



ROYAL THAI ARMED FORCES PEACE OPERATIONS CENTER





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SCOPE

Overview

- Organization and Responsibilities

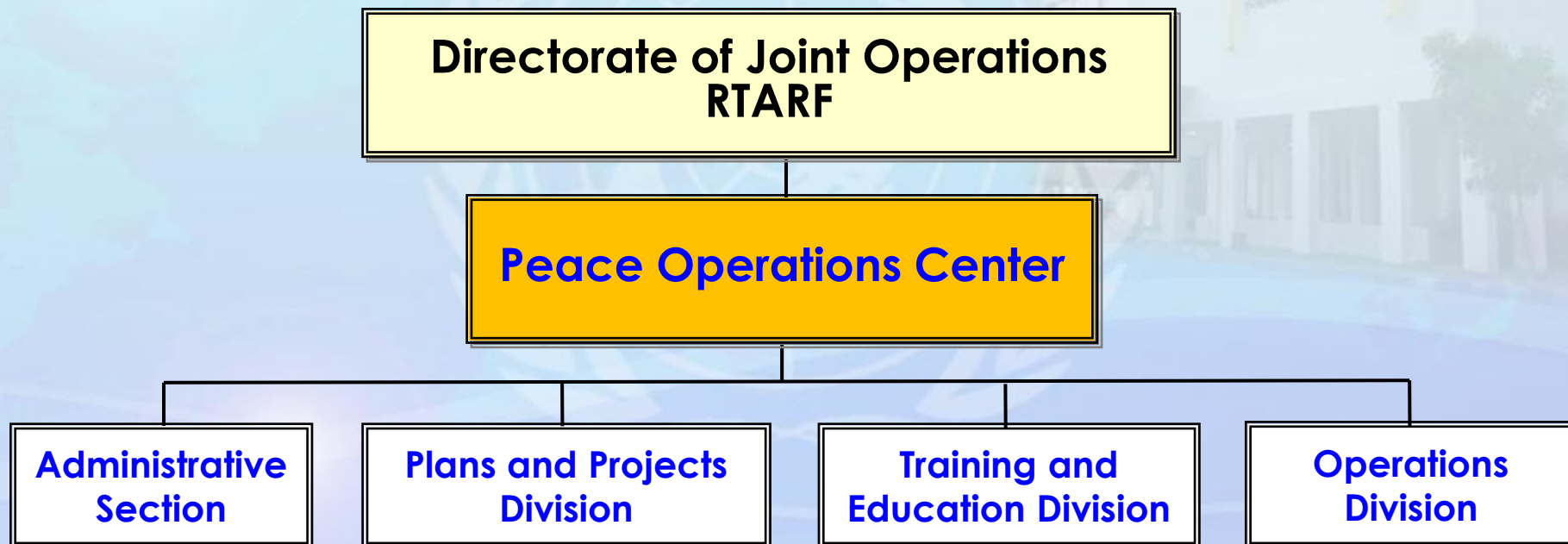
Deployment

Challenges of the TH HMEC

Best Practices of the TH HMEC



Peace Operations Center's organizational structure



Tasks and Responsibilities :

- As a staff element to provide recommendations for CDF's decision making
- As an operation element to manage deployment of PKF
- As a National Training Center/Center of Excellence to develop and organize PDT
- As a representative of national command element to exercise national command over deployed contingent(s) and sustain their operations logistically

Note: POC is the sole element in managing RTARF's PK deployment throughout the cycle of raise, equip, train, sustain, deploy, command and support.





Forces and Capabilities Currently Raised and Registered in UN Peacekeeping Capability Readiness System (PCRS)

➤ Individual Uniformed Personnel (IUP)

- **United Nations Military Experts on Mission (UNMEM)**
 - Military Observers (MILOBs, UNMOs)
 - Military Liaison Officers (MLOs)
- **Military Staff Officers (MSOs)**

➤ Contingents

- A Water Well Drilling Unit
- A Field Hospital Level II

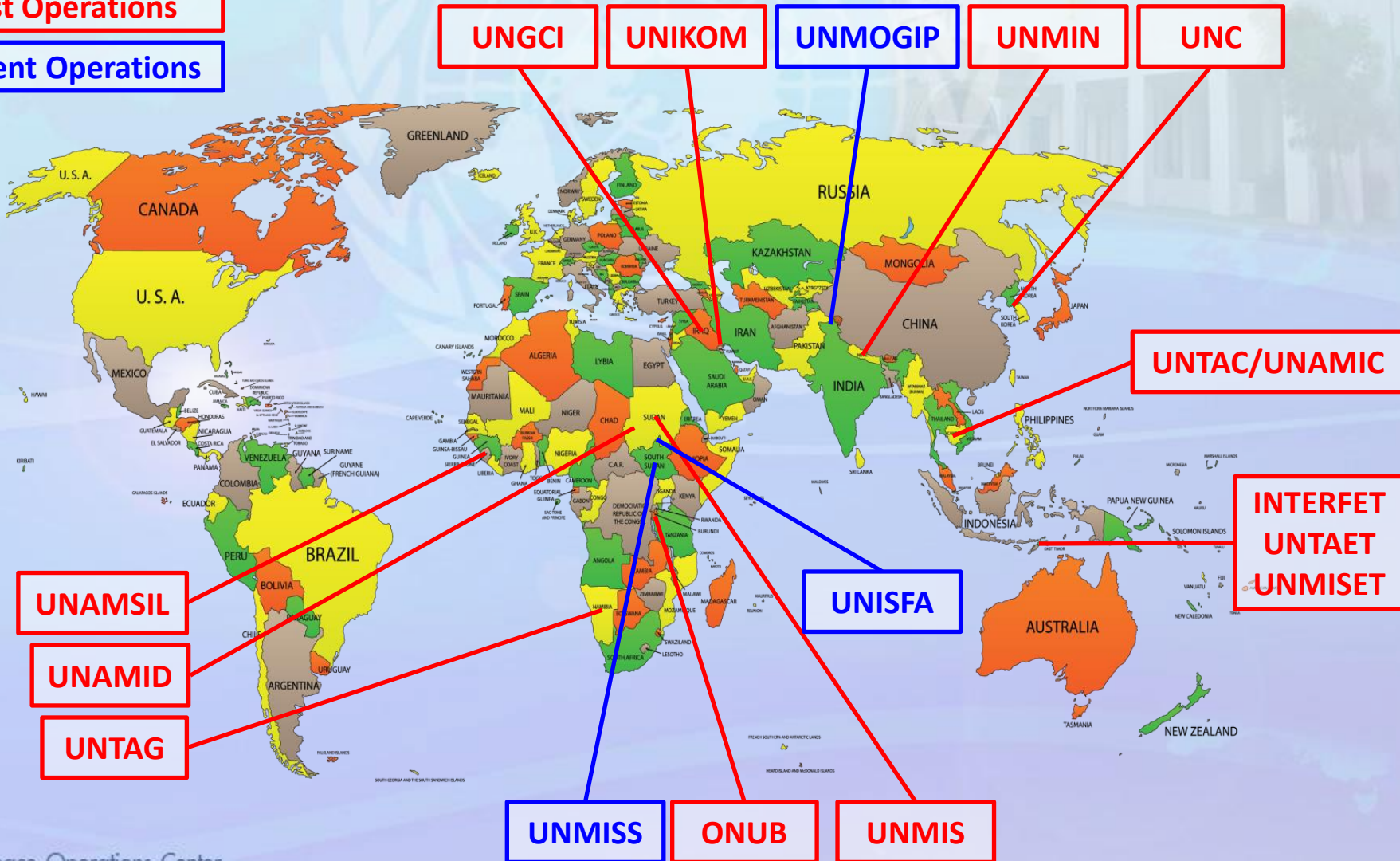
Preparation of Peacekeeping Forces is a strategic investment



Overall Deployment

Past Operations

Current Operations





Current RTARF Peace Related Operations

UN HQ, New York

- Office of Military Advisor (USA)
- Permanent Mission of Thailand to UN
- Seconded Officer at DPO – 1 Pers

**United Nations Command (UNC),
South Korea - 10 Pers**

UNISFA (Abyei)

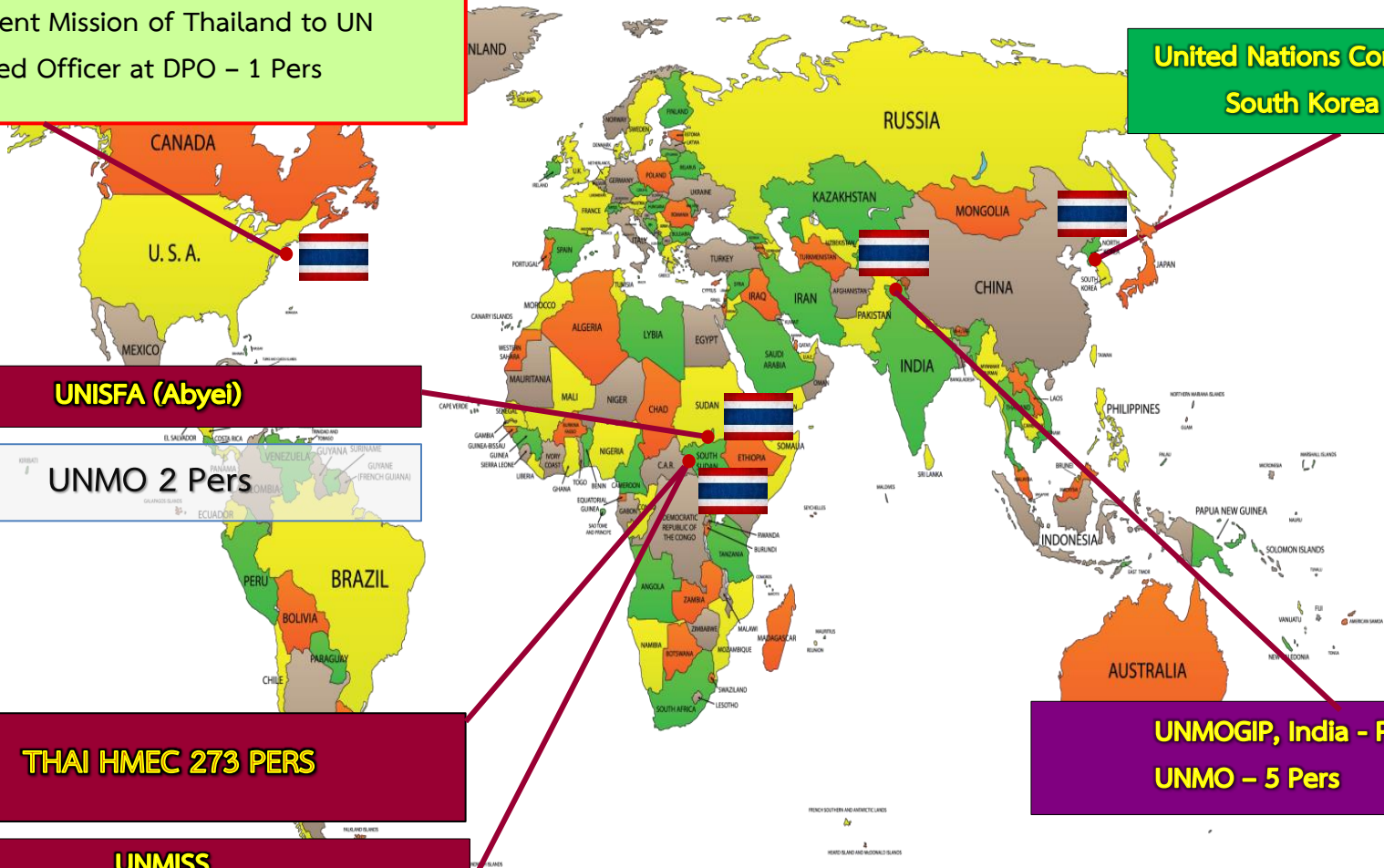
UNMO 2 Pers

THAI HMEC 273 PERS

UNMISS

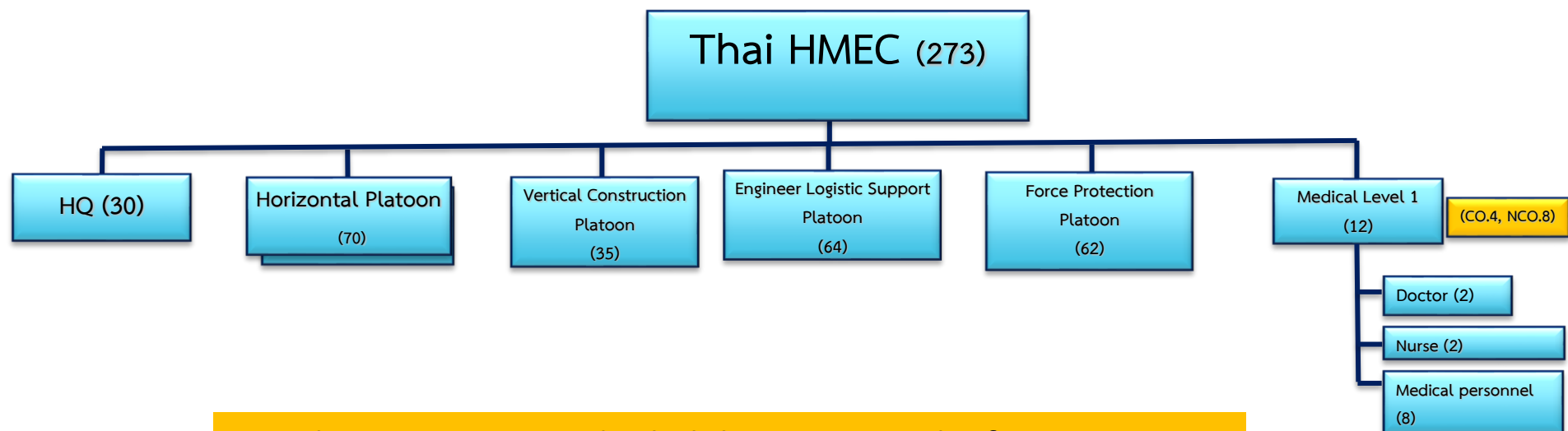
SO & UNMO 12 PERS

**UNMOGIP, India - Pakistan
UNMO – 5 Pers**





Thai HMEC Organization



Mandate: repairing and rehabilitating critical infrastructure and maintaining supply roads

CO. 27
NCO. 246

9 Female Officers



Challenges

- Personnel
 - Drawn from various units
 - Deployment period more than 1 year
 - Effect morality
 - Specialist rotation, ex. Medical personnel
 - English skills
 - Number of female officers not yet meet the requirement



GENDER PARITY STATUS REPORT FOR THAILAND



Month, Year

December 2022

Total Contribution

Number of UN Military Experts on Mission, Staff Officers (UNMEMs + SOs) and Troops deployed

Troop-contributing country rank by total personnel contributed

WOMEN DEPLOYED

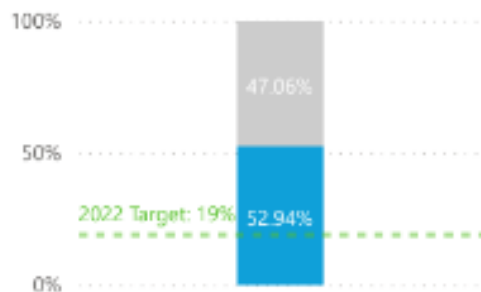
UNMEMs + SOs

Total
17

Women
9

% of women deployed

● Female ● Male



2022 Target: 19%

% of women deployed
52.94%

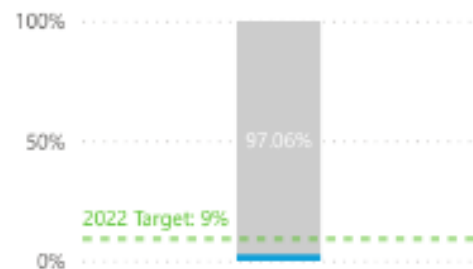
Troops

Total
272

Women
8

% of women deployed

● Female ● Male



2022 Target: 9%

% of women deployed
2.94%



Current Reality/Constraints

- Culture norms: Male-dominated
- Constraints/Restrictions in commissioning female personnel by Defense Act;
 - Commissioning of the female military in combat corps/role not applicable
 - female military appointments not exceed 25 percent of a total strength
- Limited roles/ opportunities to progress further in career



Way Forward

- Gradually increasing female military participations;
 - IUP to exceed 15%,
 - contingent unit at reasonable growth
- Female Engagement Unit to be embedded in deployed contingent





Challenges (Cont.)

- Logistical challenges
 - Equipment
 - Combine new and old condition
 - Drawn from various units
 - Operate in harsh condition
 - Resupply by sea or air is costly
- Covid - 19 pandemic





Best Practices

- Government loan advance for the operation
- Local procurement in the area
- Capacity building supported by regional/ program
- SOP/Guideline review after the AAR



Best Practices

- Community engagement
- Sustainable development
 - Agricultural learning center
 - Food security





Reaching Out



Understanding



Development



RM PRODUCT





UNMISS

United Nations Mission in South Sudan (UNMISS) 2 August

Thai engineering troops and other peacekeepers from #Thailand who serve with UNMISS often go above and beyond their normal duties. Last week they visited, together with the South Sudan Ministry of Gender, St. Clare's House for Children in Juba.

Recycling swings for the boys and girls, drawing and dancing together, and sharing delicious food and knowledge on how to do vertical garden planting made them instant superstars among the children, while the adults present may have ... See more



United Nations 6 ขม.

Pictures of the week:

UN peacekeepers from Thailand #S... ดูเพิ่มเติม





Learning by doing



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