



Mine Action Agency
of the Republic of Azerbaijan



**Azerbaijan's National
Achievements
in
Mine Action**

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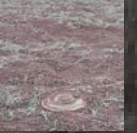
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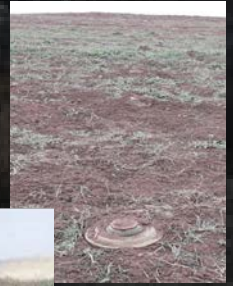
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"Major obstacles to reconstruction and rehabilitation include the social and economic reintegration, the return of IDPs, and fostering peace and cooperation in the region.





A site of UXO, isolated AP mines or IED



Mines found in belts away from the former LOC



Area

Aghdam

Fuzuli

Jabrayil

Gubadli

Zangilan

Kalbajar

Lachin

Khojavand

Khankendi

Khojali

Tartar



AP mine laid on the top of AT mines



AP Mines produced by Armenia in 2021 & found in Lachin District



Improvised and Booby Trap Explosive Devices Installed by Armenian Military Forces in the Liberated Territories



Steel nails fixed around the trapped hand grenade found in liberated territories.



Booby trap POMZ antipersonnel fragmentation mine found in liberated territories.



PMN-3 antipersonnel mine trapped by hand grenade found in liberated territories.



Hand made type of directed and remote control MON-100 fragmentation antipersonnel mine.

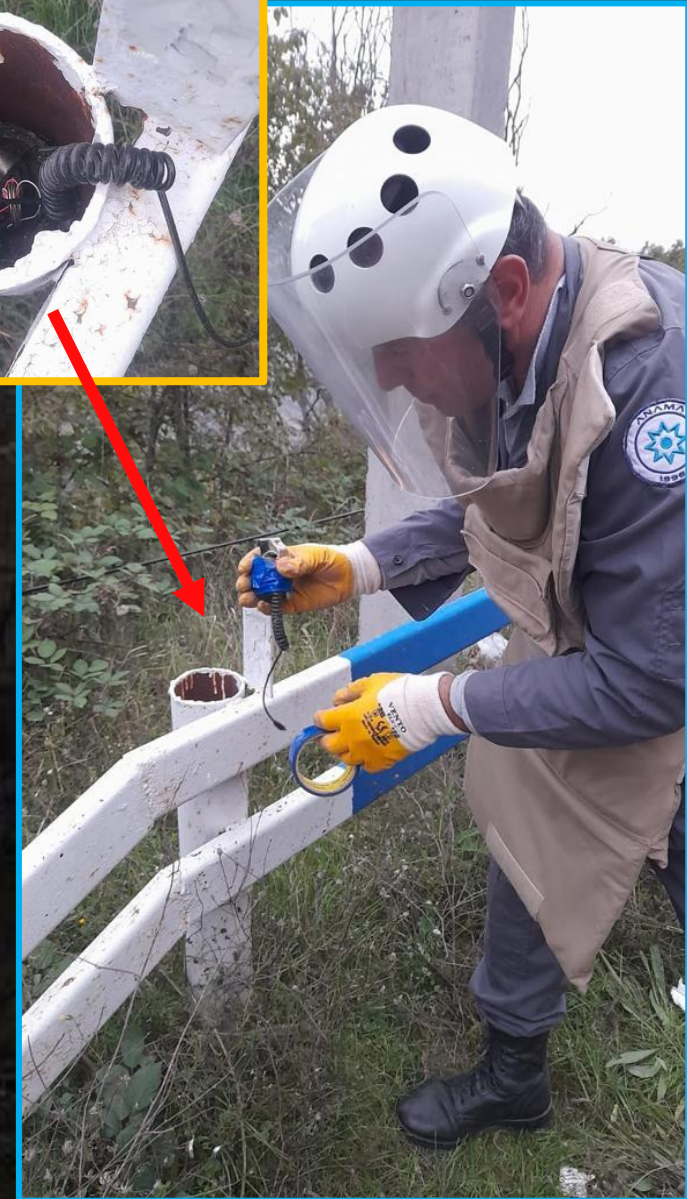


To increase explosion power and harm, a mortar shell was placed under the PMN antipersonnel mine



Booby trap hand grenade fuse found in liberated territories.

Improvised and Booby Trap Explosive Devices Installed by Armenian Military Forces around the Khojavend and Khankendi cities



Cemeteries were contaminated with landmines and unexploded remnants of war



WATERWELL POLLUTION AND EXPLOSIVE CLEARANCE



Mine Victims



1991- 10 th November 2020			
Injured	Killed	Injured or killed by cluster	Total
2418	530	131	3079



November 10 2020 – April 9, 2023		
Injured	Killed	total
286	65	351



Mine victims in total – **3430**

**Children - 358, women - 38*

MINE INCIDENTS LOCATIONS

Mine incidents since 10th November 2020

In the former
contact line (number)

Beyond the former
contact line

66

143

Total: 209 incidents



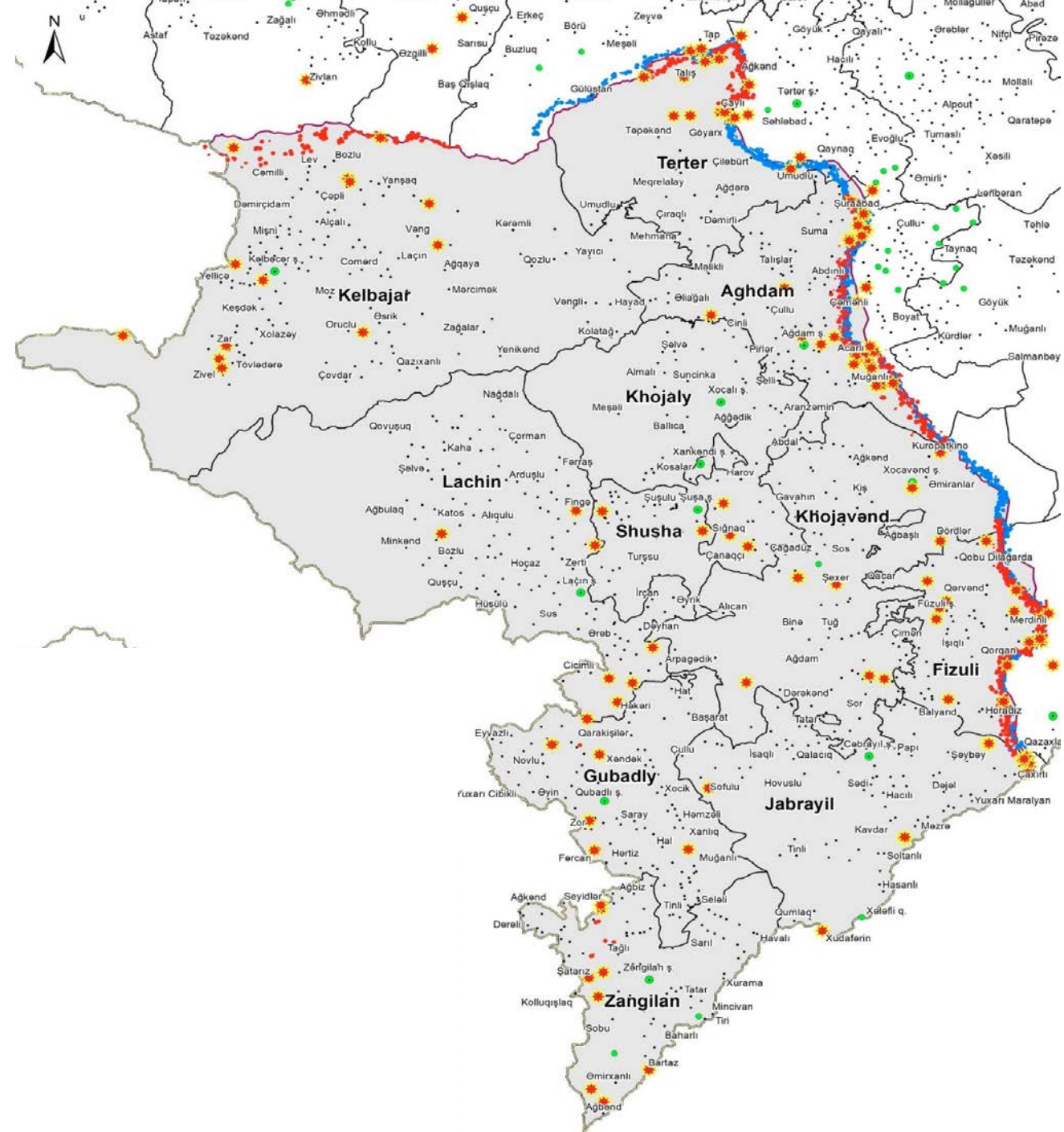
Mine incidents



Minefield record



Residential area



Released Mine Records

- 390,709 anti-tank and anti-personnel landmines, along with other explosive devices, have been reported and documented;
- The released mine records provide information; however, the accuracy of the records is estimated to be approximately 25%
- Minefield records with reliable data cover a limited area, representing approximately 5% of all conflict-affected areas and 1.25% of the liberated territory.

Clearance Statistics 2021			
Total cleared area	Total AP mines found	Total AT mines found	Total UXOs found
20 770 ha	18 777	9 583	24 026

Clearance Statistics 2022			
Total cleared area	Total AP mines found	Total AT mines found	Total UXOs found
43 915 ha	8 780	4 133	14 950

Clearance Statistics 2023			
Total cleared area	Total AP mines found	Total AT mines found	Total UXOs found
53 081 ha	3 495	5 034	23 049

Clearance Statistics 2024			
Total cleared area	Total AP mines found	Total AT mines found	Total UXOs found
12 265.5 ha	869	320	3 790

Operators Involved in Clearance Operations



ANAMA



Ministry of Defense



State Border Service



Ministry of Emergency Situations



IEPF



Qaya Safety Solutions Company



Safe Point CJSC



Azerbaijan Demining Company" LLC



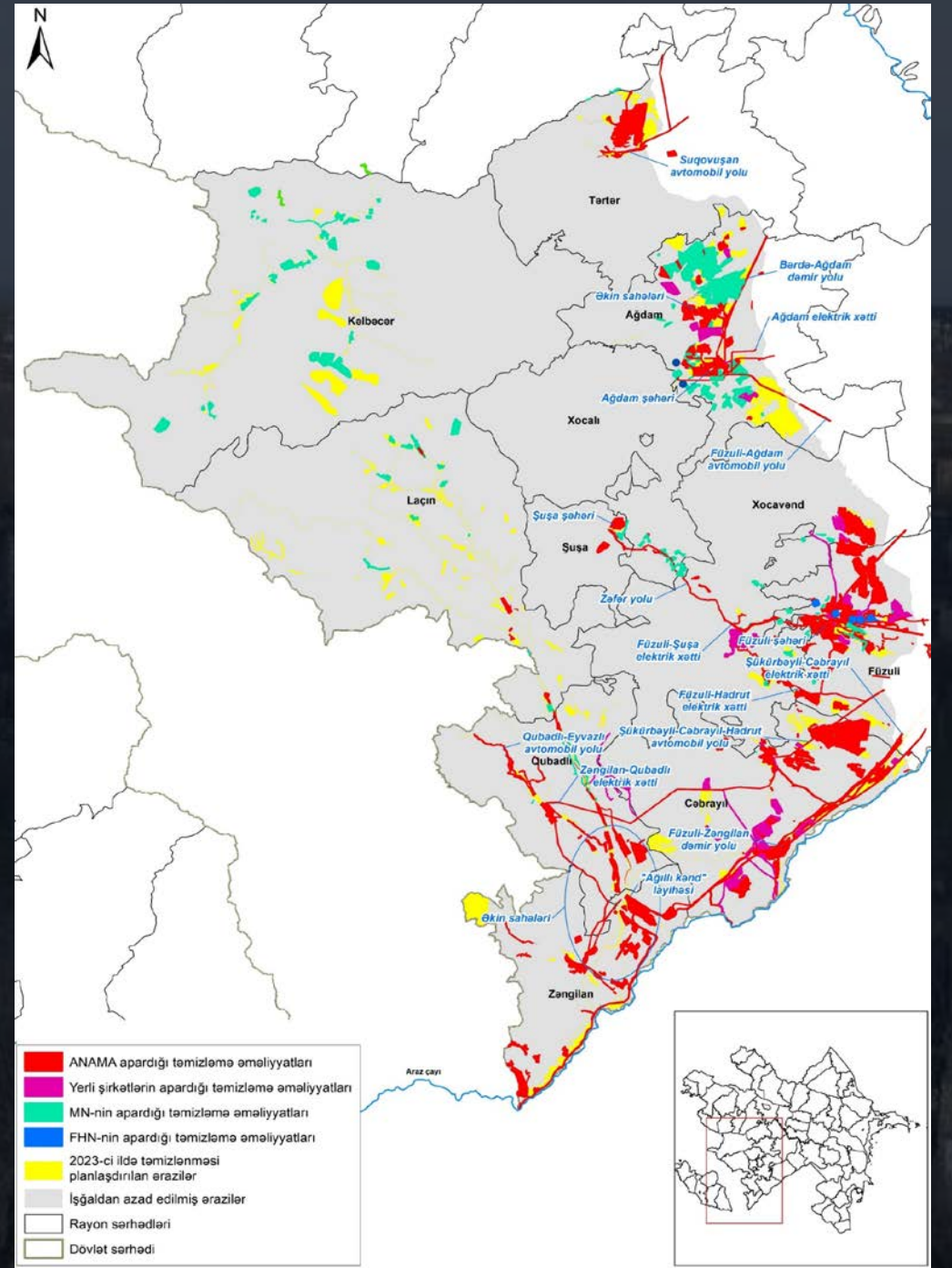
Alphas Demining" LLC

Clearance from Nov 2020 to April 9, 2024

- Total cleared area: 129 831.6 ha
- Total AP mines found: 31, 919
- Total AT mines found: 19, 070
- Total UXOs found: 65, 585
- Total resources: 2226 operational staff, 156 MDDs and 71 demining machines

Work plan 2024 – clearance 60 530,7 ha
(of which 19 804,6 ha is residential area)

Plans to increase capacity to achieve 65,000 ha yearly



Manual Demining Operations



Female Deminers



First female demining group in Azerbaijan has started by the support of United Nations Development Program (UNDP) and Mine Advisory Group (MAG).



Female demining group established in framework of "Support for the Safe Return of IDPs by Increasing the Capacity of the Demining Agency of the Republic of Azerbaijan (ANAMA)".

Specially trained Mine Detection Rats

Starting from the late 1990s, specialists in the world of mine action began to use the olfactory ability of rats.

Newly acquired rats will be deployed for demining operations in the liberated territories of Azerbaijan.



Specially trained Mine Detection Dogs



Mechanical Demining Operations



Explosive Ordnance Risk Education

Community Awareness

- A Memorandum of Joint Activity Program between UNICEF, ANAMA and Ministry of Education (September 2021)
- Mine Awareness Groups established in **80** villages close to the mine affected areas. Civil society organizations, local administrations, UNHCR, UNDP and ICRC were involved to EORE process.
- **150,671** printed educational materials, **46,900** textbooks and methodological aids on "Mine Danger" were distributed in the war-affected regions and villages.
- More than **468,314** persons including newly returned families in Aghali and Talish smart villages were involved in awareness-raising activities for population of the war-affected areas.
- **925** warning billboards installed, more than **274** local organizations and companies involved to EORE General and ToT Trainings.



Terter District, Talish Village

Before



After



Zangilan District, Aghali Village

Before



After





Aghaly smart village concept consists of “Modern technologies and joint management and control”



The emerging transport hub in Karabakh



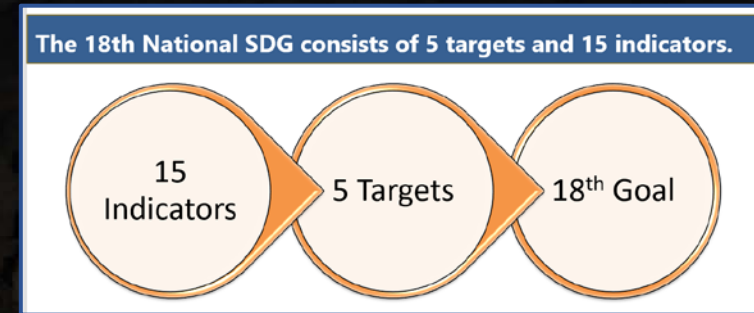
Fizuli International Airport

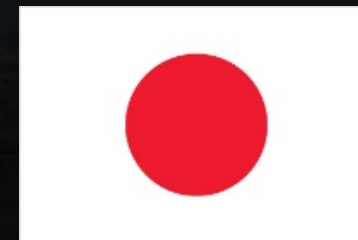


Strategic railroad setup after landmine clearance

AZERBAIJAN DECLARED NATIONAL SDG 18

Goal	TARGET	INDICATOR
1 No poverty	4	6
2 Zero hunger	6	7
3 Good health and well being	9	19
4 Quality education	9	10
5 Gender equality	9	12
6 Clean water and sanitation	6	8
7 Affordable and clean energy	3	3
8 Decent work and economic growth	8	10
9 Industry innovation and infrastructure	6	8
10 Reduced inequalities	5	5
11 Sustainable cities and communities	4	6
12 Responsible consumption and production	2	2
13 Climate action	1	1
14 Life below water	2	2
15 Life on land	3	4
16 Peace justice and strong in situations	6	9
17 Partnerships for the goals	5	7
18 Mine action activities	5	15
General	93	134





National NGOs



THANK YOU

