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PEACEKEEPING

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WHAT IS PEACEKEEPING?

**UN Peacekeeping helps
countries torn by conflict
create the conditions for
sustainable peace**

since 1948

71 operations
deployed

- **A CLEAR RECORD OF SUCCESS**
- **SEVEN DECADES OF EXPERIENCE**
- **1988 NOBEL PEACE PRIZE**

**UN Peacekeeping is guided by
three basic principles:**

- 1. IMPARTIALITY**
- 2. CONSENT OF THE PARTIES**
- 3. USE OF FORCE PRIMARILY IN
SELF-DEFENCE & DEFENCE
OF THE MANDATE**

UNITED NATIONS PEACEKEEPING WORKING FOR PEACE AND SECURITY WORLDWIDE

COUNTRIES CONTRIBUTING TO PEACEKEEPING

OVER **124** COUNTRIES
CONTRIBUTE

OVER **100,000**
TROOPS, POLICE AND CIVILIAN PERSONNEL



MORE THAN **95%** OF UN
PEACEKEEPERS
WORK IN MISSIONS
WITH A PROTECTION OF
CIVILIANS MANDATE

OVER **600** HUMAN RIGHTS STAFF
DEPLOYED IN NINE PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS
TO SUPPORT THE PROMOTION AND PROTECTION
OF HUMAN RIGHTS WITH **235** CIVIL AFFAIRS
OFFICERS **120** GENDER AND
CONDUCT AND DISCIPLINE
STAFF

\$ BUDGET* **6.69**
BILLION

LESS THAN **0.5%** OF GLOBAL
MILITARY
EXPENDITURES

A GLOBAL LOGISTICS OPERATION

	11,023	VEHICLES
	271	MEDICAL CLINICS
	132	HELICOPTERS
	58	AIRPLANES
	18	UUAVs unarmed, unmanned aerial vehicles
	6	SHIPS

PEACEKEEPING INCLUDES

14 MISSIONS
ACROSS
4 CONTINENTS
AND **11** TIME ZONES



UN PEACEKEEPERS HELP PEOPLE AROUND THE WORLD

7 Million TOTAL SQUARE KILOMETRES
IN WHICH WE OPERATE | OVER **100 Million**
TOTAL POPULATION OF AREAS
IN WHICH WE OPERATE

LARGEST MISSION

DR Congo **MONUSCO**

22,492 authorized strength
Troops: **16,215**
Military observers: **660**
Police: **1,441**
Civilian staff: **3,424**

SIX PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS IMPLEMENT

DISARMAMENT, DEMOBILISATION AND
REINTEGRATION PROGRAMMES TARGETING

215,000
BENEFICIARIES

OVER **15,000** PERSONNEL IN **12** PEACEKEEPING
OPERATIONS
WORK IN STRENGTHENING THE RULE OF LAW
AND SECURITY INSTITUTIONS

IN FIVE YEARS OF MINE ACTION SERVICE

2.4 Million REMNANTS OF WAR AND LANDMINES DESTROYED

12.2 Million
MEN, WOMEN AND CHILDREN TRAINED IN SAFE BEHAVIOUR

24,700 Police
Teachers
Military Personnel
Healthcare Workers

FOR THE MOST RECENT INFORMATION VISIT

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ACTION
FOR PEACEKEEPING

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MINUJUSTH

Haiti



NORTH AMERICA

United Nations Mission for Justice Support In Haiti
A SECURE AND STABLE ENVIRONMENT FOR LONGER TERM DEVELOPMENT

HQ. Port-au-Prince
est. October 2017



TROOPS 0



POLICE 1,275



CIVILIANS 347

MINUJUSTH helps to strengthening the rule of law in support of a secure and stable environment for Haiti's longer-term development. The mission is a small, focused and timebound peacekeeping operation working with the United Nations Country Team in support of Government efforts to further consolidate the development of the Haitian National Police; strengthen the Justice and corrections sectors; and, advance the promotion and protection of human rights.

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MINUSCA

Central African Republic



AFRICA

United Nations Multidimensional Integrated Stabilization Mission in the Central African Republic

HQ. Bangui
est. April 2014



TROOPS 11,650



POLICE 2,080



CIVILIANS 1,747

REDUCING THE THREAT OF ARMED GROUPS AND PROTECTING CIVILIANS

MINUSCA supports the political process, while protecting civilians and facilitating humanitarian access. The Mission works to prevent a further deterioration in the security situation while creating space for the political process to advance.

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MINUSMA

Mali



AFRICA

United Nations Multidimensional Integrated Stabilization Mission in Mali

HQ. Bamako
est. April 2013



TROOPS 13,289



POLICE 1,920



CIVILIANS 1,895

SUPPORTING THE PEACE AGREEMENT

MINUSMA supports the implementation of the Malian peace agreement including the effective restoration and extension of State authority and rule of law throughout the country. It helps to build the capacity of Malian defence and security institutions, including on mitigating explosive hazards, and also supports the Malian authorities in their efforts to promote national reconciliation, protect civilians, reform the security sector, promote human rights and facilitate humanitarian access.

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UNMISS

South Sudan



AFRICA

United Nations Mission in the Republic of South Sudan

HQ. Juba
est. July 2011



TROOPS 12,783



POLICE 1,590



CIVILIANS 2,593

PROTECTING CIVILIANS, MONITORING HUMAN RIGHTS

UNMISS protects civilians from the threat of physical violence through proactive deployment and active patrolling. The Mission monitors, investigates and reports on the abuses and violations of human rights and violations of international humanitarian law. UNMISS works in close coordination with humanitarian actors to create conducive conditions for the delivery of humanitarian assistance. The Mission also supports the implementation of the Agreement on the Resolution of the Conflict in South Sudan.

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UNISFA

Abyei



AFRICA

United Nations Interim Security Force for Abyei

HQ. Abyei Town
est. June 2011



TROOPS 4,528



POLICE 34



CIVILIANS 237

DEMILITARIZING, MONITORING PEACE IN THE ABYEI AREA

UNISFA enhances the peace and stability, through operations to ensure that the Abyei Area is weapons-free and reducing intercommunal tensions by employing conflict prevention measures and promoting dialogue. The Mission also facilitates the delivery of humanitarian aid and is authorized to use force in protecting civilians and humanitarian workers. The Abyei Area is a flashpoint between Sudan and South Sudan, and the final status of the Area is yet to be determined.

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MONUSCO

DR Congo



AFRICA

United Nations Organization Stabilization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo

HQ. Kinshasa
est. July 2010



TROOPS 16,875



POLICE 1,441



CIVILIANS 3,426

PROTECTING CIVILIANS AND CONSOLIDATING PEACE

MONUSCO protects civilians and supports the political and electoral processes. MONUSCO supports the implementation of the 31 December 2016 political agreement, through good offices to promote political dialogue and create conditions conducive to the holding of timely, credible and transparent elections. MONUSCO also has a robust protection of civilians' mandate, including by directly confronting illegal armed groups. The Mission has also increased monitoring and reporting on the human rights situation in the DRC. Furthermore, MONUSCO supports the implementation of the peace, security and cooperation framework for the DRC and the region by working closely with national stakeholders, United Nations partners and regional actors.

UNAMID

Darfur  AFRICA

African Union – United Nations
Hybrid Operation in Darfur

HQ. El Fasher
est. July 2007



PROTECTING CIVILIANS, FACILITATING HUMANITARIAN AID, SUPPORTING THE POLITICAL PROCESS AND THE MEDIATION OF INTERCOMMUNAL CONFLICTS

The core mandate of UNAMID is to protect civilians, facilitate humanitarian assistance and, in collaboration with the UNCT, support the reduction of inter-communal violence in Darfur, as well as mediation efforts to achieve a comprehensive political solution led by the African Union.

UNMIK

Kosovo  EUROPE

United Nations Interim Administration
Mission in Kosovo

HQ. Pristina
est. June 1999



PROMOTING STABILITY, INTER-COMMUNITY TRUST-BUILDING AND RESPECT FOR HUMAN RIGHTS

Promoting stability, inter-community trust-building and respect for human rights: Following the unilateral declaration of independence by the Kosovo authorities in June 2008, the tasks of UNMIK have been progressively adjusted to focus on the promotion of stability, inter-community trust-building and respect for human rights in Kosovo, under the overall framework of Security Council Resolution 1244 (1999).

MINURSO

Western Sahara  AFRICA

United Nations Mission for
the Referendum in Western Sahara

HQ. Laayoune
est. April 1991



PREPARING FOR A CHOICE

Preparing for a choice: MINURSO was established to monitor the ceasefire between Morocco and the Frente Polisario and organize a referendum in which the people of Western Sahara would choose between independence and integration with Morocco. The Mission is also engaged in mine action activities, 'good offices' activities and assists the implementation of UNHCR's Confidence-Building Measures Programme (suspended since June 2014).

UNIFIL

Lebanon  ASIA

United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon

HQ. Naqoura
est. March 1978



MONITORING CESSATION OF HOSTILITIES

UNIFIL was originally created to confirm the Israeli withdrawal from Lebanon. Following the 2006 conflict, the Mission's mandate expanded to include monitoring the cessation of hostilities, assisting the Lebanese Armed Forces in establishing an area between the Blue Line and Litani River free of unauthorized armed personnel, assets and weapons and taking all actions within its capabilities to ensure that its area of operations is not utilized for hostile activities.

UNDOF

Golan  ASIA

United Nations Disengagement Observer Force

HQ. Camp Faouar
est. May 1974



SUPERVISING THE CEASEFIRE BETWEEN ISRAEL AND SYRIA

Supervising the ceasefire between Israel and Syria: UNDOF helps to maintain the ceasefire between the Israeli and Syrian forces and to supervise the 31 May 1974 Disengagement of Forces Agreement between Israel and Syria and protocol regarding the areas of separation and limitation.

UNFICYP

Cyprus  EUROPE

United Nations Peacekeeping Force in Cyprus

HQ. Nicosia
est. March 1964



MAINTAINING CALM AND AN ENVIRONMENT CONDUCIVE TO A POLITICAL SOLUTION

Originally set up to prevent a recurrence of fighting between Greek Cypriot and Turkish Cypriot communities, UNFICYP contributes to the maintenance of calm and stability in and around the buffer zone through daily liaison with the opposing forces and engagement with civilians. In addition, UNFICYP promotes and facilitates bi-communal activities, undertakes humanitarian activities and provides support the Office of the Special Adviser of the Secretary-General in Cyprus.

UNMOGIP

India & Pakistan  ASIA

United Nations Military Observer Group
in India and Pakistan

HQ. Islamabad/Srinagar
est. January 1949



OBSERVE AND REPORT ON THE CEASEFIRE IN JAMMU AND KASHMIR

UNMOGIP observes and reports on all developments related to the observance of the 1971 cease-fire between India and Pakistan and investigates any situation that by its continuance may endanger the maintenance of peace and security along the Line of Control thus contributing to the safeguarding of the cease-fire agreement.

UNTSO

Middle East  ASIA

United Nations Truce Supervision Organization

HQ. Jerusalem
est. May 1948



HELPING TO BRING STABILITY IN THE MIDDLE EAST

UNTSO was mandated to supervise the truce between Israel and its Arab neighbours, and assist the five parties to the Armistice Agreements—Egypt, Israel, Jordan, Lebanon and Syria—in the supervision of the application and observance on the terms of those Agreements. UNTSO military observers in Observer Group Golan (OGG) and Observer Group Lebanon (OGL) further the mandates of UNDOF and UNIFIL, respectively.



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ACTION FOR PEACEKEEPING



- TODAY'S multidimensional peacekeeping operations maintain peace & security and:**
- PROTECT CIVILIANS**
 - FACILITATE POLITICAL PROCESSES**
 - SUPPORT THE ORGANIZATION OF ELECTIONS**
 - ASSIST IN DISARMAMENT, DEMOBILIZATION AND REINTEGRATION**
 - RESTORE THE RULE OF LAW**
 - PROMOTE HUMAN RIGHTS**

Civilian staff of peacekeeping operations are international civil servants, recruited and deployed by the UN Secretariat.

Peacekeepers wear their countries' uniform and are identified as UN Peacekeepers by a UN blue helmet or beret.

The UN has no standing army or police force of its own. Member States are asked to contribute military and police personnel required for each operation.

It brings together the **General Assembly**, the **Security Council**, the **UN Partners**, **troop & police contributors** and **host governments** in a combined effort to maintain international peace and security. Its strength lies in the legitimacy of the UN Charter and in the wide range of contributing countries that participate and provide precious resources.

UN PEACEKEEPING IS A UNIQUE GLOBAL PARTNERSHIP