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# Canadian Joint Operations Command

## Briefing to Foreign Service Attachés

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CANADIAN JOINT OPERATIONS COMMAND

LE COMMANDEMENT DES OPÉRATIONS INTERARMÉES DU CANADA



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# OUR MISSION

Prepare for and conduct operations to defend Canada, assist in the defence of North America, and promote peace and security abroad.



**CJOC drives the Canadian Armed Forces to:**

**ANTICIPATE** and better understand potential threats to Canada and Canadian interests;

**ADAPT** proactively to emerging challenges; and

**ACT** with decisive military capability across the spectrum of operations to defend Canada and contribute to global stability.

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# WHO WE ARE

- CJOC is central to the Canadian Armed Forces' (CAF) interoperability and success in all domestic, continental and global missions and operations.
- One of 3 Force Employers in the CAF, CJOC is responsible for planning and directing CAF missions and operations to meet national and international aims.
- CJOC seeks to find the competitive advantage to direct finite military resources against a complex future. Staff plan for meaningful joint and coalition warfare and provide the necessary and appropriate processes to ensure tactical success.

# WHAT WE DO

- Leading domestic operations, CJOC directs aid to Canadians facing natural disasters through six regional joint task forces.
- CJOC conducts regular security patrols and all-domain surveillance.
- Globally, CJOC conducts expeditionary operations with partners and Allies to counter terrorism, illegal activities, and to bring peacekeeping and stabilizing forces to nations in need.
- CJOC is the lead for Canada's aeronautical Search and Rescue, coordinating resources with the Canadian Coast Guard, RCMP and local authorities to locate and rescue those in distress.
- CJOC saves lives and lessens human suffering by supporting the delivery of humanitarian assistance.
- CAF members employed by CJOC are precisely trained for operations.
- From cyber security to fighting Daesh, CJOC pioneers, develops, delivers and assesses joint capability and training.
- CJOC continually monitors and analyzes the security environment at home and its areas of operations abroad. If required, force protection measures are applied to meet existing and emergent threats.

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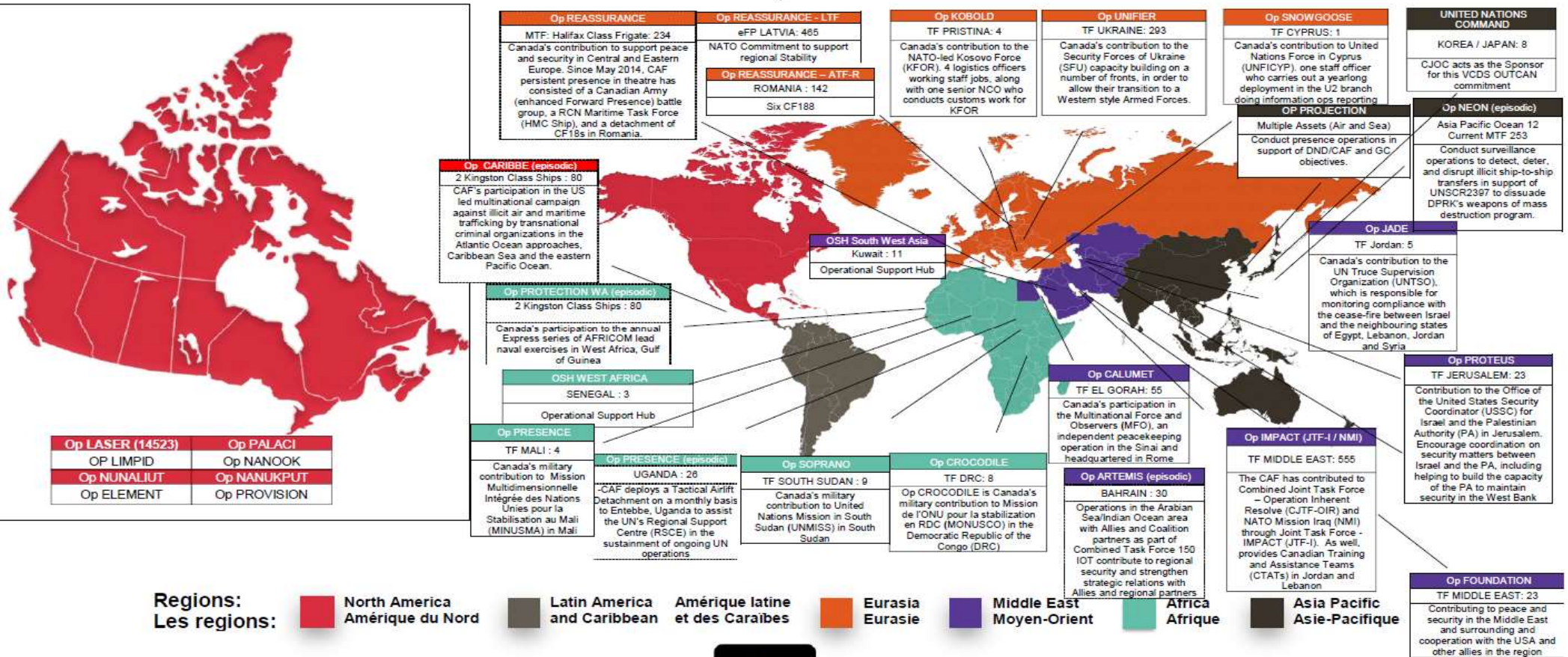
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*“We must strengthen North American defences remaining globally coherent and we must account for the long-term nature of the challenge.”*

LGen Christopher Coates,  
Commander CJOC



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