BUNDESWEHR GEOINFORMATION SERVICE

The Bundeswehr Geoinformation Service (BGIS) ensures GeoInfo support for the entire Bundeswehr task spectrum. This effort goes along with the situation- and level-specific collection of the geofactors in the area concerned for all users to enable accurate positioning, navigation and precise targeting.

The Bundeswehr Geoinformation Centre (BGIC) is the central agency of the BGIS. Under organisational/administrative aspects, it is subordinate to the German Cyber and Information Domain Headquarters and under technical aspects, to the German Federal Ministry of Defence, Directorate General Cyber and Information Technology. The BGIC is one of the Federal Research Institutes.

~1.700
staff of the BGIS

~1.000
staff of the BGIC in Euskirchen

5
locations ZGeoBw

~300
staff holding an academic degree

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GEOINFORMATION FROM A SINGLE-SOURCE PROVIDER

Under this motto, up-to-date and quality-assured geoinformation is provided for the planning, preparation, conduct and debriefing of operations abroad and for domestic routine duties not only to the Armed Forces but also to the civilian major organisational elements.

PRODUCTION AND PROVISION OF GEOINFORMATION

- ensure availability of up-to-date, quality-assured geoinformation on geofactors such as climate, terrain, soil and infrastructure
- include GeoInfo data collection, production and data management

GEOINFO ADVISORY SERVICES

- consist of interdisciplinary, geoscientific consultation on the impact of geofactors on Bundeswehr mission accomplishment
- support both the planning and conduct of operations as well as capability management at all command levels
- comprise a number of advisory fields, including, among others, meteorological oceanographic consultation with flight-weather and space-weather briefings, area-related operational advice, geological/biological/ecological briefings and advisory services for positioning, navigation and timing

GEOSCIENTIFIC RESEARCH

- provides mission-related geoscientific fundamentals as part of the BGIC's activities
- is based on the methods and procedures of the GeoInfo support and in line with the current geoscientific developments and trends
- depends on the following prerequisites for its implementation: requirement-oriented approach, based on the Bundeswehr's capability profile and the areas of future development, networking with the science and research domains and exploitation for the Bundeswehr



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GEOINFO SUPPORT

- is a sub-task in the Bundeswehr's capability profile and, as a Bundeswehr-wide, crossorganisational support service, is assigned to all tasks derived from the Bundeswehr Concept
- is dedicated to the production and provision of geoinformation, execution of GeoInfo advisory services and advancement of geoscientific research

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