



Why Are We in Afghanistan ?
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As the U.S. escalates the war in Afghanistan, millions of Americans who oppose the war in Iraq are trying to understand whether or not to support the deployment of tens of thousands more U.S. troops to "the good war." Even though the government justifies these wars as a response to recent provocations, the wars in Iraq and Afghanistan continue a long history of U.S. foreign interventions. A review of this history, and the war's human and economic costs, will help us assess the Afghan war.