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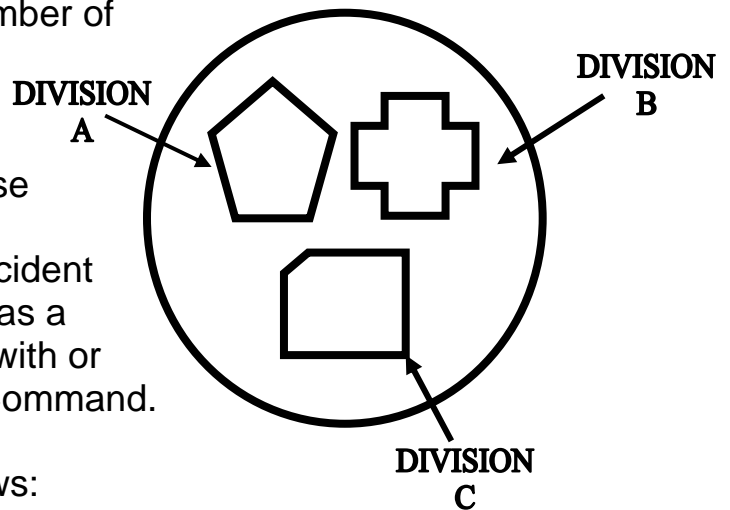
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A complex is two or more individual incidents located in the same general proximity, which are assigned to a single Incident Commander or Unified Command to facilitate management.

The diagram at the right illustrates a number of incidents in the same general proximity.



Management responsibility for all of these incidents has been assigned to a single incident management team. A single incident may be complex but it is not referred to as a “complex.” A complex may be in place with or without the use of Unified and/or Area Command.

A typical organization would be as follows:

