

## ART 7.1.2.6 Conduct a Spoiling Attack

A spoiling attack is an attack that preempts or seriously impairs an enemy attack while the enemy is planning or preparing for it. Normally conducted from a defensive posture, spoiling attacks strike where and when enemies are most vulnerable—during preparations for attack in assembly areas and attack positions or while they are moving toward their line of departure. Therefore, proper timing and coordination with higher headquarters are critical requirements for spoiling attacks. A spoiling attack depends on accurate information on enemy dispositions. (FM 3-90) (USACAC)

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### Supporting Collective Tasks:

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