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## Combined Forces Air Component Commander 2008-2011 Airpower Statistics

(Source: USAFCENT Public Affairs Directorate) As of 30 Apr 2011

		OPERATION ENDURING FREEDOM/International Security Assistance Force															
Afghanistan	<b>Close Air Support</b>		<b>Weapons Releases</b>														
			Less Activity  More Activity														
	<b>Sorties</b>		<b>Sorties w/Weapons</b>														
	2008	20,359	2008	1800	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
	2009	27,815	2009	1733	2008	324	337	410	257	446	985	759	657	367	339	212	122
2010	33,679	2010	1816	2009	163	203	364	465	456	442	384	445	254	541	238	208	4,163
2011	13,404	2011	473	2010	157	154	175	197	300	457	325	415	740	1,043	866	272	5,101
				2011	387	299	274	287									1,247
		OPERATION IRAQI FREEDOM/OPERATION NEW DAWN															
Iraq	<b>Close Air Support</b>		<b>Weapons Releases</b>														
			Less Activity  More Activity														
	<b>Sorties</b>		<b>Sorties w/Weapons</b>														
	2008	18,422	2008	533	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
	2009	8,061	2009	61	2008	514	121	141	63	85	22	35	70	8	1	14	1
2010	6,316	2010	4	2009	3	35	46	26	3	0	3	3	3	4	0	0	126
2011	1,618	2011	1	2010	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	8
				2011	0	0	1	0									1
Combined Data			2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011									
	Intel, Surveillance and Recon Sorties		7,832	11,202	16,193	18,898	28,747	10,714									
	Airlift Sorties		55,264	56,179	51,945	52,905	63,324	18,859									
	Airlift Cargo (Short Tons)		205,816	270,007	251,738	264,839	298,079	65,805									
	Airlift Passengers		1,075,583	1,177,533	1,269,710	1,301,740	1,369,002	423,698									
	OEF Supplies Airdropped (Pounds)		3,500,000	8,182,066	16,576,297	32,267,606	60,400,000	25,011,000									
	Tanker Sorties		12,787	15,875	18,361	17,465	17,296	5,350									
	Fuel Offloaded (Millions of Pounds)		871	946	1,106	1,076	1,050	357									
	Aircraft Refueled		42,083	79,798	86,288	82,095	82,603	26,572									
	Personnel Recovery Sorties		59	51	184	6,903*	9,701	2,366									
Saves		55	69	120	768	1,981	517										
Assists		10	0	52	3,594	3,004	579										

\*Tracking of U.S. Air Force Personnel Recovery aircrews assisting the U.S. Army casualty-evacuation mission began in January 2009

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