



GAME REPORTS

Air Command Staff College (ACSC) Capstone Wargame Saboteur's Mallet

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EXSUM

U.S. Air Force's Air Command Staff College (ACSC) Academic Year (AY) 2023 capstone wargame, Saboteur's Mallet, was conducted using a high-level combat adjudication tool developed jointly with the Air Force Wargaming Institute (AFWI) staff. The wargame provided the students an opportunity to practice the lessons which had been taught throughout the academic year. It allowed the students to demonstrate knowledge of Joint Capabilities, the Joint Planning Process, critical thinking, and understanding of the INDOPACOM theater and the issues of combat against a peer or near peer competitor. It allowed them to conduct operations in an ambiguous and contested environment against a thinking opponent and adjust plans according to the evolving situation.