

Bosnia and Herzegovina Mine situation 2020

Current mine situation

1. MINES:

Impacted communities/1421

Impacted area:964,72km²

2. CLUSTER MUNITION

Impacted communities/32

Impacted area:2,14km²

3.SUSPECTED AREA IN TOTAL: 1.24km²

Impacted communities/13

4.Total number of directly impacted people :132 803

There were no mine victims in 2020.

General assessment of mine suspected areas in Bosnia and Herzegovina 2018-2019

Results

Areas and evidences

- Average area of MSA 1.94 km²
- Total number of evidences at MSA 15.569
- Direct evidences 9.500
- Indirect evidences 6.069

Minefield records

- 1.151 corrected positions of minefield records within MSA
- 300 new minefield records gained through field activities
- 6.023 minefield records deleted from database (status removed)

Mine suspected areas are defined in accordance with the International Mine Action Standards (IMAS) and the developed land release approach in Bosnia and Herzegovina

❖ *MSA- wider area, that can be treated as one logical unit. The area can include one or more mine-affected communities.*

Mine Action Strategy in Bosnia and Herzegovina 2018-2025

Adopted at the 165th session of the Council of Ministers of Bosnia and Herzegovina
held on January 30, 2019

Strategic Objectives (5 strategic objectives):

- Quality information management procedures
- BiH's mine action program has been promoted in the country and internationally
- The magnitude and impact of the mine contamination problem / ESRC has been specified and confirmed (General assessment)
- MRE
- LMVA

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At the beginning of the year	SHA /km ² /	SHA reduction SOP /km ² /	Period 2021-2025 cca 8% for technical methods /km ² /	Average price for technical method /BAM/	MRE/LMVA /mil.BAM/	Funds required /mil.BAM/	BHMAC funds /mil. BAM/	TOTAL /mil.BAM/
2018	1061	112		4.2/2.2	3	35.5	5.9	40.4
2019	949	126		4.2/2.2	3	34.61	5.9	40.51
2020	823	111	11.392	4.2/2.2	3	32.85	5.9	38.75
2021	712	142.4	11.392	3.0	3	37.2	5.9	43.1
2022	569.6	142.4	11.392	3.0	3	37.2	5.9	43.1
2023	427.2	142.4	11.392	3.0	3	37.2	5.9	43.1
2024	284.8	142.4	11.392	3.0	3	37.2	5.9	43.1
2025	142.4	142.4	11.392	3.0	3	37.2	5.9	43.1
TOTAL						289.0	47.2	336.2

It is estimated that a total of 336 mil. BAM is required for the full implementation of the Strategy

Signed Conventions - Ottawa and CCM

- Bosnia and Herzegovina has submitted a Request for the Extension to the Deadline as per Article 5, Para 1 of the Convention on the Prohibition of Use, Stockpiling, Production and Transfer of Anti-Personnel Mines and on Their Destruction - In order to fulfill the obligations under Article 5 of the Convention six years timeframe is requested

Requested Deadline:1 March 2021- 1 March 2027

- On 22 September 2020, Bosnia and Herzegovina submitted an official request for an 18-month extension to the Deadline of Article 4 of the Convention on the Prohibition of Use, Stockpiling, Production and Transfer of Cluster Munition and on Their Destruction to the President of the Second Review Conference (2RC).

Requested Deadline:1 September 2022

CURRENT REQUIREMENTS

- **Funds for the implementation of cluster munition contracts /ITF tenders**
- **Funds for the implementation of humanitarian demining contracts/ITF tenders**
- **Continuation of actions within development of the upgraded web based BH MAC information system**
- **BH MAC renewal of material and technical assets**