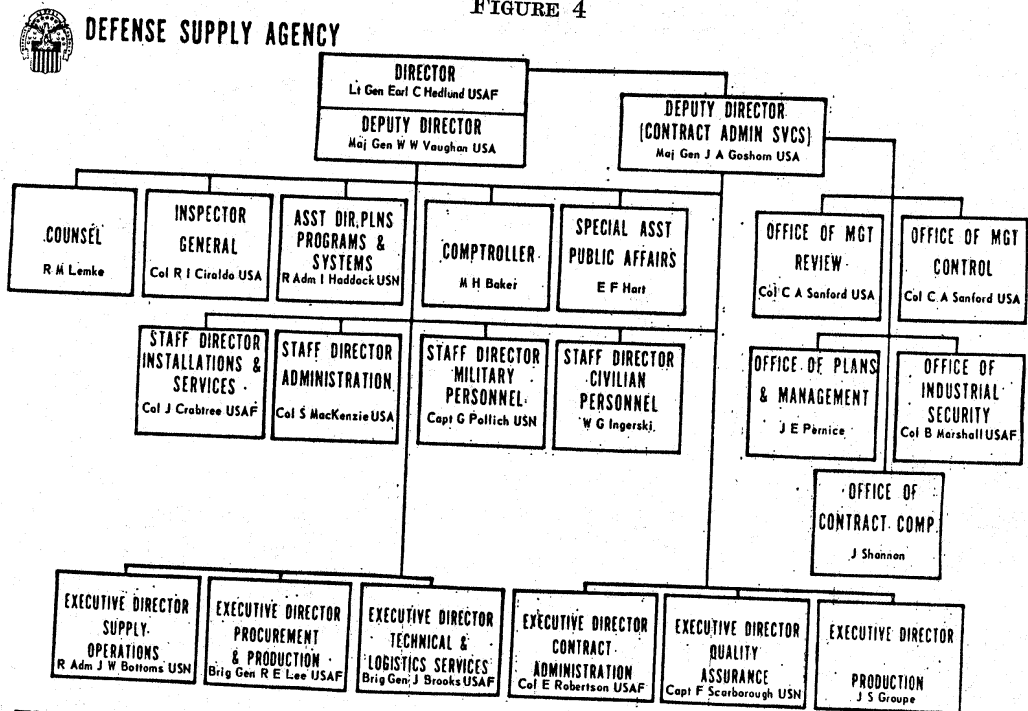


During the first 3 months of the Defense Supply Agency's existence, the Headquarters staff consisted of a planning group, most of whom were on loan from the Military Departments and the Office of the Secretary of Defense. Selection and assembly of a permanent staff began after the initial organization and as depicted in Figure (4), assists the Director in the direction and control of the Agency and is concerned with broad planning and management of the total DSA mission and the establishment of long- and short-range objectives and standards of performance. Its key personnel exemplify the joint military staffing principle, with each of the Military Services represented at the Directorate or immediately subordinate level. The Assistant Director, Plans, Programs and Systems is principal staff advisor and assistant to the Director for development and application of policies, plans, programs and systems affecting multiple DSA functional activities. The Comptroller assists the Director as principal financial management and manpower staff advisor. The Deputy Director for Contract Administration Services acts for the Director, DSA, in exercising management and operating control over CAS missions, operating programs and supporting field activities; he is assisted by Executive Directors for Contract Administration, Quality Assurance, and Production, and by Chiefs of Management Review, Management, Control, Plans and Management, Industrial Security, and Contracts Compliance. The Executive Directors for Supply Operations, Procurement and Production, and Technical and Logistics Services are principal staff advisors and assistants to the Director, DSA, in the development and application of policies, plans programs and systems for their respective functional areas. The Counsel, the Inspector General, the Special Assistant for Public Affairs, and the Staff Directors for Installations and Services, Administration, Military Personnel and Civilian Personnel perform staff support functions of a major Headquarters.

FIGURE 4



The field establishment is comprised of 25 major activities, identified in Figure (5) by name and activity head. The military command positions are staffed on the basis of balanced military representation and are rotated among the Military Services. The geographical locations of the 25 major DSA field activities are depicted in Figure (6).