

Comparison of China's 2010 Defense White Paper with Those of ASEAN Member States

White papers	China 2010	Brunei 2004/07	Cambodia 2006	Indonesia 2008	Laos 2005	Philippines 1998	Singapore 2000	Thailand 2005	Vietnam 2009
Security Environment									
International	Yellow	Orange	Orange	Green	Yellow	Green	Yellow	Green	Yellow
Regional	Yellow	Yellow	Orange	Yellow	Orange	Green	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow
Internal	Orange	Orange	Green	Green	Orange	Green	Orange	Orange	Orange
National Security Goals									
Strategic	Yellow	Yellow	Orange	Green	Yellow	Green	Yellow	Yellow	Green
Tactical	Yellow	Green	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Green	Orange	Yellow	Green
General Defense Policy									
Doctrine	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Green	Yellow	Orange	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow
Missions	Orange	Green	Green	Green	Yellow	Yellow	Green	Green	Yellow
Major Areas of Concern									
International	Orange	Orange	Orange	Yellow	Orange	Yellow	Red	Red	Red
Regional	Orange	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Red	Yellow	Orange	Orange	Orange
Internal	Yellow	Yellow	Green	Yellow	Orange	Yellow	Orange	Orange	Red
Current Defense Posture									
Total Personnel	Red	Red	Orange	Red	Red	Orange	Orange	Red	Orange
Structure of Force	Orange	Orange	Orange	Orange	Orange	Red	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow
Command Structure	Orange	Orange	Red	Red	Orange	Red	Orange	Orange	Yellow
Armaments	Orange	Orange	Red	Red	Red	Green	Yellow	Orange	Orange
Defense Management									
Overall Budget	Yellow	Red	Yellow	Yellow	Orange	Orange	Orange	Orange	Orange
Budget Trends	Orange	Red	Yellow	Yellow	Red	Orange	Orange	Orange	Orange
Planned Acquisitions	Orange	Orange	Orange	Orange	Red	Green	Orange	Orange	Red
International Activity									
Exchanges	Green	Orange	Orange	Green	Orange	Yellow	Green	Yellow	Green
PKO Missions	Green	Orange	Yellow	Green	Red	Orange	Green	Yellow	Orange