



# UNMAS







- Community engagement
- Survey, mapping, and dissemination of information;
- Risk education;
- Clearance; and,
- Capacity building.







Seasonal rains reduce the effective operating year to eight months





- 5,020 victims recorded, around 50 per year
- 400,000 people given risk education each year
- 1 million + explosive items destroyed (25,000 per year)
- 30,000km of road verified
- 1000+km<sup>2</sup> removed from contamination database

## Implementers

1,000+ Staff working across the sector 90% national, 20% female  
6 Clearance operators  
33 RE operators (7 International)



## Partners

TGoNU: NMAA

UNICEF: Risk Education

WFP (UNHAS and Log Cluster): Road and aviation survey/clearance

UNHCR and other humanitarian actors: survey and clearance

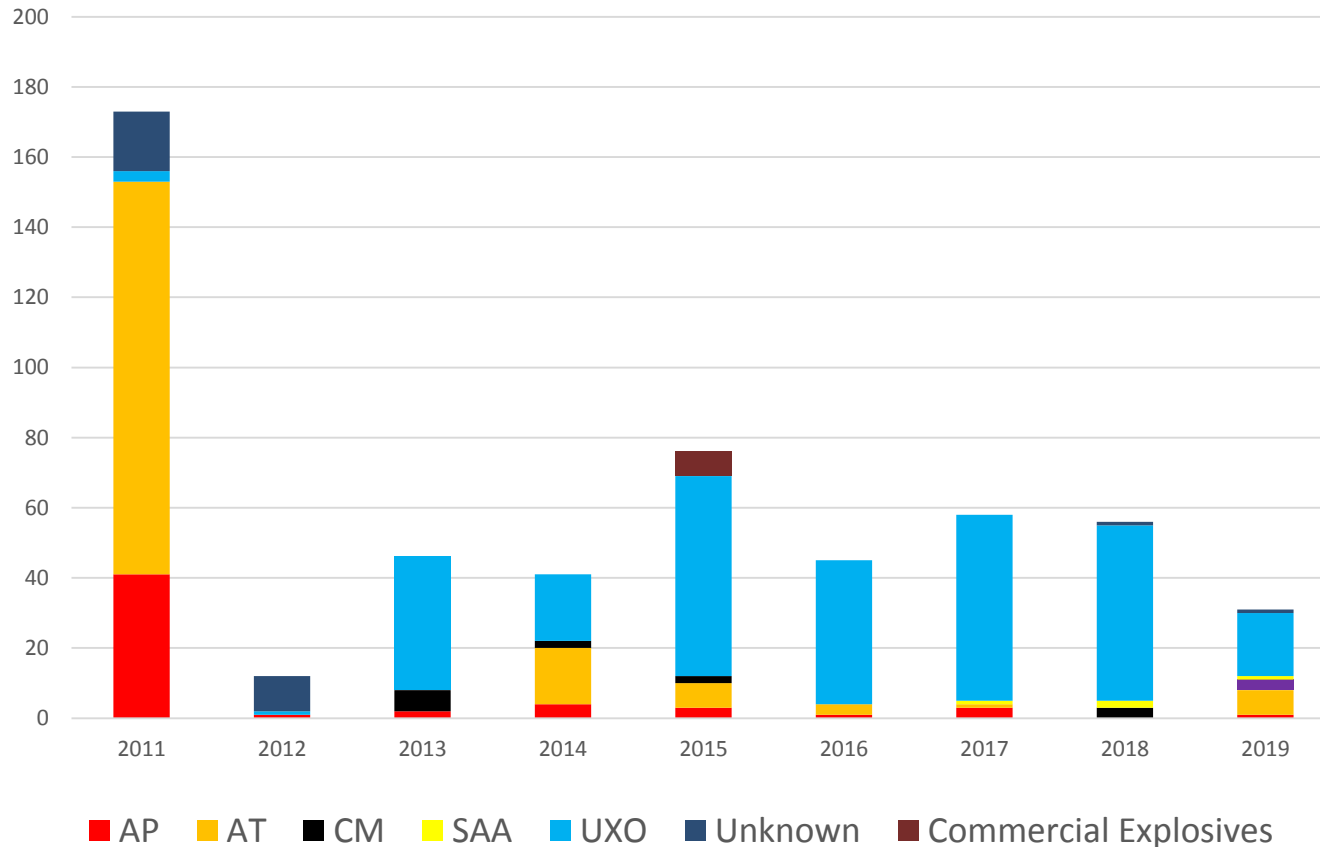
UNMISS - Explosive hazard management

# Causes of accidents 2011-19

Year	AP	AT	CM	SAA	UXO	Unknown	Commercial Explosives	Total
2011	41	112			3	17		173
2012	1				1	10		12
2013	2		6		38			46
2014	4	16	2		19			41
2015	3	7	2		57		7	76
2016	1	3			41			45
2017	3	1		1	53			58
2018			3	2	50	1		56
2019	1	7	3	1	18	1		31
<b>Total</b>	56	146	16	4	280	29	7	538

Total number since CPA 5,000+

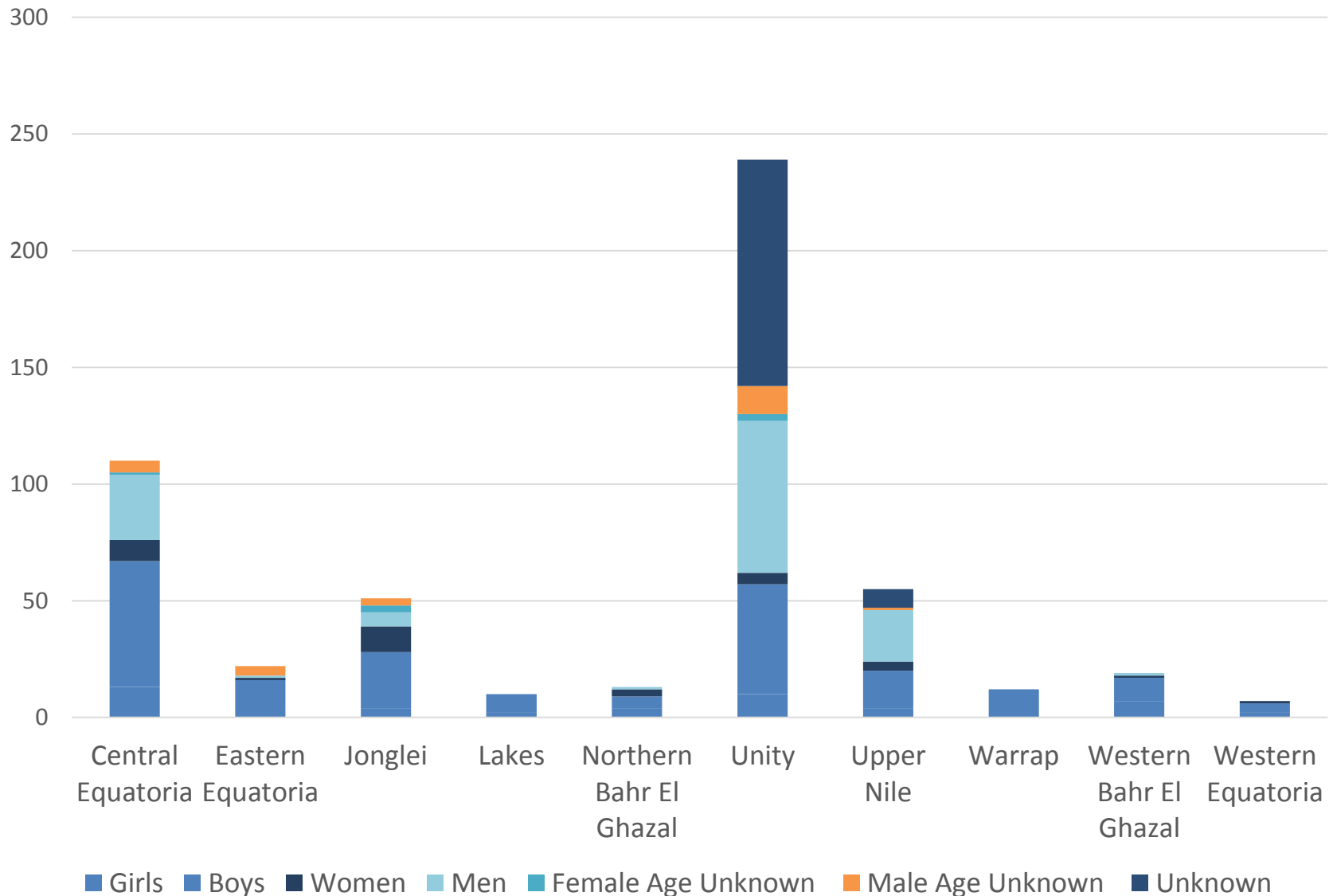
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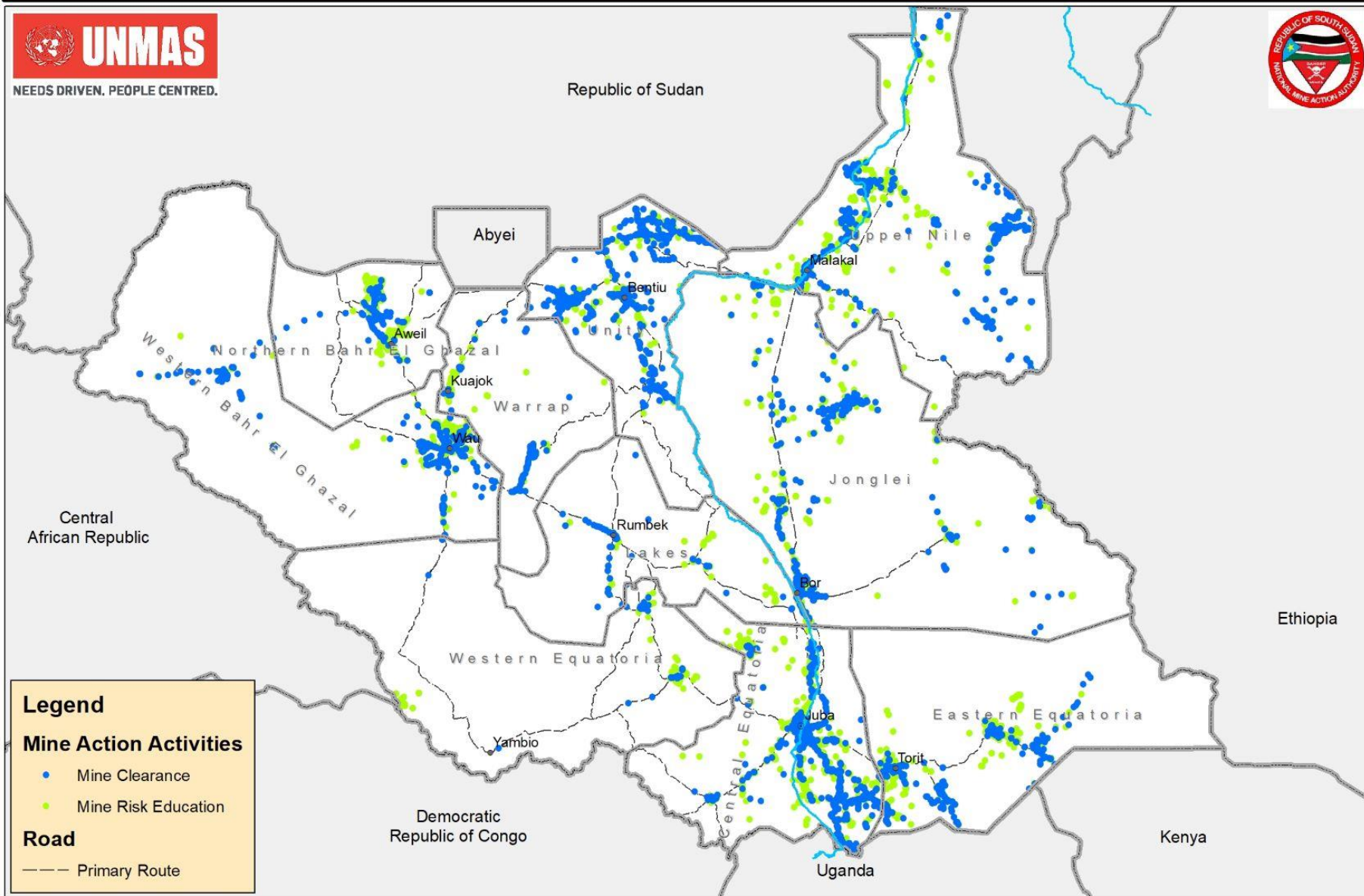
It is the the ever-present threat of unexploded ordnance that is causing the most pain in South Sudan



# Where have the accidents happened?

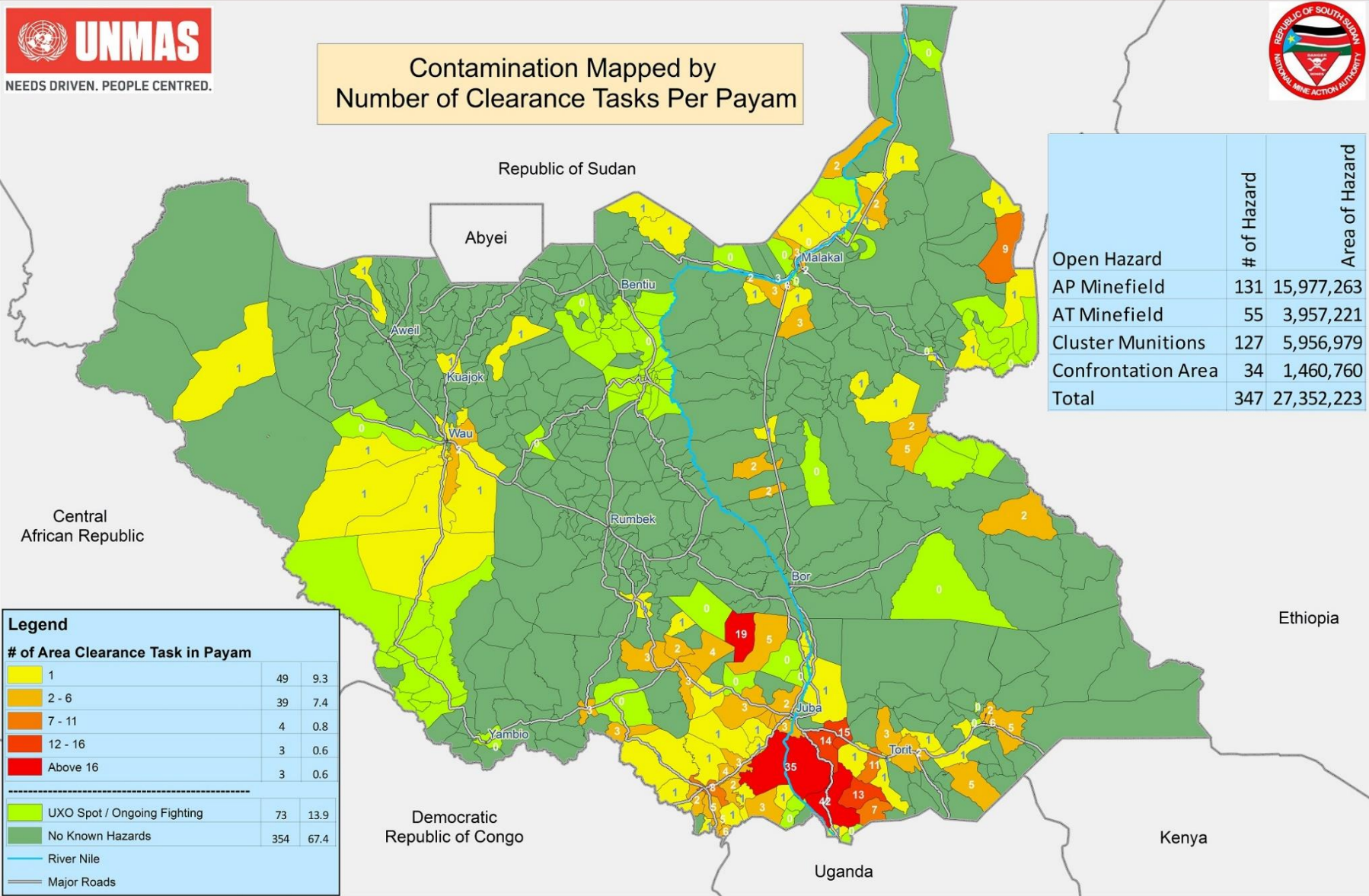


Mine Action Activities in South Sudan as of 1st July 2018 to 30th June 2019





## Open Hazardous Areas in South Sudan as of 31 May 2019



- Poor infrastructure
- Lack of health care
- Shortage of regional rehabilitation facilities
- Stigmatization
- Welfare and psycho-social support
- Increasing demand
- Questionable victim data – do we even know how many people are hurt each year?
- Competing demands – but adopting international legislation is possible and needs to be addressed.



## How much contamination remains?

- **By Clearance Task:** 347 remain from 1,858 recorded (19%)
- **By Area:** 27,352,223sqm remains from 346,625,144 recorded (8%)
- **By Payam:**
  - 67% No known hazard
  - 14 % Spot UXO only
  - 13 % 1 clearance hazard remains
  - 9% contain 86% of all clearance tasks**

### **The known remaining problem consists of:**

186 minefields,  
127 cluster strikes,  
34 battle areas

**South Sudan can/should be Mine Free in five years**  
**But UXO will continue to cause harm for generations**