



The ARNG Evolutionary Response

Is this an evolutionary or revolutionary change?

- Strategic Reserve
- **All Volunteer Force**

ARNG 1.0

1973 - 1983

801/402/240

- Vietnam Hang Over
- Total Force Policy/ Abrams Doctrine
- Large Active Component
- Cold War

- All Volunteer Force
- Strategic Reserve but **portions operational for Desert Shield / Desert Storm**
- **Limited Modernization**

ARNG 2.0

1984 - 1991

780/425/360

- Reagan Era Build Up
- Tiered Readiness
- One Army Standard
- 39 days + KPUP
- Active Component RIF
- Cold War Ends

- All Volunteer Force
- Strategic Reserve but portions operational for rotational missions
- **1993 Offsite – ARNG Combat Reserve**

ARNG 2.5

1992 – 2001

610/422/310

- AC RIF – “Peace Dividend”
- e-Bde/ FSP
- Round-out Concept
- Title 11

- All Volunteer Force
- ARNG Combat Reserve
- **Enhanced DSCA**
- **CSTs / GMD**
- **Operational Force for Predictable Rotational Missions during Wars**
- **Increased Modernization**
- **Increased PME / CTC Rotations**

ARNG 3.0

2001- 2017

490/350/205

- GWOT
- Mob/ Deploy
- Increased Homeland Defense
- ARFORGEN Model
- NORTHCOM

- All Volunteer Force
- ARNG Combat Reserve
- Enhanced DSCA
- CSTs / GMD / **Cyber**
- Increased Modernization
- Increased PME / CTC Rotations
- **Operational Force for Rotational Missions OTW**
- **Operational Reserve for Short-notice Contingency Ops**

ARNG 4.0

2017 +

476/343/199

- Persistent Conflict
- OPLANs
- 49/54 Days
- ODT
- 4 +1
- Ready and More Ready
- Warfighter Culture
- Smaller Active Component

**Authorized End Strength(k)
AC/ARNG/USAR**