

Mine Action Area of Responsibility (AoR) in 2023



Overview:

In order to ensure an effective, sustainable, and people-centered mine action response, the Mine Action (MA) AoR implements a comprehensive mine action program involving different national and international partners to ensure mines and explosive ordnance (EO) do not adversely affect communities, causing death or injuries or forcing people to engage in risky behavior.

In response to the dire humanitarian needs caused by conflict, MA partners deliver explosive ordnance awareness and carry out technical and non-technical assessments to identify and, where possible, remove EO, including in residential areas, IDP sites and areas of operations of humanitarian actors.

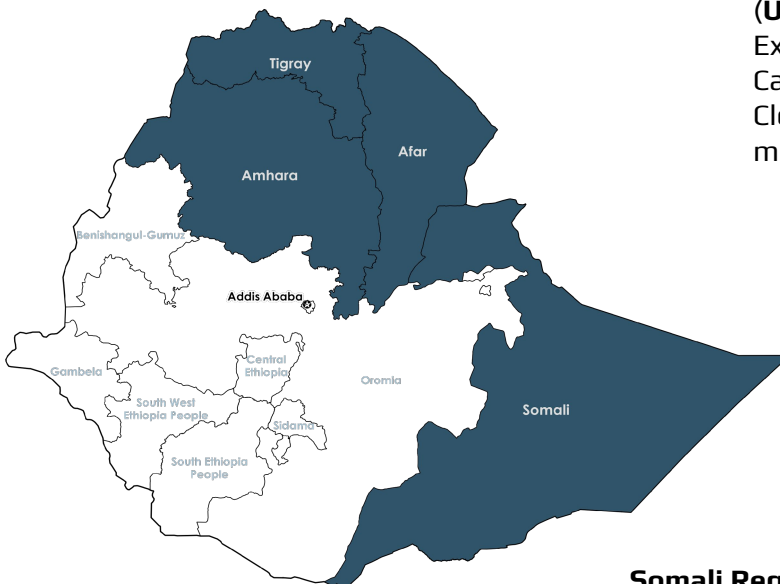
Accurate data on mines and EO incidents as well as the availability of specialized services in conflict-affected areas are collected to develop a directory of existing services for victims.

The MA AoR progressively supports the development of a capability at national level through the Ethiopian Mine Action Office to manage and coordinate the Mine Action sector in the country.

Key Data:

6.7M	People in Need of MA interventions *
280,868	Beneficiaries reached with Explosive Ordnance Risk Education (EORE)*
1,485	Humanitarian workers reached with capacity Building of EORE, Non-Technical Survey and Clearance Teams*
509	Survivors of mines and EO incidents and their family members assisted*
106	Explosive ordnance incidents victims recorded *

Presence of partners*



Tigray Region
(UNMAS, EPSS, HI, Imagine 1 Day, RADO, IHS, Nexus)
Explosive Ordnance Risk Education (EORE), Capacity Building of EORE, Non-Technical Survey and Clearance Teams, Provide Assistance to survivors of mines and EO incidents and their family members

Amhara (HI)
Explosive Ordnance Risk Education (EORE)

Afar (UNMAS, EPSS)
Explosive Ordnance Risk Education (EORE) Capacity Building of EORE, Non-Technical Survey and Clearance Teams

Somali Region (CWW, HALO TRUST)
Explosive Ordnance Risk Education (EORE)
Capacity Building of EORE, Non-Technical Survey and Clearance Teams
Systematically assess and address EO contamination in areas impacting vulnerable populations by surveying, marking, clearance and explosive ordnance disposal.

Sources

- * 2024 Humanitarian Needs Overview (HNO)
- * 5ws Activity Info (January-December, 2023)
- * UNMAS IMS (January-December, 2023)