



# ***National Defense University***

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## ***National Security Documents***

**Keystone 24-2**

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# ***Overview***

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***Strategic Guidance***

***Military Operational Guidance***

***Fiscal Guidance***



# US National Security Strategy

## Evolution of Grand Strategy



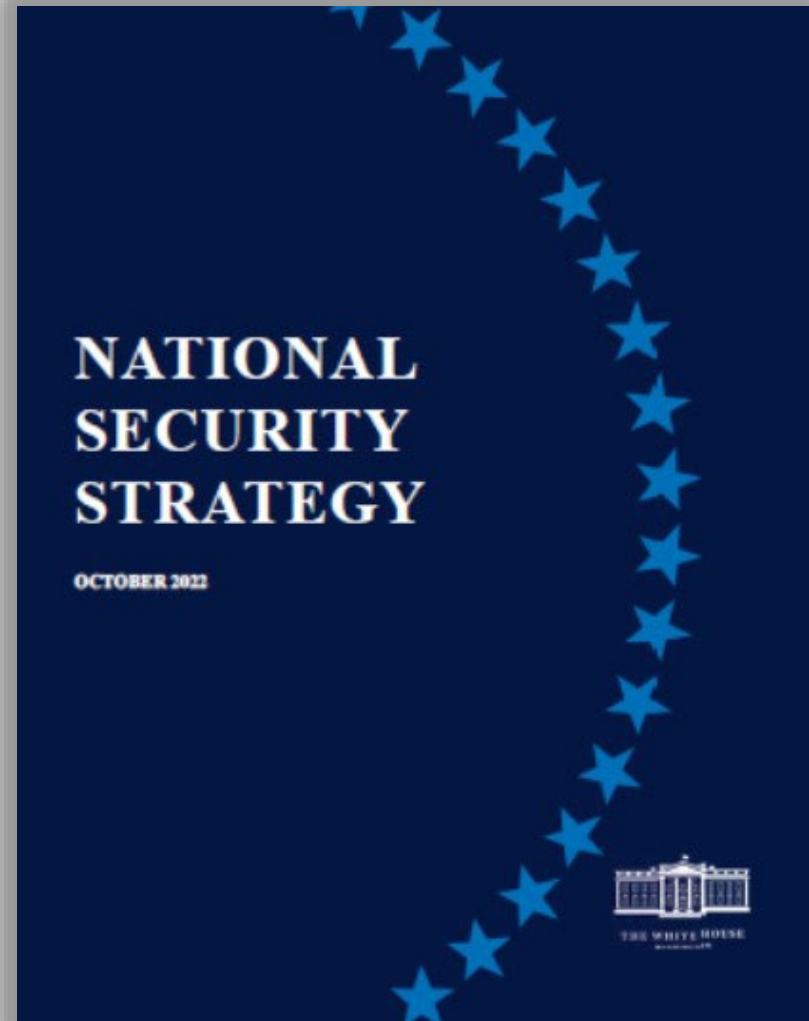


# ***US National Security Strategy***

## ***Enduring National Interests***

### **Enduring National Interests**

- ***Security***
  - Protect the Security of American People
- ***Prosperity***
  - Expand Economic Opportunity
- ***Values***
  - Realize and Defend American Values
- ***International Order***
  - Recognize Heightened Competition Affects Cooperation and Act Accordingly



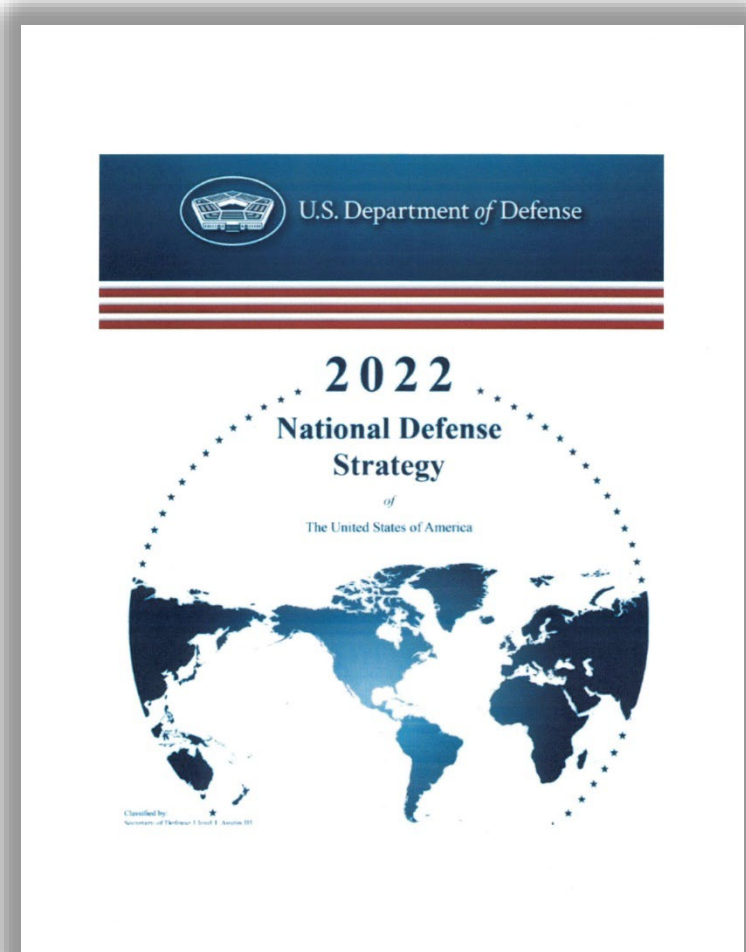


# ***National Defense Strategy***

## ***Safeguarding Vital US National Interests***

### **2022 National Defense Priorities**

- 1. *Defend*** the Homeland
- 2. *Deter*** Strategic Attacks
- 3. *Deter*** Aggression
- 4. *Build*** a Resilient Defense Ecosystem and Joint Force



***Integrated Deterrence, Active Campaigning,  
Building Enduring Advantages***

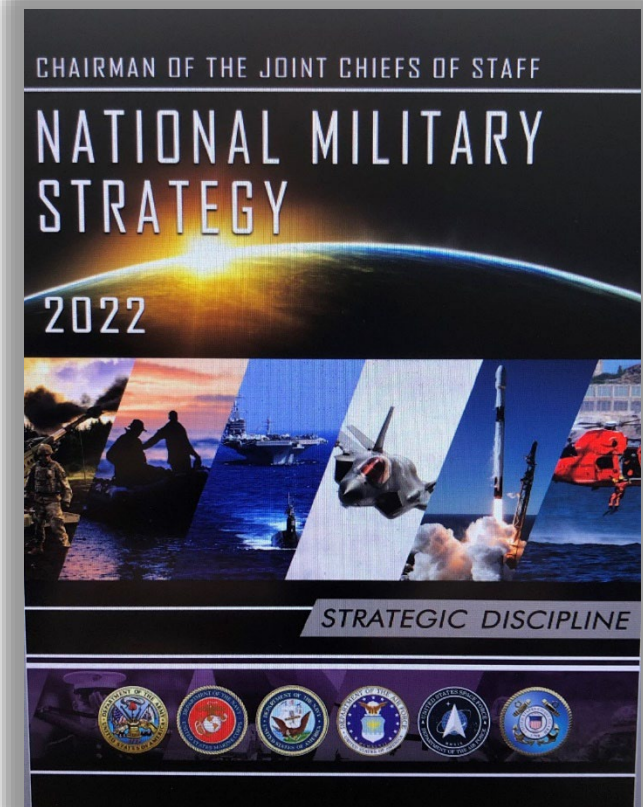




# ***National Military Strategy***

## ***Global Integration***

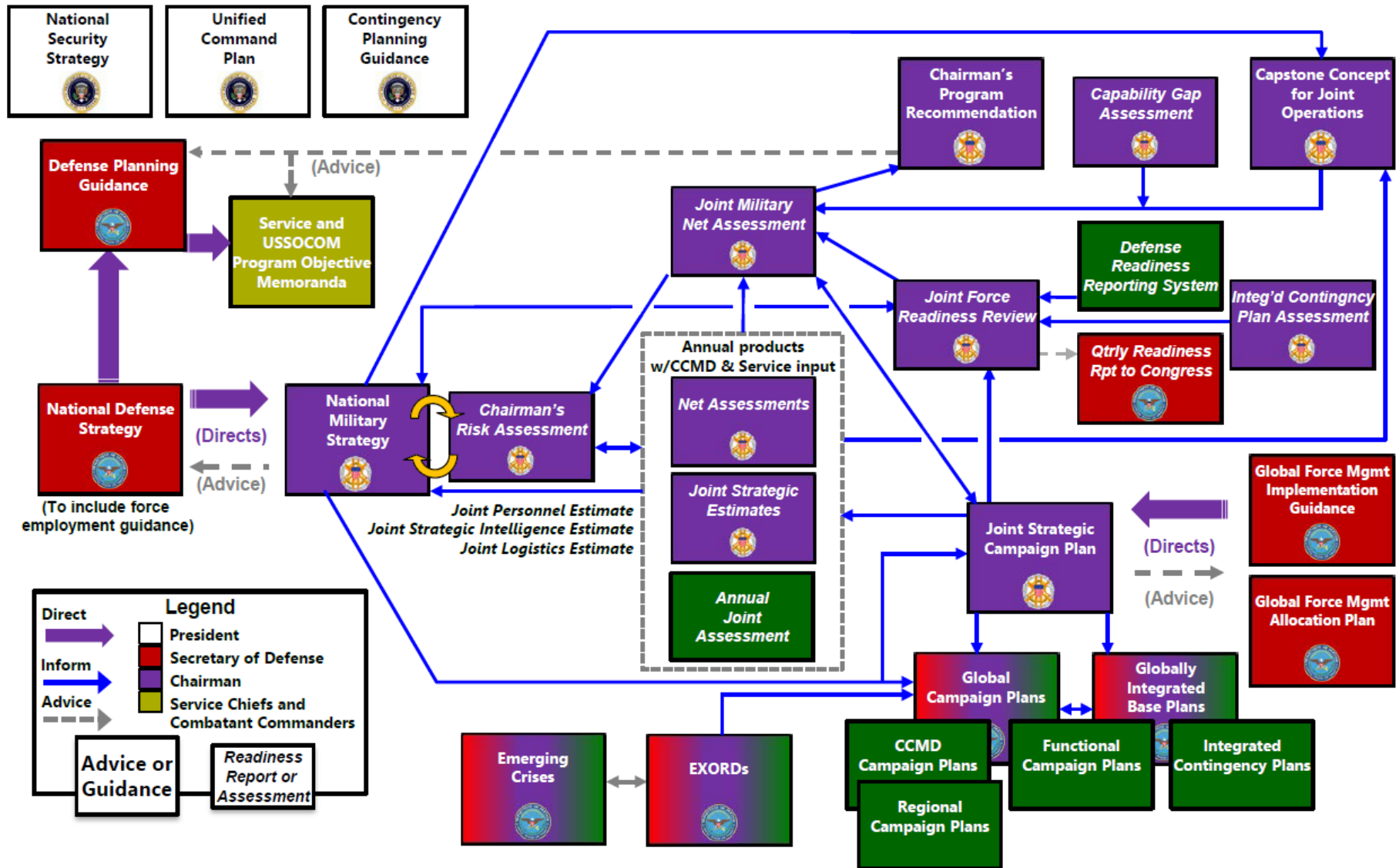
- Central Idea is ***Strategic Discipline***
  - Strategic Context
  - Strategic Framework
  - Strategic Ways
  - ***Joint Force Tasks***
    - ***10 Tasks***
  - Risk and Assessments



***Central Military Problem, Central Idea, Ways, and Tasks in 27 Pages***



# Joint Strategic Planning Resource – Strategy Integration





# Unified Command Plan

## Combatant Command Roles



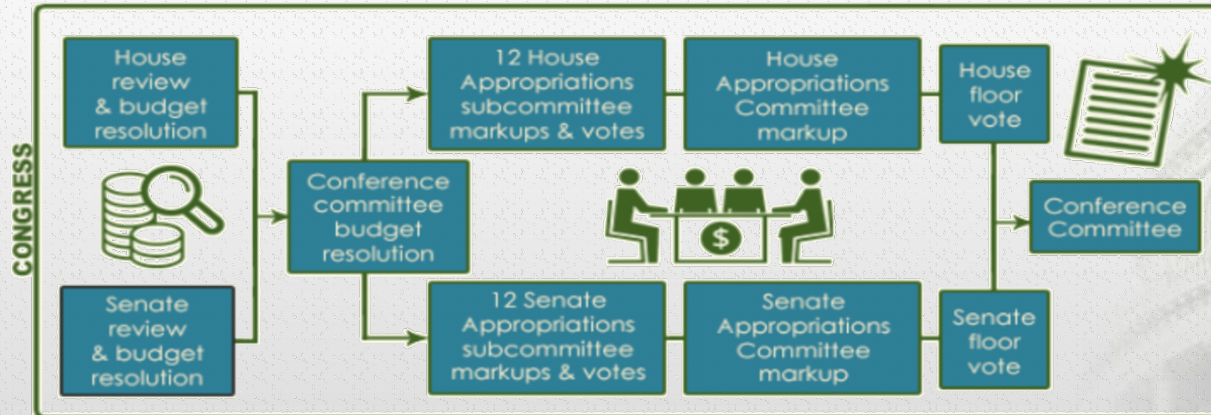
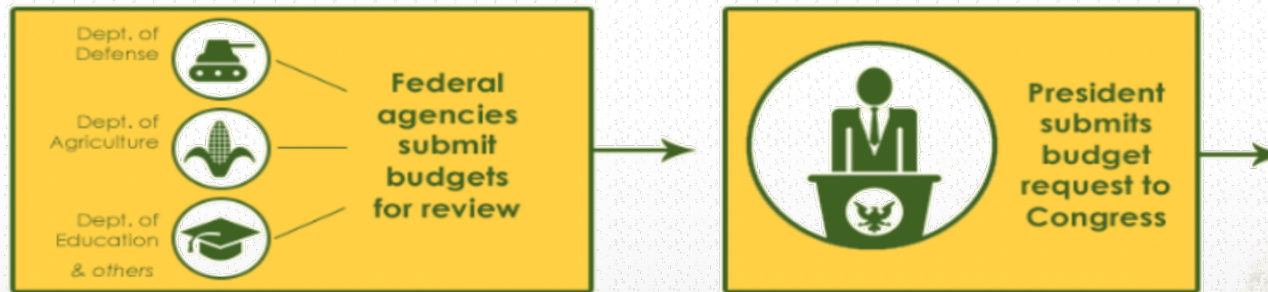
Functional (Global) Combatant Commands





# Fiscal Strategy

## THE ANNUAL FEDERAL BUDGET PROCESS





# ***How Congress Controls Funding***

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- Appropriations Act
  - Department of Defense Appropriations Act (DODAA)
- Authorization Act
  - National Defense Authorization Act (NDAA)
- Statutes and Regulations



# ***5 Pots of Money or “Appropriations”***

A red, three-legged cauldron-like pot filled with red coins, with red rays emanating from the top.

**Personnel**

A blue, three-legged cauldron-like pot filled with blue coins, with blue rays emanating from the top.

**Ops and  
Maintenance  
(O&M)**

A dark blue, three-legged cauldron-like pot filled with dark blue coins, with dark blue rays emanating from the top.

**Procurement**

A purple, three-legged cauldron-like pot filled with purple coins, with purple rays emanating from the top.

**RDT&E**

A yellow, three-legged cauldron-like pot filled with yellow coins, with yellow rays emanating from the top.

**Military  
Construction**



# *Questions*

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