



National Defense University



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Overview

DOD 101

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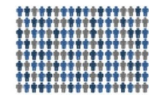
We Are Your Defense

The Department of Defense is America's largest government agency. With our military tracing its roots back to pre-Revolutionary times, the department has grown and evolved with our nation. Our mission is to provide the military forces needed to deter war and ensure our nation's security.



\$841.4 Billion

National Defense
Budget



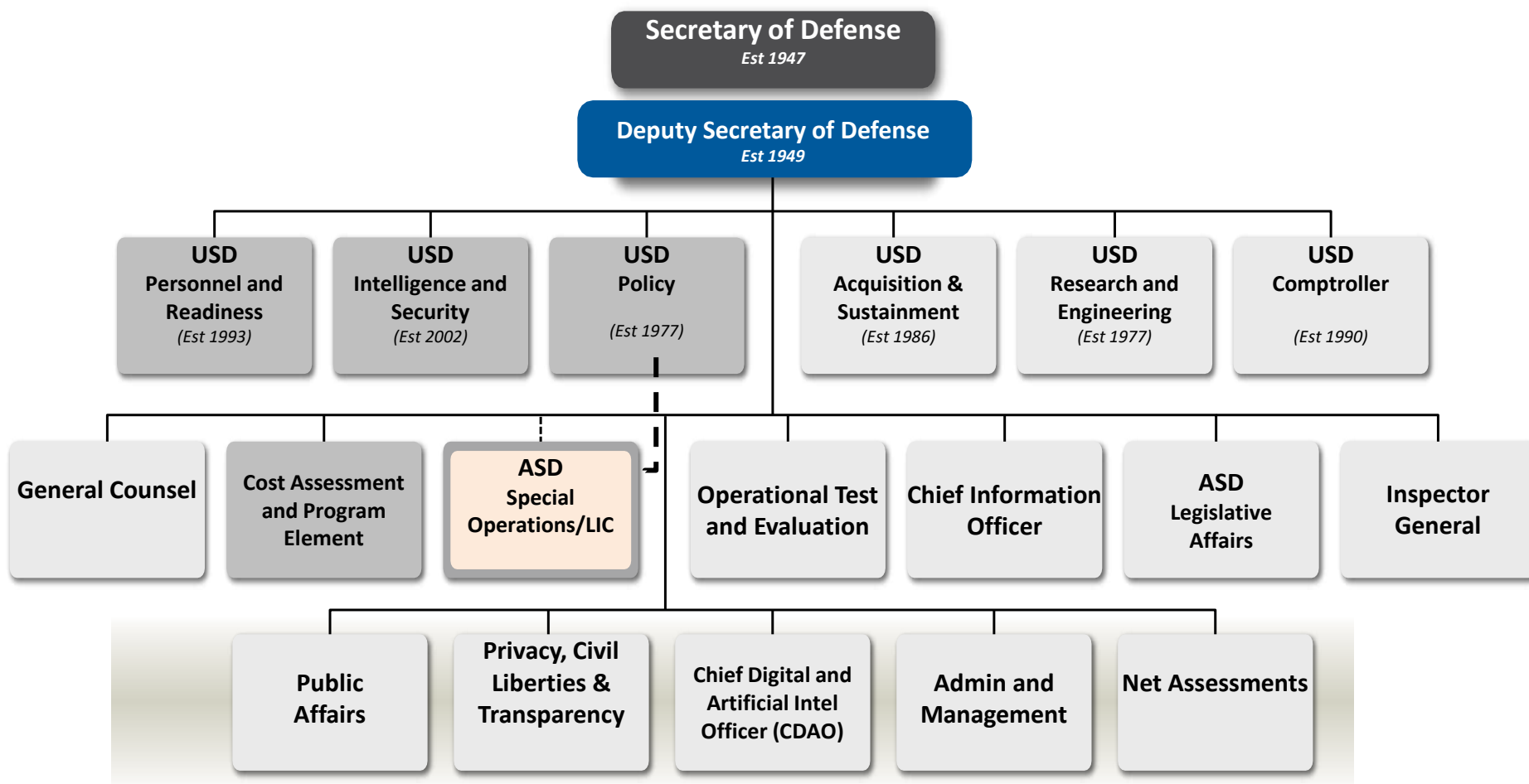
3.4 Million
Service Members &
Civilians



4,800 Sites
In Over 160
Countries



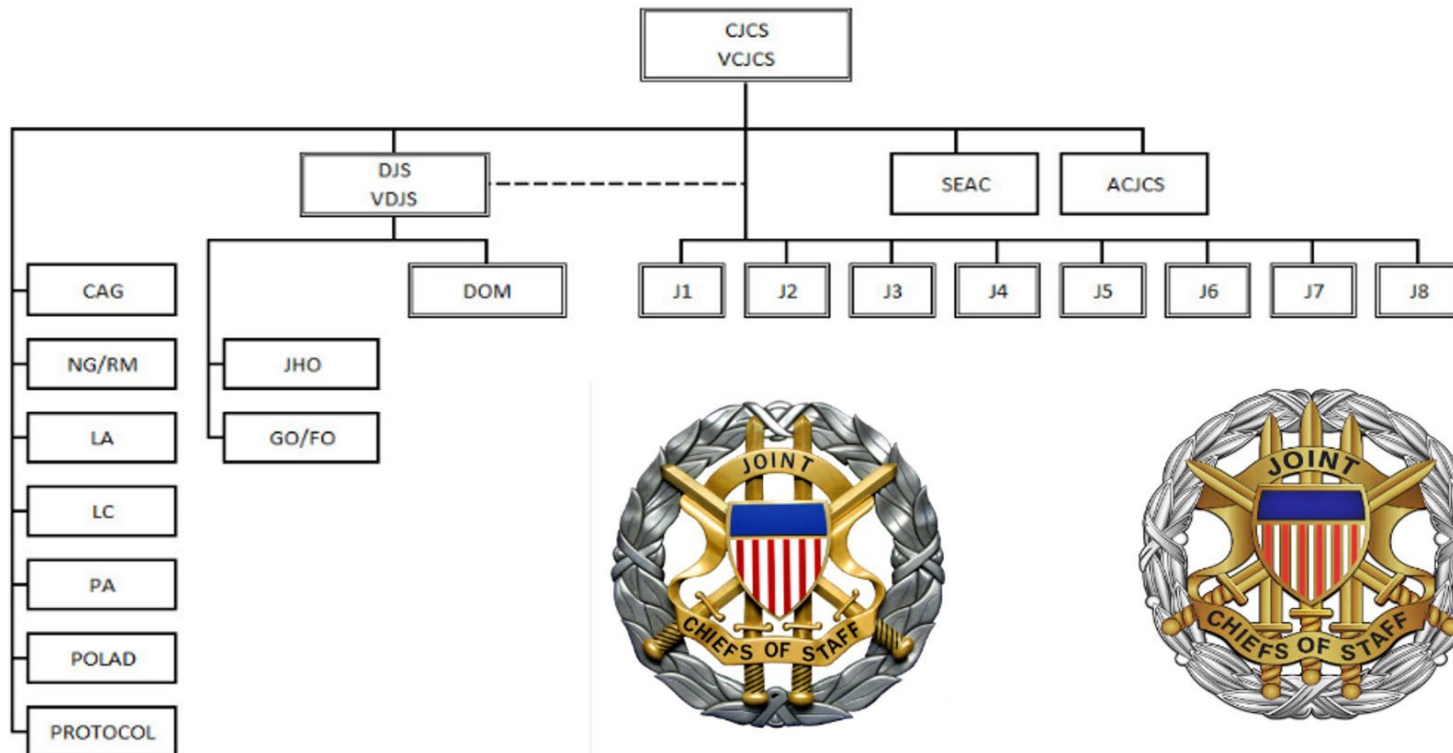
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JOINT STAFF STRUCTURE

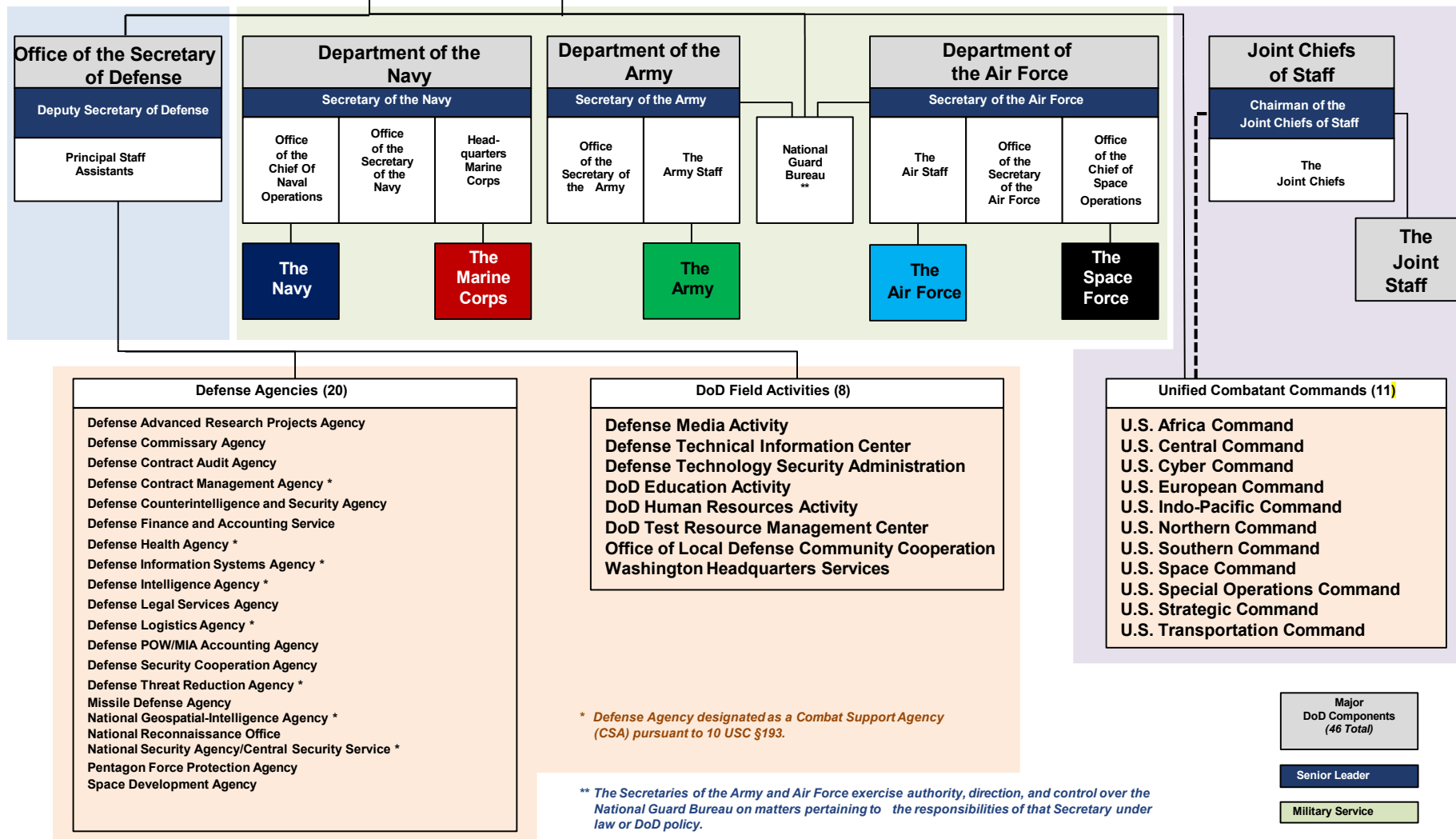




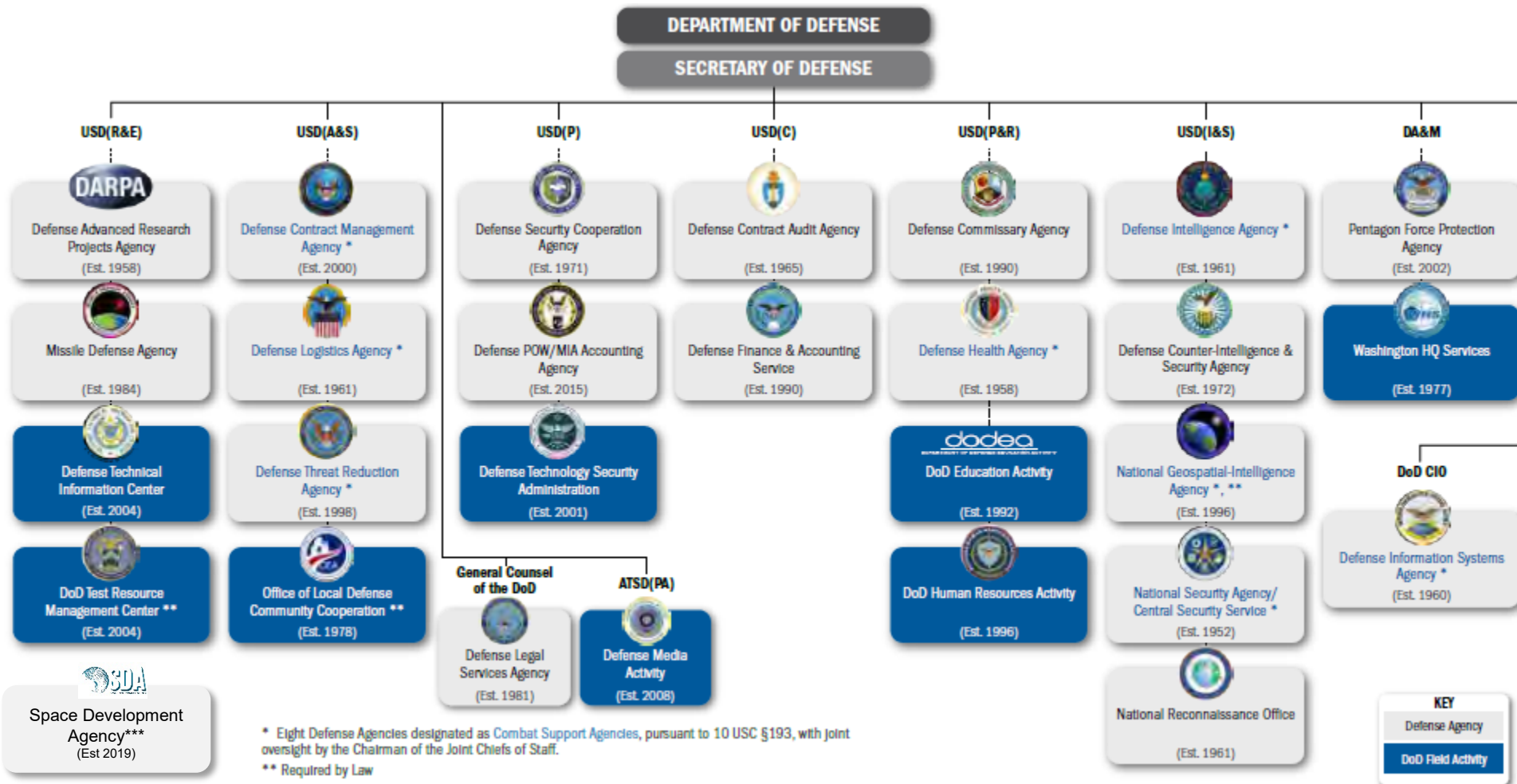
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The overall organization of DoD is established in law in 10 U.S.C. §111 and in DoD Policy in DoDD 5100.01.



Defense Agencies and Field Activities





Combatant Commands



Functional (Global) Combatant Commands



Geographic Combatant Commands



Questions

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