

ART 3.1.2 Decide Surface Targets

Determine the targets that, if successfully attacked, will contribute to the success of the mission based on the commander's concept of operations and targeting guidance. Recommend how each target should be engaged in terms of the degree and duration based on commander's intent. Construct a highpayoff target list of prioritized targets. Determine target selection standards. Prepare the attack guidance matrix for the commander's approval. Prepare a targeting synchronization matrix. The matrix includes the prioritized high-payoff targets; intelligence, surveillance, and reconnaissance assets; target acquisition assets tasked to acquire them; attack resources tasked to attack them; desired effects and associated measures of performance and measures of effectiveness for assessment; and assets tasked to conduct assessment. Brief the targeting process products to the commander. Translate the commander's decisions into the operation order with annexes. (FM 6-20) (USAFAS)

NO.	Scale	Measure
01	Yes/No	Targets selected allowed for accomplishing the unit mission and commander's intent.
02	Yes/No	Unit reviewed selected targets for compliance with rules of engagement.
03	Yes/No	Unit integrated lethal fires into the targeting process.
04	Time	To create a target nomination list.
05	Time	To complete target prioritization.
06	Time	To determine moving target intercept points.
07	Time	To issue prohibited target guidance.
08	Time	To pass commander's guidance to targeting agencies.
09	Percent	Of high-payoff targets discovered resulting in a reprioritized target list.
10	Percent	Of potential targets subjected to systematic analysis.
11	Percent	Of potential targets analyzed within an established time.
12	Percent	Of selected targets that completed duplication checks.
13	Percent	Of selected high-payoff targets nominated for engagement.
14	Number	Of resources identified to support acquiring and

	engagement of targets.
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Supporting Collective Tasks:

Task No.	Title	Proponent	Echelon
06-5-5049	Establish a Fire Support Team Observation Post	06 - Field Artillery (Collective)	Team (TOE)
06-6-2030	Determine Threat Fire Support Courses Of Action	06 - Field Artillery (Collective)	Brigade
06-6-2035	Process Counterfire Target Information	06 - Field Artillery (Collective)	Brigade
06-6-5074	Analyze Targets	06 - Field Artillery (Collective)	Brigade
06-6-5078	Prepare Schedule of Fires	06 - Field Artillery (Collective)	Brigade