



CSDP



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- *1992: the European Union established a common foreign defense and security policy (CFSP)*

- *2009: the beginning of the CSPD*



# DOES THE CSDP WORK?

*I- What is the CSDP ?*



*II- Positives points*



*III- Negatives points*





# *I-What is the CSDP ?*



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*The Common Security and Defence Policy (CSDP) is the European Union's line of action in the fields of defence and crisis management*

- Energy security*
- Climate change*
- Terrorism*
- Hybrid threats*
- Economic instability*

# *II-Positives aspects*

*Enables the Union to play a leading role in:*

- peacekeeping operations*
- conflict prevention*
- strengthening international security*



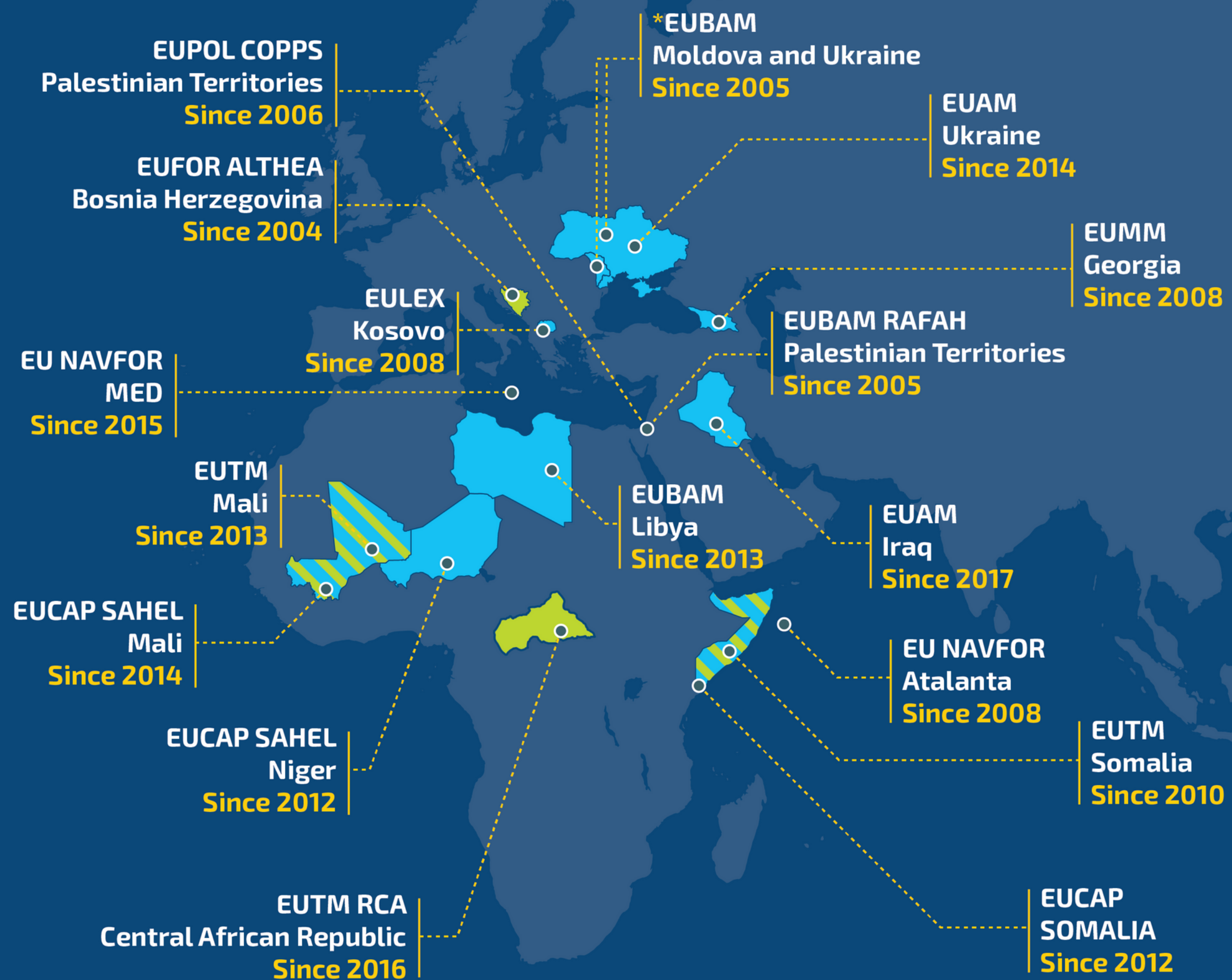
*-11 civilians*



*7 military*

*2022  
18 missions in 3 continents*





\*2022: in  
Ukraine because  
of the war...

\*This Mission is not managed within CSDP structures,  
but its objectives are very similar to the other Missions,  
so we include it here

# *III- Negatives aspects*

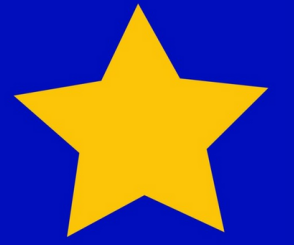


## Goal in 1999

*"to develop an autonomous capacity to take decisions and, when NATO as a whole is not engaged, to launch and conduct EU-led military operations in response to international crises"*



# *III- Negatives aspects*



## Reality

*Environment has changed dramatically in recent years*

*Difficult to put aside national interests for the common interest*

*Considerable structural shortcomings*

*Current EU military operations involve only six member states*



# *Conclusion: My opinion*

*Lack of interest among EU countries.*

*Does not seem to be a priority for the members*



*Complicated enough to maintain a union between the countries*



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