MISSION

Provide the Warfighter realistic and comprehensive mission training opportunities through the use of Yuma Proving Ground ranges, facilities and support capabilities.

VISION

Continue planned enhancements and expansion that will assure the Warfighter adequate land and airspace to deploy and train with the latest technology in the battlefield environment of today and tomorrow.



YUMA PROVING GROUND • YUMA TEST CENTER

Yuma Proving Ground, one of the largest DoD installations (827,000 acres) is located in the southwest corner of Arizona on the Colorado river, midway between Phoenix and San Diego. Year round temperatures range between an average high of 110°, from June - August, to an average low of 49°, from September - April. Average rainfall is 3.5″ annually.



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TRAINING EXERCISE MANAGEMENT OFFICE



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TEMO is Yuma Test Center and Yuma Proving Ground point of contact for units and organizations desiring to train on the Installation. A Training Exercise Manager is assigned to each activity to assist with all mission support requirements while on YPG. The Training Exercise Manager coordinates all facilities and ranges in addition to most of the logistical support required to execute the training event. Additionally, TEMO provides mission support to Operational Tests (OT), Initial Operator Training and Evaluation (IOT&E) as well as other governmental agencies like Department of Justice and Department of Homeland Security. The unique combination of capabilities to support land and air activities, as well as the close proximity to the Colorado River, makes YPG a premier location to conduct individual, collective, combined and joint training.



FORWARD OPERATING BASE

- · 23 acres fenced-in area
- 32 concrete tent pads with electric hookups and area lighting
- Headquarters building with commercial internet
- Warehouse building w/office spaces & commercial Intranet
- Four maintenance shelters
- Ammunition holding area
- Shower trailers
- Washer and dryer hookups
- Large shade structure with picnic tables for outdoor mess facility or classes
- Loading ramp
- Adjacent to Laguna Army Airfield
- Walk-in coolers/freezers

GRAZE RANGE COMPLEX

- 1100 meter .50 caliber machine-gun range
- 1100 meter MK-19 Automatic Grenade Launcher (target practice ammunition only)
- 300 meter M203 Grenade Launcher range (target practice ammunition only)
- 300 meter field fire range for crew-served and individual weapons (7.62 millimeter and below)
- 100 meter individual weapon flat range
- 800 meter long vehicle gunnery course (7.62 millimeter and below)
- Fragmentation Grenade range
- Team/Squad live fire



CASTLE DOME ANNEX RANGE

- 50 meter flat range
- Pistol
- Rifle
- Shotgun
- Sub machine-gun
- Afghan Alley

NORTH PAD RANGE

- Crew-served weapons (.50 caliber and below)
- High-explosive 40mm Grenade Range
- Shoulder-fired anti-tank weapon (AT4 & Javelin)
- Mortar training

CONVOY LIVE FIRE RANGE

- 5 kilometer unimproved road (.50 caliber and below)
- 7 kilometer trail and natural terrain, .50 caliber machine-gun capable (unlimited fan)

PROSPECT SQUARE

- Aviation gunnery
- Close air support training
- Mortar training
- Artillery training
- Tow Gunnery
- · Platoon/Co. combined arms live fire exercises

STINGER RANGE

- Shoulder-fired Stinger gunnery
- · Stationary, moving and remote Avenger gunnery
- Stationary and moving M3P machine-gun gunnery

EAST IMPACT RANGE

- Demolitions training
- Rapid runway repair training
- Bivouac

TRAINING AREA BRAVO

- Mounted and dismounted maneuver in desert-riverine vegetation
- Driver training
- Land navigation
- Water purification training
- Vehicle fording

K-9 VILLAGE, SITE 2 & WEST LA TOWN

- Military Operations in Urban Terrain
- Dismounted maneuver
- Convoy through populated area
- Airmobile training
- Tactical unmanned aerial vehicle training



TEST AREAS AVAILABLE FOR USE

- Drop zones
- Assault landing zone
- Aircraft forward area rearm/refuel point
- Combat aircraft loading area
- Numerous vehicle driving courses
- Fording basin
- Unmanned Aerial Vehicle launch facilities