



U.S. ARMY SUSTAINMENT COMMAND

405TH ARMY FIELD SUPPORT BRIGADE

The 405th Army Field Support Brigade (AFSB) is assigned to Army Sustainment Command (ASC) and headquartered at Daenner Kaserne, Kaiserslautern, Germany.

The 405th AFSB provides Materiel Enterprise support to U.S. forces throughout Europe and Africa, providing theater sustainment logistics; synchronizing acquisition, logistics, and technology; and leveraging the Army Materiel Command (AMC) Materiel Enterprise to support joint forces.

The 405th AFSB is mission-focused and designed to synchronize and integrate AMC capabilities and enablers to deliver immediate readiness to the U.S. European Command (EUCOM) and the U.S. Africa Command (AFRICOM), maintain Army Prepositioned Stocks-2 (APS-2) and execute world-class Logistics Readiness Center operations.

The 405th AFSB consists of four Army Field Support Battalions (AFSBn) responsible for six APS-2 worksites; eight Logistics Readiness Centers (LRCs) executing installation logistics operations, plus a Logistics Civil Augmentation Program (LOGCAP) and Base Support Operations (BASOPS) Transportation and BASOPS Maintenance. The 405th AFSB provides this support throughout the EUCOM and AFRICOM areas of operation. The 405th AFSB is responsible for APS-2 equipment sets located at various European locations, to be utilized as directed in support of NATO operations.

The 405th AFSBn-Germany, headquartered at Rose Barracks in Vilseck, Germany, is responsible for providing and coordinating tactical and operational sustainment to ensure theater readiness and enable commanders to conduct the full range of military operations in direct support of U.S. Army Europe and Africa (USAREUR-AF). AFSBn-Germany also provides mission command of the APS-2 worksites at Duermen and Coleman in Germany.

The 405th AFSBn-Africa, headquartered at Leghorn Army Depot in Livorno, Italy, is responsible for providing mission command of the APS-2 worksite at Leghorn Army Depot. The battalion also provides and coordinates AMC enablers in support of two U.S. Combatant Commands.

The 405th AFSBn-Benelux, headquartered at Eyselshoven, Netherlands, provides mission command of APS-2 operations at the Eyselshoven APS-2 worksite and the Zutendaal APS-2 worksite in Belgium.

The 405th AFSBn-Poland in Powidz, Poland, provides mission command of APS-2 operations at the Powidz APS-2 worksite, the Army's newest, most modern APS worksite in the world.

All four battalions under the 405th AFSB are responsible for receipt, storage, maintenance, shipment and issue of APS-2 equipment at the worksites and are also responsible for issuing APS-2 at Equipment Configuration and Hand-off Areas (ECHA) forward during exercises and contingency operations.

The 405th AFSB provides ASC and Materiel Enterprise partners a forward presence to assist in managing sustainment and field-level maintenance. Other missions executed by the 405th include: Life Cycle Management Command (LCMC) maintenance activity synchronization; materiel management; field support; direct theater support; Logistics Assistance Program (LAP); and LOGCAP.

The Department of Army civilians from AMC's LAP are an integral part of the 405th team. These dedicated men and women, better known as Logistics Assistance Representatives (LARs), come to ASC from the four LCMCs: Aviation and Missile Command; Communications and Electronics Command; Joint Munitions Command; and the Tank-Automotive and Armaments Command. The LARs serve side-by-side with supported units in garrison, in the field, and deployed in support of combat operations around the world.

The 405th AFSB provides installation logistics support to U.S. Army Garrisons (USAG) and tactical units through its LRCs, BASOPS Transportation and BASOPS Maintenance directorates throughout Germany, Italy and the BENELUX.

Supporting 21 communities in six countries, the LRCs are responsible for providing food service support; operating central issue facilities (CIF); laundry and dry cleaning services; driver testing; commercial travel services; operating Hazardous Material Control and Reuse Centers; Regional Supply Support Activities (RSSA); maintaining installation property books; counseling and scheduling household goods shipments; customs clearance; BASOPS and tactical maintenance; and managing Europe's non-tactical Army-owned and-leased vehicle fleet. LRC Italy also supports the Defense Department's Humanitarian Assistance Program-Excess Property program and USAID Office of Foreign Disaster Assistance. The LRCs provide services to NATO, SHAPE, USAREUR-AF, AFRICOM, EUCOM, and IMCOM, as well as many other units/activities throughout Europe.

