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<p>Form A: National implementation measures: <input type="checkbox"/> changed <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> unchanged (last reporting: 2009)</p>	<p>Form F: Programme of APM destruction: <input type="checkbox"/> changed <input type="checkbox"/> unchanged (last reporting: yyyy) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> non applicable</p>
<p>Form B: Stockpiled anti-personnel mines: <input type="checkbox"/> changed <input type="checkbox"/> unchanged (last reporting: yyyy) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> non applicable</p>	<p>Form G: APM destroyed: <input type="checkbox"/> changed <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> unchanged (last reporting: 2009) <input type="checkbox"/> non applicable</p>
<p>Form C: Location of mined areas: <input type="checkbox"/> changed <input type="checkbox"/> unchanged (last reporting: yyyy) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> non applicable</p>	<p>Form H: Technical characteristics: <input type="checkbox"/> changed <input type="checkbox"/> unchanged (last reporting: yyyy) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> non applicable</p>
<p>Form D: APMs retained or transferred: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> changed <input type="checkbox"/> unchanged (last reporting: 2017) <input type="checkbox"/> non applicable</p>	<p>Form I: Warning measures: <input type="checkbox"/> changed <input type="checkbox"/> unchanged (last reporting: yyyy) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> non applicable</p>
<p>Form E: Status of conversion programmes: <input type="checkbox"/> changed <input type="checkbox"/> unchanged (last reporting: yyyy) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> non applicable</p>	<p>Form J: Other Relevant Matters: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> changed <input type="checkbox"/> unchanged (last reporting: yyyy) <input type="checkbox"/> non applicable</p>

¹ Notes on using the cover page:

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Form D – Supplementary information

77 AP 22 destroyed by detonation/demolition by Education and Training Centre Military Engineers
8 pcs AT/(AP) DM 31 used by NLD Knowledge Centre Weapon systems and Ammunition

Form J – Other Relevant Matters

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With the view of reducing the yearly amount of victims of accidents resulting from explosives and increasing socioeconomic development in post-conflict area, the destruction of landmines and Explosive Remnants of War, including cluster munitions, are part of the integrated Dutch policy on rebuilding after conflict.

The Netherlands has for many years allocated large amounts of funds to mine action programmes on survey, clearance, risk education, victim assistance and local capacity building. Through its ‘Mine Action and Cluster Munitions’ multi-annual programme (2016-2020), the Netherlands is contributing a total of €45 million euro to NGO partners Mines Advisory Group, Danish Church Aid and the HALO Trust for mine action activities in 14 different countries: Afghanistan, Colombia, the Democratic Republic of Congo, Iraq, Lebanon, Libya, the Palestinian Territories, Mali, Somalia, Syria, South-Sudan, Kosovo, Yemen and Ukraine. Of this total amount €10 million euro is reserved for emergency response. Since 2018, the Netherlands is also supporting the Geneva International Centre for Humanitarian Demining.

In addition, the Netherlands provides an annual (unearmarked) contribution to the UNMAS Voluntary Trust Fund. In 2018, the Netherlands also made an earmarked contribution to UNMAS Afghanistan for activities to be implemented in 2019 and deployed a Dutch IED expert to UNMAS HQ in New York to support the UN IED threat mitigation unit. In 2018, the Netherlands continued its support to the UNDP Mine Action Programme in Yemen.

The total contribution in 2018 from The Kingdom of the Netherlands to NGO’s and multilateral organisations for Humanitarian Mine Action was EUR 15.935.088.²

2018 Contributions to NGO’s for priority areas in EUR

**The amounts per NGO show the NL contribution for 2018 (excl. information on balance etc.) and do not correspond to the NGOs actual annual country budgets and expenditure. The amounts shown per country are therefore an indicative estimation based on percentage country budget versus total.*

Halo Afghanistan 1.894.360 EUR

Halo Syria 327.870 EUR

Halo Ukraine 473.590 EUR

² This figure differs slightly from the figure reported through the CCM report Art.7 for 2018, which was EUR 15.673.734. The adjusted figure EUR 15.935.088 also includes decentralized Embassy contributions towards Mine Action (UNDP/YEMAC programme) and most recent recalculations to reflect the definitive total amount for 2018.

Halo Somalia 765.030 EUR
Halo Kosovo 127.505 EUR
Halo crosscutting 54.645 EUR
Halo Emergency Response Afghanistan 207.053 EUR
Total HALO 3.412.893 EUR

MAG Iraq 332.626 EUR
MAG Lebanon 245.093 EUR
MAG South Sudan 271.353 EUR
MAG crosscutting 35.013 EUR
Total MAG 875.333 EUR

DCA South Sudan 897.840 EUR
DCA Mali 99.072 EUR
DCA Libya/Tunisia 916.416 EUR
DCA Lebanon 1.179.576 EUR
DCA Emergency Response Derna 1.500.000 EUR
Total DCA 4.596.000 EUR

Total GICHD Global 396.215 EUR

2018 Contributions to multilateral organisations in EUR

UNMAS VTF Unearmarked EUR 3.000.000 and an additional EUR 3.000.000 earmarked for UNMAS Afghanistan. The NL also made an in-kind contribution by detaching a Dutch IED expert to UNMAS HQ in New York as part of IED threat mitigation unit.

UNDP/YEMAC programme Jemen 654.646 EUR
Total Multilateral 6.654.646 EUR