

MEF-level Operations

The Marine Corps is and will remain capable of conducting major operations in the littorals, ashore, and inland. These may include exploiting success in amphibious landings, turning an adversary's flank, or creating opportunities for future Joint force actions. The Marine Corps' ability to fight and win in major engagements is essential for our Nation – and required by law. Accordingly, we must:

- Continue to wargame challenging scenarios to draw out and understand the implications of the future operating environment for MEF-level operations.
- Configure the MEF CE to serve as a Combined or Joint Task Force HQ.
- Be prepared to perform large-scale, forcible entry operations.
- Remain ready to employ a MEF to conduct significant and sustained operations ashore as part of a Joint Task Force.