Overview of Antipersonnel Mine Stockpile Destruction (Article 4)

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Stockpile Destruction: Progress and Challenges

- 28.5 million antipersonnel mines destroyed by SP
- Destruction complete in 39 countries
  - Recently completed by Chad, Croatia, Italy, Japan, Moldova, Netherlands, and Nicaragua
- Officially declared absence of stocks in 41 countries
- Destruction underway in 15 countries
  - 9 of these have deadlines in 2003
- Destruction not underway in 10 countries
  - 3 of these have deadlines in 2003
- Stocks not officially declared by 19 countries
  - LATE transparency measures reports
  - 8 of these have deadlines in 2003
Destruction Complete in 39 Countries
- 7 more than May 2002

Not Stockpiled by 41 Countries
- 9 more than May 2002

Shaded Countries have finished stockpile destruction or have officially declared not having a stockpile in their initial article 7 reports.

33 SP have completed destruction
30 SP have officially declared
Zambia is on this list despite retaining its entire stockpile under article 3

NOTE MANY SMALL COUNTRIES WITHOUT STOCKS NOT SHADED DUE TO SCALE OF MAP
Stockpile Destruction in Progress in 15 Countries
– 9 of these have deadline in 2003

Stockpile Destruction reported under way in 22 SP. NOTE, THIS LIST WILL LIKELY CHANGE WITH UPDATES RECEIVED
Destruction Awaiting Commencement in 10 Countries

- Djibouti (Mar 2003)
- Macedonia (Mar 2003)
- Venezeula (Oct 2003)
- Tajikistan (Apr 2004)
- Bangladesh (Mar 2005)
- Gabon (Mar 2005)
- Tanzania (May 2005)
- Kenya (Jul 2005)
- Congo Brazzaville (Nov 2005)
- Guinea-Bissau (Nov 2005)

(Deadline for fulfilling article 4 obligations noted)
### Stocks Not Officially Declared by 19 (late Article 7)

- 10 less than May 2002

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NONE OF THESE ARE THOUGHT TO STOCKPILE ANTIPERSONNL MINES

They can easily become green on the map with submission of an article 7 report.
Announcement Pending from 7 Countries
(Article 7 report deadline not reached)

– DR Congo (Nov 2006)
– Suriname (Nov 2006)
– Angola (Jan 2007)
– Afghanistan (Mar 2007)
– Comoros (Mar 2007)
– Central African Republic (May 2007)
– Cyprus (Jul 2007)

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