



## Guyana

### Demographics:

**Population:** 702,100 (July 2003 est.)

**Area:** 214,970 sq km

**Government:** Republic within the British Commonwealth



### Army

#### Personnel:

**Active:** 1,400 (including 500 Reserves)

**Organization:**

- 1 infantry battalion
- 1 Special Forces company
- 1 support weapons company
- 1 engineer company

**Equipment:**

**RECCE:** 3 Shorland, 6 EE-9 Cascavel (reported)

**TOWED ARTY: 130mm:** 6 M-46

**MOR: 81mm:** 12 L16A1; **82mm:** 18 M43; **120mm:** 18 M-43

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| <b>Navy</b> |
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**Personnel:** 100 (plus 170 Reserves)

**Bases:** Georgetown, New Amsterdam

**Inventory:**

**Patrol and Coastal Combatants:** 1 Orwell PCC plus 2 boats

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| <b>Air Force</b> <i>Guyana Defence Force Air Command</i> |
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**Personnel:** 100

**Bases:** Georgetown-Timehri

**Organization:**

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| <b>Guyana Defence Force Air Command</b> |
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| <b>Georgetown-Timehri</b> |
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| Skyvan, BN-2, Mi-8, Bell 412, Bell 206B |
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**Aircraft Inventory:**

Bell 206B Jet Ranger

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| Bell 412                              | 2            |
| Harbin Y-12-II Panda                  | 1 (on order) |
| Mil Mi-8 'Hip'                        | 3            |
| Pilatus/Britten-Norman BN-2A Islander | 1            |
| Shorts SC-7 Skyvan 3M                 | 2            |

## **Paramilitary**

**Personnel:** ~1,500

**Organization:**

**GUYANA PEOPLE'S MILITIA (GPM):** ~1,500