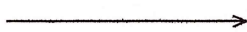
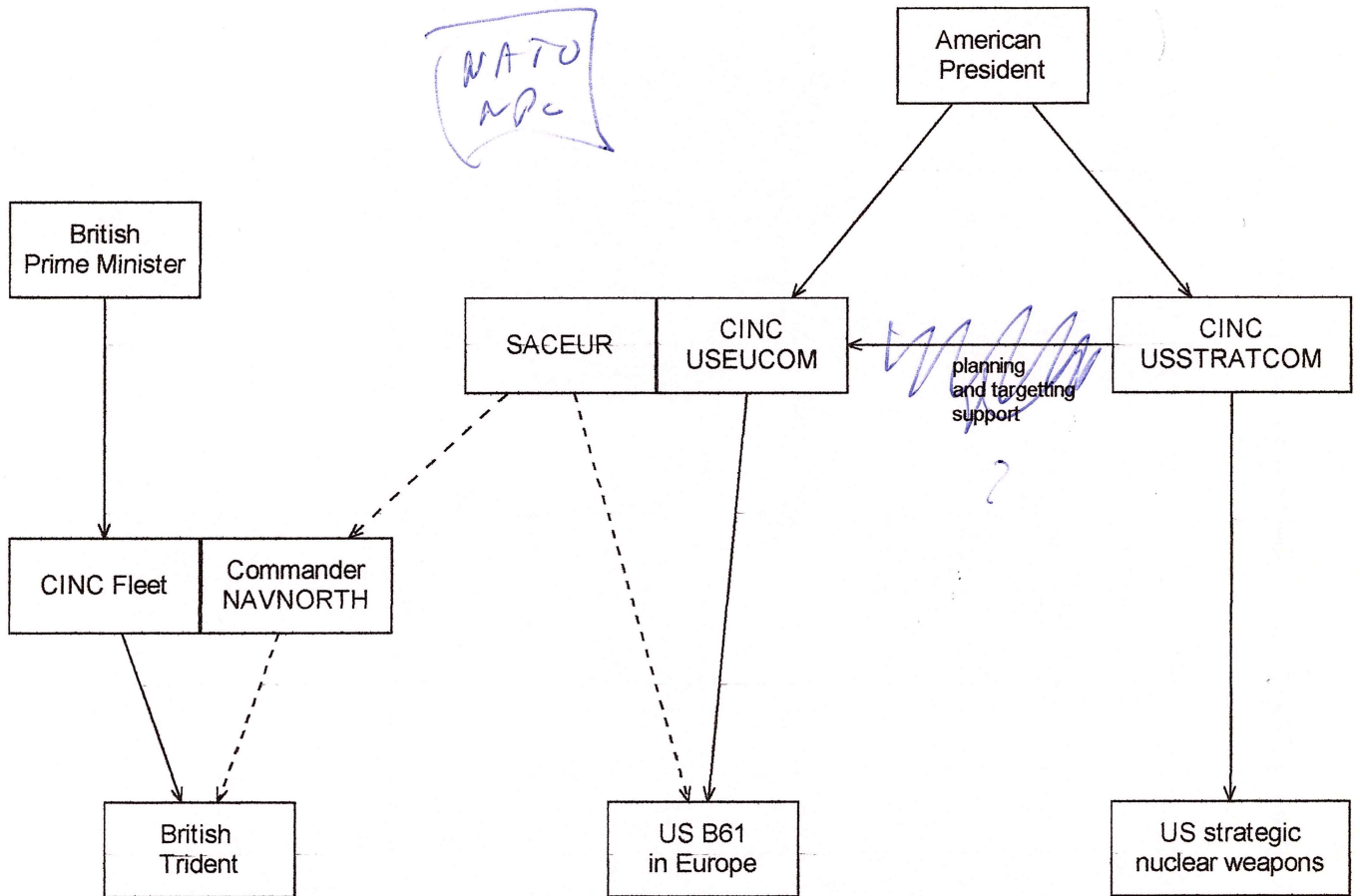
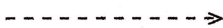


Control of
UK, US and NATO control over nuclear weapons *in Europe*



National Command - both British and American



NATO Command

The key positions are both dual-hatted -

The Commander-in-Chief of US Forces in Europe (CINCUSEUCOM) also holds the NATO post of Supreme Allied Commander Europe(SACEUR)

The British Commander-in-Chief Fleet is also the NATO Commander of Naval Forces North (NAVNORTH), his operational headquarters are both at Northwood.

US NATO Security Investment Program (NSIP)

FY04 budget

procurement and construction. In some instances, projects for the restoration and upgrade of existing facilities are funded as "stand alone" projects but are still subject to a NATO priority analysis.

While the capability package process does provide a great deal of insight into specific projects, the Department is unable to guarantee to the Congress that all projects will be executed within a given budget. The budget is prepared 10 months prior to the start of the fiscal year and, additionally, forecast in detail for an additional 12 months. NATO planners must propose projects that meet anticipated operational requirements needed to sustain alliance military capabilities.

The NATO CP procedures allow for emergency submissions in order to address new priorities that arise in response to unexpected threats. For example, if U.S. components feel there is a need for force protection projects as a result of the recent terrorist attacks, such requests may be handled under the NATO CP emergency provisions.

NATO authorities have approved 79 capability packages with an additional 6 formally under review at NATO headquarters, along with numerous addendum and revisions to previously approved CPs. Approved capability packages can be addressed in the following four categories:

- Command and Control. Upgrades to equipment and software for NATO headquarters; replacement/upgrade of maritime communications for both surface and subsurface units; procurement of transportable command and control communications equipment for NATO contingency operations; upgrade and enhancements to hardware and software systems supporting the NATO Nuclear Planning System.
- Replenishment and Supply. Logistics support for NATO deployments and long-term operations, including ammunition and fuel depots; embarkation facilities in the U.S.; and facilities for the reception and staging of reinforcement forces.
- Training and Exercises. Improvements at existing NATO joint training areas, firing ranges, and facilities for computer-assisted training.
- Maritime Surveillance and Amphibious Warfare. Restoration and upgrade of facilities at maritime bases, sea and air embarkation facilities, depot storage, and battle damage repair facilities.

U.S. Requirements:

U.S. forces in Europe have been reduced to approximately 100,000 permanently stationed military personnel and the U.S.-European base structure reduced by 66% from the pre-1990 inventory. These reductions were achieved with full congressional support. The NATO Security Investment Program (NSIP) remains the primary source of funding for several U.S. construction priorities: restoration and upgrade of existing NATO operational facilities at U.S. European Command bases; construction required for new missions and the consolidation of U.S. forces; embarkation facilities under the U.S. Atlantic Command in the United States to support the mobilization and

**EAC STATUS CONTROL
ALERTING AND
REPORTING SYSTEM
(SCARS) TEAM**

Mission:

Provides data transmission and reception of EAM traffic for NATO affiliated organizations.

Capabilities:

The SCARS team--

- Provides only NATO-approved EAM injection into NATO EAM system.
- Links US CINC, Europe (USCINCEUR) into NATO EAM system.
- Provides two-man (NATO) control over system and crypto materiel and equipment.
- Depends on the appropriate organizations for administrative and logistical support and health and financial services.

Basis of Allocation:

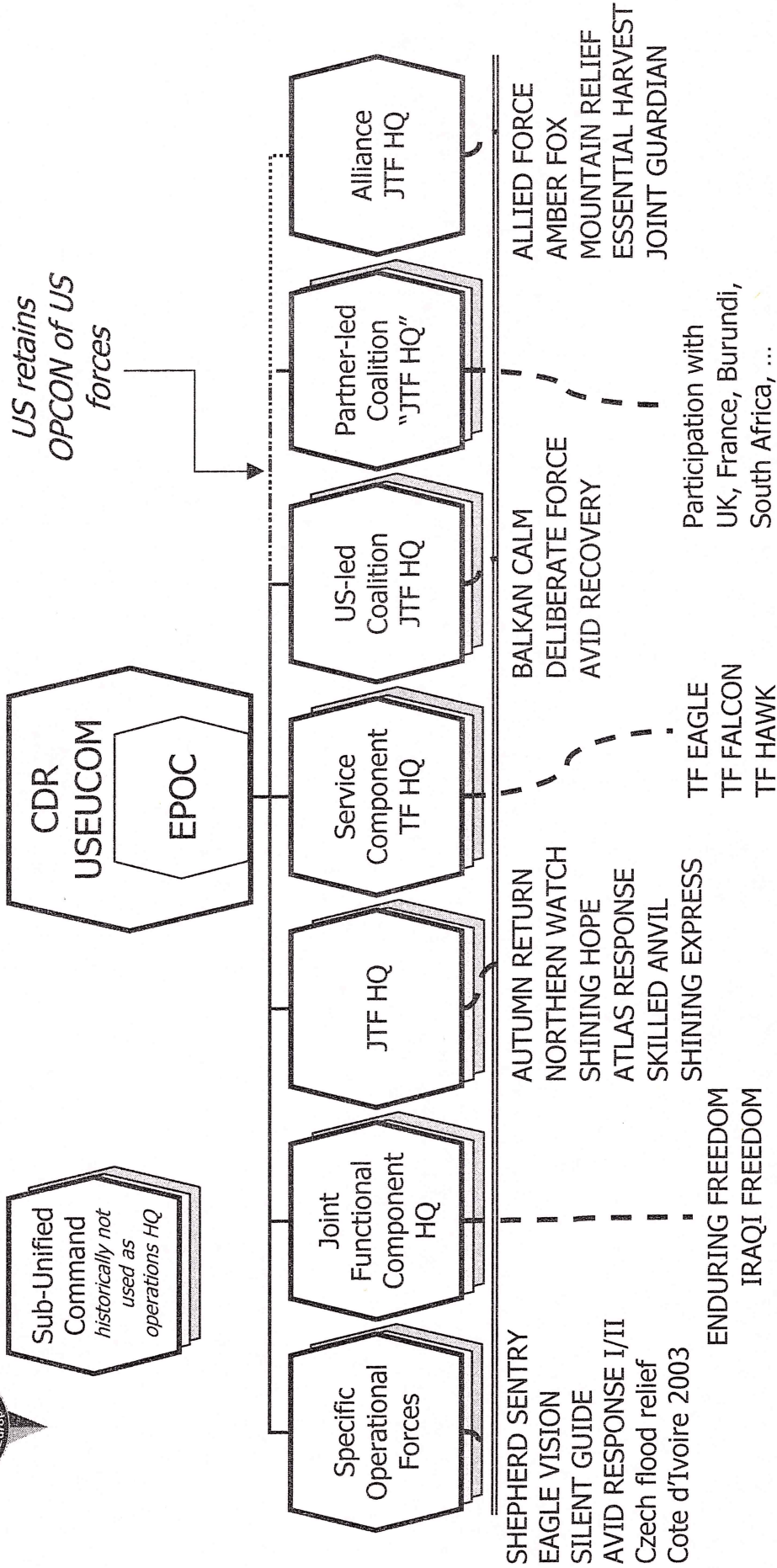
As required by NATO.

Organization:

5-person team.



Options in USEUCOM



- Recent experience with these subordinate formations
- Multiple, different, concurrent structures is the norm