

Afghan National Security Forces Order of Battle

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Afghan National Police (ANP)

- End-strength goal is 96,800. 96,380 (Dec09)
- 6 ANP regions which correspond to ANA regional commands

The major components of the ANP are as follows.

Ministry of Interior Headquarters

- 4273 (Jun09) End-strength goal is 5059 by Mar10.
- The chain of command is: 1) Minister of Interior; 2) Deputy Minister for Security Affairs; 3) Regional Commanders; 4) Provincial Chiefs of Police; and 5) District Chiefs of Police.

Afghan National Police Academy

Afghan Border Police College

Afghan Uniformed Police (AUP)

- 62,900(Dec09) End-strength goal is 62,184 by Aug10.
- AUP is responsible for day-to-to-day activities at the provincial and district levels. AUP responsibilities include maintaining public order and security, preventing and discovering crime, arresting suspects, protecting public and private property, and regulating road traffic.
- AUP is organized into six regions, 34 provinces, 365 rural district and 46 urban precincts. 50 to 200 officers per district
 - Regional Command Kabul = 30 districts, 2500 police
 - Regional Command Center
 - Regional Command East = 43 districts. 9000 police
 - Regional Command South = 12000 police (Helmond = 3000)
 - Regional Command West
 - Regional Command North
- **Focused District Training Program (collective training program).** Started January 2008. Critical districts are identified, then all the AUPs are removed and sent for eight weeks of collective training (not individual training) before returning to their districts. While they are gone, they are replaced by ANCOPs. Judges and prosecutors within the FDD districts receive targeted training. Eight districts per cycle are being trained with 6 cycles per year Plan all 365 districts in Afghanistan will be completed by the end of 2012. The first round of training for the eight worst districts started in January 2008. 65 most critical districts completed the training program by the June2009. These districts are concentrated in the south and east, near the Ring Road.. A partial list of FDD districts include:
 - Cycle 1
 - Tag Ab, Kapisa
 - Zurmat, Paktya
 - Qalat, Zabol
 - Shah Joy, Zabol
 - Bala-Buluk, Farah
 - Cycle 2
 - Zadran, Paktya
 - Panjwayi, Kandahar
 - Zhari, Kandahar
 - Cycle 3
 - Sar Hawza, Paktika
 - Mata Khan, Paktika

- Kandahar, Kandahar
- Lashkar Gah, Helmond
- Nahri Sarraj, Helmond
- Gulistan, Farah

March 2009

- Nad e' Ali, Helmond
- Gereshk, Helmond
- Lashkar Gah, Helmand

April 2009

- Sangin, Helmond 50
- Garmsir, Helmond 100

June 2009

- Lashkar Gah, Helmand 147

Other

- Chahar Darreh

- **Capital Jumpstart:** Similar to Focused District Training Program but specifically for Kabul AUP
- **CM levels (365 districts total) (Dec09)**
 - CM-1 Police are capable of basic law and order operations and leadership tasks appropriate to local circumstances without external assistance: 13 districts
 - CM-2 Capable of basic law and order operations and leadership tasks appropriate to local circumstances with routine advisor assistance: 31 districts
 - CM-3 Capable of basic law and order operations and leadership tasks appropriate to local circumstances with International Community assistance: 45 districts

Afghan Border Police (ABP) - established 2007

- 12,792 (Dec09) End-strength goal is 17,621 by TBD.
- The function of the ABP is to secure Afghanistan's borders (to 50km inland) and airports. It is responsible for providing border security, surveillance, and control, including the prevention of smuggling, drug trafficking, and cross-border movement of insurgents.
- They are organized five border zones (correspond with the five ANA regional commands) and 122 border companies(goal:150/company). The ABP are responsible for maintaining 13 border checkpoints and conducting border patrols. 165 border outposts to be built (18 so far).

ABP Zone 1 (Center)

ABP Zone 2 (East) = 4200 police, 52 companies

ABP Zone 3 (South) = 3500 police, 36 companies, 800 trained(12/10/09)

ABP Zone 4 (West) 15 companies

ABP Zone 5 (North) 19 companies

- **Focused Border Development Program. (collective training program).** Similar to Focused District Training Program. Started winter 2008-9. Fielding 52 ABP companies(4200) in Zone 2 (East) regions by late summer 2009. Expanded to 6 companies in Zone 3 (South) and 8 companies in Zone 5 (North)

Afghan National Civil Order Police (ANCOP)

- 16 battalions, 3431(Dec09)
- End-strength goal is 5365 in 20 national battalion(200 to 300 each) by Oct, 2010.
- Oct 2013 goal adds 34 provincial battalions and 6 regional battalions
- The ANCOP is a new police force that was conceived in mid-2006 after AUP's ineffective response to the May 2006 riots in Kabul. The ANCOP mission is to maintain civil order in Afghanistan's seven largest cities, to provide a robust and mobile police presence in remote, high-threat areas, and to serve as a rapid-reaction force to support other police in an emergency. They will have strong leadership, better training (16 weeks training by German trainers in Mazar-e-

Sharif) and better equipment than the AUP and ANAP. The expectation is that the force will be able to respond effectively to urban unrest and rioting.

- ANCOP is fielded as two separate and distinct units: Rural and urban.
 - Rural units patrol the countryside
 - Urban units for the city environment and are similar to SWAT units.
- Oct 2010 force goal is 4 brigades, 8 urban battalions, 12 rural battalions.
 - ? Urban Brigade, Kabul
 - 8 battalions
 - ? Rural Brigade, Kandahar, Kandahar province
 - 4 battalions?
 - 3rd Rural Brigade, Adraskan, Herat province, Brigadier General Aftakhri
 - 4 battalions?
 - ? Rural Brigade, Zurmat, Paktia province
 - 4 battalions?
- ANCOP will temporarily replace ANP while ANP are taken offline for training. See Focused District Training Program in AUP section.
- ANCOP training center in Adreskan, Herat province. Capacity 800 per 16 week training cycle.
- 1x battalion in Kabul, 1x battalion in Kunduz, 1x battalion in Farah. 1x battalion in Paktya.

Criminal Investigation Division

- 4,013 (Jun09) End-strength goal is 5,103 by Mar11.
- Lead investigative agency for investigations of national interest, those with international links, and those concerned with organized and white-collar crime

Counter Narcotics Police of Afghanistan (CNPA)

- 2695 (Dec09) End-strength goal is 2519 by Dec11.
- The function of the CNPA is counternarcotics investigation and enforcement. Unlike all other police forces, which report to the Ministry of Interior's Deputy Minister of Security, the CNPA reports to the Deputy Minister of Counter-Narcotics. Units within the CNPA include the following:
 - National Interdiction Unit (NIU): conducts interdiction raids across Afghanistan;
 - Central Eradication Planning Cell: intelligence and targeting information for opium eradication;
 - Afghanistan Eradication Force: conducts ground-based eradication of opium poppy crops.
- Separate from the CNPA is the Afghanistan Special Narcotics Force, an elite paramilitary force that reports directory to the President and Minister of Interior and carries out interdiction missions against high-value targets in remote areas.

Customs Police

- End-strength goal is 600 by Dec08. As of Jun09: 603
- Lead police and law enforcement efforts to defeat terrorism and insurgency

Afghan Public Protection Police (AP3) Program

- End-strength goal is ~8000
- Program to field tribal militias. It is a small pilot program. 40 "critical" districts, centered on the Ring Road have been selected to participate in the program. ~200 tribesman per district will be recruited (~ 8000 total). They will be provided with a short training class (3 weeks) and will be issued light weapons, vehicles and communication equipment.
- Wardak province pilot program (May2009). First 5 districts, 1200 members
 - Jalreyz district: 243 begin ops 3/26/09
 - Maydan Shahr district: 80 members begin ops 5/21/09
 - Nerkh: Shaping operations
 - Chak-e Vardak: forming plans

- Sayed Abad: Not started

Fire/Medical/Training

- End-strength goal is 3149 by TBD. As of Jun09: 2388

Training

- **Individual Training.** Initial Entry Training (IET) is the individual training objective for all ANP officers. 8 weeks . Patrolmen (*satunkai*) complete training courses at either :
 - Central Training Centre at Kabul
 - Regional Training Centres at Bamiyan/Kabul(500 capacity), Gardez, Herat(Shouz), Jalalabad, Kandahar, Kunduz, Mazar-i-Sharif. ~200 capacity each.
 - 15 mini training centers throughout Afghanistan.
- **Officer / Non commissioned officer training.** A commissioned ANP officer (*saran*) requires a 12th-grade education and three years of training at the Kabul National Police Academy (KPA). A non-commissioned officer or sergeant (*satanman*) is required to complete 9th grade and a nine-month course at KPA.
- **Carabinieri training** started. First instructors arrived Oct 2008.

Equipment

- Light weapons: AK47, 9mm pistols, light machine guns
- Light vehicles: Ford F350 pickup trucks
- Medium vehicles: International Harvester trucks
- ANCOP to receive heavy machine guns and up-armored HUMVEEs
- ABP to receive heavy machine guns and up-armored HUMVEEs(First HUMVEEs received Jun09 for Jalalabad, Nuristan and Kunar provinces)