


**GUINEA-BISSAU MINE ACTION CENTRE**  
**Standing Committee Meeting on Mine Clearance,  
Mine Risk Education and Mine Action  
Technologies**  
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**National Director**



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### Estimated Area of Minefields

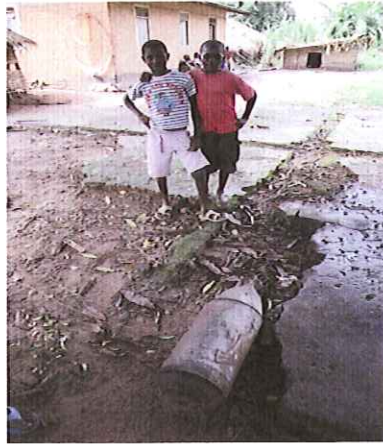
Region	Location of Minefield	Estimate Area (m <sup>2</sup> )
CACHEU	Barraca Mandioca	160,000
CACHEU	Barraca Ponta Rose	36,000
CACHEU	Banhinda	46,200
CACHEU	Bissabur	75,500
CACHEU	Saur	12,000
CACHEU	Binta	11,950
CACHEU	Barraca Lugar	234,000
GABU	Buruntuma	750,670
OIO	Canjambari	400,000
QUINARA	Tumana	114,000
TOMBALI	Ponta Baiala	354,240
TOMBALI	Guiledge	42,000
<b>Total</b>		<b>2,236,560</b>

### Estimated Area of Widespread UXO Contamination

Region	Location of Widespread UXO Contamination	Estimated Area (m <sup>2</sup> )
BIOMBO	Ilonde	500,000
BAFATA	Djagaradje	50,000
QUINARA	Finima	210,000
TOMBALI	Cufar	120,000
TOMBALI	Guiledje	50,000
<b>Total</b>		<b>930,000</b>

## Impact survey: Guinea Bissau

A selective nationwide survey of communities affected by landmines and explosive remnants of war



**landmine action**



**Result of currently taking place in Guinea-Bissau from October 2008 to April 2009 by HUMAID and LUTCAM**

Square m <sup>2</sup>	A/P	A/T	A/SHIP	UXOs	FUSES
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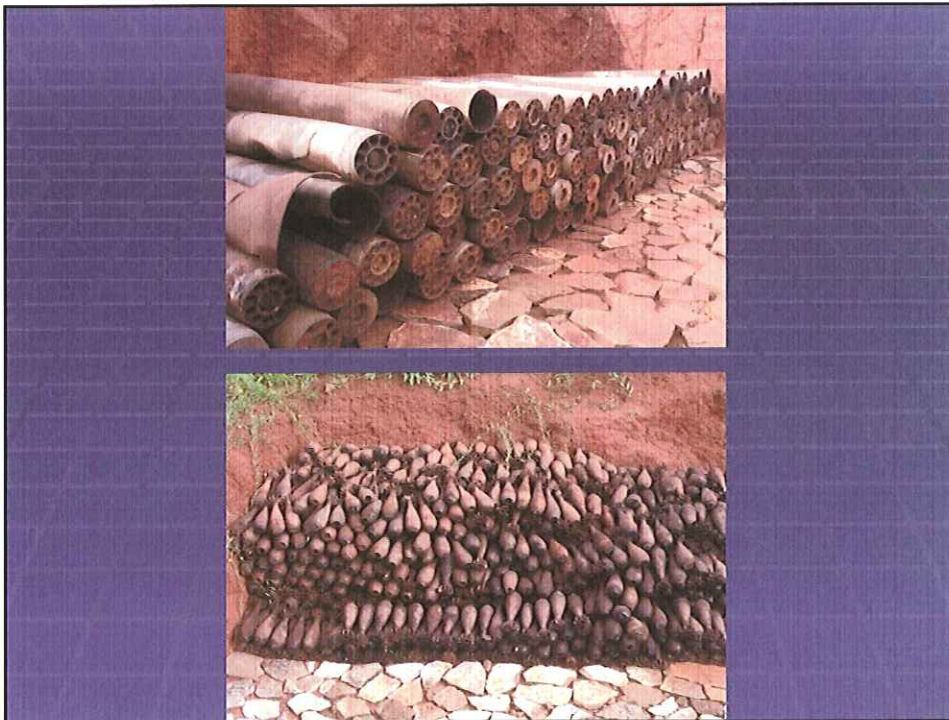
**Summary Since January 2000 to April 2009**

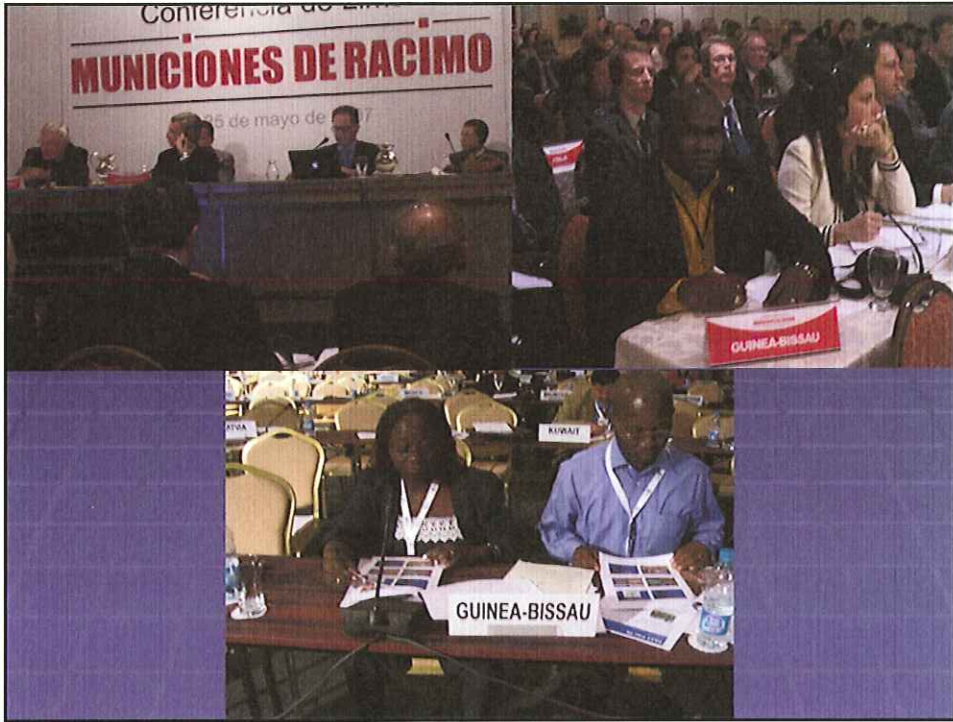
Square m <sup>2</sup>	A/P	A/T	A/SHIP	UXOs	FUSES
3.543.596,10	3.039	157	149	49.009	5.619

This work has been possible thanks to the contributions of the British Government (DFID), the Government of Sweden (SIDA), UNDP and the Government of the United States of America.



✓ In Guinea-Bissau we cannot talk only of the fight against Anti-Personnel mines, but at the same time we are clearing all types of munitions and Explosive Devices found in the fields, including Bombs and Cluster Munitions.





## Summary of MRE 2008/2009

Number of training teachers and activists	Total Number of Beneficiaries for gender			Number of villages for provinces covered			Number of Training Section for provinces		
	M	F	C	N	S	E	N	S	E
464	478	275	406	22	10	05	09	12	05

Guinea-Bissau NGOs under CAAMI coordination continuing to fight against landmines using only manual deminers's teams equipped with manual detectors.





*CAAMI's vision is for a Guinea-Bissau  
Free of Landmines and UXO*

**Thank four your attention  
We thank all our current and past stakeholders**

