

Glossary



AID	Agency for International Development
ALTF	airlift task force
BCT	battalion combat team
BLT	battalion landing team
<i>CEFA</i>	<i>Centro de Entrenamiento de las Fuerzas Armadas</i> (Armed Forces Training Center)
CIA	Central Intelligence Agency
CINCAFLANT	Commander in Chief, U.S. Air Forces, Atlantic Command
CINCAFSTRIKE	Commander in Chief, U.S. Air Forces, Strike Command
CINCARLANT	Commander in Chief, U.S. Army Forces, Atlantic Command
CINCARSTRIKE	Commander in Chief, U.S. Army Forces, Strike Command
CINCLANT	Commander in Chief, Atlantic Command
CINCLANTFLT	Commander in Chief, Atlantic Fleet
CINCSOUTH	Commander in Chief, U.S. Southern Command
CINCSTRIKE	Commander in Chief, U.S. Strike Command
CJTF	commander, joint task force
COMCARIBSEAFRON	Commander, Caribbean Sea Frontier
CTG	commander, task group
DA	Department of the Army
DCSOPS	Deputy Chief of Staff for Operations and Plans

DEFCON	defense readiness condition
DOD	Department of Defense
DRF	division ready force
GNR	Government of National Reconstruction
HUMINT	human intelligence (the intelligence collection function that uses human beings as both sources and collectors)
IAAF	Inter-American Armed Force
IAF	Inter-American Force
IAPF	Inter-American Peace Force
ISZ	International Security Zone
JCS	Joint Chiefs of Staff
JTF	joint task force
LANTCOM	(See USLANTCOM)
LBJL	Lyndon B. Johnson Library
LOC	lines of communication
LVT	landing vehicle, tracked
MAAG	Military Assistance Advisory Group
MAP	Military Assistance Program
MEB	Marine expeditionary brigade
MEU	Marine expeditionary unit
MTT	mobile training team
NMCC	National Military Command Center
NSC	National Security Council
OAS	Organization of American States
OES	<i>Organización de Estados Americanos</i> (Organization of American States)
OPLAN	operation plan
PR	<i>Partido Reformista</i> (Reform Party)
PRD	<i>Partido Revolucionario Dominicano</i> (Dominican Revolutionary Party)
PSYWAR	psychological warfare
ROAD	Reorganization Objective Army Divisions
RSD	Radio Santo Domingo
SEAL	sea-air-land team
SOUTHCOM	(See USSOUTHCOM)
TAC	Tactical Air Command

TF	task force
TG	task group
TOE	table(s) of organization and equipment
USAF	U.S. Air Force
USCOMDOMREP	Commander, U.S. Forces, Dominican Republic
USCONARC	U.S. Continental Army Command
USFORDOMREP	U.S. Forces, Dominican Republic
USIA	U.S. Information Agency
USIS	U.S. Information Service
USLANTCOM (or LANTCOM)	U.S. Atlantic Command
USMC	U.S. Marine Corps
USSOUTHCOM (or SOUTHCOM)	U.S. Southern Command
USSTRICOM (or STRICOM)	U.S. Strike Command

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1964—1984*



U.S. Army World War II Corps Commanders' Profile



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(Rear Area Operations During the Korean War)*



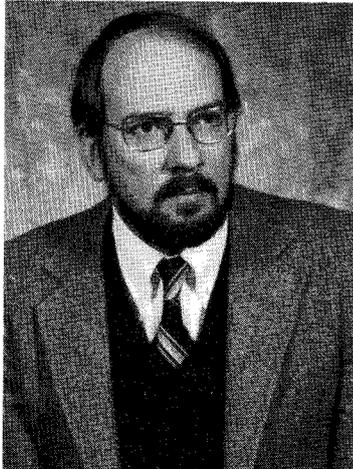
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Pastel: Deception in the Invasion of Japan



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SYNOPSIS OF LEAVENWORTH PAPER 15

In late April 1965, an attempted coup d'état in the Dominican Republic quickly turned into a civil war in the streets of the capital, Santo Domingo. From the outset, U.S. officials on the scene expressed concern that the rebel, or Constitutionalist, forces responsible for the uprising contained radical elements. This assessment prompted President Lyndon B. Johnson to order U.S. Marine and Army units into the country to protect American lives, restore order, and, most important, prevent a Communist seizure of power. The Leathernecks were the first to land as part of a plan to evacuate U.S. citizens. With the expansion of the marines' mission to include the establishment and defense of a neutral security zone in the city, and with the arrival of combat units from the 82d Airborne Division, U.S. involvement in the Dominican crisis became a military intervention, the first undertaken by Washington in Latin America in thirty years.

At the height of the intervention, nearly 24,000 U.S. troops were committed to the joint and, ultimately, combined operation. Preparing and deploying these forces to the Dominican Republic required strategic guidance, joint planning and coordination, clear lines of command and control, timely communications, and current and accurate intelligence. Deficiencies in each of these areas plagued the operation from the beginning and, under different circumstances, could have made its successful execution a much more costly affair in terms of Dominican and American lives. That the U.S. military fulfilled the missions assigned to it in the Dominican Republic owed much to luck; to the absence of a well-organized, heavily armed, and highly disciplined opposition; and to the flexibility, innovation, and adaptability demonstrated by U.S. officers and enlisted men, who had to adjust their initial expectations to the realities of the situation.

For U.S. soldiers in the Dominican Republic, actual combat occupied only a small portion of their time. Once it became apparent that the intervention of the marines and paratroopers precluded a rebel victory, U.S. forces became engaged in a variety of civic action, PSYWAR, civil affairs, and other noncombat activities, the principal purposes of which were to restore stability, "win hearts and minds," and provide the foundation for a negotiated settlement. The decision to seek a diplomatic solution to the crisis meant that Washington deliberately subordinated military requirements to political considerations. For the combat soldier, the most visible manifestation of this decision was an avalanche of rules of engagement, many of which placed severe restrictions on U.S. military behavior in the Dominican Republic.

One month after U.S. soldiers entered the country, they were integrated into the Inter-American Peace Force (IAPF), composed of men from six Latin American countries. Once negotiations resulted in the establishment of a provisional government, the IAPF assumed responsibility for protecting that government from right-wing and left-wing attempts to overthrow it. Elections were held in 1966, after which the foreign troops remaining in the country as a part of the intervention departed. The Johnson administration, despite domestic and international criticism of U.S. behavior in the crisis, regarded the intervention a success because order had been restored, the electoral process resuscitated, and a Communist takeover averted.