

## DLA at a Glance

The Defense Logistics Agency supplies the nation's military services and several civilian agencies with the critical resources they need to accomplish their worldwide missions. DLA provides wide-ranging logistical support for peacetime and wartime operations, as well as emergency preparedness and humanitarian missions.

Since its creation in 1961, DLA has grown to become a global logistics combat support operation. From its headquarters just outside Washington, D.C., DLA oversees a work force of more than 23,000 civilian and military employees who work in 48 states and 28 foreign countries.

It supplies almost every consumable item America's military services need to operate, from MREs to jet fuel. If America's military forces eat it, wear it, maintain equipment with it, or burn it as fuel, DLA probably provided it. DLA also helps dispose of materiel and equipment that is excess or unusable.

DLA has supported every major war and contingency operation of the past four decades, from the Vietnam War to operations in Bosnia and Kosovo, Afghanistan, Iraq and other contingency operations throughout the world.

In Fiscal Year 2008, DLA provided more than \$42 billion in goods and services to all military services worldwide, including significant support to both Operation Enduring Freedom and Operation Iraqi Freedom. That support included food, clothing, medical supplies, weapon systems repair parts and goods and services for humanitarian relief efforts.

DLA continues to refine its ability to respond quickly and effectively to the needs of its military customers. DLA's Support Teams are consistently among the first to respond to the needs of forces deployed around the world.

In addition, DLA has streamlined its supply depot and distribution system to reduce costs and improve delivery times to its customers in the field.

DLA stands at the forefront of the revolution in electronic commerce and information technology, making millions of critical supply items available to forces worldwide at the click of a computer mouse.



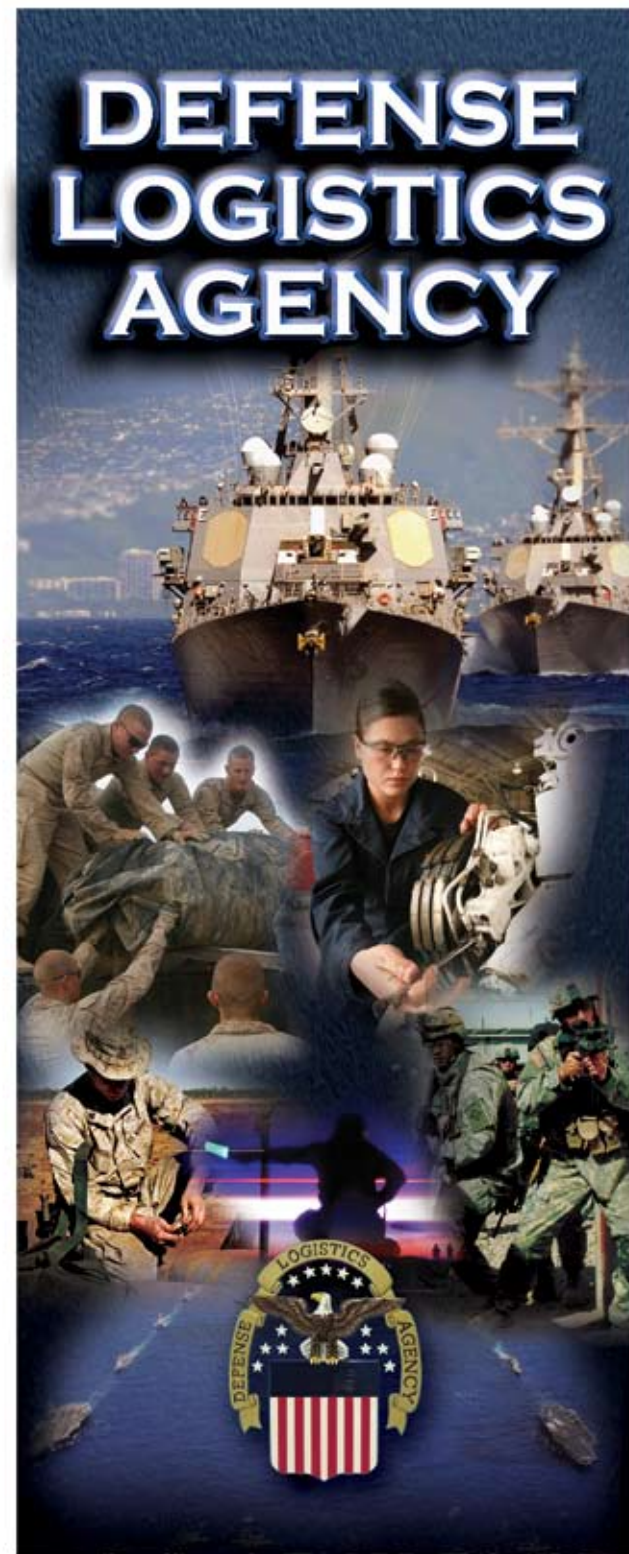
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## DLA Primary Level Field Activities

A network of lead centers purchase and manage a variety of supplies and services to include fuel, food, clothing, construction supplies, electronics, medical supplies, distribution and disposal reutilization services.

### Products

- Defense Energy Support Center, Fort Belvoir, Va. DESC provides the Department of Defense and other government agencies with comprehensive energy solutions in the most effective and economical manner possible.
- Defense Supply Center, Columbus, Ohio. DSCC manages more than 2 million different items providing the majority of repair parts for maritime and land weapon systems in support of Army, Navy and Marine forces worldwide.
- Defense Supply Center, Richmond, Va. DSCR is Defense Logistics Agency's aviation demand and supply chain manager. It supplies more than 1.3 million repair parts and supports 1,300 major weapon systems.
- Defense Supply Center, Philadelphia, Pa. DSCP is the troop support center of the Defense Logistics Agency. It provides food, clothing, medical, and general and industrial supplies.

### Services

- Defense Distribution Center — New Cumberland, Pa. DDC is DLA's lead center for distribution. DDC operates a global network of 25 distribution centers and nine map support offices.
- Defense Reutilization and Marketing Service, Battle Creek, Mich. DRMS handles property disposal of items from vehicles and office equipment to scrapping of Naval ships and disposing of hazardous materials.

## Defense Business Services

Three Defense Business Services are operated by DLA J-6 (Information Operations) and are global enterprise logistics support providers that deliver world-class access, interoperability, and transformation of supply chain data into actionable information. Whether it is integrated quality logistics data or enterprise document services, these service centers each provide unique services that optimize the effectiveness and efficiency of the DoD supply chain, providing end-to-end data management and IT solutions.

- Document Automation & Production Service — Mechanicsburg, Pa. — Provides printing services, office document equipment, digital conversion and on-line electronics document management from 185 locations worldwide.
- Defense Logistics Information Service — Battle Creek, Mich. — Manages a wide range of logistics information and item identification systems, which is the Federal item catalog.
- Defense Automatic Addressing System Center — Wright-Patterson Air Force Base, Ohio — Receives, edits, validates and routes logistics transactions.

## Defense National Stockpile Center

Defense National Stockpile Center — Fort Belvoir, Va. — Operates the National Defense Stockpile (NDS) which stockpiles strategic raw materials so the United States will not be dependent on foreign sources in the event of war. The NDS is currently being transformed into a Strategic Materials Security Program to enable the Nation to more quickly adapt to current world market conditions and ensure the future availability of materials required for defense and national security needs.

## DLA Theater Support

DLA maintains Regional Commands in Central Asia, Europe and the Pacific to provide customer assistance, liaison services, war planning interfaces and logistics support to the Combatant Commanders and their service component commands.

- DLA Central — MacDill AFB, Fla. — Provides embedded support to coalition forces operating within the U.S. Central Command area of responsibility through forward deployed support teams in Afghanistan, Iraq and Kuwait.
- DLA Europe — Kaiserslautern, Germany — The focal point for warfighter logistical issues to and from all DLA activities in Europe and the continental United States. Additionally, supports operations of U.S. Africa Command.
- DLA Pacific — Camp Smith, Hawaii; Taegu, Korea — Provides customer liaison services and logistics support to the forces within the PACOM area.

