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Combined Forces Air Component Commander 2007-2012 Airpower Statistics

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OPERATION ENDURING FREEDOM/International Security Assistance Force

Close Air Support

Sorties		Sorties w/Weapons	
2009	27,815	2009	1733
2010	32928*	2010	1816
2011	34286*	2011	1982*
2012	12309*	2012	485*

Weapons Releases

Less Activity More Activity

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
2009	163	203	364	465	456	442	384	445	254	541	238	208	4,163
2010	157	154	175	197	300	457	325	415	740	1,043	866	272	5,101
2011*	405	341	337	339	426	610	695	516	597	661	308	174	5,409
2012*	170	116	224	251	405								1,166

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Combined Data

	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012
Intel, Surveillance and Recon Sorties	11,202	16,193	18,898	28,747	38,198	14,048
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Airlift Sorties	56,179	51,945	52,905	63,324	58,914	16,825
Airlift Cargo (Short Tons)	270,007	251,738	264,839	63,324	230,230	101,944
Airlift Passengers	1,177,533	1,269,710	1,301,740	1,369,002	1,114,376	353,280
OEF Supplies Airdropped (Pounds)	8,182,066	16576297	32,267,606	60,400,000	75,956,235	20,806,118
Tanker Sorties	15,875	18,361	17,465	17,296	19,469	6,420
Fuel Offloaded (Millions of Pounds)	946	1,106	1,076	1,050	1,095	414
Aircraft Refueled	79,798	86,288	82,095	82,603	90,476	27,623
Personnel Recovery / Medevac Sorties	51	184	6,903**	9,701	7,382	2,801

*Data recalculated since last update

**Tracking of U.S. Air Force Personnel Recovery aircrews assisting the U.S. Army casualty-evacuation mission began in January 2009

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