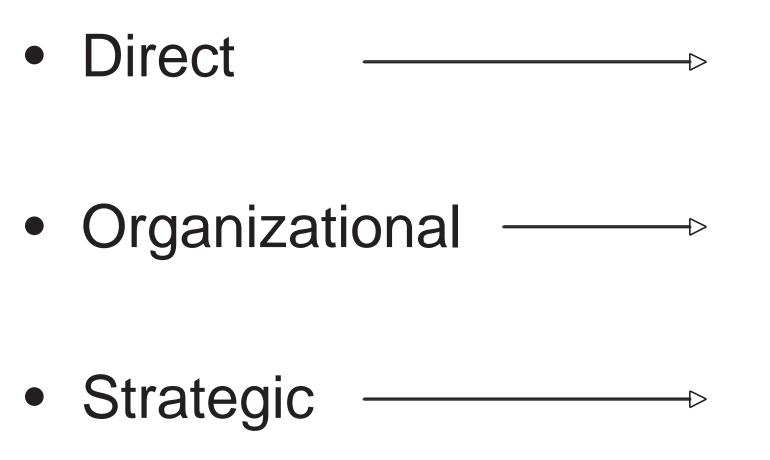
Levels of Leadership



Face to face or first-line leadership; squad, platoon, company

Indirect leadership through more levels of subordinates: battalion, regimental, brigade

Major command such as 10th Corps

Direct Level Leadership

Direct leaders provide one on one guidance and direction. They interact at the lowest levels of the cadet program. Direct level leader positions would include:

- squad leader
- team leader
- platoon sergeant/platoon leader
- OIC (officer-in-charge)
- Company 1SG or commander

Organizational Level Leadership

An organizational leader must guide his/her subordinates to fulfill missions provided by strategic leaders. S/he must convey to the direct leaders under hi/her the intent and manage resources and personnel to achieve the mission.

- **Battalion commands**
- **Regimental commands**
- Brigade commands



Strategic Level Leadership

Strategic level positions involve responsibility for large complex organizations with several thousand people. A strategic leader must have vision and the ability to make others understand that vision.

> • In the Cadet program, cadet leaders function at the strategic level on the 10th Corps staff