

SOCCENT (FORWARD)- PAKISTAN



**Operations Brief
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Mission

SOC(FWD)-PAK commands and controls all SOCCENT forces in Pakistan and synchronizes the US security development efforts with the PAK MIL and Civil Armed Forces in order to meet USCENTCOM operational and strategic objectives.



Current Disposition of Forces

Peshawar (11)

- SOCCE (5)
- CMSE (2)
- MIST (2)
- ODB 3120 (2)

Warsak

- ODB 3120 (4)

Tarbela (5)

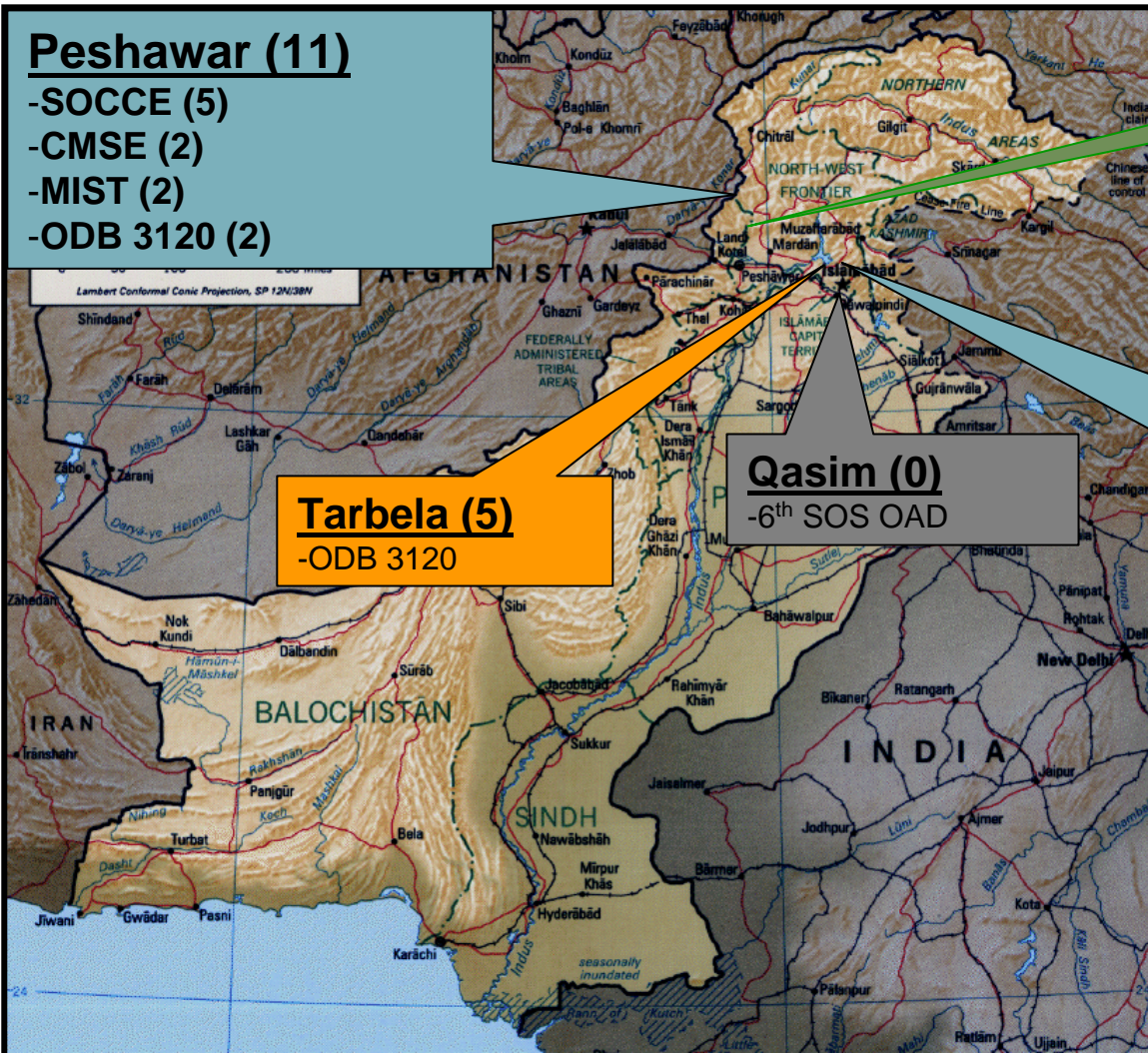
- ODB 3120

Qasim (0)

- 6th SOS OAD

Islamabad (39)

- SOC-FWD (PAK) (23)
- MIST (5)
- CA Planner (1)
- ODB 3120 (10)



TOTAL: 59



Security Development Plan



- **USCENTCOM tasked SOCCENT as the lead command for execution of the SDP**
- **SDP is the security aspect of the larger, overarching FATA Development Strategy**
 - Supports US/UK Embassy socio-economic development, governance and institutional capacity building programs which are aligned with GoP strategies
 - Provides a flexible framework to allocate funding towards designated security assistance programs
 - Compatible with the Afghan National Development Strategy and ISAF efforts
- **Enhance Frontier Corps capabilities to provide local security for tribal leadership**
 - Enable the distribution of economic aid and development
 - Indigenous populations are the main effort



FC Master Training (Abbottabad)

- **PAKMIL School of Physical Fitness served as interim training site**
- **Ten Week program to create training cadre for future courses**
- **Personnel will transition to Warsak during Feb 09**





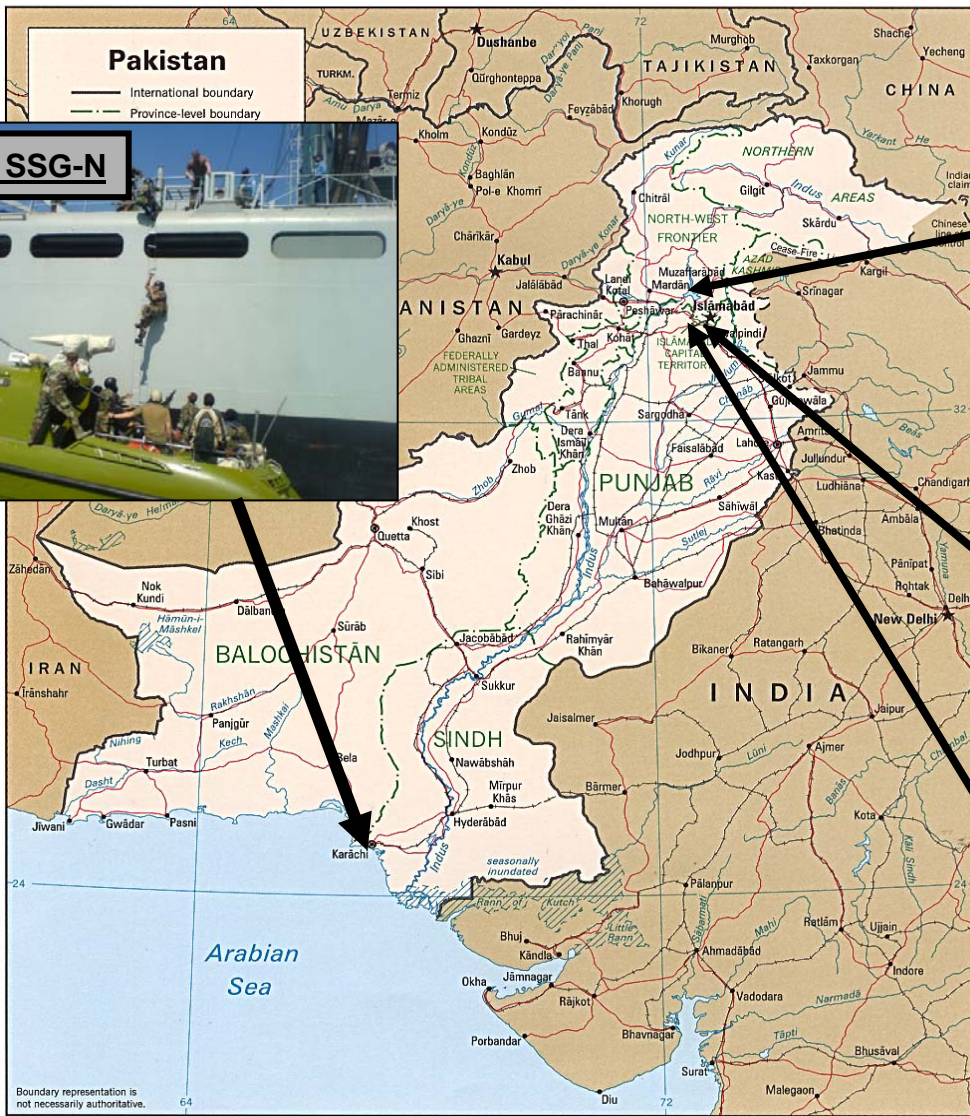
Frontier Corps Training Center(FCTC)

- FCTC located at Swat Scout Training Area in Warsak, 30KM N. of Peshawar, on FATA border
- FCTC will have four courses:
 - Wing Development Course (WDC) to train and equip newly raised cohort Wings (600 students per course, 10 weeks duration)
 - Leader Development Course (LDC) to train junior leaders in COIN doctrine; troop leading
 - Intelligence Development Course (IDC) to improve FC intel processes; 5 week duration
 - Sniper Course; 6 Week sniper skills course





SOCCENT Partnership With PAKSOF





Special Service Group

- Six training events executed in FY08; units trained include the 3rd, 4th, 5th and 7th CDO
- Equipment issued as part of training (Glock pistols, radios, body armor, etc)
- Future expansion may include training the Karrar Company





21st Quick Reaction Squadron

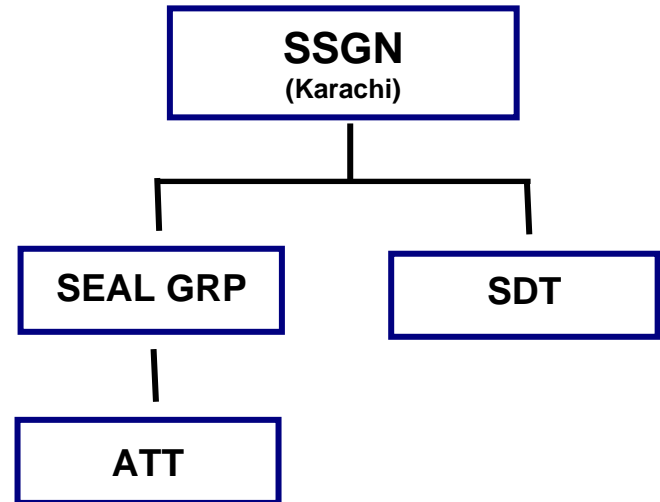
- **Continual trainer presence since Apr 07**
- **All 15 MI-17s have been upgraded for NVG operations**
- **Currently executing plan (\$32M) to overhaul nine a/c in FY09**





Special Service Group-Navy (SSG-N)

- Naval Special Warfare Unit – Three is the primary training partner
- Mission sets include littoral direct action and special reconnaissance
- Anti-Terrorist Team responsible for maritime CT missions; total strength of approx 120
- SEAL Delivery Team: responsible for VBSS, maritime patrol, intercept and SEAL delivery





Questions?