

Iraqi Order of Battle (OOB)

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Information Cut Off Date: 31 July 2010

Bold means in-lead or independent. No location means un-located. Locations in Black are over a year old.

Aug09/Sep09/Oct09/Nov09/Dec09/Jan10/Feb10/Mar10/Apr10/May10/Jun10/Location Jul10

Command

Equipment/Notes

Iraqi Air Force (IZAF)

JFC Subordinate; Rotary assets xferred to AAC - listed under IGFC

IZAF Operational Headquarters-Baghdad (Camp Victory)
Air Operations Center-Baghdad (Camp Victory)
Headquarters Defense Unit (Bn) -Baghdad (Camp Victory)

Air Defense Brigade
Central Sector Operations Center-Taji AB
Northern Sector Operations Center-Kirkuk
Western Sector Operations Center-Al Asad
Southern Sector Operations Center-Tallil

planned to be formed by 2012
building
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Planned
building

Ali (Tallil) Regional Air Base

Ali AB HQ and Support Unit (Bn) -Tallil
Ali AB Defense Unit (Bn) -Tallil
70th Reconnaissance Squadron -Tallil

MOB
CH2000/SBL-360;

New Al Muthanna Regional Air Base (BIAP)

New Al Muthanna AB HQ and Support Unit (Bn) -NAMAB
New Al Muthanna AB Defense Unit (Bn) -NAMAB
23rd Transport Squadron-NAMAB
87th Reconnaissance Squadron-NAMAB
?? Transport Squadron-

IZAF Transport wing Base; MOB
Includes Air Medical Center
3x C-130E; 4x C-130J-30 in 2010/11; 2 more in 2012
KA350 ISR/LTA; Recon/transport; FMC end-2009
Planned; 10 AN-32s ordered from Ukraine; 1st delv Fall2010

Tikrit Regional Air Base

Tikrit AB HQ and Support Unit (Bn) -Tikrit
Tikrit AB Defense Unit (Bn) -Tikrit

New Training Base; MOB

Air Academy-Tikrit

first classes in mid-2010; Officer Academy training

Iraqi Air Force College

Air Force Enlisted Basic Military Training-Taji AB
Warrant Officer Course-Taji AB

first courses in Jan10; Eventually 1,500 students planned
Probably moving to Tikrit
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Flight Training Wing

- 1st Flight Training Squadron-Kirkuk AB**
- ??? Training Squadron-training in Serbia
- ??? Training Squadron-Tikrit (first inst class)

Moving to Tikrit; still in Kirkuk Feb10
Basic Flt Trng; 18xC172; Moving to Tikrit
Serb rptg, no-Iq: 20x Lasta-95 order; 9 delv/all by end-10
Adv Trng; 8 T-6A; 7 more by end-10; 20x max order

Kirkuk Regional Air Base (Kirkuk IAP)

- Kirkuk AB HQ and Support Unit (Bn) -Kirkuk AB**
- Kirkuk AB Defense Unit (Bn) -Kirkuk AB**
- 3rd Reconnaissance Squadron-Kirkuk AB**

IZAF Flight Training Base until trng moved to Tikrit; FOB

RC-/AC-/C-208 Caravan ISR/LTA; A/G trng Apr09

Al Asad Regional Air Base

- Al Asad AB HQ and Support Unit (Bn) -Al Asad
- Al Asad AB Defense Unit (Bn) -

FOB
planned 2012
planned 2012

Balad Regional Air Base

- Balad AB HQ and Support Unit (Bn) -Balad
- Balad AB Defense Unit (Bn) -

FOB

Q-West Regional Air Base

- Q-West AB HQ and Support Unit (Bn) -Q-West
- Q-West AB Defense Unit (Bn) -Q-West

FOB; F16s/new helos?
Base turn over to IqAF July 2010

Additional IZAF Squadrons Planned (13):

- ??? Fighter Squadron-
- ??? Fighter Squadron-
- ??? Fighter Squadron-
- ??? Fighter Squadron-
- ??? Fighter Squadron-
- ??? Reconnaissance Squadron-
- ??? (Jet) Training Squadron
- ??? Transport Squadron-
- ??? unknown Squadron
- ??? unknown Squadron
- ??? unknown Squadron
- ??? unknown Squadron
- ??? unknown Squadron

21 sqs plan'd, 8 formed(ing), current A/C orders infer:
planned 2015; 96 total F16C/D planned by 2020;
planned 2016; 96 total F16C/D planned by 2020;
planned 2017; 96 total F16C/D planned by 2020;
planned 2018; 96 total F16C/D planned by 2020;
Prob planned; 96 total F16C/D planned by 2020;
was planned; 36x AT-6B; incorp recon sqs forming 1 more Sq
planned; competition for 24 T-50, Hawk, or Maki 346
Poss planned; More AN-32s to be ordered from Ukraine?
fighter squadron? [Rafale?]
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