

New look NATO

The new NATO strategy calls for smaller, more flexible forces, a greater emphasis on diplomacy to solve crises and less reliance on nuclear weapons

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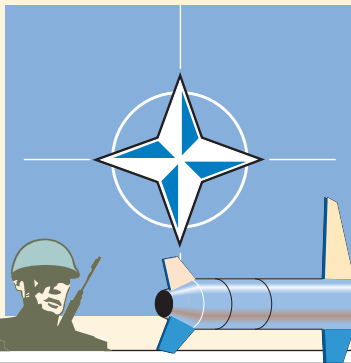
U.S. to cut troops stationed in Europe from 305,000 to 150,000



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NATO to cut nuclear arsenal by 80 per cent.

Nuclear artillery or ground-launched short-range nuclear missiles to be eliminated



Rapid Deployment Force

PROPOSED

n Airforce

200 aircraft. Germany is offering a combined air operations centre and mobile command-and-control system

n Italian-led division

Italian, Greek and Turkish troops

n Rapid-reaction force

Several thousand troops ready to respond within 72 hours

n Naval unit - Size to be decided



n Air-mobile division

Comprised of British, German, Dutch and Belgium units

n Armoured divisions

A British armoured division based in Germany and a light division based in the UK

