



Domestic Operations and Reserves

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Mission

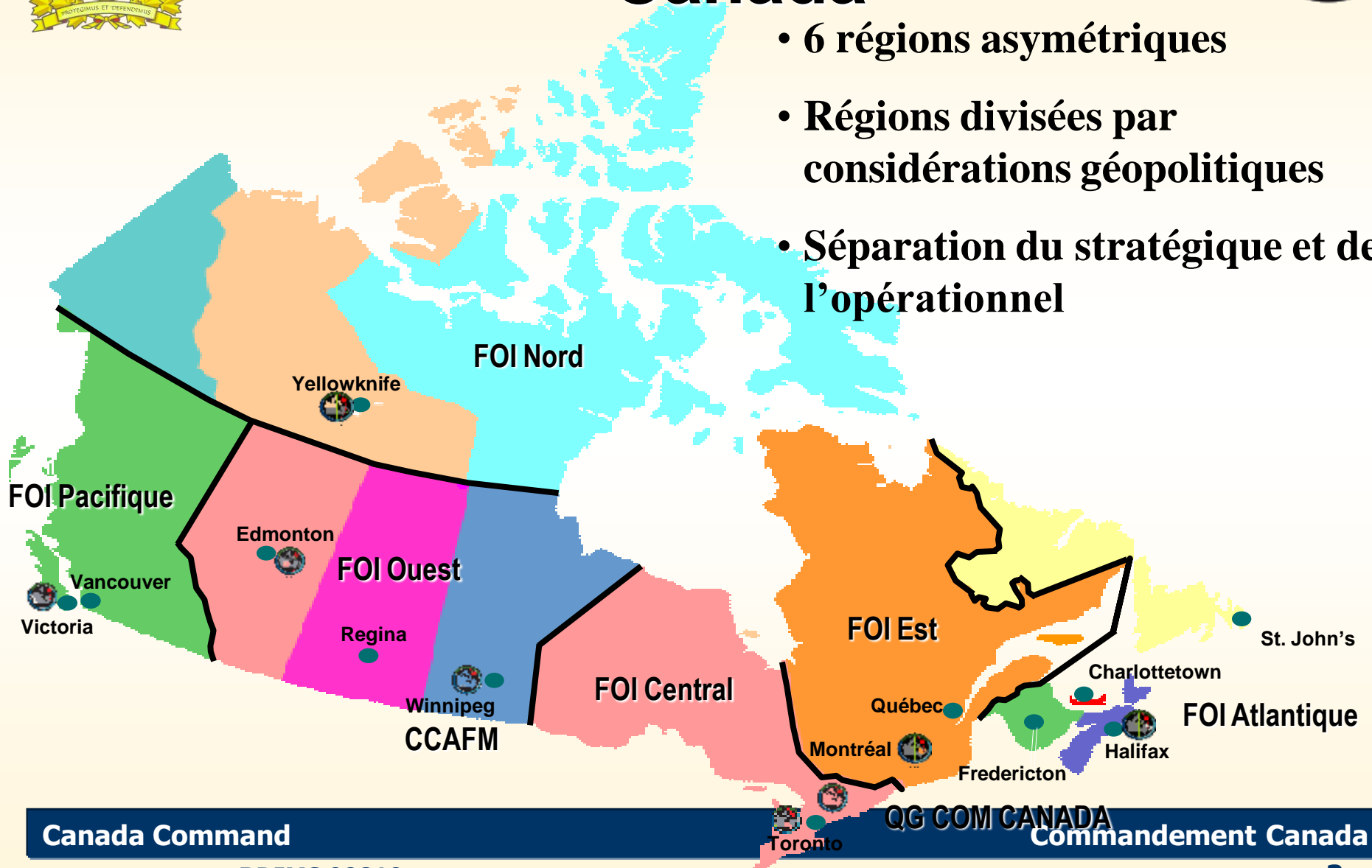
Provide a robust Command capable of delivering a comprehensive, integrated, adaptive, and networked force to deter, prevent, pre-empt and defeat threats and aggression aimed at Canada and North America as well as supporting civilian authorities for the security, stability and support of North America and its approaches.



Structure du Commandement Canada



- 6 régions asymétriques
- Régions divisées par considérations géopolitiques
- Séparation du stratégique et de l'opérationnel





Canada Command - Tasks

• Defence

- Sovereignty / surveillance patrols

• Security

- Assistance to Law Enforcement Agencies

• Stability

- Humanitarian Assistance: Natural or man-made disaster consequence management / Search and Rescue

• Support

- Provision of Services: Expertise, equipment, personnel





Role of the Reserve Force

White Paper

Provide augmentation, sustainment and support to deployed forces, and also to provide a base for expansion or mobilization

Transformation

- a. Augment the Regular Force on CF operations
- b. Expand the CF in response to natural and manmade emergencies and crises
- c. Form the permanent connection between the CF and Canadian society in communities not served by major bases



Current Domestic Operations Tasks

- **Naval Reserve**
 - **Maritime Coastal Defence Vessels (MCDV)**
 - **Port Security**
 - **Naval Control and Guidance for Shipping**
- **Air Reserve**
 - **Routine Air Operations**
- **Army Reserve**
 - **Liaison with regional governments and EMOs**
 - **CBRN decontamination**
 - **Avalanche control**
 - **Arctic Response Company Groups**
- **CANSOFCOM Reserve**
 - **Special Operations**
- **Joint**
 - **Sovereignty operations**





- Régulière temps plein
- Première Réserve temps partiel
- Rangers canadiens

10 provinces, 3 territoires

La présence de la Réserve contribue à notre capacité d'intervenir rapidement dans presque toutes les parties du pays





Reserves on Domestic Contingency Operations 2003-2010

PEREGRINE (BC forest fires in 2003)	860	34%
SPLINTER (Hurricane JUAN)	300	
TWILIGHT/SAPPHIRE (AC crash Halifax)	7	35%
SPIRE (power outage Halifax)	7	30%
CANOPY (water contamination in Kashechewan, ON)	31	79%
PONTOON (potential floods in BC)	107	10%
LOBOS (NALS in MONTEBELLO, QC)	31	13%
CRATOS (flood evacuations on James Bay)	9	
PODIUM (Vancouver Olympics)	1080	27%
CADENCE (G8/G20-planned)	1200	42%



Reserves on Domestic Routine Operations 2004-2010



Sovereignty Operations North of 60	1000	24%
HADCS Maintenance	15	8%
Avalanche control	40	18%



Challenges

- Readiness
- Integration
- New capabilities
- Future capabilities
- Sustainment of the Reserve Force





Future Force Employment

- Increase size of the Primary Reserve from 26,100 to 27,000 next FY and 30,000
- Visible presence in the North
- Expansion and modernization of the Canadian Rangers
- Chemical Biological Radiological and Nuclear response
- CIMIC
- Information Operations





Améliorations

- **Législation en appui**
- **Disponibilité opérationnelle**
- **Classe C pour les opérations de routine au Canada**
- **Administration améliorée des Classes C**
- **Compensation pour invalidité**
- **Soins de santé**
- **Conseil de liaison des Forces canadiennes**



Lessons Learned

- **Classes of service not align with today's reality**
- **Contract should be more flexible**
- **Growing operational expertise across the reserve**
- **Improving responsiveness to rapid response operations**
- **Footprint needs rationalization but must maintain presence across Canada**





TAKE AWAY

- **Critical to the sustainment of the CF operation success**
- **Integral part of responsiveness to threats and crisis**
- **Expanding role and mandate**
- **Must maintain operational focus**
- **Not only more CF capacity but also capability**
- **Exploitation of direct transfer**



Questions





Improvements

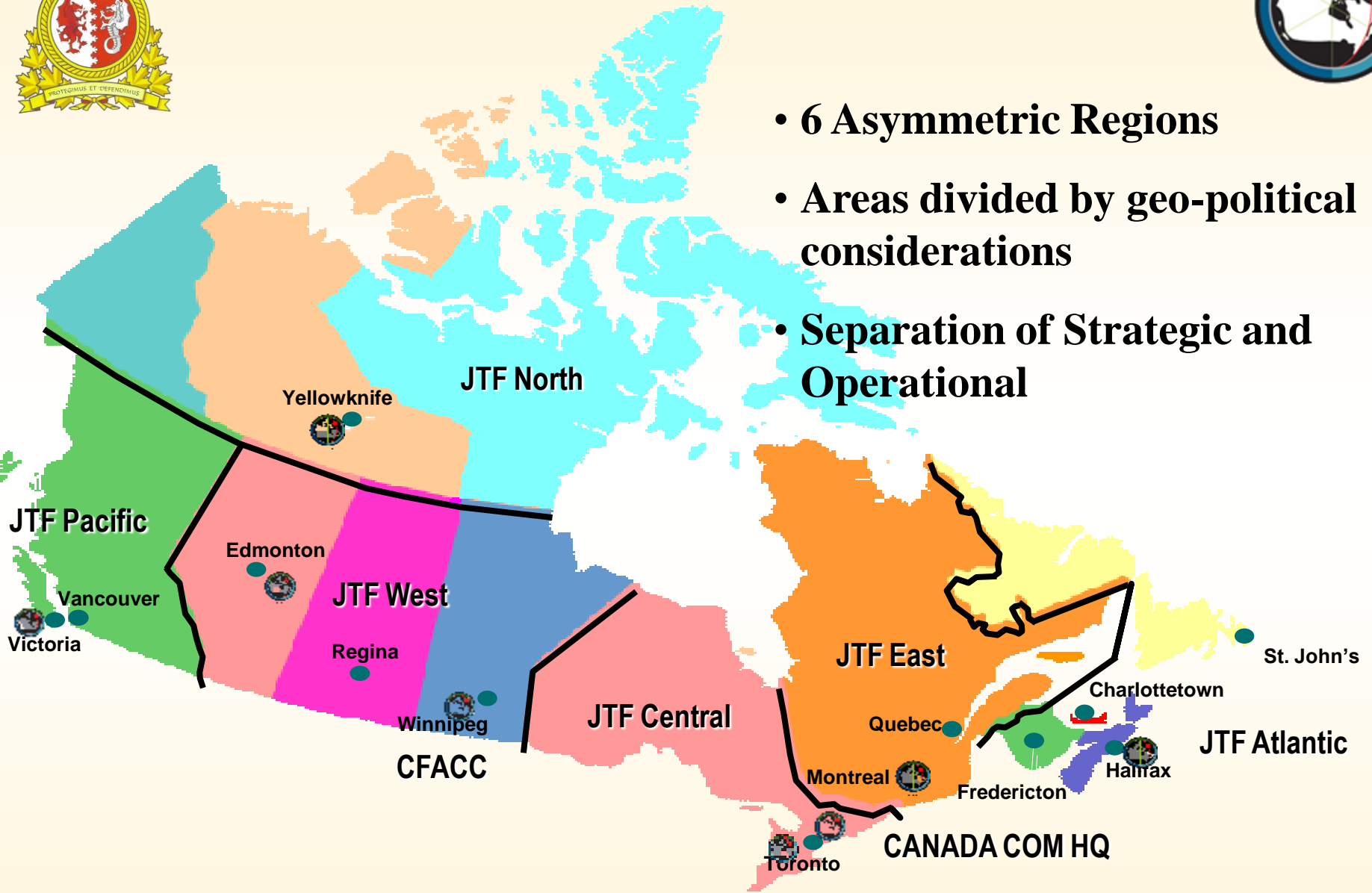
- Supporting legislation
- Readiness
- Class C for routine operations in Canada
- Improved administration of Class C
- Compensation for disability
- Health care
- Canadian Forces Liaison Council



Canada Command Structure



- 6 Asymmetric Regions
- Areas divided by geo-political considerations
- Separation of Strategic and Operational





- Regular full-time
- Primary Reserve part-time
- Canadian Rangers

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The reserve footprint contributes to our ability to respond quickly in almost any part of the country

