

IV. Table of multilateral peace operations, 2017

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Table 3.2 provides data on the 63 multilateral peace operations that were conducted during 2017, including operations that were launched or terminated during the year.

The table lists operations that were conducted under the authority of the United Nations, operations conducted by regional organizations and alliances, and operations conducted by ad hoc (non-standing) coalitions of states, as well as unilateral operations that were sanctioned by the UN or authorized by a UN Security Council resolution. UN operations are divided into three subgroups: (a) observer and multidimensional peace operations run by the Department of Peacekeeping Operations; (b) special political and peacebuilding missions; and (c) the joint African Union/UN Hybrid Operation in Darfur (UNAMID).

The table draws on the SIPRI Multilateral Peace Operations Database, which provides information on all UN and non-UN peace operations conducted since 2000, such as location, dates of deployment and operation, mandate, participating countries, number of personnel, budgets and fatalities.

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Unless otherwise stated, all figures are as of 31 Dec. 2017 or the date of closure. Operations that closed in 2017 are shown in italic type and are not included in the aggregate figures.

Operation	Start	Location	Mil.	Pol.	Civ.
United Nations Peacekeeping Operations			68 957	8 277	3 947
UNTSO	1948	Middle East	152	–	77
UNMOGIP	1951	India/Pakistan	44	–	22
UNFICYP	1964	Cyprus	888	68	32
UNDOF	1974	Syria (Golan)	990	–	45
UNIFIL	1978	Lebanon	10 492	–	245
MINURSO	1991	Western Sahara	227	2	74
MONUSCO	1999	DRC	15 856	1 351	747
UNMIK	1999	Kosovo	8	10	95
UNMIL	2003	Liberia	428	306	186
<i>MINUSTAH</i>	<i>2004</i>	<i>Haiti</i>	<i>299</i>	<i>1 497</i>	<i>136</i>
<i>UNOCI</i>	<i>2004</i>	<i>Côte d'Ivoire</i>	–	–	<i>25</i>
UNISFA	2011	Abyei	4 522	37	140
UNMISS	2011	South Sudan	12 969	1 599	861
MINUSMA	2013	Mali	11 698	1 725	663
MINUSCA	2014	CAR	10 683	2 020	649
MINUJUSTH	2017	Haiti	–	1 199	111
United Nations Special Political Mission			1 142	75	1 070
UNAMA	2002	Afghanistan	4	2	303
UNAMI	2003	Iraq	245	–	313
UNIOGBIS	2010	Guinea-Bissau	1	11	59
UNSMIL	2011	Libya	232	3	148
UNSOM	2013	Somalia	539	14	143
<i>UNMC</i>	<i>2016</i>	<i>Colombia</i>	<i>167</i>	–	<i>98</i>
UNVMC	2017	Colombia	121	45	104
United Nations/African Union (UN/AU)			11 449	2 731	706
UNAMID	2007	Sudan (Darfur)	11 449	2 731	706
African Union (AU)			20 530	466	108
AMISOM	2007	Somalia	20 522	466	51
MISAHHEL	2013	Mali	–	–	11
MISAC	2014	CAR	–	–	9
AU Observer Mission in Burundi	2015	Burundi	8	–	37
Economic Community of West African States (ECOWAS)			707	270	–
ECOMIB	2012	Guinea-Bissau	332	145	–
ECOMIG	2017	Gambia	375	125	–
European Union (EU)			1 361	326	773
EUFOR ALTHEA	2004	Bosnia and Herzegovina	536	–	21
EUBAM Rafah	2005	Palestinian territories (Rafah Crossing Point)	–	1	7
EUPOL COPPS	2005	Palestinian territories	–	12	36

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EULEX Kosovo	2008	Kosovo	-	194	225
EUMM Georgia	2008	Georgia	-	-	206
EUTM Somalia	2010	Somalia	152	-	10
EUCAP Sahel Niger	2012	Niger	-	30	67
EUTM Mali	2013	Mali	510	-	31
EUAM Ukraine	2014	Ukraine	-	42	92
EUCAP Sahel Mali	2015	Mali	-	38	63
EUTM RCA	2016	CAR	163	-	1
EUAM Iraq	2017	Iraq	-	9	14
North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO)			19 077	-	-
KFOR	1999	Kosovo	4 031	-	-
RSM	2015	Afghanistan	15 046	-	-
Organization of American States (OAS)			-	-	26
MAPP/OEA	2004	Colombia	-	-	26
Organization for Security and Co-operation in Europe (OSCE)			-	-	1 000
OSCE Mission to Skopje	1992	Macedonia	-	-	37
OSCE Mission to Moldova	1993	Moldova	-	-	9
OSCE PRICIO	1995	Azerbaijan (Nagorno-Karabakh)	-	-	6
OSCE Mission to Bosnia and Herzegovina	1995	Bosnia and Herzegovina	-	-	29
OSCE Presence in Albania	1997	Albania	-	-	16
OMIK	1999	Kosovo	-	-	76
OSCE Mission to Serbia	2001	Serbia	-	-	20
OSCE SMM	2014	Ukraine	-	-	785
OSCE Observer Mission at the Russian Checkpoints Gukovo and Donetsk	2014	Russia (Gukovo and Donetsk checkpoints)	-	-	22
Pacific Islands Forum (PIF)			-
RAMSI	2003	Solomon Islands	-
Southern African Development Community (SADC)			222	24	12
SAPMIL	2017	Lesotho	222	24	12
Ad hoc coalitions of states			2 358	3	294
NNSC	1953	South Korea	10	-	-
MFO	1982	Egypt (Sinai)	1 187	-	113
JCC	1992	Moldova (Transnistria)	1 136	-	-
OHR	1995	Bosnia and Herzegovina	-	-	13
TIPH	1997	Palestinian territories (Hebron)	-	-	63
IMT	2004	Philippines (Mindanao)	25	3	8
CTSAMM	2015	South Sudan	-	-	97

- = not applicable; .. = information not available; AMISOM = AU Mission in Somalia; CAR = Central African Republic; Civ. = International civilian personnel; CTSAMM = Ceasefire and Transitional Security Arrangements Monitoring Mechanism; DRC = Democratic

Republic of the Congo; ECOMIB = ECOWAS Mission in Guinea-Bissau; ECOMIG = ECOWAS Mission in the Gambia; EUAM Iraq = EU Advisory Mission in Support of Security Sector Reform in Iraq; EUAM Ukraine = EU Advisory Mission for Civilian Security Sector Reform Ukraine; EUBAM Rafah = EU Border Assistance Mission for the Rafah Crossing Point; EUCAP Sahel Mali = EU Common Security and Defence Policy (CSDP) Mission in Mali; EUCAP Sahel Niger = EU CSDP Mission in Niger; EUFOR ALTHEA = EU Military Operation in Bosnia and Herzegovina; EULEX Kosovo = EU Rule of Law Mission in Kosovo; EUMM Georgia = EU Monitoring Mission in Georgia; EUPOL COPPS = EU Police Mission for the Palestinian Territories; EUTM Mali = EU Training Mission Mali; EUTM RCA = EU Training Mission in the CAR; EUTM Somalia = EU Training Mission Somalia; IMT = International Monitoring Team; JCC = Joint Control Commission Peacekeeping Force; KFOR = Kosovo Force; MAPP/OEA = OAS Mission to Support the Peace Process in Colombia; MFO = Multinational Force and Observers; MINUJUSTH = UN Mission for Justice Support in Haiti; MINURSO = UN Mission for the Referendum in Western Sahara; Mil. = military personnel (troops and military observers); MINUSCA = UN Multidimensional Integrated Stabilization Mission in the Central African Republic; MINUSMA = UN Multidimensional Integrated Stabilization Mission in Mali; MINUSTAH = UN Stabilization Mission in Haiti; MISAC = AU Mission for the Central African Republic and Central Africa; MISAHHEL = AU Mission for Mali and the Sahel; MONUSCO = UN Organization Stabilization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo; NNSC = Neutral Nations Supervisory Commission; OHR = Office of the High Representative; OMIK = OSCE Mission in Kosovo; OSCE SMM = OSCE Special Monitoring Mission in Ukraine; Pol. = police; PRCIO = Personal Representative of the Chairman-in-Office on the Conflict Dealt with by the OSCE Minsk Conference; RAMSI = Regional Assistance Mission to Solomon Islands; RSM = Resolute Support Mission; SAPMIL = SADC Preventive Mission in the Kingdom of Lesotho; TIPH = Temporary International Presence in Hebron; UNAMA = UN Assistance Mission in Afghanistan; UNAMI = UN Assistance Mission in Iraq; UNAMID = AU/UN Hybrid Operation in Darfur; UNDOF = UN Disengagement Observer Force; UNFICYP = UN Peacekeeping Force in Cyprus; UNIFIL = UN Interim Force in Lebanon; UNIOGBIS = UN Integrated Peace-building Office in Guinea-Bissau; UNISFA = UN Interim Security Force for Abyei; UNMIK = UN Interim Administration Mission in Kosovo; UNMIL = UN Mission in Liberia; UNMISS = UN Mission in South Sudan; UNMOGIP = UN Military Observer Group in India and Pakistan; UNOCI = UN Operation in Côte d'Ivoire; UNSMIL = UN Support Mission in Libya; UNSOM = UN Assistance Mission in Somalia; UNTSO = UN Truce Supervision Organization; UNVMC = UN Verification Mission in Colombia.

Source: SIPRI Multilateral Peace Operations Database. Data on multilateral peace operations is obtained from the following categories of open source: (a) official information provided by the secretariat of the organization concerned; (b) information provided by the operations themselves, either in official publications or in written responses to annual SIPRI questionnaires; and (c) information from national governments contributing to the operation under consideration. In some instances, SIPRI researchers may gather additional information on an operation from the conducting organizations or governments of participating states by means of telephone interviews and email correspondence. These primary sources are supplemented by a wide selection of publicly available secondary sources consisting of specialist journals, research reports, news agencies and international, regional and local newspapers.