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Multi-National Corps Iraq



TF TROY Counter IED Update USNA Alumni Association

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CJTF Troy Mission Statement

CJTF Troy exercises command and control of specialized Joint Counter-IED and CBRNE forces to **neutralize the CBRNE/IED threat**; conducts **weapons technical intelligence** collection and exploitation to defeat IED networks;
assists ISF in building sustainable security capabilities.



Assigned Specialized C-IED forces include:

Explosive Ordnance Disposal (EOD)

Weapons Intelligence (WI)

**ISF Partnering & Transition LOO cuts across all
LOOs, as Coalition Forces Drawdown in Iraq
Theater of Operations**

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CJTF Troy - Core Capabilities



EOD/IED Defeat



Chemical/Biological



Weapons Technical Intelligence



Transfer of C-IED Capability



IED Tech Intel / Forensics



C-IED Equipment



Training

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IED Intelligence Products



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CJTF Troy



-Standing MTOE HQs
-SCALABLE
-DS at every echelon

869 Total Personnel

US Army: 472

US Navy: 156

US Air Force: 173

US Marine Corps: 1

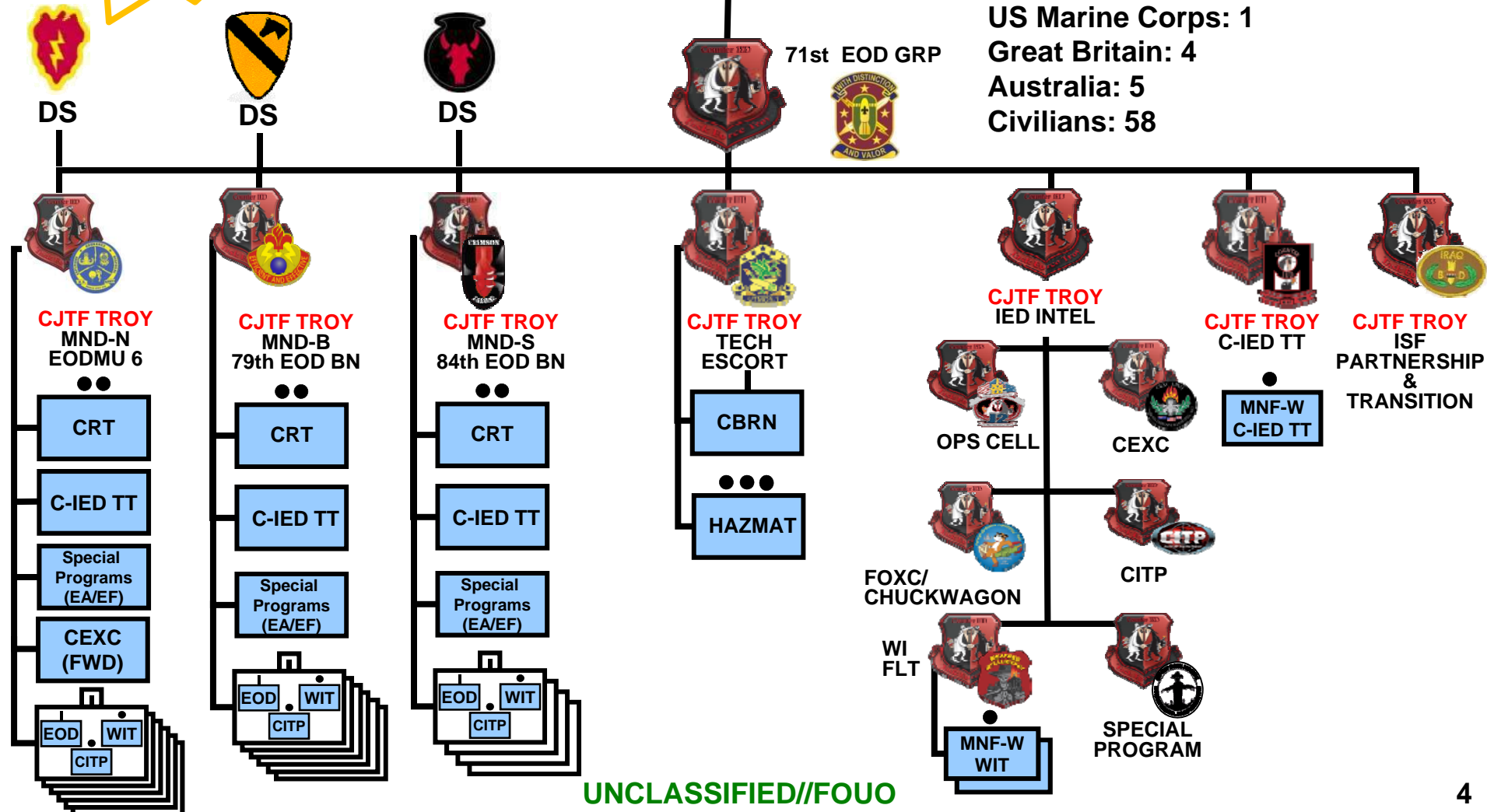
Great Britain: 4

Australia: 5

Civilians: 58



71st EOD GRP



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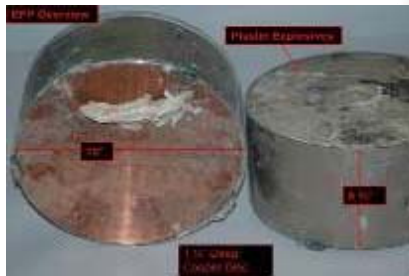
Counter IED Process



1 - Exploit the Scene



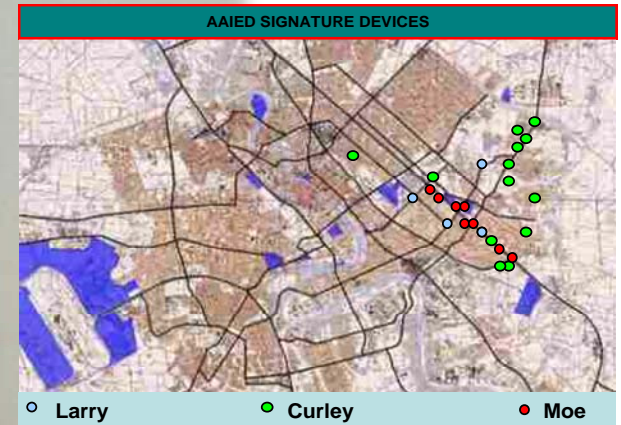
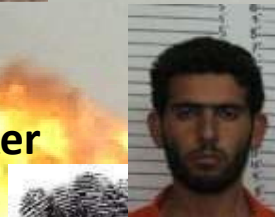
2 - Exploit the Device



3 - Identify the Bomb-maker



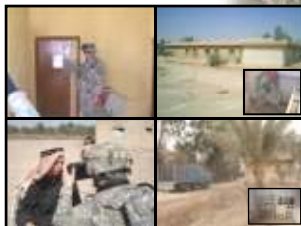
4 - Identify Cells



5 - Identify The Network



6 - Disseminate Actionable Intelligence



7 - Support to Judicial Process

8- Disseminate new TTPs

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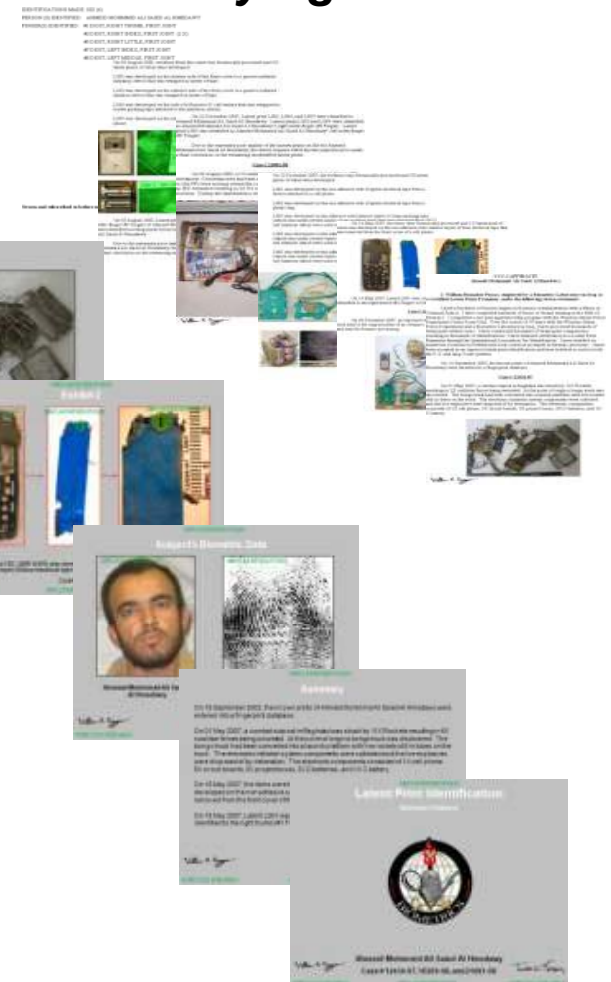


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Warrant Packages / Testimonial Support



- Sovereign country with end of UN Security Council Resolution and elections
- Changes in unilateral operations; Adherence to US / GOI Security Agreements



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Partnership and Transition



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TF Troy Partnering at all Levels



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Tactical Level Engagement



***17th IA Division Engineer Regiment
Combined Disposal Operation
Iraqi planned and led***

***WIT 2 instructing Mosul IP CET forensics
and SSE***



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Operational Level Engagement



JTF-Troy MND-B Baghdad ISF EOD Commander's Conference

Al Faw Palace



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IP CET & CF Combined Commander's Conference



Conference attendees at Iraqi Police Counter Explosive Team Commander's conference at JTF Troy-N BN HQ

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Strategic Level Engagements



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Ministry of Justice Strategic Engagement



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TF Troy ISF P&T Challenges



- **Lack of coordinated strategic end state (C-IED, forensics, labs)**
Poor Inter-Ministry cooperation; multiple CF initiatives difficult to synchronize
 - *MNF-I CJ5 / MOD M5 working to develop IA strategy – next level? GOI?*
- **Information sharing under new Security Agreement**
IGFC orders to share with CF is proving successful
MOI still not onboard; citing Rule of Law issue
 - *EOD Team level partnerships continue to succeed*
- **Manning, training and equipping IP Counter Explosive Teams**
Little funding, poor leadership – MOI not able to assume “primacy” of C-IED fight
 - *Elevate C-IED strategy to GOI level*
 - *Aggressively pursue initiatives to fill IP CET gaps*
- **Poor ISF incident reporting, C2 “OODA” loop, information & intelligence cycle embryonic at best**
Unable to share info, identify trends or TTP in timely manner; no “left of boom”
 - *Fill gap through partnerships & CF info sharing*

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Key Points



- **Iraqi C-IED capability is critical to the security of Iraq**
GOI support is critical, for the good of Iraq
 - *Coalition can help fill gaps, as Iraq develops, executes strategy*
 - *Sharing & cooperation between CF and ISF is essential as CF departs Iraq*
- **Must have coordinated strategic end state (C-IED, forensics, labs)**
Cooperation between MOI & MOD entities is crucial to effective C-IED strategy
 - *Pool resources, plan together, work together, protect Iraq together*
- **Unity of effort, open lines of communication very important**
Must build effective command and control for EOD, investigations, and exploitation
- **Iraq must develop effective C-IED capabilities**
Defeat the network before the explosions occur
 - *Site exploitation, reporting, fusion, analysis = defeat the enemy network*

Coalition support to Iraqi-led operations saves Iraqi & Coalition lives – teamwork & cooperation defeats common enemy

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