



COMMANDEMENT DU SOUTIEN OPÉRATIONNEL DU CANADA
CANADIAN OPERATIONAL SUPPORT COMMAND

Transformation The New Support Concept

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Chief Operational Support Transformation

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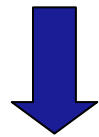
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- Changing World Environment
- New Command Architect
- CANOSCOM Mission and Roles
- Failed and Failing States
- Questions

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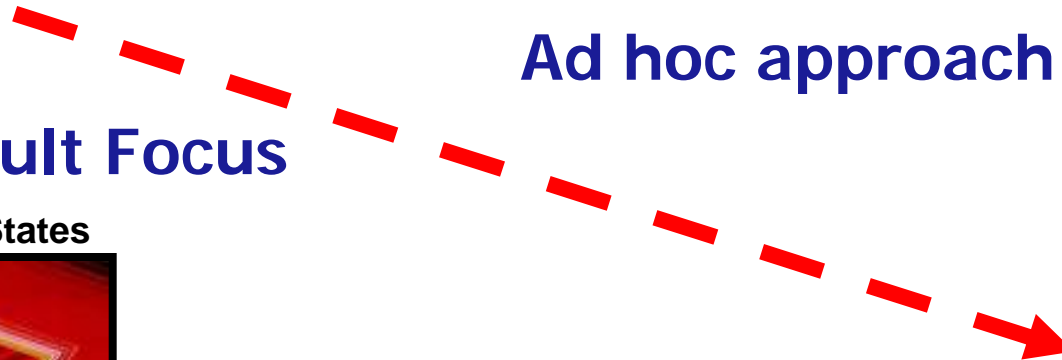
Hostile Nation States



The Bear

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Ad hoc approach



Non-State Actors



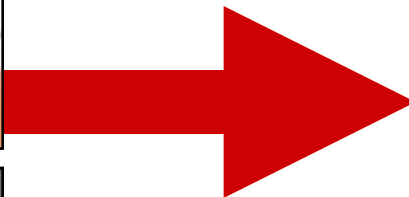
The Snakes

← **Conventional**

Asymmetric →



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Architecture for CANOSCOM Support to CF Op Comds

Strategic

Support Policy

National Strategic Support

Operational

CANOSCOM

National Operational Level Support

Operational
Support

TF Support Component

Tactical

Component
Support

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CANSOFCOM

In Theatre
•Dom/Cont'l
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CANOSCOM Mission and Roles

🌐 **Mission:** Provide effective and efficient operational support to CF Operations, be they domestic, continental or expeditionary.

🌐 **Primary Roles:**

- Coordinate the generation of task-tailored operational support organizations for employment in theatre activation and opening, operational sustainment and mission closeout.
- Support the operational commanders in planning and preparing for operations, including the execution of operational support at the national level.
- Reach-back and coordinate the provision of national and strategic support.

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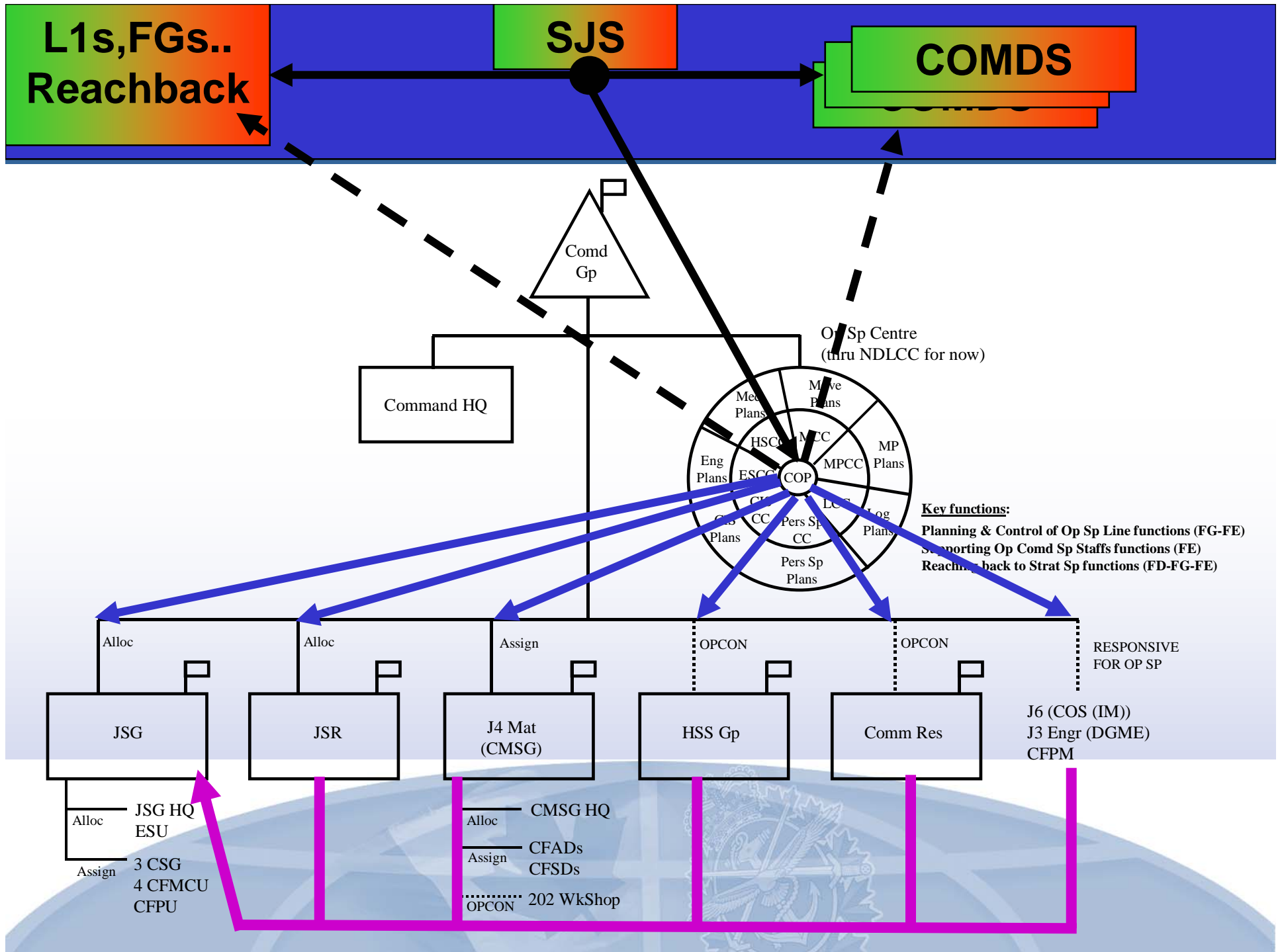
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CANOSCOM Functional Capabilities

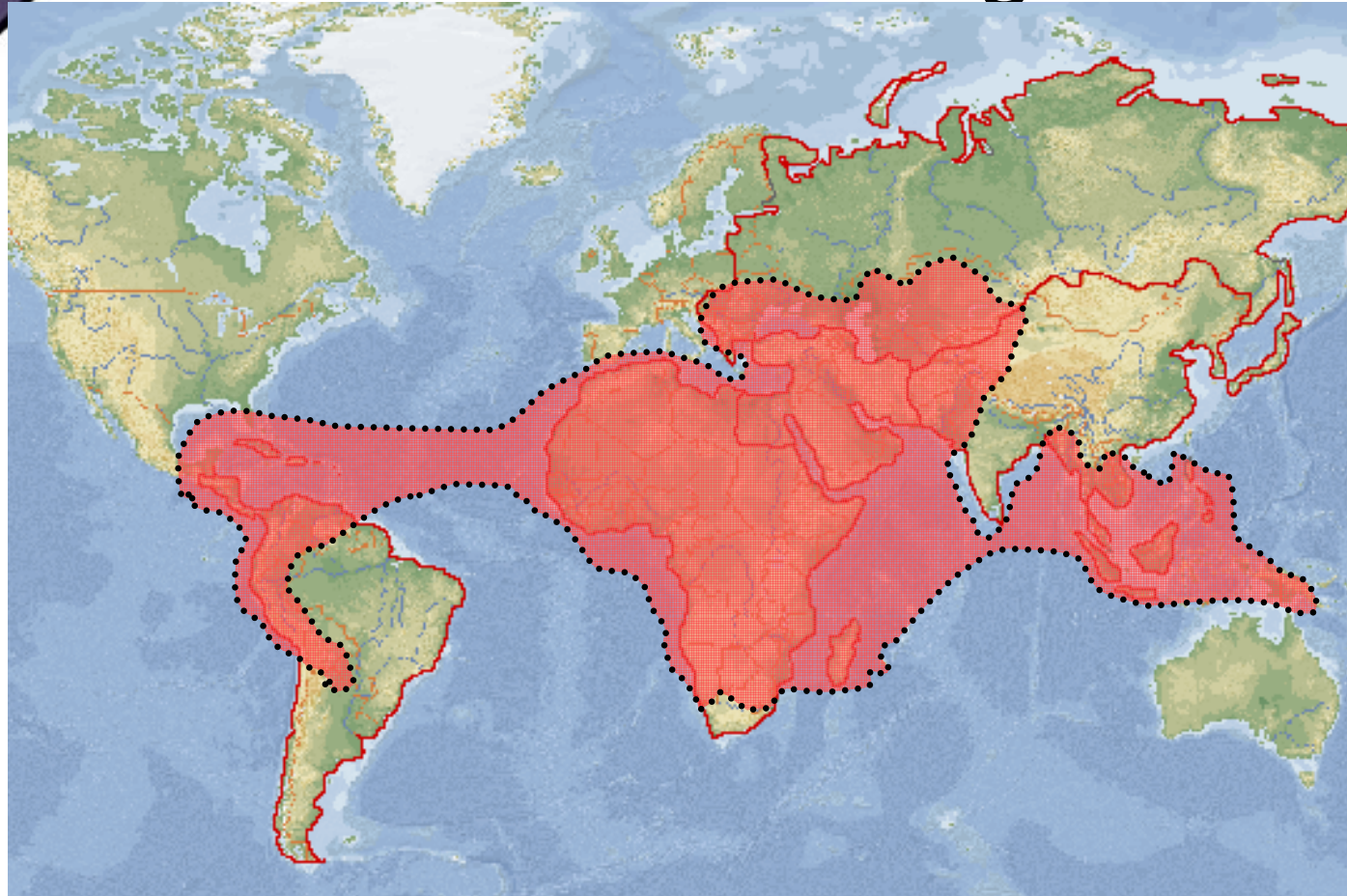
- Delivery of specialized support functions
- *Not Service-unique*
- Direct impact on CF operations
- “General” support provided to the TF organization
- Operational support includes:
 - Military engineering (general or force support engineering)
 - Health services
 - Military police
 - Logistics (including movement)
 - Equipment maintenance (primarily general land equipment)
 - Personnel support
 - CIS support
 - C2 for the support organizations

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Failed and Failing States



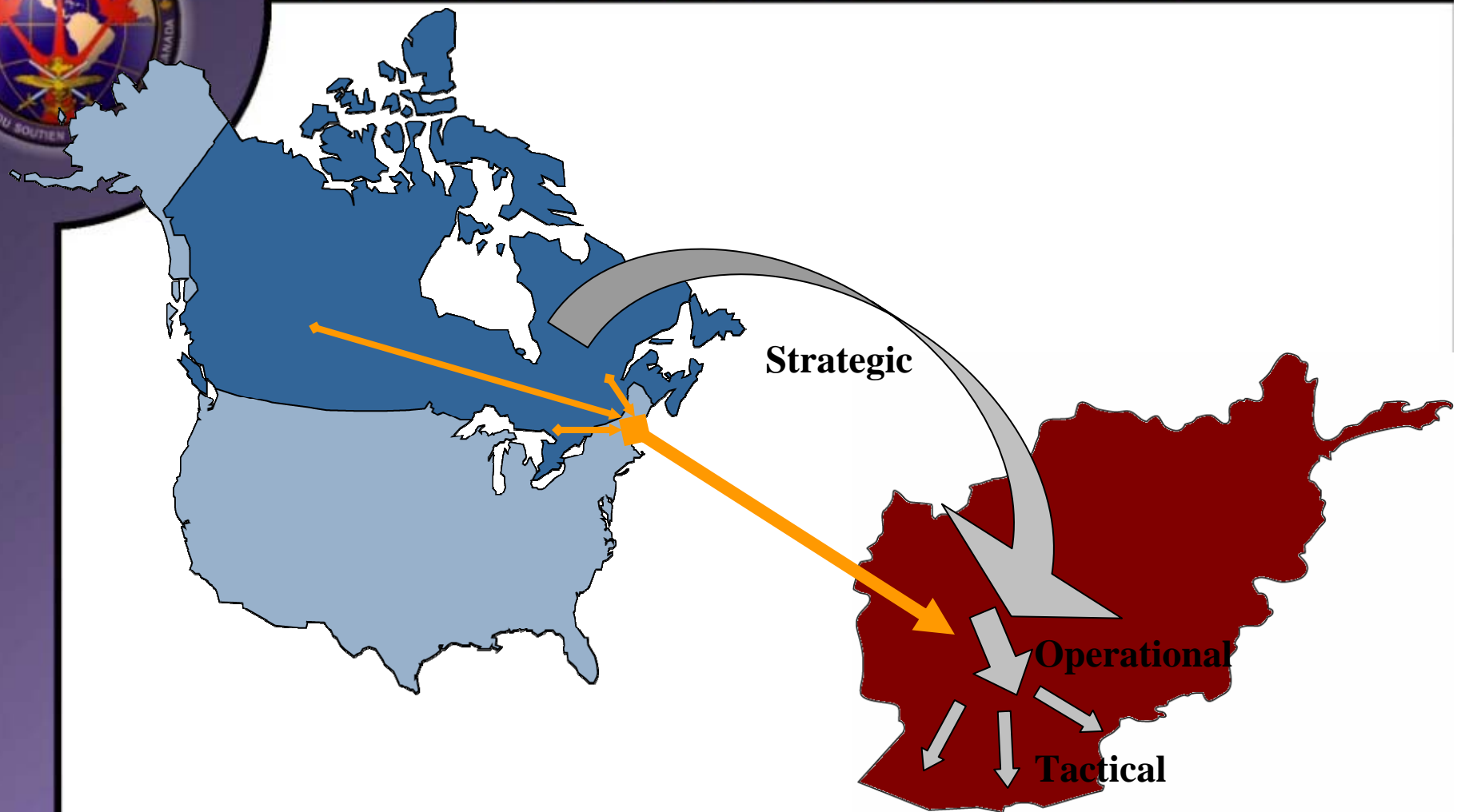
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Possible Intermediate Staging Basing
to Support SCTF and MSTFs?





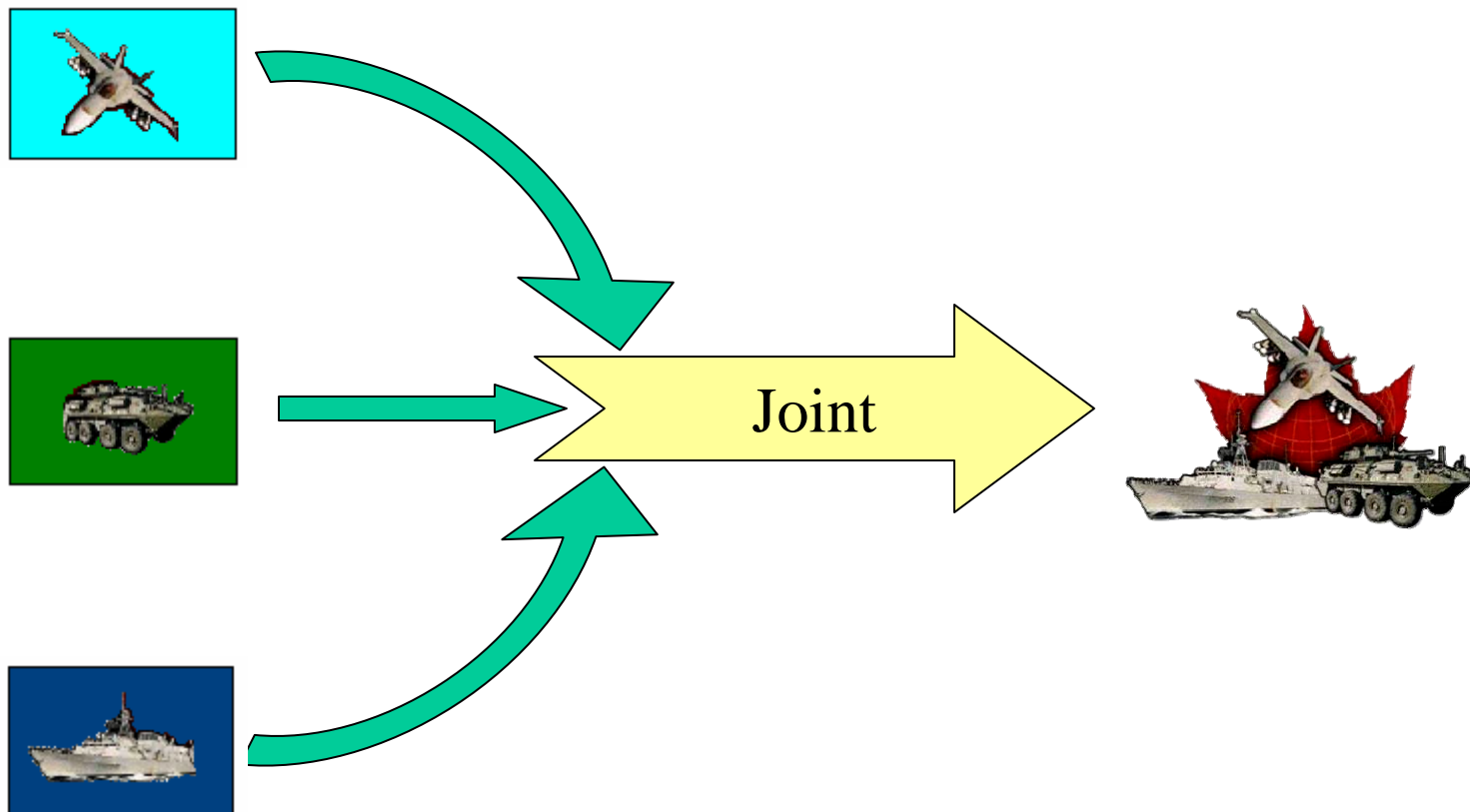
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Questions?

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