

U.S. European Command

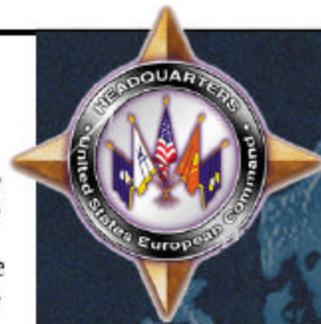
The United States European Command (USEUCOM), headquartered near Stuttgart, Germany, directs U.S. military forces assigned throughout 91 countries of Europe, and parts of the Middle East and Africa. The command's area of responsibility (AOR) covers more than 13 million square miles—from the North Cape of Norway, through the Baltic and Mediterranean Seas, including most of Europe, the Middle East, to the Cape of Good Hope in South Africa.

USEUCOM's Commander in Chief (CINC) commands five U.S. military components: U.S. Army Europe (USAREUR), U.S. Navy Europe (USNAVEUR), Marines Forces Europe (USMARFOREUR), U.S. Air Forces in Europe (USAFE), and the Special Operations Command Europe (SOCEUR). The CINC also serves as Supreme Allied Commander, Europe (SACEUR), the top military commander in Europe in the North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO). SACEUR is headquartered in Mons, Belgium.

EUCOM Mission

The primary missions of USEUCOM are essentially the same as they had been on Aug 1, 1949: to support the Supreme Allied Commander, Europe and execute U.S. policies within the prescribed Area of Responsibility.

Because of world events, USEUCOM is additionally called to work in concert with allied and coalition partners. USEUCOM continues to enhance transatlantic security through support to NATO, but also promotes regional stability and advances U.S. interests in Europe, Africa, and the Middle East. These additional responsibilities are largely implemented through various theater cooperation initiatives, Partnership for Peace programs, military-to-military contact programs, and peacekeeping and peace enforcing operations.



EUCOM FAST FACTS

Area of Responsibility
91 Countries
13 million square miles

Numbers of Personnel Assigned
EUCOM Total: 119,800

Headquarters EUCOM: 1,900
USAFE: 31,400
USAREUR: 69,400
USNAVEUR: 12,300
MARFOREUR: 3,300
SOCEUR: 1,500

EUCOM Organizational Chart



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EUCOM Components

U.S. Army Europe

Heidelberg, Germany
USAREUR maintains a forward-deployed combat force, prepared to conduct and support the full spectrum of joint and multinational operations; conducts engagement activities, protects U.S. forces & resources, and conducts sustaining base operations.

U.S. Navy Europe

London, England
U.S. Naval Forces, Europe prepares for an uncertain future by operating, training, maintaining and sustaining combat-ready Naval forces. Responds early to the full spectrum of crises, and transitions instantaneously from peace to war.

U.S. Marines Forces Europe

Stuttgart, Germany
Marine forces can rapidly deploy expeditionary forces within littoral regions of the theater, which can conduct a wide range of operations from land to sea to both deter and respond to crises.

U.S. Air Forces Europe

Ramstein Air Base, Germany
USAFE is able to rapidly deploy and deliver decisive air power for the U.S. and its allies. USAFE's expeditionary air forces comprise a deployable mix of people and resources that simultaneously operate in multiple locations.

Special Operations Command Europe

Stuttgart, Germany
SOCEUR conducts a full range of military options, including combat, non-combatant evacuation, humanitarian assistance, and joint/combined military operations.