



# Fact Sheet: U.S. Army Europe and Africa Support to Atlantic Resolve

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The deployment of ready, combat-credible U.S. forces to Europe in support of Atlantic Resolve is evidence of the strong and unremitting U.S. commitment to NATO and Europe. Through bilateral, joint and multinational training, Atlantic Resolve builds readiness, increases interoperability and enhances the bond between ally and partner militaries.

## **About Atlantic Resolve:**

- Since April 2014, U.S. Army Europe and Africa has led the Department of Defense's Atlantic Resolve land efforts by rotating units based in the U.S. to Europe.
- There are approximately 7,000 regionally allocated Soldiers participating Atlantic Resolve rotations at any given time.
- There are four types of U.S. Army Atlantic Resolve rotations – Division Headquarters (Forward), Aviation, Armored and Sustainment Task Force.
- Rotational units conduct bilateral, joint and multinational training events across more than a dozen countries, including: Belgium, Bulgaria, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, France, Georgia, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Romania, Slovakia and the United Kingdom.
- Atlantic Resolve is funded by the European Deterrence Initiative, which enables the U.S. to enhance deterrence, increase readiness and support NATO. Several other rotations are also funded with EDI, to include air defense, logistics and sustainment units.

## **Division Headquarters (Forward):**

- Since February 2015, a regionally allocated division headquarters has been deployed to Europe as the tactical headquarters responsible for the mission command of rotational units deployed in support of Atlantic Resolve.
- The Division Headquarters (Forward) is located in Poznan, Poland, and is currently filled by 1<sup>st</sup> Infantry Division from Fort Riley, Kansas.
- 1ID arrived in July 2021, and is the fourth rotation of a division forward headquarters.

## **Aviation Rotation:**

- As of November 2021, the 1st Air Cavalry Brigade, 1st Cavalry Division, based out of Fort Hood, Texas, is the eighth rotation of an aviation brigade in support of Atlantic Resolve.
- 1ACB, 1CD has approximately:
  - 2,000 personnel
  - 10 CH-47 Chinooks
  - 25 AH-64 Apaches
  - 35 UH-60
  - 15 HH-60 Black Hawks

**Armored Rotation:**

- As of July 2021, 1<sup>st</sup> Armored Brigade Combat Team, 1<sup>st</sup> Infantry Division, based out of Fort Riley, Kansas, is the eighth rotation of an armored brigade combat team in support of Atlantic Resolve.
- 1ABCT, 1ID has approximately:
  - 3,800 Soldiers
  - 15 Paladins
  - 80 Abrams tanks
  - 130 Bradley Infantry Fighting Vehicles
  - 500 Tracked Vehicles
  - 1500 Wheeled Vehicles and other equipment

**Logistics Rotation:**

- Various logistical units have supported Atlantic Resolve since March 2017 and are collectively known as the Sustainment Task Force.
- Unlike the other Atlantic Resolve rotations, the various units of the task force rotate in and out of theater individually.
- The task force is a combination of 11 active duty, U.S. Army Reserve and National Guard units.
- The task force is comprised of nearly 1,000 personnel and 200 pieces of equipment.
- Various types of units make up the task force - to include ammunition, fuel, movement control, transportation, maintenance, ordnance, supply, and postal services.
- The task force is overseen by 21st Theater Sustainment Command's 16th Sustainment Brigade.

Due to COVID-19, the rotation and distribution of Atlantic Resolve forces has been modified. Units coming into the European theater require mitigation plans to include quarantine and testing before moving across the continent.

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