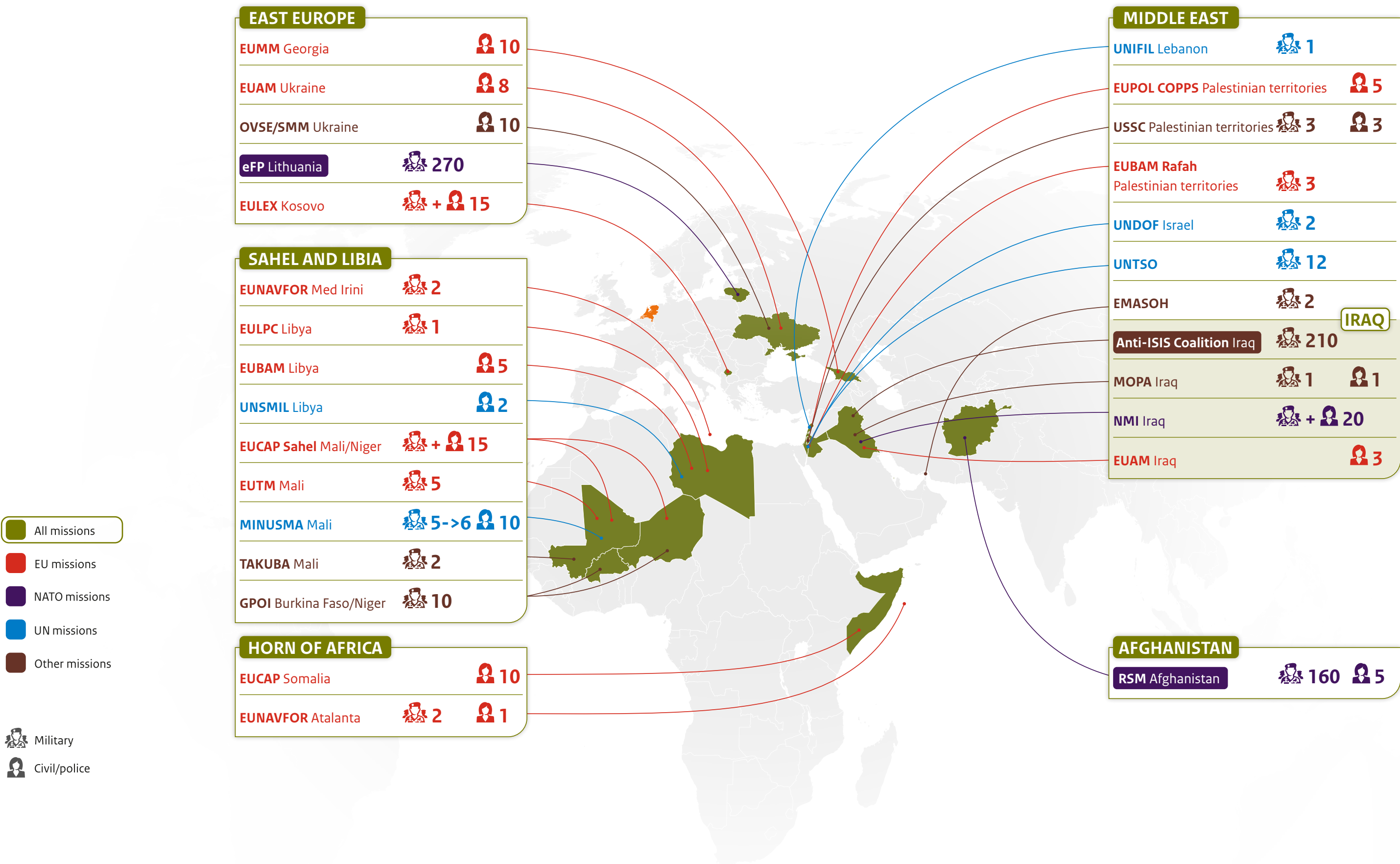
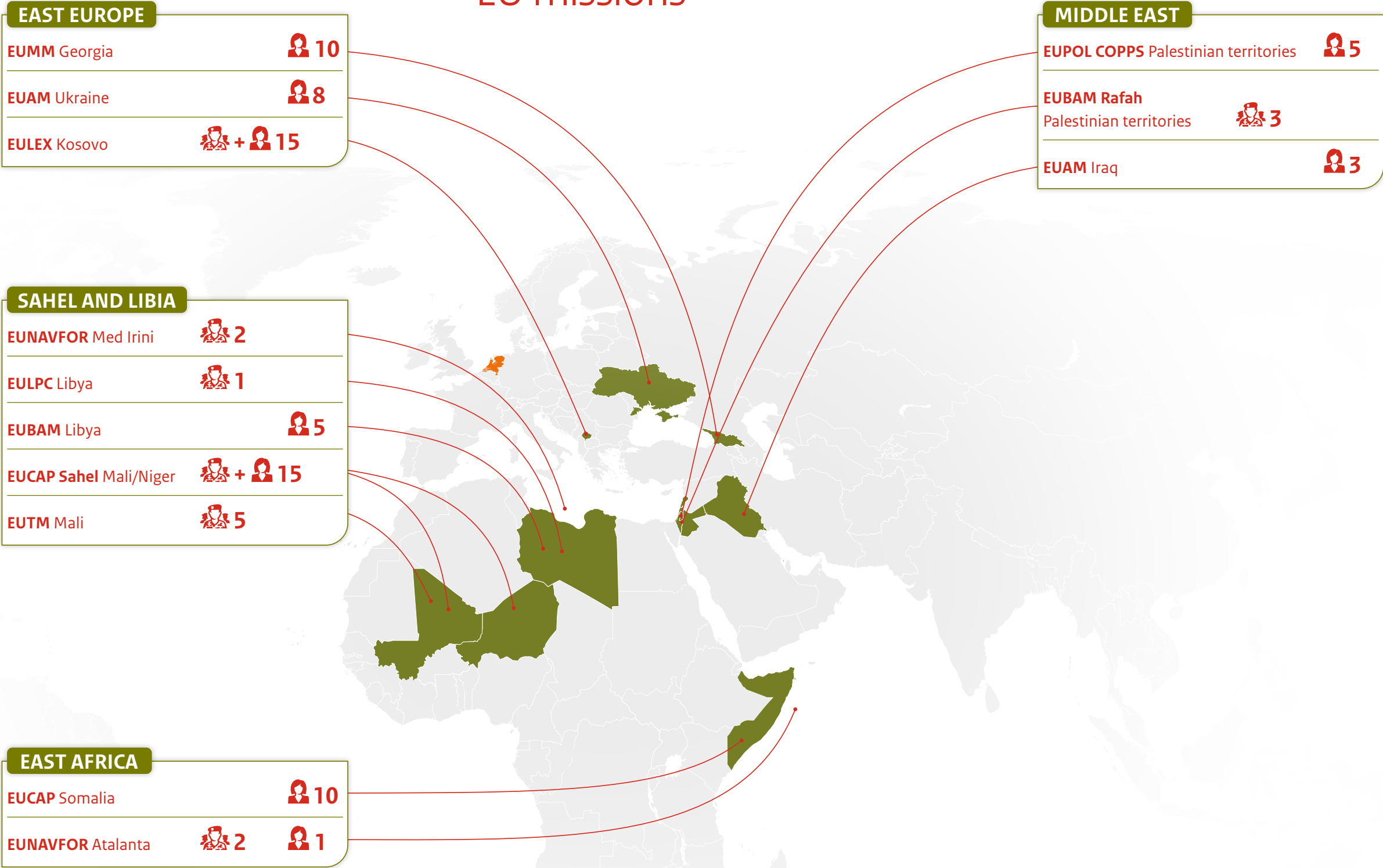


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EUMM Georgia

The **European Union Monitoring Mission (EUMM)** in Georgia was established in 2008 to monitor the truce between Russia and Georgia and to support efforts towards a sustainable political solution between the two countries. The Netherlands contributes civilian experts to the mission. For more information, see the October 2018 issue of the [*Veiligheidsdiplomaat*](#) (Dutch only).



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EUAM Ukraine





The **European Union Advisory Mission (EUAM)** Ukraine was established in 2014 to assist the Ukrainian government with security sector reform. The mission's role is purely advisory and focuses on areas such as the rule of law, good governance and human rights. The Netherlands contributes civilian- and police experts to the mission. For more information, see the November 2018 issue of the [*Veiligheidsdiplomaat*](#) (Dutch only).




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EULEX Kosovo



The **European Union Rule of Law Mission (EULEX)** in Kosovo was launched in 2008 and is aimed at improving and enhancing Kosovo's security and justice sectors. The Netherlands contributes civilian, police and military experts to the mission. For more information, see the letter to the House of Representatives on [*'the progress report of the Netherlands' contribution to missions and operations in 2019'*](#) (Dutch only).




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EUNAVFOR MED Operation Irini

The **European Union Naval Force Mediterranean Operation Irini (Operatie Irini)** was established in April 2020 and is a military (maritime) operation focused on the implementation of the United Nation Security Council Resolution on the arms embargo on Libya (UNSC-resolutie 2292). As secondary tasks, EUNAVFOR MED IRINI also monitors and gathers information on illicit exports from Libya of petroleum, crude oil and refined petroleum products and contributes to the disruption of the business model of human smuggling and trafficking networks through information gathering and patrolling by planes.





EULPC Libya

The **European Union Liaison and Planning Cell (EULPC)** was established in 2015 to support Libya's democratic transition and liaise between the UN and the EU in Libya. For more information, see the letter to the House of Representatives on [*'the progress report of the Netherlands' contribution to missions and operations in 2019'*](#) (Dutch only).



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EUBAM Libya

The **European Union Border Assistance Mission (EUBAM)** in Libya was established in 2013 and operates primarily from neighbouring Tunisia. It supports the Libyan authorities in strengthening law enforcement and border management, and in fighting terrorism and other criminal activity. The Netherlands contributes to border management and advises on policing. For more information, see the letter to the House of Representatives on [*'the progress report of the Netherlands' contribution to missions and operations in 2019'*](#) (Dutch only).



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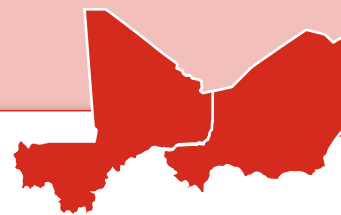


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EUCAP Sahel Mali/Niger



The **European Union Capacity Building Mission (EUCAP)** was launched in 2014 in Mali and in 2012 in Niger to assist Mali and Niger in developing their internal security forces, whose primary focus is on combating terrorism, people smuggling and irregular migration. The Netherlands contributes civilian experts to the mission. For more information, see the April 2019 issue of the [*Veiligheidsdiplomaat april 2019*](#) (Dutch only).



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EUTM Mali



The **European Union Training Mission (EUTM)** in Mali was established in 2013 for the purpose of supporting, training and advising the Malian armed forces in the areas of command and control, defence reforms, logistics, human rights and the implementation of the peace agreement. EUTM Mali also advises and supports the regional G5 Sahel Joint Force. The Netherlands contributes staff officers to help strengthen the capacity of the Malian security sector. For more information, see the letter to the House of Representatives on [*'the progress report of the Netherlands' contribution to missions and operations in 2019'*](#) (Dutch only).



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EUCAP Somalia



The European Union Capacity Building Mission (EUCAP) in Somalia was established in 2012 to assist in strengthening the capacity of Somali institutions with a view to enhancing stability in the country and along its coastline. It focuses in particular on capacity building in the maritime domain, for example by contributing to the development of the Somali coastguard. The Netherlands contributes civilian experts and police officers to the mission. For more information, see the letter to the House of Representatives on the ['Netherlands' contribution to combating piracy and on recent developments in Somalia'](#) (Dutch only).



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EUNAVFOR Atalanta


The **European Union Naval Force (EUNAVFOR)**, also known as Operation Atalanta, was launched in 2008 to protect vessels against armed robbery at sea and piracy in the region. In 2021 the mandate of the mission has been extended with additional tasks with regard to illegal fishing, drugs-, weapons- and charcoal trafficking. The Netherlands contributes civilian and military experts to the mission. For more information, see the letter to the House of Representatives on the [*'Netherlands' contribution to combating piracy and on recent developments in Somalia'*](#) (Dutch only).





EUPOL COPPS


The **European Union Police and Rule of Law Mission for the Palestinian Territories (EUPOL COPPS)** was established in 2006 to assist the Palestinian Authority in carrying out justice and security sector reforms and to promote cooperation between the Palestinian and Israeli security services. The mission trains and advises the Palestinian civil police and the justice and interior ministries. For more information, see the September 2019 issue of the [Veiligheidsdiplomaat](#) (Dutch only).




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EUBAM Rafah

The **European Union Border Assistance Mission for the Rafah Crossing Point (EUBAM Rafah)** was established in 2005 to facilitate the movement of people and goods between Gaza and Egypt. The mission advises and trains border control authorities and monitors border control operations. For more information, see the letter to the House of Representatives on ['the progress report of the Netherlands' contribution to missions and operations in 2019'](#) (Dutch only).



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EUAM Iraq

Since 2017, the **European Union Advisory Mission in Iraq (EUAM Iraq)** has been advising Iraq's interior ministry on capacity building, security sector reform and implementation of the National Security Strategy. EUAM Iraq's focus includes human rights and police officer training. The Netherlands contributes civilian experts to the mission. For more information, see the letter to the House of Representatives on the ['Netherlands' contribution to the anti-ISIS coalition and the broader security efforts in Iraq in 2020 and 2021](#) (Dutch only).



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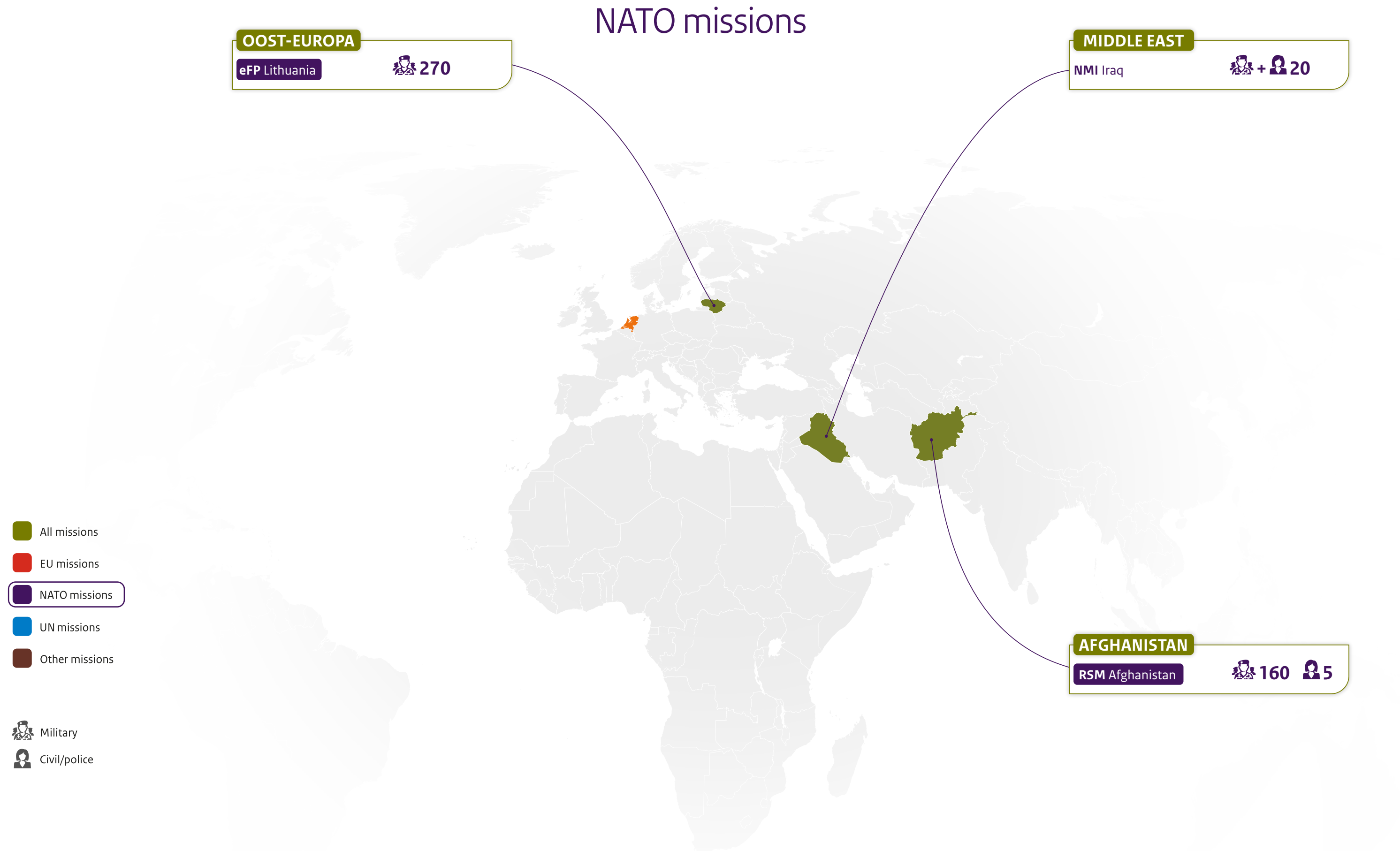


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eFP Lithuania




NATO's Enhanced Forward Presence (eFP) in the Baltic states and Poland was established in 2016 following a decision by NATO's heads of state and government that relations with Russia should be based on dialogue and credible deterrence. Since the deployment of the eFP in 2017, the Netherlands has contributed, on a rotational basis, one armoured infantry company with armoured fighting vehicles to the multinational battlegroup in Lithuania, which is comprised of more than 1,000 troops in total. In addition, the Netherlands provides experts on matters such as communications, and a logistics officer for the staff of the multinational battlegroup. For more information, see the July 2019 issue of the [Veiligheidsdiplomaat](#) (Dutch only).





NMI Iraq


The **NATO Mission Iraq (NMI)** was launched in 2018 at the Iraqi government's request. NMI works to help strengthen the Iraqi armed forces by advising the country's defence ministry and military education institutions, among other activities. The goal of the mission is to help Iraqi forces prevent the return of groups such as ISIS. The Netherlands contributes civilian and military experts to the mission. For more information, see the letter to the House of Representatives on the ['Netherlands' contribution to the anti-ISIS coalition and the broader security efforts in Iraq in 2020 and 2021'](#) (Dutch only).




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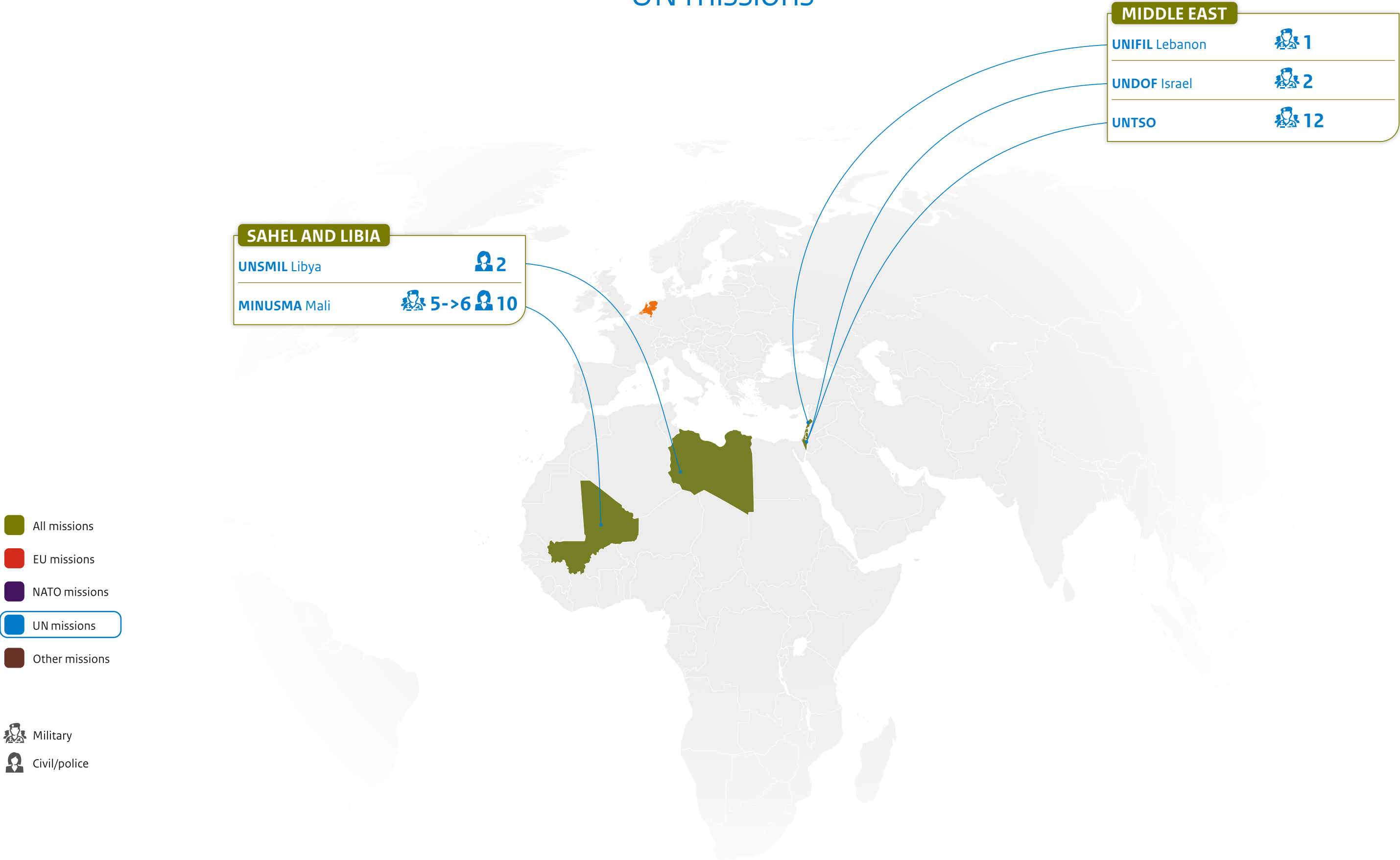
NATO Resolute Support Mission Afghanistan

NATO’s Resolute Support Mission was established in 2015 at the request of the Afghan government. Its purpose is to help develop the capacity of the Afghan defence and security forces so that ultimately they will be able to defend and protect Afghanistan and its people without outside assistance. The Netherlands contributes military personnel and police officers to the mission, and Dutch military advisers train, assist and advise Afghan units. For more information, see the [‘progress report on Dutch efforts in Afghanistan’](#) (Dutch only).



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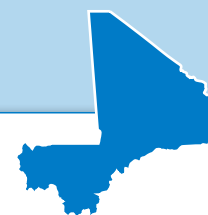
The **United Nations Support Mission in Libya (UNSMIL)** was established in 2011 to support the transitional authorities, including in their efforts to restore public order and security. The Netherlands advises Libya on security sector reform and contributes financially to the mission. For more information, see the letter to the House of Representatives on [‘evaluating the Netherlands’ contribution to missions and operations in 2019’](#) (Dutch only).



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MINUSMA Mali



Since 2013, the **United Nations Multidimensional Integrated Stabilization Mission in Mali (MINUSMA)** has been contributing to the country's stabilisation. Until May 2019, The Netherlands contributed with military units to the mission and currently the Netherlands contributes civilian experts, military officers and police officers. For more information, see the May 2019 issue of the [Veiligheidsdiplomaat](#) and the letter to the House of Representatives on the [‘Netherlands’ contribution to MINUSMA in 2019 and security efforts in the Sahel from 2019 to 2021’](#) (Dutch only).



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UNIFIL Lebanon



The **United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon (UNIFIL)** was established in 1978 to monitor hostilities between Israel and Lebanon and to support the return of Lebanese forces to the border region. For more information, see the April 2019 issue of the [Veiligheidsdiplomaat april 2019](#) (Dutch only).



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UNDOF Israel



The United Nations Disengagement Observer Force (UNDOF) was established in 1974 to maintain and monitor the ceasefire between Israel and Syria in the Golan Heights. The mission works closely with the United Nations Truce Supervision Organization (UNTSO). For more information, see the letter to the House of Representatives on [‘the progress report of the Netherlands’ contribution to missions and operations in 2019’](#) (Dutch only).



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UNTSO

The **United Nations Truce Supervision Organization (UNTSO)** is a peacekeeping mission established in 1948 to monitor various ceasefires in Israel, Lebanon, Syria, Jordan and Egypt. The mission works closely with the United Nations Disengagement Observer Force (UNDOF) and the United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon (UNIFIL). For more information, see the letter to the House of Representatives on [‘the progress report of the Netherlands’ contribution to missions and operations in 2019’](#) (Dutch only).



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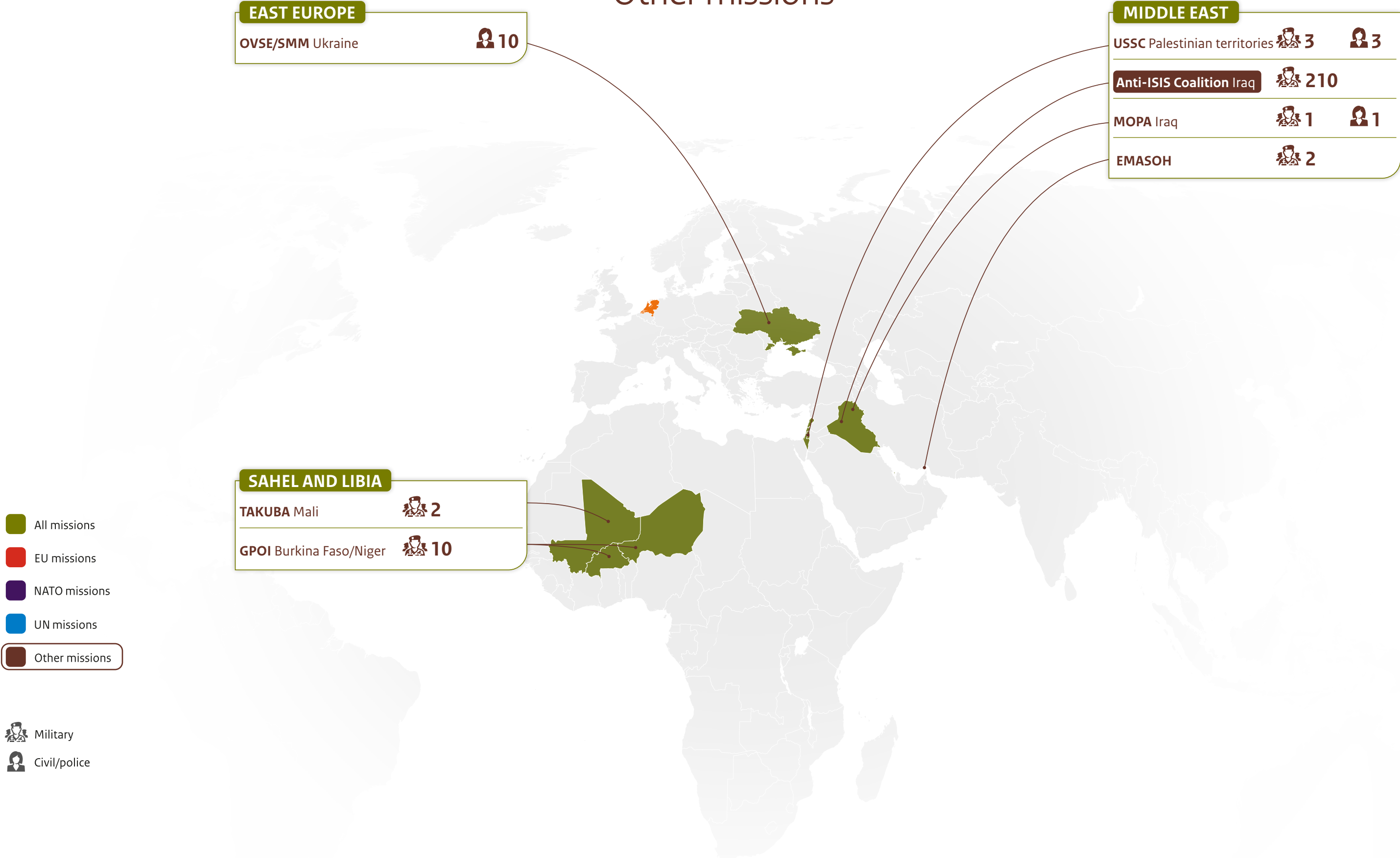
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OSCE SMM Ukraine




The **Organization for Security and Co-operation in Europe's Special Monitoring Mission to Ukraine (OSCE SMM)** is an unarmed observer mission deployed in 2014 at the request of the Ukrainian government. The mission monitors the implementation of the Minsk Agreements, signed by the various parties to the conflict in Ukraine to bring about a ceasefire. It is also assisting in re-establishing infrastructure and utilities in the country. The Netherlands contributes civilian experts to the mission. For more information, see the [OSCE's website](#) and the March 2019 issue of the [Veiligheidsdiplomaat](#) (Dutch only).




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GPOI Burkina Faso/Niger

The **African Contingency Operations Training & Assistance (ACOTA)** programme was established in 2003 under the leadership of the United States. Since 2018, ACOTA has been part of the **Global Peace Operations Initiative (GPOI)** and has trained the forces of 22 different African countries (current and potential troop-contributing countries) to prepare them for deployment as part of missions under UN and African Union missions. The Netherlands contributes military experts to these missions.



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USSC Palestinian territories

The office of the **United States Security Coordinator for Israel and the Palestinian Authority (USSC)** was established in 2005 to assist in strengthening capacity within the Palestinian security sector and to promote cooperation between the Palestinian and Israeli security services. Since 2011, the Netherlands has been contributing civilian and military experts to the mission, which is carried out in close coordination with European Union Police and Rule of Law Mission for the Palestinian Territories (EUPOL COPPS). For more information, see the letter to the House of Representatives on [*'the progress report of the Netherlands' contribution to missions and operations in 2019'*](#) (Dutch only).

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Anti-ISIS coalition Iraq

The **Global Coalition to Defeat ISIS** is led by the United States and consists of 81 countries and international organisations who make a wide range of military and non-military contributions. The Netherlands is among some 30 partners forming the military part of the coalition. Dutch military efforts involve strengthening the security sector in the Kurdistan Region of Iraq and in Baghdad and providing force protection for the Coalition in Jordan and in Erbil (Iraq). For more information, see the letters to the House of Representatives on the [‘Netherlands’ contribution to the anti-ISIS coalition and the broader security efforts in Iraq in 2020 and 2021](#) (Dutch only) and the letter on the [‘Netherlands’ contribution to force protection in Jordan](#) and on [‘force protection in Erbil’](#) (both Dutch only).



MOPA Iraq

The Netherlands contributes civilian and military experts to assist with developing the capacity of the **Ministry of Peshmerga Affairs (MOPA)**. This is necessary to help the security sector in the Kurdistan Region of Iraq combat terror organisations such as ISIS, and to help safeguard local and regional security. For more information, see the letter to the House of Representatives on the [‘Netherlands’ contribution to the anti-ISIS coalition and the broader security efforts in Iraq in 2020 and 2021’](#) (Dutch only).



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EMASOH

The **European-led mission Awareness Strait of Hormuz (EMASOH)** is a maritime mission aimed at enhancing maritime security in the Gulf region. The Netherlands contributes 2 staff officers to the mission. From the end of January to the end of June 2020, the Netherlands has contributed a frigate with an onboard helicopter, the Senior Civilian Representative and up to four staff officers to the mission. For more information, see the letter to the House of Representatives on the *'Netherlands' contribution to enhancing maritime security in the Gulf region* (Dutch only).

