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U.S. Army Central is a **total Army** with Army Reserve and National Guard.

In addition to our Active Duty Soldiers, Department of the Army Civilians, and Defense Contractors, U.S. Army Central receives numerous mobilized Guard Soldiers and units.

National Guard members juggle full-time civilian careers, college or university attendance with their normal Army requirements. This often includes state activations or worldwide deployments in support of various ongoing military operations.

The Army Reserve provides Support and Sustainment capabilities to the total Army. Army Reserve support and sustainment capabilities found here in South Carolina include: medical, transportation, logistics, engineering, chemical, civil affairs, signal, ordinance, legal, personnel services, and training support.

- USARCENT consists of nearly **1,000** Soldiers, Civilians, and Contractors at Shaw AFB and approximately **23,500** personnel overseas.
- The Army National Guard makes up an average of **25%** of the deployed force in the USARCENT area of responsibility.
- USARCENT hosts key leader events and training opportunities with our **South Carolina National Guard** neighbors to build and grow rapport.
- South Carolina National Guard has several units currently deployed in the USARCENT area of responsibility (AOR):
 - 1-151st Attack Reconnaissance Battalion** out of Eastover, S.C.
 - 169th Fighter Wing** out of McEntire Joint National Guard Base
- The Army Reserve provides about **20%** of the capability in the USARCENT AOR.
- Army Reserve in S.C. has more than 71 units located throughout 15 facilities – totaling about **3,700 Soldiers** and **350 Civilians**.
- Army Reserve economic impact on S.C. is more than **\$256 million** by way of military and civilian payrolls, dollars spent, non-DOD wages and non-DOD jobs supported.