



Tanana Flats Training Area

Description

The Tanana Flats Training Area (TFTA) has 592,699 acres available for training. The maneuver areas and drop zones comprise approximately 86 percent of the installation's total area. The TFTA has 58,826 acres of impact areas with the two primary areas being the Alpha Impact Area located in the northern portion of the training area and the Blair Lakes Impact Area located near the southern boundary of the TFTA. The TFTA consists of six indirect fire facilities; 11 other, non-live fire facilities; and eight light maneuver training areas. The TFTA has four drop zones (DZ), seven landing zones (LZ), three artillery fire points, and three observation points located throughout the training area. In addition to the six LZs, the TFTA has the Clear Creek Assault Strip co-located with the Clear Creek II DZ. The tactical turf strip is 3,500 feet long by 60 feet wide and is capable of handling C-130 aircraft.

For additional information on the TFTA, reference USARAK Regulation 350-2 at http://www.wainwright.army.mil/range_control/.



A UH-60, Blackhawk Helicopter flies over part of the Tanana Flats near Fort Wainwright. (Army photo by Maj. David Mattox, USARAK PAO)



Soldiers from the 56th Engineer Company spread water to thicken a path of the Tanana River's frozen surface during an ice-bridge construction project. (U.S. Army photo/Staff Sgt. Matthew E. Winstead)

Capabilities at this venue

- Air Assault Operations
- Airborne Operations
- Live Fire Operations
- Mounted and Dismounted Maneuver
- Nuclear, Biological or Chemical Attack
- Urban Operations

Equipment/Supplies Available

- Range equipment and supplies (i.e. paper targetry, target frames)