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This research is an attempt to understand the process and the stages in producing the military intelligence, its contents and the selection of information from mass media. Interview of experts and participation in the military intelligence operation unit were employed to get the data.

The result found that the process of producing the military intelligence is very much the same by which general news is produced process only that military intelligence uses secondary sources from mass media. The operation in each stage is subjected to the frame and the strip of intelligence operation unit's hierarchy.

The contents of the military intelligence from mass media can be divided into 2 types. The first type is the direct and indirect military strategic intelligence both internal and external. The second type is general news regarding politics, economies and public affairs.

The military intelligence unit produces the intelligence for national strategic planning and for the nation's security sake. It is distributed to other related government units for their further use.