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## Eastern Borders Mine Clearance Project Phase-III (OAP Action 22)

\* Almost **550.000 m<sup>2</sup>** land were addressed and **25.000 mines** were destroyed until **June 2022**.



### Eastern Borders Mine Clearance Project Phase-III



18.550.000 € (IPA-II)

3,6 million m<sup>2</sup>

94 minefields

Jan 2021 – Dec 2022

In 4 Provinces

(Ardahan, Kars, Iğdır, Ağrı)



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## Military Demining Units' Activities (OAP Action 22)



\* Almost **500.000 m<sup>2</sup>** were addressed and more than **15.000 mines** were destroyed in 2021.

\* **50.000 m<sup>2</sup>** were addressed and more than **366 mines** were destroyed in 2022.



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## Non-Technical Survey Project (OAP Action 18)



\* **4 million m<sup>2</sup>** of land was cancelled by **TURMAC NTS teams** in 2021.



\* **NTS Project** started in June 2021 and is ongoing,  
\* **1.600 mine fields'** field visit has been completed,  
\* **600 NTS reports** have been approved.



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## Explosive Ordnance Risk Education (OAP Action 28/29/30/31)



Within the scope of EBMCP Phase-3, EORE was given to:

- **465 residents** (125 women, 291 men and 49 children) in 2021.
- **30 residents** (28 children, 1 women, 1 man) in 2022.



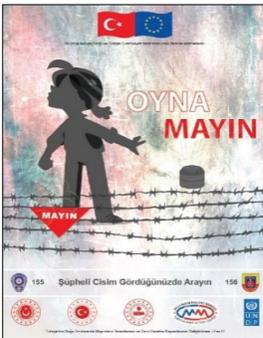
\* Additionally Gendarmerie EORE teams provided EORE to **834 residents** (428 children, 29 women and 377 men) in 2022.

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## Explosive Ordnance Risk Education



### General Risk Patterns for Affected Communities:

- Logging
- Shepherding
- Collecting edible herbs and mushroom



- Shepherding
- Find the mine/UXOs in environment they live in



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## Efficiency of Survey and Clearance OAP Action 27



- Increase the number of military demining teams (currently 24 Land Forces, 8 Gendarmerie) with **18 more demining teams** (32 Land Forces, 18 Gendarmerie).
- Complete the **deployment of 20 demining machines** (MEMATT-II) to Military Demining Units in the upcoming years.
- Augment Gendarmerie demining units with **2 Mine Detection Dogs**.

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