

## SPECIAL OPERATIONS ASSOCIATION APPROVED UNITS LIST

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### WORLD WAR II ERA

<u>UNIT</u>	<u>SERVICE BRANCH</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>INCLUSIVE DATES</u>	<u>COMMENTS</u>
5307 <sup>th</sup> PROVISIONAL/ MERRILL'S MARAUDERS	U.S. ARMY	BURMA/CHINA/INDIA	AUG 1943-10 AUG 1944	
ALAMO SCOUTS	U.S. ARMY	PACIFIC THEATER	1941-1945	
OSS	U.S. ARMY	EUROPE/ASIA	1941-1945	SOME FAR EAST ALSO

### KOREAN WAR ERA

<u>UNIT</u>	<u>SERVICE BRANCH</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>INCLUSIVE DATES</u>	<u>COMMENTS</u>
8240 AU	U.S. ARMY	KOREA	10 DEC 1951-30 APR 1954	UNPFK, UNPIK

### VIETNAM WAR ERA

<u>UNIT</u>	<u>SERVICE BRANCH</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>INCLUSIVE DATES</u>	<u>COMMENTS</u>
158 <sup>th</sup> AHB, A Co (Phoenix)	U.S. ARMY	VIETNAM		CCN
158 <sup>TH</sup> AHB, B Co (Lancers)	U.S. ARMY	VIETNAM		CCN
17 <sup>th</sup> AVN CO	U.S. ARMY	VIETNAM	AFTER TET-1968	CCN, Became B Co AHB
17 <sup>th</sup> Cav-2 <sup>nd</sup> SQ, A,B,C Troops	U.S. ARMY	VIETNAM	AFTER TET	CCN
188 <sup>th</sup> AHC	U.S. ARMY	VIETNAM	JULY 1968	CCN
77 <sup>th</sup> ARA, 4 <sup>th</sup> BN	U.S. ARMY	VIETNAM	AFTER TET	CCN
101 <sup>st</sup> AHB, A CO (Comancheros)	U.S. ARMY	VIETNAM		CCN
101 <sup>ST</sup> AHB, B CO (Kingsmen)	U.S. ARMY	VIETNAM	1968	CCN
101 <sup>st</sup> AHB, C CO (Black Widows)	U.S. ARMY	VIETNAM	AFTER TET-1972	CCN
101 <sup>ST</sup> AHB, D CO (Hawks)	U.S. ARMY	VIETNAM	AFTER TET	CCN
119 <sup>TH</sup> AHC	U.S. ARMY	VIETNAM	27 JUN 1966	
119 <sup>TH</sup> AHC	U.S. ARMY	VIETNAM	DEC 1966 – LATE 1967	CCC, OMEGA
119 <sup>TH</sup> AHC	U.S. ARMY	VIETNAM	28 MAR 1967-16 MAY 1967	
119 <sup>TH</sup> AHC	U.S. ARMY	VIETNAM	23 OCT 1967 – 25 OCT 1967	
119 <sup>TH</sup> AHC	U.S. ARMY	VIETNAM	25 NOV 1967- 28 JAN 1968	

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145 <sup>TH</sup> AIRLIFT PLATOON	U.S. ARMY	VIETNAM	06 JAN 1965-25 JAN 1966	AIR ASSET DELTA
155 <sup>TH</sup> AHC	U.S. ARMY	VIETNAM	23 OCT 1966	CCS
155 <sup>TH</sup> AHC	U.S. ARMY	VIETNAM	01 NOV 1966-30 NOV 1966	CCS
170 <sup>TH</sup> AHC	U.S. ARMY	VIETNAM	01 JAN 1967-15 SEP 1967	CCC
170 <sup>TH</sup> AHC	U.S. ARMY	VIETNAM	24 MAR 1968-01 MAY 1968	CCC
170 <sup>TH</sup> AHC	U.S. ARMY	VIETNAM	21 JAN 1970-16 MAR 1971	CCC
171 <sup>ST</sup> AVN CO, 2 <sup>ND</sup> PLATOON	U.S. ARMY	VIETNAM	25 JAN 1966-JUL 1966	AIR ASSET DELTA
176 <sup>TH</sup> AHC MUSKETS (GUNS ONLY)	U.S. ARMY	VIETNAM		GUN PLATOON ONLY
*(17 <sup>TH</sup> SOS)	U.S. AIR FORCE	VIETNAM		ASSOC ONLY – BECAME 71 <sup>ST</sup> SOS
188 <sup>TH</sup> AHC	U.S. ARMY	VIETNAM	06 DEC 1967-29 JAN 1968	B-36
188 <sup>TH</sup> AHC	U.S. ARMY	VIETNAM	APR 1968-JUN 1968	B-36
189 <sup>TH</sup> AHC	U.S. ARMY	VIETNAM	15 SEP 1967-25 NOV 1967	CCC
189 <sup>TH</sup> AHC	U.S. ARMY	VIETNAM	01 OCT 1967-JAN 1968	FOB 2
189 <sup>TH</sup> AHC	U.S. ARMY	VIETNAM	01 FEB 1969-06 MAR 1969	FOB 2
*(18 <sup>TH</sup> SOS)	U.S. AIR FORCE	VIETNAM		ASSOCIATE ONLY
195 <sup>TH</sup> AHC	U.S. ARMY	VIETNAM	01 DEC 1967-30 JUN 1970	SIGMA, OMEGA, DELTA, CCS
19 <sup>TH</sup> TASS	U.S. AIR FORCE	VIETNAM		FAC FOR PROJECT DELTA
*(1 <sup>ST</sup> AIR COMMANDO SQUADRON)	U.S. AIR FORCE	VIETNAM		ASSOCIATE ONLY
1 <sup>ST</sup> FLIGHT DETACHMENT	U.S. AIR FORCE	VIETNAM	24 JAN 1964-31 DEC 1971	
*(1 <sup>ST</sup> SOS)	U.S. AIR FORCE	VIETNAM		ASSOCIATE ONLY
20 <sup>TH</sup> HELICOPTER SQUADRON	U.S. AIR FORCE	VIETNAM	01 JUN 1967-31 AUG 1968	
*(20 <sup>TH</sup> SOS)	U.S. AIR FORCE	VIETNAM	01 NOV 1968-31 MAR 1972	CCS
20 <sup>TH</sup> TASS	U.S. AIR FORCE	VIETNAM		
219 <sup>TH</sup> AV CO, 4 <sup>TH</sup> PLATOON	U.S. ARMY	VIETNAM	THROUGH AUG 1971	FAC FOR CCN, CCC, CCS
219 <sup>TH</sup> HELICOPTER SQUADRON	VIETNAMESE AIR FORCE	VIETNAM		
21 <sup>ST</sup> SOS	U.S. AIR FORCE	VIETNAM	1969-1970	CCN, CCC
21 <sup>ST</sup> TASS	U.S. AIR FORCE	VIETNAM		PROJECT DELTA
*(22 <sup>ND</sup> SOS)	U.S. AIR FORCE	VIETNAM		ASSOCIATE ONLY
23 <sup>RD</sup> TASS	U.S. AIR FORCE	VIETNAM		
281 <sup>ST</sup> AHC	U.S. ARMY	VIETNAM	09 JUN 1966-31 DEC 1969	DELTA PROJECT
281 <sup>ST</sup> AHC	U.S. ARMY	VIETNAM	01 JAN 1970-31 DEC 1970	OFF & ON FOR CCC
361 <sup>ST</sup> AVN CO	U.S. ARMY	VIETNAM	01 OCT 1968-STAND DOWN	CCC, COBRAS FOR 170 <sup>TH</sup> SAME
*(3 <sup>RD</sup> SOS)	U.S. AIR FORCE	VIETNAM		ASSOCIATE ONLY
403 <sup>RD</sup> SOD ASA	U.S. ARMY	VIETNAM		ASSOCIATE ONLY – UNDER C-5
40 <sup>TH</sup> AERIAL RECOVERY SQUADRON	U.S. AIR FORCE	VIETNAM		JOLLY GREENS – SOG
46 <sup>TH</sup> SF CO, SPECIFIC INDIVIDUALS	U.S. ARMY	LAOS		ONLY SPECIFIC NAMED INDIV
*(4 <sup>TH</sup> SOS)	U.S. AIR FORCE	VIETNAM		ASSOCIATE ONLY
57 <sup>TH</sup> AHC	U.S. ARMY	VIETNAM	15 SEP 1967-FEB 1969	
57 <sup>TH</sup> AHC	U.S. ARMY	VIETNAM	24 JAN 1968-MAR 1968	

57 <sup>TH</sup> AHC	U.S. ARMY	VIETNAM	01 FEB 1968-31 MAR 1968	FOB 2
57 <sup>TH</sup> AHC	U.S. ARMY	VIETNAM	01 OCT 1968-30 NOV 1968	FOB 2
57 <sup>TH</sup> AHC	U.S. ARMY	VIETNAM	07 MAR 1969-FEB 1970	FOB 2
*(602 <sup>ND</sup> SOS)	U.S. AIR FORCE	VIETNAM		ASSOCIATE ONLY
6 <sup>TH</sup> AVN PLATOON	U.S. ARMY	VIETNAM	DEC 1966-JUN 1966	AIR ASSET DELTA
*(6 <sup>TH</sup> SOS)	U.S. AIR FORCE	VIETNAM		ASSOCIATE ONLY
*(71 <sup>ST</sup> SOS)	U.S. AIR FORCE	VIETNAM		ASSOCIATE ONLY
*(8 <sup>TH</sup> SOS)	U.S. AIR FORCE	VIETNAM		ASSOCIATE ONLY
90 <sup>TH</sup> AS	U.S. AIR FORCE	VIETNAM		ASSOCIATE ONLY
B-36 MGF	U.S. ARMY	VIETNAM		
B-50 OMEGA	U.S. ARMY	VIETNAM	01 JUN 1967-31 OCT 1967	
B-52 DELTA	U.S. ARMY	VIETNAM	15 MAY 1964-30 JUN 1970	
B-55	U.S. ARMY	VIETNAM		
B-56 SIGMA	U.S. ARMY	VIETNAM	THROUGH 31 OCT 1967	
B-57 GAMMA	U.S. ARMY	VIETNAM		
C & C DETACHMENT	U.S. ARMY	VIETNAM	01 JAN 1965-31 DEC 1968	
CCC	U.S. ARMY	VIETNAM	01 JAN 1969-31 DEC 1971	
CCN	U.S. ARMY	VIETNAM	01 JAN 1968-31 DEC 1971	
CCS	U.S. ARMY	VIETNAM	01 NOV 1967-01 NOV 1971	
CO. E, DET C-5	U.S. ARMY	VIETNAM	01 JUN 1967-31 OCT 1967	
CSD –COMB STUDIES DIV	U.S. ARMY	VIETNAM	1961-1966	
CTs	U.S. ARMY	VIETNAM		ONLY IF PART OF DELTA
DET 1-314 TROOP CARRIER WING	U.S. ARMY	S.E. ASIA	20 OCT 1966-15 MAR 1968	PUC, PO 182-02, BD APPROVED
FOB 1 THROUGH 6	U.S. ARMY	VIETNAM		
*(FORCE RECON)	USMC	VIETNAM		MOS 8651 ONLY
HAL-3 SEAWOLVES	U.S. NAVY	VIETNAM		SEAL OPERATIONS
HMH-463	USMC	VIETNAM	01 SEP 1970-30 SEP 1970	OPERATION TAILWIND
HML-167	USMC	VIETNAM		FOLLOW-ON TO HML-367
HML-367	USMC	VIETNAM		OPERATION TAILWIND & CCN
MACV-SOG	U.S. ARMY	VIETNAM		
MIKE FORCE	U.S. ARMY	VIETNAM		
PRUs	U.S. ARMY	VIETNAM		
RAVENS	U.S. AIR FORCE	LAOS	THROUGH 1973	CIA FACs
SEAL TEAM 1	U.S. NAVY	VIETNAM		
SEAL TEAM 2	U.S. NAVY	VIETNAM		
SEAL ADVISERS to VN NAVY SEALs	US NAVY	VN		N. VN Coastal Operations
SON TAY RAIDERS	U.S. ARMY	VIETNAM		NAMED INDIVIDUALS
STD	ARVN	VIETNAM		OPERATIONAL ASSOC ONLY
STDAT or STDAT-158	U.S. ARMY	VIETNAM	APR 1972-24 APR 1975	US FORCES – ASSOC ONLY

<u>UNIT</u>	<u>SERVICE BRANCH</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>INCLUSIVE DATES</u>	<u>COMMENTS</u>
TCAE, TRAINING CENTER ADV ELEMENT	U.S. ARMY	VIETNAM	01 JAN 1971-30 APR 1972	ASSOCIATE ONLY
TF1AE	U.S. ARMY	VIETNAM	01 JAN 1971-30 APR 1972	
TF2AE	U.S. ARMY	VIETNAM	01 JAN 1971-30 APR 1972	
TF3AE	U.S. ARMY	VIETNAM	01 JAN 1971-30 APR 1972	
WHITE STAR	U.S. ARMY	LAOS	1952-1960	AKA WSMTT

### MODERN ERA NAMED OPERATIONS

#### *OPERATION IRAQI FREEDOM (OIF)*

<u>UNIT</u>	<u>SERVICE BRANCH</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>INCLUSIVE DATES</u>	<u>COMMENTS</u>
10 <sup>TH</sup> SF GROUP	U.S. ARMY	MIDDLE EAST	2001 – PRESENT	
10 <sup>th</sup> SFG	US ARMY	Bosnia/Kosovo	1995-2002	Classified
*(1-10 <sup>th</sup> CIF)	US ARMY	IRAQ	2005-6	attached to JSOC
SEAL Teams	US Navy	Bosnia	1995-2002	Classified
160 <sup>TH</sup> SOAR	U.S. ARMY	IRAQ	2003-PRESENT	
16 <sup>TH</sup> SOS	U.S. AIR FORCE	MIDDLE EAST		SOCOM OPS ONLY
20 <sup>TH</sup> SF GROUP, 1 <sup>ST</sup> BN	U.S. ARMY	MIDDLE EAST	2001-PRESENT	SOCOM OPS ONLY
20 <sup>TH</sup> STS	U.S. AIR FORCE	SOCOM OPS		
21 <sup>ST</sup> STS	U.S. AIR FORCE	SOCOM OPS		
3 <sup>RD</sup> SF GROUP	U.S. ARMY	MIDDLE EAST	2001-PRESENT	SOCOM OPS ONLY
5 <sup>TH</sup> SF GROUP	U.S. ARMY	MIDDLE EAST	2001-PRESENT	SOCOM OPS ONLY
*(7 <sup>th</sup> SFG CIF)	US ARMY	IRAQ	2003-Present	IRAQ CT UNIT
75 <sup>TH</sup> RANGER REGIMENT	U.S. ARMY			SOCOM OPS ONLY
*(919 <sup>TH</sup> SOW)	U.S. AIR FORCE		SOCOM OPS ONLY	ASSOCIATE ONLY
CCT	U.S. AIR FORCE			SOCOM OPS ONLY
*(FORCE RECON)	USMC		SOCOM OPS ONLY	MOS 0321 ONLY
*JSOC Operational Units				SOCOM OPS ONLY
ODA-062	U.S. ARMY	IRAQ	2003	
SEAL TEAMS 1-5, 7 & 8	U.S. NAVY		SOCOM OPS ONLY	
SEAL TEAM 10	U.S. NAVY		SOCOM OPS ONLY	
*(USACAPOC)	U.S. ARMY		SOCOM OPS ONLY	

#### *OPERATION ENDURING FREEDOM (OEF)*

<u>UNIT</u>	<u>SERVICE BRANCH</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>INCLUSIVE DATES</u>	<u>COMMENTS</u>
160 <sup>TH</sup> SOAR	U.S. ARMY	AFGHANISTAN	2002- PRESENT	
16 <sup>TH</sup> SOS	U.S. AIR FORCE	MIDDLE EAST		
19 <sup>TH</sup> SF GROUP	U.S. ARMY	AFGHANISTAN	24 JUN 2005-PRESENT	ONLY SR
20 <sup>TH</sup> SF GROUP, 1 <sup>ST</sup> BN	U.S. ARMY	MIDDLE EAST	2001-PRESENT	SOCOM OPS ONLY

20 <sup>TH</sup> STS	U.S. AIR FORCE	SOCOM OPS		
21 <sup>ST</sup> STS	U.S. AIR FORCE	SOCOM OPS		
3 <sup>RD</sup> SF GROUP	U.S. ARMY	MIDDLE EAST	2001-PRESENT	SOCOM OPS ONLY
5 <sup>TH</sup> SF GROUP	U.S. ARMY	MIDDLE EAST	2001-PRESENT	SOCOM OPS ONLY
*(1 <sup>ST</sup> SF Group)	US. ARMY	Afghanistan	2003-Present	
1 BN 10 <sup>TH</sup> SFG	US ARMY	Afghanistan	2005-Present	
75 <sup>TH</sup> RANGER REGIMENT	U.S. ARMY			SOCOM OPS ONLY
*(919 <sup>TH</sup> SOW)	U.S. AIR FORCE		SOCOM OPS ONLY	ASSOCIATE ONLY
CCT	U.S. AIR FORCE			SOCOM OPS ONLY
*(FORCE RECON)	USMC		SOCOM OPS ONLY	MOS 0321 ONLY
JSOC Operational Units	JOINT			
ODA-555	U.S. ARMY/U.S. AIR FORCE CT	AFGHANISTAN	13 SEP 2001	FIRST INTO AFGHANISTAN
SEAL TEAMS 1-5, 7 & 8	U.S. NAVY		SOCOM OPS ONLY	
SEAL TEAM 10	U.S. NAVY		SOCOM OPS ONLY	
SEAL TEAM 3	U.S. NAVY	AFGHANISTAN	2002	
TF DAGGER	U.S. ARMY	AFGHANISTAN	2002	
*(USACAPOC)	U.S. ARMY	SOCOM OPS ONLY		

*OPERATION URGENT FURY (GRENADA)*

<u>UNIT</u>	<u>SERVICE BRANCH</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>INCLUSIVE DATES</u>	<u>COMMENTS</u>
160 <sup>TH</sup> SOAR	U.S. ARMY	GRENADA	25 OCT 1983-02 NOV 1983	
SEAL TEAM 6	U.S. NAVY	GRENADA	24 OCT 1983-02 NOV 1983	
SFOD-D	U.S. ARMY	GRENADA	25 OCT 1983-02 NOV 1983	
*(1 SOW)	USAF	Grenada		MC-130 & AC-130 SOS
*(CCT)	USAF			
*(160 <sup>th</sup> SOAR)				
*(SEAL TM # unknown)				

*OPERATION JUST CAUSE (PANAMA)*

<u>UNIT</u>	<u>SERVICE BRANCH</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>INCLUSIVE DATES</u>	<u>COMMENTS</u>
*(75 <sup>TH</sup> RANGER REGIMENT)	U.S. ARMY	PANAMA	1989	add all
*(CCT)				
SEAL Team 6 and 8				
*(1 SOW )				
SFOD				
*(Ranger Recon Det-75 <sup>th</sup> )				attached to Delta
*(3 <sup>rd</sup> Bn 7 <sup>th</sup> SFG )				Picora Bridge assault And other DA/SR

*OPERATION EAGLE CLAW (IRAN)*

<u>UNIT</u>	<u>SERVICE BRANCH</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>INCLUSIVE DATES</u>	<u>COMMENTS</u>
75 <sup>TH</sup> RANGER REGIMENT	U.S. ARMY	IRAN	1980	attached company
SFOD-D	U.S. ARMY	IRAN	1980	"DESERT ONE"
*(CCT)				
*(1 SOW)				MC-130's

*OPERATION RESTORE HOPE (SOMALIA)*

<u>UNIT</u>	<u>SERVICE BRANCH</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>INCLUSIVE DATES</u>	<u>COMMENTS</u>
*( 3 <sup>RD</sup> BN, 75 <sup>TH</sup> RANGERS)	U.S. ARMY	SOMALIA	1993-21 OCT 1993	TF RANGER
SFOD-D	U.S. ARMY	SOMALIA	1993	TF RANGER
*(160 <sup>th</sup> SOAR)				
*(CCT)				
*(1 SOW)				AC-130's

*OPERATION DESERT STORM (GULF WAR)*

<u>UNIT</u>	<u>SERVICE BRANCH</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>INCLUSIVE DATES</u>	<u>COMMENTS</u>
JSOC Operational Units				
SFOD-D	U.S. ARMY	PERSIAN GULF	1991	
CCT				
*(75 <sup>th</sup> Ranger TF (BN -))				
*(160 <sup>th</sup> SOAR)				
*(1 SOW )				MH-53's and MC/AC-130's