Glossary

ACofS Assistant Chief of Staff

active duty for training *See* JCS Publication 1-02.

AD airdrop

ADE airdrop equipment

AERS airdrop equipment repair and supply

AES airdrop equipment support

airdrop delivery of personnel or cargo from aircraft in flight.

Airdrops are categorized in height bands as follows:

- Ultra low level—Ground level to 50 feet above ground level.
- Low level—51 feet above ground level to 500 feet above ground level.
- Medium level—501 feet above ground level to 2,500 feet above ground level.
- High level—2,501 feet above ground level to 12,000 feet above ground level.
- Ultra high level—Above 12,000 feet above ground level.

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airdrop container a sling, bag, or roll designed for airdrop of supplies and equipment.

airdrop equipment special items of equipment used in airdrop of personnel, supplies, and equipment.

AirLand Battle the US Army's basic fighting doctrine. It reflects the structure of modern warfare, the dynamics of combat power, and the application of the classical principles of war to contemporary battlefield requirements. It is called AirLand Battle in recognition of the inherently three-dimensional nature of modern warfare.

airlift control center *See* JCS Publication 1-02.

ALCC airlift control center

ALOC air lines of communication

annual training *See* JCS Publication 1-02.

AR Army regulation

ASG area support group

attn attention

authorized stockage list a list of all items authorized to be stocked at a specific echelon of supply. The following are various types of authorized stockage lists: Prescribed load list, direct support unit stockage list, installation stockage list, maintenance shop stock, field Army depot stockage lists, theater authorized stockage list, national inventory control point demand stockage list, and list of items for operational projects.

BG brigadier general

BSA brigade support area

C&C collection and classification

CCT combat control team

CMCC corps movement control center

CMMC corps materiel management center

co company

combat control team *See* JCS Publication 1-02.

combat service support *See* JCS Publication 1-02.

combat zone *See* JCS Publication 1-02.

combined doctrine *See* JCS Publication 1-02.

communications zone *See* JCS Publication 1-02.

COMMZ communications zone

COMPO force composition

container delivery system a system for delivering supplies and equipment rigged in a fabric container for airdrop. Containers are rigged on a skid which allows them to gravity roll out of the rear of the aircraft when the release gate is cut and the aircraft is placed in a nose-up attitude. This will be the primary means of resupplying forces by airdrop.

CONUS continental United States

COSCOM corps support command

CP command post

CSG corps support group

CSS combat service support

DA Department of the Army

DC District of Columbia

DD Department of Defense

DISCOM division support command

DLA Defense Logistics Agency

DMMC division materiel management center

doctrine *See* JCS Publication 1-02.

DRMO Defense Reutilization and Marketing Office

drop zone *See* JCS Publication 1-02.

drop zone support team a team organized with a minimum of two personnel (Army or Marine Corps) trained and equipped to support unit airdrops of personnel, equipment, and container delivery systems when an Air Force combat control team is not available.

DSA division support area

DTO division transportation officer

DZST drop zone support team

field services those service functions of logistics performed by and for the Army in the field. They include airdrop, graves registration, clothing exchange and bath, laundry and reimpregnation, bread baking, light textile and clothing renovation, and salvage.

FLOT forward line of own troops

FM field manual

forward line of own troops (FLOT) *See* JCS Publication 1-02.

FSB forward support battalion

fwd forward

G3 Assistant Chief of Staff, G3 (Operations and Plans)

G4 Assistant Chief of Staff, G4 (Logistics)

high-velocity drop *See* JCS Publication 1-02.

hvy heavy

HQ headquarters

ID(L) Infantry Division, Light

immediate airdrop requests requests that result from unanticipated, urgent, or priority requirements. Most immediate airdrop requests can be further classified as emergency in nature if critical to the accomplishment of the tactical mission or the survival of a unit.

JCS Joint Chiefs of Staff

JFC joint force commander

JFCA joint force commander's agent

joint doctrine *See* JCS Publication 1-02.

joint force *See* JCS Publication 1-02.

joint transportation board The JTB is established by the unified, joint, or combined commander when the transportation capability of two or more services or allied nations is required to accomplish the forces' mission. The JTB recommends allocation of all transportation resources available to the theater according to priorities established by the commander.

JTB joint transportation board

LAPE low-altitude parachute extraction

LAPE zone or extraction zone a specified ground area upon which equipment or supplies are delivered by means of a jointly approved extraction technique from an aircraft in flight in close proximity to the ground.

LAPES low-altitude parachute-extraction system

K-loader a mobile, rollerized, flatbed cargo handler for loading 25K and 40K loads into aircraft.

LOC lines of communication (logistic routes)

low-velocity drop *See* JCS Publication 1-02.

lt light

materiel management center a functional center that performs integrated supply and maintenance management for all classes of supply (except Class VIII, COMSEC, and classified maps).

MCC movement control center

MCO movement control officer

MG major general

MMC Materiel Management Center

MOPP mission-oriented protection posture

movement control center a functional center that provides centralized movement management and highway regulation in support of both logistical and tactical transportation requirements.

MP military police

MRO materiel release order

MSB main support battalion

multiservice doctrine *See* JCS Publication 1-02.

NATO North Atlantic Treaty Organization

NBC nuclear, biological, chemical

no number

OPCON operational control

operational stocks *See* JCS Publication 1-02.

PDO property disposal office

POL petroleum, oils, and lubricants

POM program objective memorandum

preplanned airdrop request airdrop requests generated to meet requirements which can be forecast or where requirements can be anticipated in advance.

RAOC rear area operations center

rqmts requirements

S3 Operations and Training Officer (US Army)

S4 Supply Officer (US Army)

salv salvage

SF Special Forces

S&S supply and service

SFG special forces group

SOF special operations forces

spt support

standardization agreement *See* JCS Publication 1-02.

strategic airlift the continuous or sustained movement of units, personnel, and materiel in support of all DOD agencies between area commands, between the continental United States and overseas areas, or within an area of command when directed. Strategic airlift resources possess a capability to airland or airdrop troops, supplies, and equipment for augmentation of tactical forces when required.

sup supply

svc service

TAA total Army analysis

TAACOM Theater Army Area Command

tactical airlift that airlift which provides preplanned or immediate air movement and delivery of combat troops and supplies directly into objective areas through airlanding, extraction, airdrop, or other delivery techniques and the air logistic support of all theater forces, including those engaged in combat operations, to meet specific theater objectives and requirements.

TAMCA theater army materiel control agent

TAMMC Theater Army Materiel Management Center

TDA tables of distribution and allowances

Theater Army Area Command a major subordinate command of the theater army. It provides direct CSS, less movement control and line-haul transportation, to units located in or passing through its assigned area. It supports the corps with specified logistics support and the overall theater supply system with maintenance in support of the supply system. It is responsible for rear operations within its assigned area.

Theater Army Movement Control Agency US theater army organization responsible for coordinating and administering transportation policy. The functional element under the theater army movement control agency for movement control is the theater army movement control center.

throughput distribution term used to describe shipments that bypass intermediate activities in the supply system, thereby avoiding multiple handling.

TO technical order

TOC tactical operations center

TOE table(s) of organization and equipment

total Army analysis a process that translates gross allocation of force structure into detailed elements of force content. It identifies the numbers and types of units to be fielded over the POM years.

TRADOC United States Army Training and Doctrine Command

trans transportation

trk truck

US United States

war reserves *See* JCS Publication 1-02.