

OUR ASPIRATION

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We. Train. Logistics.

- We impart, train and enhance logistic and tactical capabilities in an innovative and realistic training/exercise environment;
- We encourage the application and exchange of information and experience regarding logistic doctrine;
- We develop the exercise participants' capabilities by practicing the combined use of logistic and tactical command and control as well as management information systems, and thus enable them to build confidence in their own skills;
- Our self-image is based upon quality, responsibility, and the pursuit of continuous improvement, and aims to enable logistic specialist and command personnel to collaborate in shaping the armed forces' cold-start capabilities and sustainability, and to successfully meet the ever-changing logistic requirements across the entire task spectrum of the Bundeswehr.



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PREFACE



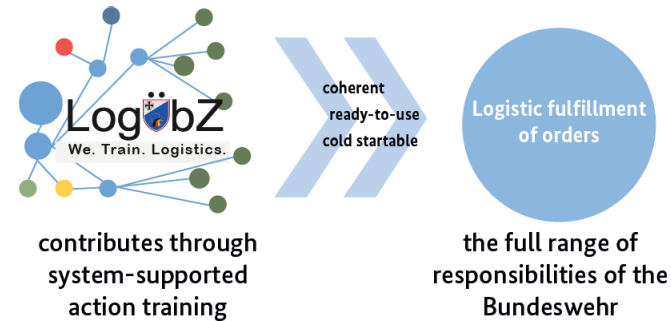
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Ladies and Gentlemen,

Since it was established in 2006, the Logistics Training Centre has provided basic, advanced, and sustainment training for logistic units from all major organizational elements, as well as pre-deployment training for logistic command and specialist personnel. Originally focusing on the traditional training of military contingents for deployment in international crisis and conflict management missions, the Logistic Training Centre has constantly adapted its training portfolio to current and future requirements. Our priority has shifted to the training of logistic forces in their role as a support provider as part of the national and collective defence effort. In exercise rotations, the Joint Support and Enabling Service's logistic units practice the tactical and technical cooperation with logistic forces/units from other services/dimensions and/or major organizational elements. The logistic network to be established for ensuring support, especially when it comes to the Bundeswehr's contribution to collective defence, plays a central role in this process. Our framework setting has been the ALTRAVERDO Logistik scenario. Still, we are not going to let our hard-earned pre-deployment training expertise wither on the vine. By deploying materiel management expert teams to ongoing operations and missions, we will keep up to date and continue to be able to incorporate lessons learned into the mission-oriented practical training. Thus, we can ensure that our troops are prepared the best way possible for their logistic tasks prior to deployment. All these activities have made the Logistics Training Centre a well-established platform for the exchange of logistic information and experience. But more than anything, it is a facility for practicing and validating concepts of C² and operational doctrine, procedures, and structures in the field of logistics.

We look forward to you visiting the LTC or joining us in training!

OUR MISSION



The Logistic Training Centre's core mission is to contribute to coherent, operational, and cold-start capable logistic support from an in-theatre logistic network and throughout the Bundeswehr's spectrum of tasks by conducting system-based practical training.

We continuously adapt to the needs of our „customers“ to accomplish our mission.

However, our services will continue to pivot around the following:

- Use of SASPF as the central management information system in the field of logistics;
- Use of the armed forces' established C² and information systems in basic and follow-on training, e.g. the Battle Management System (BMS)
- Conduct of exercise rotations, also as part of the QUADRIGA exercise cluster, i.e. to practice the tactical and logistic interaction between logistic units of various echelons (Coy/Bn/Regt) in the logistic network as part of a common exercise scenario focusing on national and collective defence;
- Conduct pre-deployment training, i.e. practical training based on real-data and current directives for logistic command and specialist personnel, tactical leaders, and personnel earmarked for deployment with a Field Office of Defence Administration;
- Provide technical advice and support during the planning, preparation, and execution of logistic map and command post exercises.

OUR PORTFOLIO

- Conduct of exercise rotations for practicing the tactical-logistic doctrines of HQs and/or staff elements in interaction with other major organizational elements (essentially command post exercises) ...
 - * at the battalion headquarters level, involving interaction between Joint Support and Enabling Service logistic battalions and logistic units of the Bundeswehr's services, e.g. Army combat service support battalions or Air Force logistics units (exercise rotation BLUE CORE);
 - * within the in-theatre logistic network with the Joint Support and Enabling Service's HQ Logistic Regiment as the primary exercise participant. This involves the integration of the areas to be supported (e.g. the division's or brigade's G4 division, Army combat service support battalions, Air Force logistics units, etc.) as exercise elements in order to train and optimize cooperation (exercise rotation BLUE NET);

We also offer extension modules to supplement the above exercise rotations:

- * Training Training of specialised Army service companies, such as airborne service companies, or mountain service companies;
- * Provision of training tasks to a brigade's or division's G4 division involved in an exercise at the brigade and/or division level, e.g. as a reality check for tactical and logistic planning.
- Conduct of practical pre-deployment training ("contingent training")
- Support of ongoing operations with logistic expertise from the materiel management expert team
- Exchange of information and experience on C²/operational structures and procedures, and logistic concepts, as well as their reviewing during exercise rotations and/or pre deployment training
- Provision of advice and support in the planning, preparation, and execution of exercises with logistic components, e.g. at the Army Combat Training Centre, or the Bydgoszcz Joint Force Training Centre (JFTC) in Poland

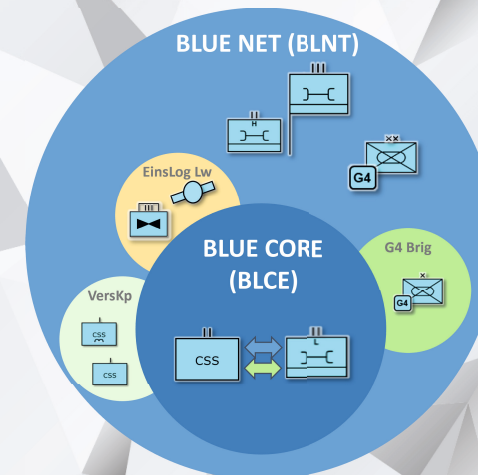
OUR AMBITION

As the Bundeswehr's unique and central logistics training installation, we constantly aspire to offer training and exercises focused on the needs of the Bundeswehr's logistic forces, not only to promote coherency within the logistics forces, but first and foremost to ensure their operational readiness and fitness for war.

In this respect, our current focus certainly is on the logistic support of the Bundeswehr's contribution to collective defence. It is our intention to act as the training platform for the mandatory logistic network.

Our core competence, the traditional contingent training of logistic specialist and command personnel prior to deployment in crisis and conflict management missions, will remain part of the Logistic Training Centre's portfolio.

MODULAR PRACTICE LANDSCAPE



OUR RESOURCES

Our structure follows the Logistic Command and Control, Maintenance and Production, Materiel Management, and Movement and Transport logistic business processes. It is complemented by the simulation and evaluation capacities of the S2/S3 Tactics sections;

Our hand-picked personnel has a wealth of operational experience. Highly skilled in their respective logistic business processes, our qualified tactics and logistics instructors can flexibly adjust to the exercise units' individual skill level;

Our expansive training environment grants us the opportunity to efficiently practice the elements of several command posts simultaneously without great effort. It is possible to set up and connect own C² facilities in the available open spaces. Moreover, there is room for accommodating major staff elements at the Bundeswehr Logistics School, e.g. at the Joint Logistic Group Coordination and Training Centre (JCTC).

