Transportation System

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Presentation Outline

- USDOT Planning Emphasis Areas
- Strategic Highway Network (STRAHNET)
 - Local Maps
- Military Transportation System
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 - SDDC Command Overview



Federal Planning Emphasis Areas

- The FHWA and FTA Planning Offices issued a Planning Emphasis Areas (PEAs) letter on December 30, 2021
 - Key topics federal agencies want to see addressed in statewide, metropolitan, and other agency planning
 - Areas included: climate change, equity, complete streets, public involvement, data

#5 - Strategic Highway Network (STRAHNET)/U.S. Department of Defense (DOD) Coordination

 "FHWA Division and FTA regional offices should encourage MPOs and State DOTs to coordinate with representatives from DOD in the transportation planning and project programming process on infrastructure and connectivity needs for STRAHNET routes and other public roads that connect to DOD facilities."



Why have a STRAHNET?

- Dwight D. Eisenhower National System of Interstate and Defense Highways (1956)
 - At the time, the nation's highways were deemed inadequate to meet the needs of national and civil defense.
 - Note: <u>1919 Motor Transport Corps convoy</u> (Wikipedia)
- The DOD's facilities include military bases, ports, and depots. The road network that provides access and connections to these facilities is essential to national security.



What is STRAHNET?

- The 64,200-mile STRAHNET system consists of public highways that provide access, continuity, and emergency transportation of personnel and equipment in times of peace and war.
 - It includes the entire 48,800 miles of the Interstate and Defense Highway system and 14,000 miles of other non-Interstate public highways on the National Highway System.
 - STRAHNET also contains approximately 1,800 miles of connector routes linking more than 200 military installations and ports to the primary highway system.
 - DOD's facilities are also often major employers in a region, generating substantial volumes of commuter and freight traffic on the transportation network and around entry points to the military facilities.

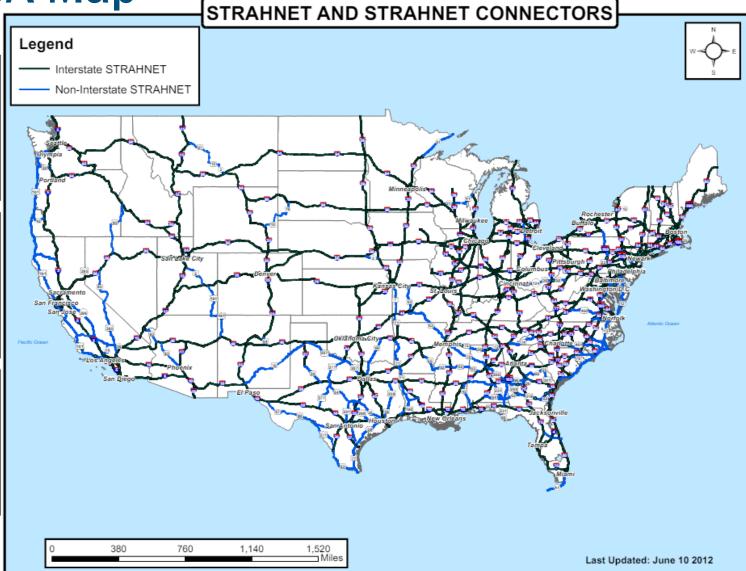


STRAHNET – Update in Progress

- The STRAHNET is tracked by the Transportation Engineering Agency (TEA) of the US Army's Surface Deployment and Distribution Command (SDDC).
- Maps available for each state and major bases in each:
 <u>https://www.sddc.army.mil/sites/TEA/functions/specialassistant/strahnet/forms/allitems.aspx</u>
- Most of the current network's maps date to the early/mid-2010s.
- SDDCTEA has begun an update of the STRAHNET, with the first state to be reviewed, Florida, completed in February 2024.
 - In addition, a number of bases and facilities have been recently renamed, which will be updated as well.



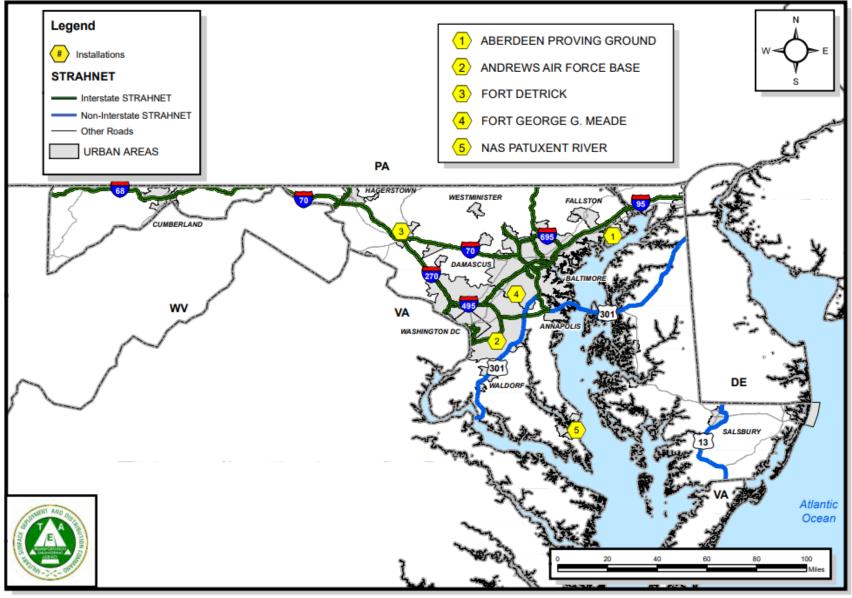
STRAHNET - USA Map





Puerto Rico

MARYLAND





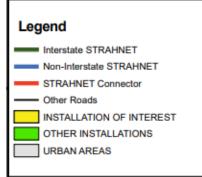
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Joint Base Myer-Henderson Hall, Virginia

Last Updated: 6/25/2012



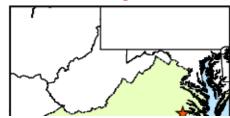
ROUTE TO STRAHNET

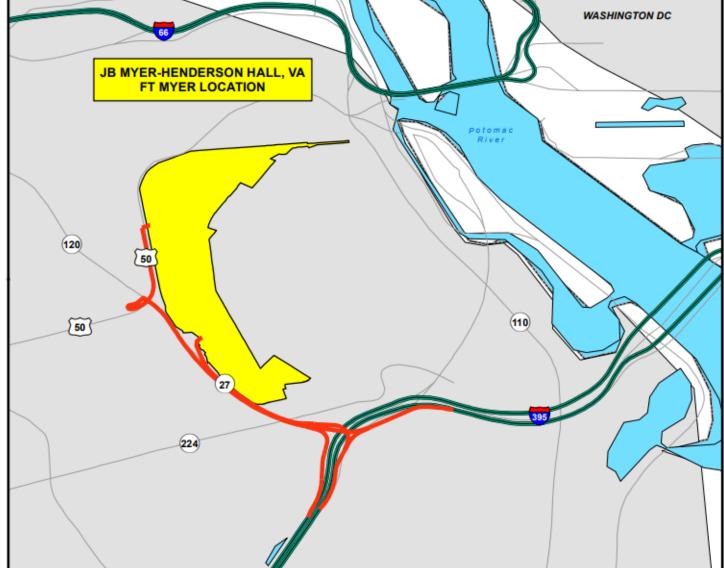
US 50 S TO VA 27, VA 27 S TO I-395

HENDERSON HALL HAS NO STRAHNET CONNECTOR



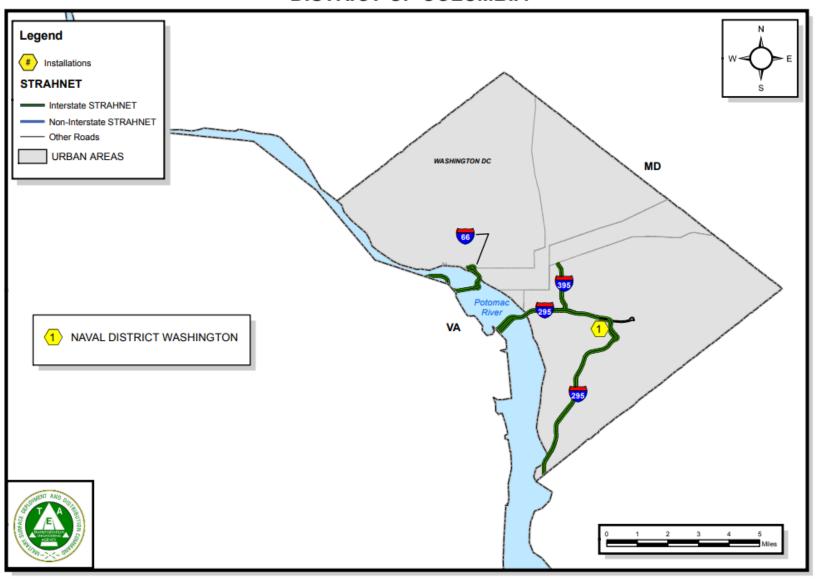
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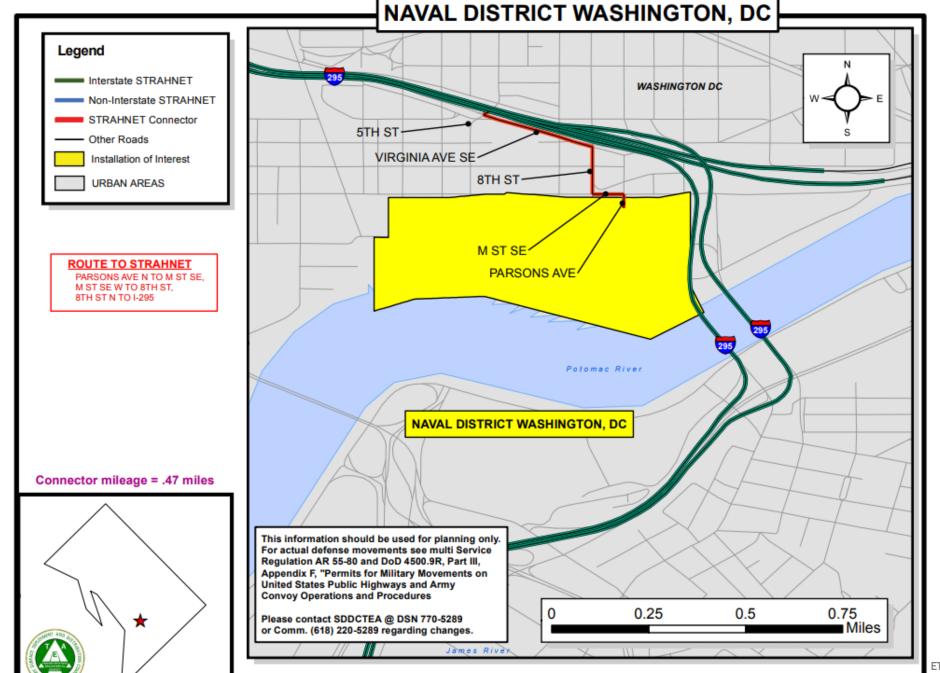


DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA



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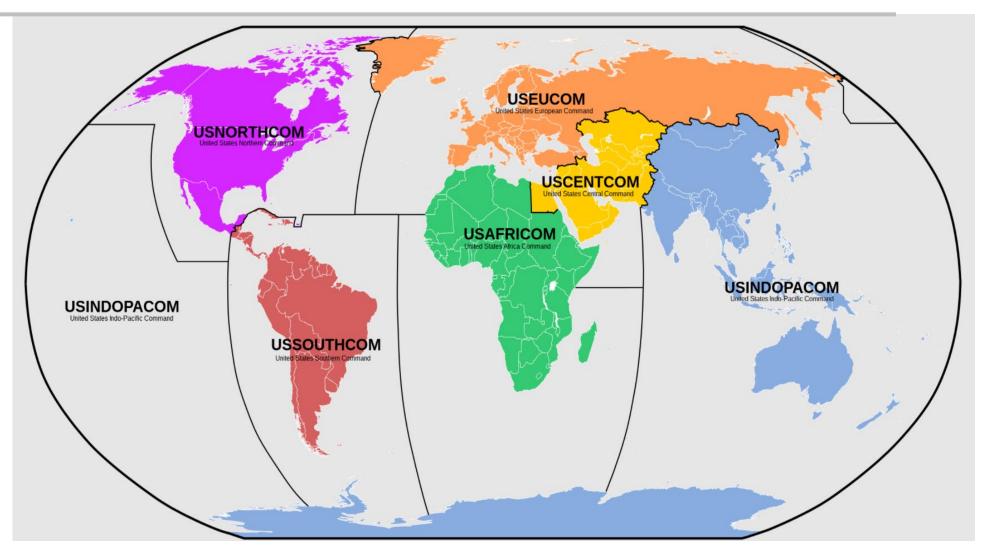


Unified Combatant Commands (COCOMs)

- Functional COCOMs operate world-wide across geographic boundaries and provide unique capabilities to geographic combatant commands and the Services
 - USSOCOM: U.S. Special Operations Command, MacDill Air Force Base, FL.
 - USSTRATCOM: U.S. Strategic Command, Offutt Air Force Base, NE.
 - USSPACECOM: U.S. Space Command, Peterson Space Force Base, CO.
 - USTRANSCOM: U.S. Transportation Command, Scott Air Force Base, IL.
 - USCYBERCOMMAND: U.S. Cyber Command, Fort George G. Meade, MD.
- Geographic COCOMs operate in clearly delineated areas of operation and have a distinctive regional military focus.
 - USAFRICOM: U.S. Africa Command, Kelley Barracks, Stuttgart, Germany.
 - USCENTCOM: U.S. Central Command, MacDill Air Force Base, FL.
 - USEUCOM: U.S. European Command, Patch Barracks, Stuttgart, Germany.
 - USNORTHCOM: U.S. Northern Command, Peterson Air Force Base, CO.
 - USINDOPACOM: U.S. Indo-Pacific Command, Camp H.M. Smith, HI.
 - USSOUTHCOM: U.S. Southern Command, Miami, FL.



Map of Geographic COCOMs





TRANSCOM and SDDC

USTRANSCOM

- Responsible for military transportation missions
- Air (Air Force), Sea (Navy) and Land (Army) component commands handle transportation needs for respective areas
 - Air Mobility Command (AMC)
 - Provide rapid, global mobility and sustainment via airlift and aerial refueling for America's armed forces as well as humanitarian support
 - Military Sealift Command (MSC)
 - Operates approximately 110 non-combatant, civilian-crewed ships that replenish U.S. Navy ships, conduct specialized missions, strategically preposition combat cargo at sea around the world and move military cargo
 - Surface Deployment and Distribution Command (SDDC)



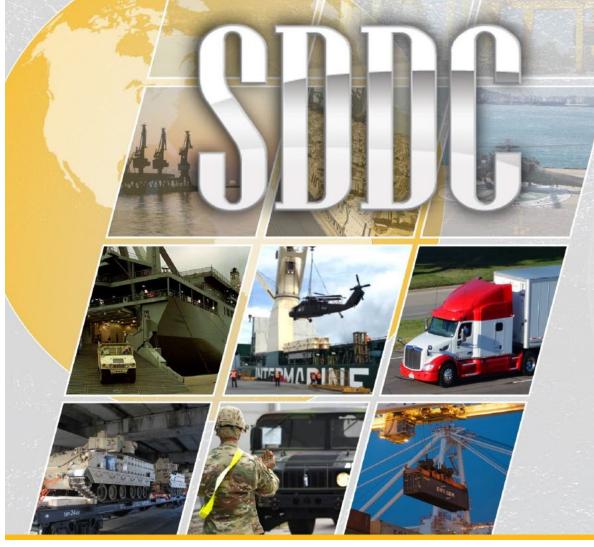








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SDDC ORGANIZATIONAL STRUCTURE







Army Service Component Command (ASCC) to United States Transportation Command (USTRANSCOM)









Major Subordinate Command (MSC) to Army Materiel Command (AMC)











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SDDC ORGANIZATIONAL STRUCTURE

Active Component



595th TRANSPORTATION BRIGADE (CENTCOM FOCUSED)



596th TRANSPORTATION BRIGADE (NORTHCOM/AMMO PORT FOCUSED)



597th TRANSPORTATION BRIGADE (NORTHCOM/SOUTHCOM FOCUSED)



598th TRANSPORTATION BRIGADE (EUCOM/AFRICOM FOCUSED)



599th TRANSPORTATION BRIGADE (INDOPACOM FOCUSED)



Reserve Component



DEPLOYMENT SUPPORT COMMAND (RESERVE COMPONENT)

1179th TRANSPORTATION BRIGADE

1189th TRANSPORTATION BRIGADE

1190th TRANSPORTATION BRIGADE

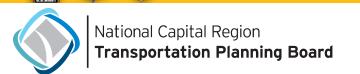
1394th TRANSPORTATION BRIGADE

757th EXPEDITIONARY RAIL COMMAND (ERC)

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(TEA)







SDDC MISSION, VISION & ENDSTATE









OUR MISSION:

Plan, coordinate, and synchronize global end to end deployment and distribution services to project and sustain our nation's Warfighters in support of national objectives.

OUR VISION:

A world-class team delivering innovative and responsive global deployment and distribution solutions now and into the future.

OUR ENDSTATE:

Agile distribution and deployment support provided on time...on target...every time!



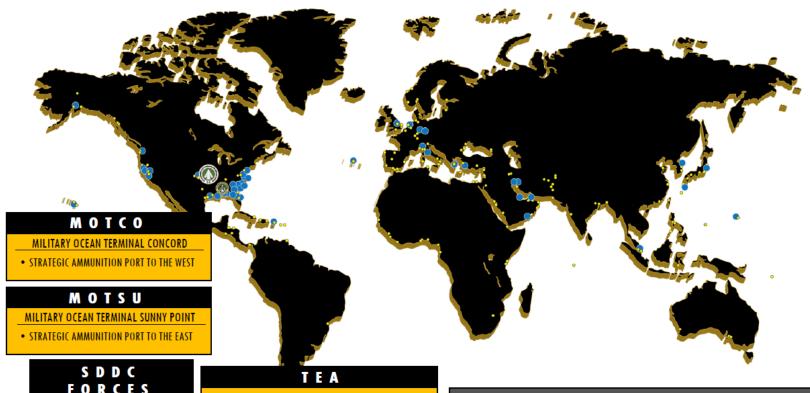






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FORCES

- 9 BRIGADES
- 24 BATTALIONS
- 18 ETOEs
- 10 ACDs
- 3 RPOEs
- 1 ERC

FRANSPORTATION ENGINEERING AGENCY — SCOTT AFB. I

- TRANSPORTATION ENGINEERING
- . DEPLOYABILITY ANALYSIS
- MODELING AND SIMULATION
- PROGRAMS FOR NATIONAL DEFENSE:
- HIGHWAYS, RAILROADS, PORTS



DSC

HEADQUARTERS





SDDC HEADQUARTERS (SCOTT AFB, IL) TEA (SCOTT AFB, IL)

595TH TRANS BDE (CAMP ARIFJAN, KUWAIT)

831ST TRANS BN (BAHRAIN) 840TH TRANS BN (ASH SHUAIBA, KUWAIT)

596TH TRANS BDE (SOUTH PORT, N.C.)

833RD TRANS BN (JB LEWIS-MCCHORD, WA) 834TH TRANS BN (CONCORD, CA)

597TH TRANS BDE (JB LANGLEY-EUSTIS, VA)

832ND TRANS BN (JB LANGLEY-EUSTIS, VA) 841ST TRANS BN (CHARLESTON, S.C.) 842ND TRANS BN (BEAUMONT, TX)

598TH TRANS BDE (SEMBACH, GERMANY)

838TH TRANS BN (KAISERSLAUTERN, GERMANY) 839TH TRANS BN (LIVORNO, ITALY)

599TH TRANS BDE (WHEELER AAF, HI)

835TH TRANS BN (OKINAWA, JAPAN) 836TH TRANS BN (YOKOHAMA, JAPAN) 837TH TRANS BN (BUSAN, ROK) SDDC NRU PACIFIC (NAVY RESERVE) (ALAMEDA, CA)

DEPLOYMENT SUPPORT COMMAND (DSC) (U.S. ARMY RESERVE) (BIRMINGHAM, AL)

1179th TRANS BDE (FORT HAMILTON, NY)

1173rd DDSB (BROCKTON, MA) 1174th DDSB (FLUSHING, NY) 1185th DDSB (LANCASTER, PA) 1398th DDSB (BALTIMORE, MD)

1189th TRANS BDE (CHARLESTON, SC)

1182nd DDSB (NORTH CHARLESTON, SC) 1186th DDSB (JACKSONVILLE, FL) 1188th DDSB (DECATUR, GA)

1 1 90th TRANS BDE (BATON ROUGE, LA)

1181st DDSB (MERIDIAN, MS) 1184th DDSB (MOBILE, AL)

1192nd DDSB (NEW ORLEANS, LA)

1394th TRANS BDE (CAMP PENDLETON, CA)

1395th DDSB (SEATTLE, WA) 1397th DDSB (VALLEJO, CA)

757th ERC (GRAFTON, IL)







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OUR STRENGTH: SDDC's PEOPLE

SDDC Authorizations

Civilians 1,460

> 500 Contractors

> 408 **Active Duty**

Local Nationals

2,599 TOTAL

DSC Authorizations

HQ DSC 105

244 4 Brigades (61 ea)

1 Expeditionary Rail Center 181

12 Battalions (DDSB) (94 ea) 1,128

738 18 ETOEs (41 ea)

200 10 ACDs (20 ea)

2 Chap Dets (2 ea)

2,600 TOTAL

CIVILIAN:

· Civilian Employees assigned to SDDC:

SDDC's

Total Force

~5,200

- Average age: 49
- · Average Years of Service: 16
- Retirement eligible within 2 years: 23%
- Civilians retired from the Military: 319

MILITARY:

- Average age of assigned active duty military personnel: 38 years old
- · Average years of service for active duty military personnel: 16 years
- · Total assigned active duty military personnel, command-wide: 408
- · Breakout of the 408 military personnel by service:
 - Army assigned active duty personnel: 388
 - Officers: 131
 - Enlisted: 257
 - · Navy assigned active duty personnel: 13
 - Officers: 13
 - Enlisted: 0
 - · Air Force assigned active duty personnel: 7
 - Officers: 7
 - Enlisted: 0







National Capital Region

SDDC's COMPREHENSIVE READINESS

SDDC's comprehensive readiness connects combat power and lethality to conveyances, links the global distribution network to the warfight, and provides a lens through which the command evaluates operational effectiveness.



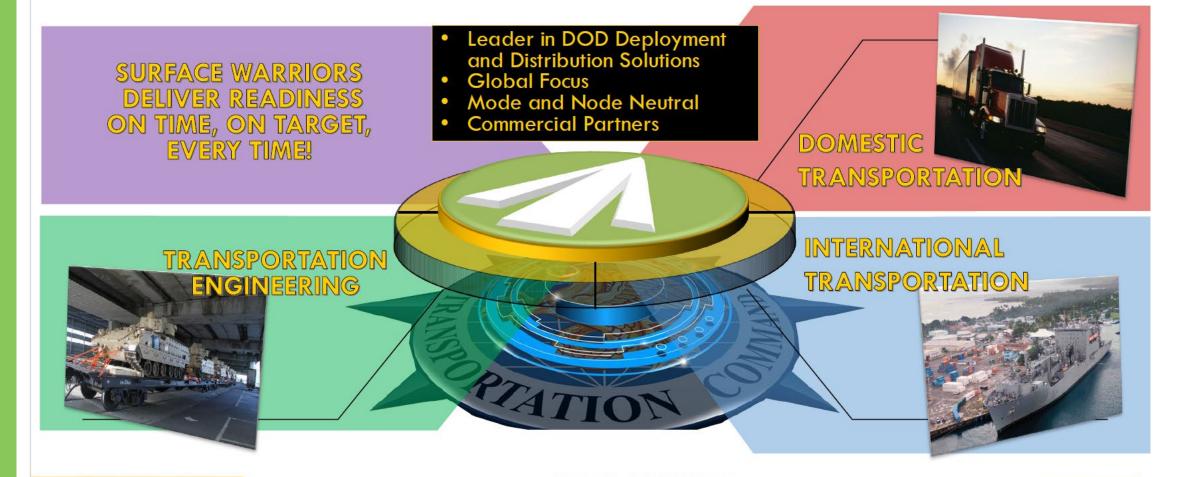


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SDDC's LINES OF OPERATION



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SDDC AMMUNITION PORTS



NMII

- Supports delivery of ammunition to PACOM AOR
- Represents 20% of total U.S. ammo outloading capacity

MOTSU

- Established in 1955
- Critical to delivery of ammunition to CENTCOM, EUCOM, AFRICOM and PACOM AORs.
- Represents 53% of total U.S. ammo outloading capacity



- Facilities refurbishment
- OMA funding



- Established in 1942
- Critical to delivery of ammunition to PACOM AOR
- Represents 27% of total U.S. ammo outloading capacity



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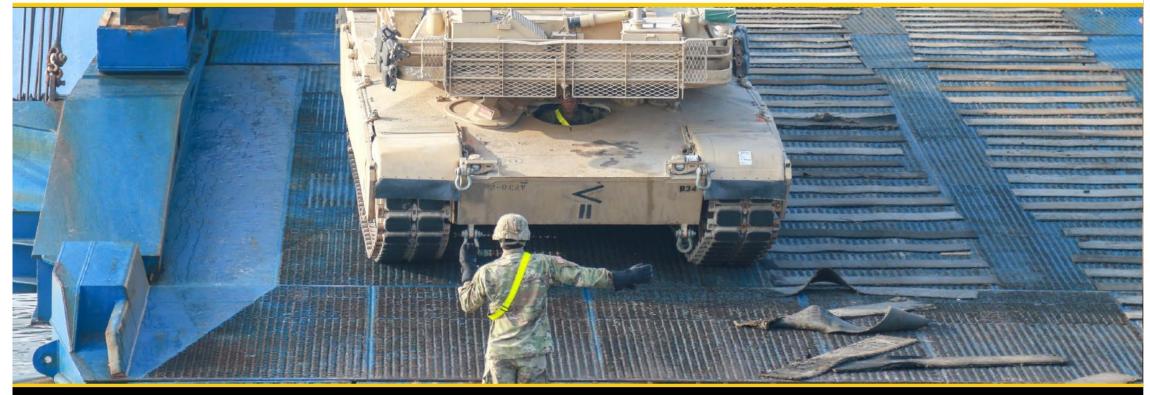
Military Ocean Terminal Concord



(MOTSU), N.C.



OUR COMMITMENT



The Warfighter knows that SDDC will ensure the <u>right equipment</u> is delivered <u>on time</u>, <u>on target</u>, <u>every time</u>, to ensure mission success.



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Takeaways

- Know about STRAHNET
 - Include consideration in federally required planning documents for projects on the Interstate or other STRAHNET roads
 - Map programmed projects to STRAHNET
- Outreach to DOD partners to see if any inputs or needs
 - Be aware of military transportation requirements



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