

The seal of the United States Joint Intermodal Transportation Command is centered in the background. It features a blue compass rose with eight points. Inside the compass rose is a circular emblem with a golden eagle with wings spread, perched on a globe. The words "UNITED STATES" are at the top and "JOINT INTERMODAL TRANSPORTATION COMMAND" are at the bottom of the emblem.

**Joint Pub 4-01.7, Joint Tactics, Techniques
& Procedures for Use of Intermodal
Containers in Joint OPS
Revision**

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- **Provides JTTP for effective & efficient use of intermodal containers & systems to deploy, sustain, & redeploy forces**
 - **ISO for surface**
 - **463L for air**
 - **Origin to destination**
- **Joint Staff/J4 is pub sponsor; J7 manages joint doctrine program**
- **USTRANSCOM is Lead Agent**

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- **Lead Agent-responsible for developing, coordinating, reviewing, & maintaining an assigned doctrine or JTTP***
- **Has authority to assign primary review authority & technical/coordinating review authorities**
 - **Can be Joint Staff, Military Service or DOD Agencies**
- **Current pub was developed & written by JIWG members**
 - **Each member had specific chapters**

*** Joint Pub 1-01, Joint Doctrine Development System, 5 Jun 00**

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- **JFCOM JWFC Assessment Summary, 20 Jun 03**
 - Selected subject matter research, interviews, reviews of Joint After-Action Reporting System, & comments from a request for feedback from users of JP 4-01.7 in joint doctrine community
- **Findings:**
 - Pub useful & unique
 - Needs some re-alignment due to DTR Part VI, June 2002
 - More specific guidance & procedures should be discussed for the efficient management & control of intermodal containers in a theater of operations

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- **Findings (continued):**
 - **Critical, overarching issue regarding this publication. Should JP 4-01.7 remain a separate publication, be consolidated into another JP, or become a handbook?**
 - **Scheduled & approved for consolidation with 4-01.3 (Movement Control) and 4-01.5 (Terminal OPS) in Jul 2002 by Joint Pub Consolidation Working Group (no JIWG involvement!)**
 - **USTRANSCOM/JS J4 non-concurred & decision reversed**
 - **Pub has little operational level application**
 - **JFCOM JWFC continues to recommend consolidate some sections into other JPs and/or make into a handbook**
 - **Handbook issue is ID appropriate organization to produce and maintain the handbook**
 - **Money doesn't come with task**

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- **Revision procedures**
 - **Joint Staff/J7 convenes working group to write new program directive & address JFCOM JWFC assessment**
 - **Joint Staff/J7 sends out pub review tasker to Combatant Commands, Services, DOD agencies**
 - **Comments to USTRANSCOM TCJ5-P**
 - **TCJ5-P consolidates & resolves any critical/major issues**
 - **Pub is updated & final coordination occurs**

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