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## NOTE

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2006	2007	2008
<b>Operation Fireball</b> – smuggling of firearms – SE lead (carried over from 2005)	JCO targeted at the smuggling of <b>ATS</b> (Amphetamine Type Stimulants) – DE lead	JCO targeted at <b>cocaine</b> smuggling in air freight and courier traffic
<b>Operation Pallas</b> – illicit manufacture of precursors – PL lead (carried over from 2005)	<b>Operation Matthew</b> –cigarette smuggling <sup>1</sup> – PL lead	(poss.) JCO targeted at <b>mineral oil</b> smuggling – DE lead
<b>Operation Compas</b> – smuggling of cocaine in maritime containers – NL, ES and PT lead (carried over from 2005)	<b>Operation Brigantine</b> – JCO targeted at cocaine and cannabis smuggled in maritime yacht traffic and vessels of a maximum GRT of 1000 tonnes – FR + ES lead	JCO targeted at the fight against <b>money laundering</b> (including terrorism funding and other illicit activities) (carried over from 2007)
<b>Operation Kalmar 2</b> – smuggling in rail freight – UK lead (carried over from 2005)	<b>Operation Red Nose</b> – smuggling of cocaine by air passengers – DE lead	

<sup>1</sup> Possibly also covering **alcohol** smuggling

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2006	2007	2008
Operation Conquest 2 – JCO targeted at heroin, cocaine and other drugs smuggling in maritime transport of containers, bulk goods, and single consignments, primarily from the Middle East and Southeast Asia – IT lead		

## Planning

2006	<i>end of March – beginning April</i>	<i>Operation Compass</i>
	<i>June - July</i>	<i>Operation Pallas</i>
	October	Operation Fireball
	November	Operation Conquest 2
	end (+ beginning 2007)	Operation Kalmar 2
2007	first quarter	Operation Red Nose
	spring	Operation Matthew
	spring	Operation Brigantine

## Regional operations (for information only)<sup>2</sup>

2006	end (+ beginning 2007)	Operation Tate
	end	Operation Zamok (FI, EE, LT, LV, RU)
2007	first semester	Operation Adria (IT, SI, HU, CR)

## OLAF/TAXUD operations

2006	second half September	counterfeit goods
2007	beginning	ASEM cigarette operation

<sup>2</sup> This table only includes known regional operations at the time of drafting. Because of the short-term planning of such operations, this table may not be complete.