



Mine Action Activities and Priorities for Ukraine

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Achievements

- Technical support to the National Mine Action Authority
- Improvements to the legal framework
- Capacity development activities
- Analysis of victim assistance in Mine Action
- Sub-cluster activities for better coordination of multiple stakeholders



Mine Action as an enabler

- Managing debris (e.g. Bucha, Hostomel, Makariv)
- Recovering water supply and sanitation (e.g. Kremenchuk, Chernihiv)
- Restoring energy and heating facilities
- Securing export routes (e.g. Black Sea)
- Facilitating safe return (e.g. booby traps)



Gaps

- Information (e.g. lack of indicators and baseline)
- Institutional (e.g. more efficiency in coordination and governance is needed)
- Capacities and resources (e.g. huge gap in financial resources)



Outcomes of the MA Programme

- Individuals and communities feel protected and have strengthened their resilience against EO
- Released land is returned to productive use, improving the socio-economic living conditions for previously EO-affected individuals and communities
- Survivors, family members and communities affected by EO have equal access to health and education, and participate fully in community social and economic life



Priorities



- Sound national mine action structures and coordination mechanism established (min 5 million USD)
- The Ukraine mine action programme has the financial and technical support required to address the needs and priorities of EO-affected communities (in kind contributions)
- Mine action is undertaken in a safe manner with competent staff working in line with international mine action standards (IMAS) and sector best practices (min 5 million USD)
- Prioritized survey and clearance activities releases high impacted land for safe agriculture, reconstruction and the return of displaced people (min 100 million USD)
- Victims of explosive ordnance are provided with the proper support (min 3% from the overall contribution)
- EO Risk Education (EORE) is provided to affected communities (min 2%)
- Access to the private social and sustainable finance is granted (min 10 million USD)



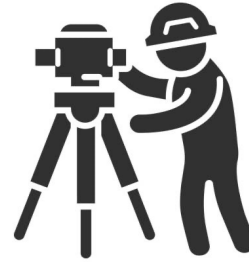
Mine Action in Ukraine – selected takeaways



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Coordination



Survey



Equipment

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Operational Contexts



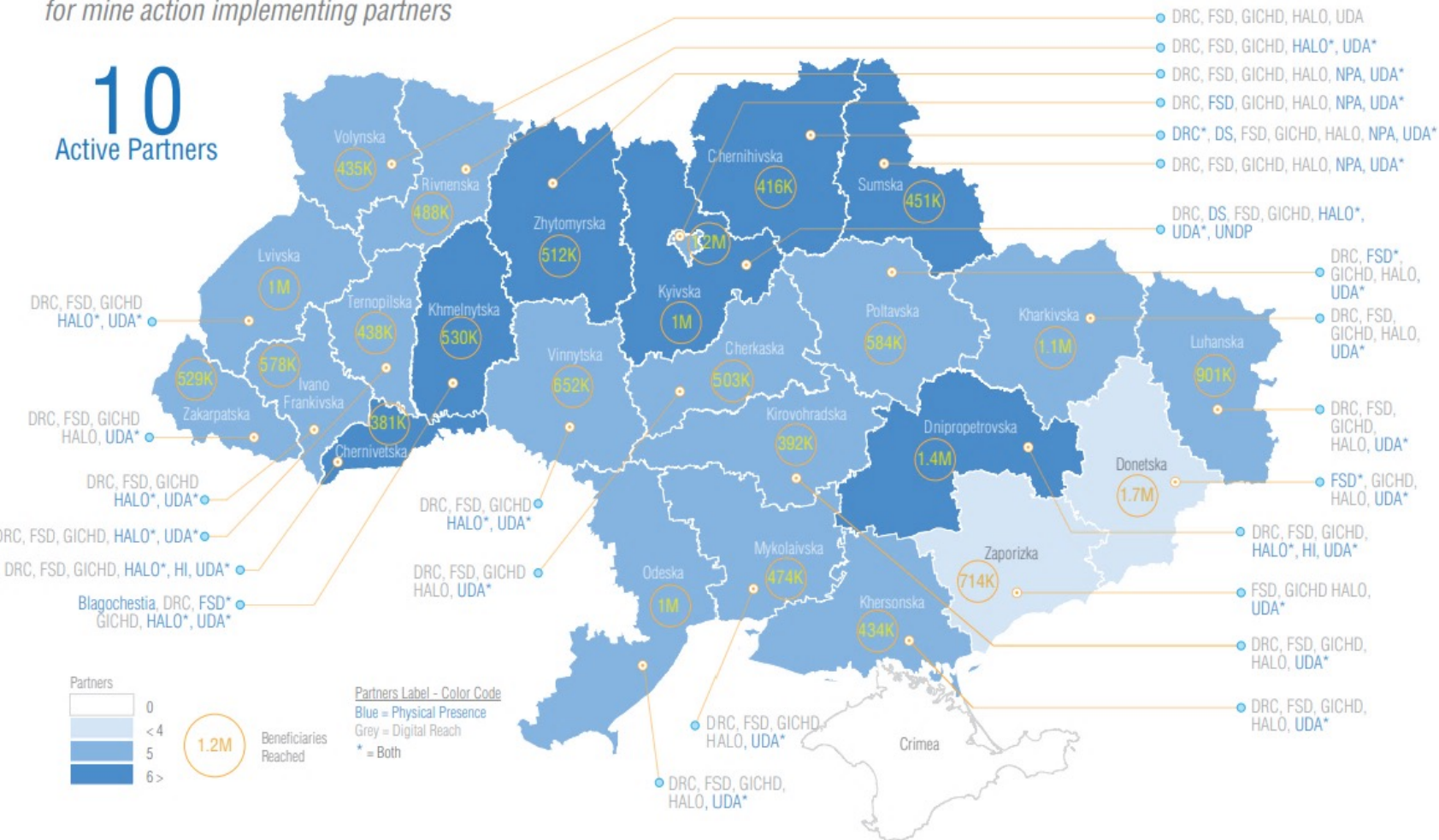
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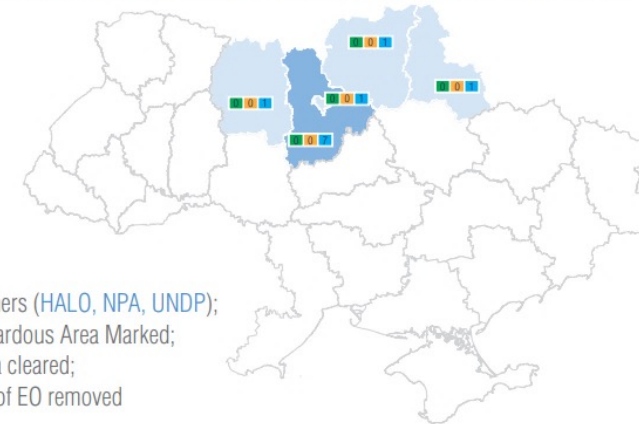
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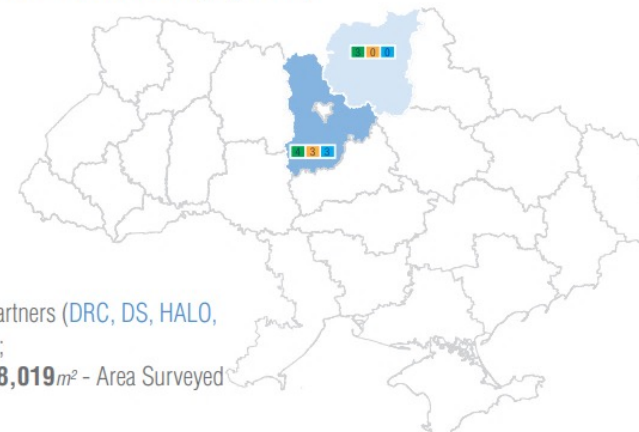
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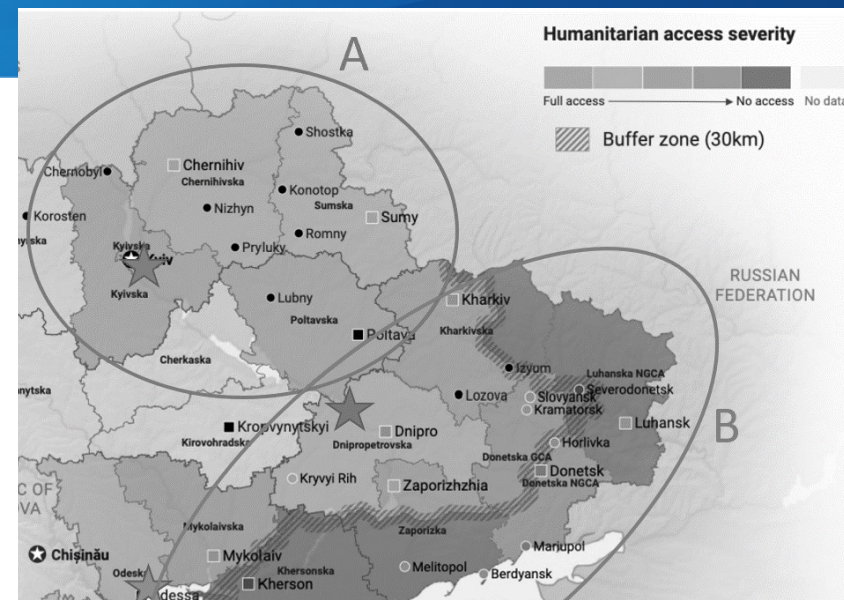
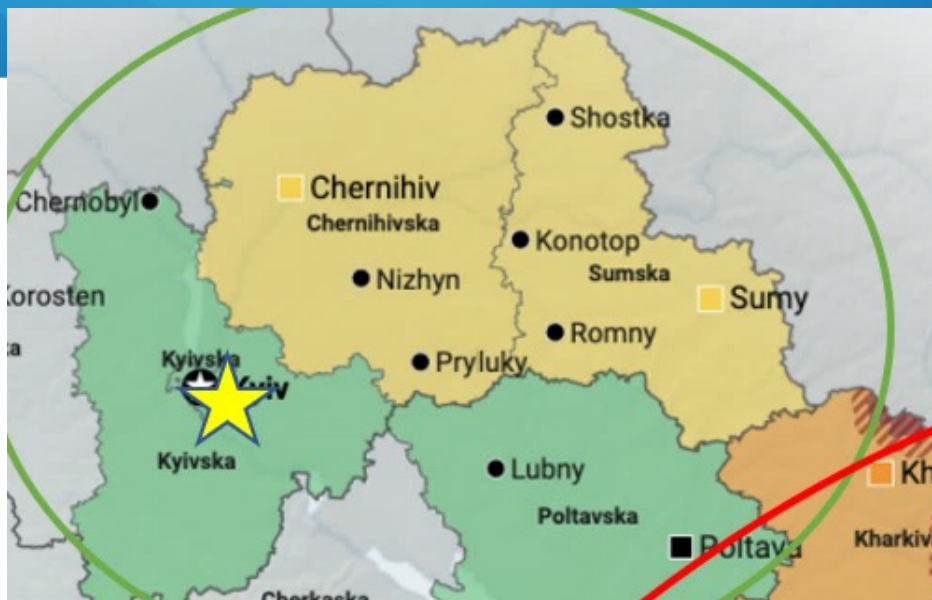




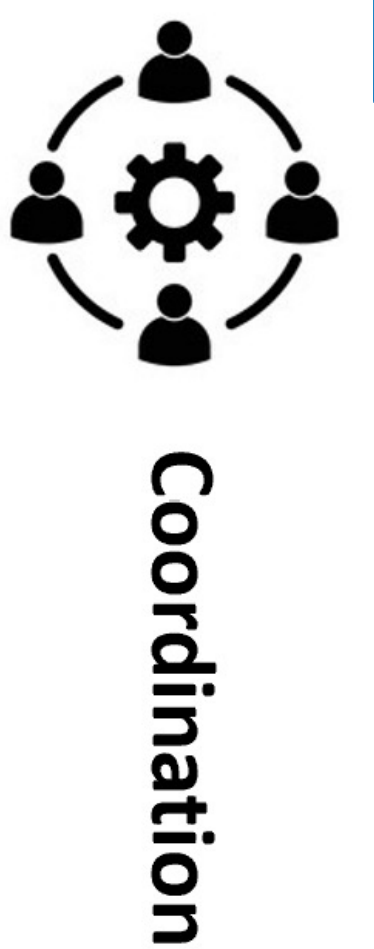
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Survey



- As a priority - need to better define the contamination problem: nature and extent through Non Technical Survey
- Conduct regional survey in a systematic and standardised fashion
- Establish baseline (capture basic socio economic elements)
- Use for planning and prioritisation
- Create a dashboard to measure progress



Mine Action Sub-Cluster Coordination - Ukraine

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UN: UNDP, UNICEF, UNOPS, UNHCR



IO: OSCE PCU, ICRC, GICHD



INGOs: HALO, FSD, DRC, HI*, NPA*, MAG*



NGOs: UDA, Airlight



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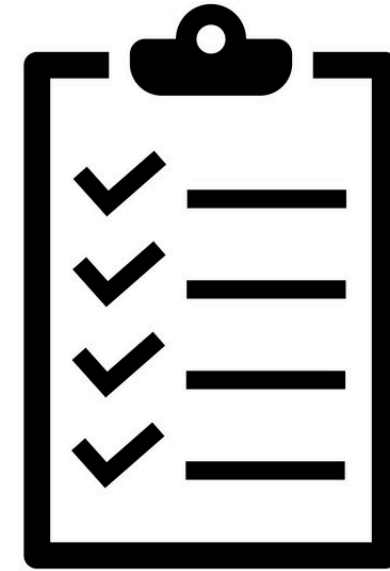
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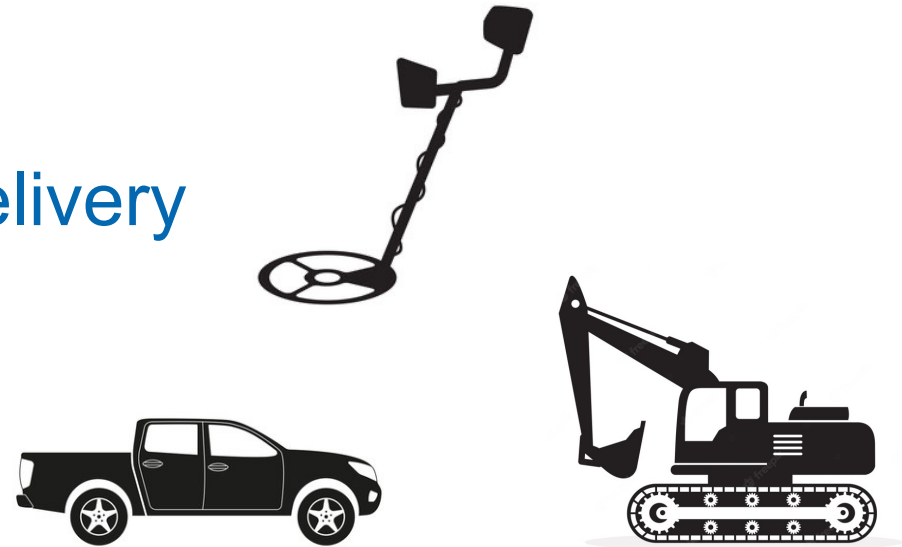
MASC Working Groups





Equipment

- Strong national clearance capacities
- Good international response to requests for equipment
- Require a Tracking Tool
- For monitoring orders and delivery
- Keep stock of provision
- Clarify remaining needs
- Promote transparency



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