



International Security Assistance Force (ISAF): Key Facts and Figures

Mission: NATO-ISAF aims to prevent Afghanistan from once again becoming a haven for terrorists, to help provide security, and to contribute to a better future for the Afghan people. NATO-ISAF, as part of the overall International Community effort and as mandated by the United Nations Security Council, is working to create the conditions whereby the Government of Afghanistan is able to exercise its authority throughout the country.

To carry out its mission, ISAF conducts population-centric counterinsurgency operations in partnership with Afghan National Security Forces (ANSF) and provides support to the Government and International Community in Security Sector Reform, including mentoring, training and operational support to the Afghan National Army and the Afghan National Police. NATO-ISAF key priorities in Afghanistan are:

- Protect the Afghan people
- Build the capacity of the Afghan Security Forces so they can take lead responsibility for security in their own country;
- Counter the insurgency and
- Enable the delivery of stronger governance and development.

Commander: [General Joseph F. Dunford, Jr. \(US\)](#)
NATO Senior Civilian Representative: [Ambassador Maurits R. Jochems \(NL\)](#)

50 Troop Contributing Nations
ISAF Total Strength: 100,330

ISAF Commands in KABUL

ISAF Headquarters

Commander: [General Joseph F. DUNFORD, Jr. \(US\)](#)

ISAF Joint Command (IJC)

Commander: [Lieutenant General James L. TERRY \(US\)](#)

NATO Training Mission - Afghanistan (NTM-A)

Commander: [Lieutenant General Ken TOVO \(USA\)](#)

Regional Command Capital:

Headquarter RC(C) in Kabul (TU)

Commander: [Brigadier General Ali Riza Kugu \(TUR\)](#)

Regional Command South:

Headquarter RC(S) in Kandahar (US)

Commander: [Major General Robert B. ABRAMS \(US\)](#)

Regional Command South West:

Headquarter RC(SW) in Lashkar Gah (US)

Commander: [Major General W. Lee Miller \(US\)](#)

Regional Command West:

Headquarter RC(W) in Herat (IT)

Commander: [Brigadier General Ignazio GAMBA \(IT\)](#)

Regional Command North:

Headquarter RC(N) in Mazar-e Sharif (GE)

Commander: [Major General Jörg Vollmer \(GE\)](#)



Regional Command East:

Headquarter RC(E) in Bagram (US)

Commander: [Major General James C. McConville \(US\)](#)

Note: This placemat shows an overview of Leadership, Troop Numbers & Contributions, Regional Commands and Major Units and fielded ISAF and ANA personnel.

Troop Contributing Nations

	Albania	221		Georgia	1,561		Norway	165
	Armenia	126		Germany	4,400		Poland	1,744
	Australia	1,084		Greece	3		Portugal	164
	Austria	3		Hungary	368		Romania	1,536
	Azerbaijan	94		Iceland	3		Singapore	39
	Bahrain	0		Ireland	7		Slovakia	236
	Belgium	240		Italy	3,049		Slovenia	79
	Bosnia & Herzegovina	53		Jordan	0		Spain	1,249
	Bulgaria	407		Republic of Korea	350		Sweden	472
	Canada	950		Latvia	26		The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia ¹	158
	Croatia	188		Lithuania	240		Tonga	55
	Czech Republic	123		Luxembourg	10		Turkey	1,097
	Denmark	558		Malaysia	2		Ukraine	25
	El Salvador	13		Mongolia	46		United Arab Emirates	35
	Estonia	163		Montenegro	27		United Kingdom	9,000
	Finland	126		Netherlands	500		United States	68,000
	France	459		New Zealand	155		Total	99,609

Note on numbers: Numbers of troops should be taken as indicative as they change daily.

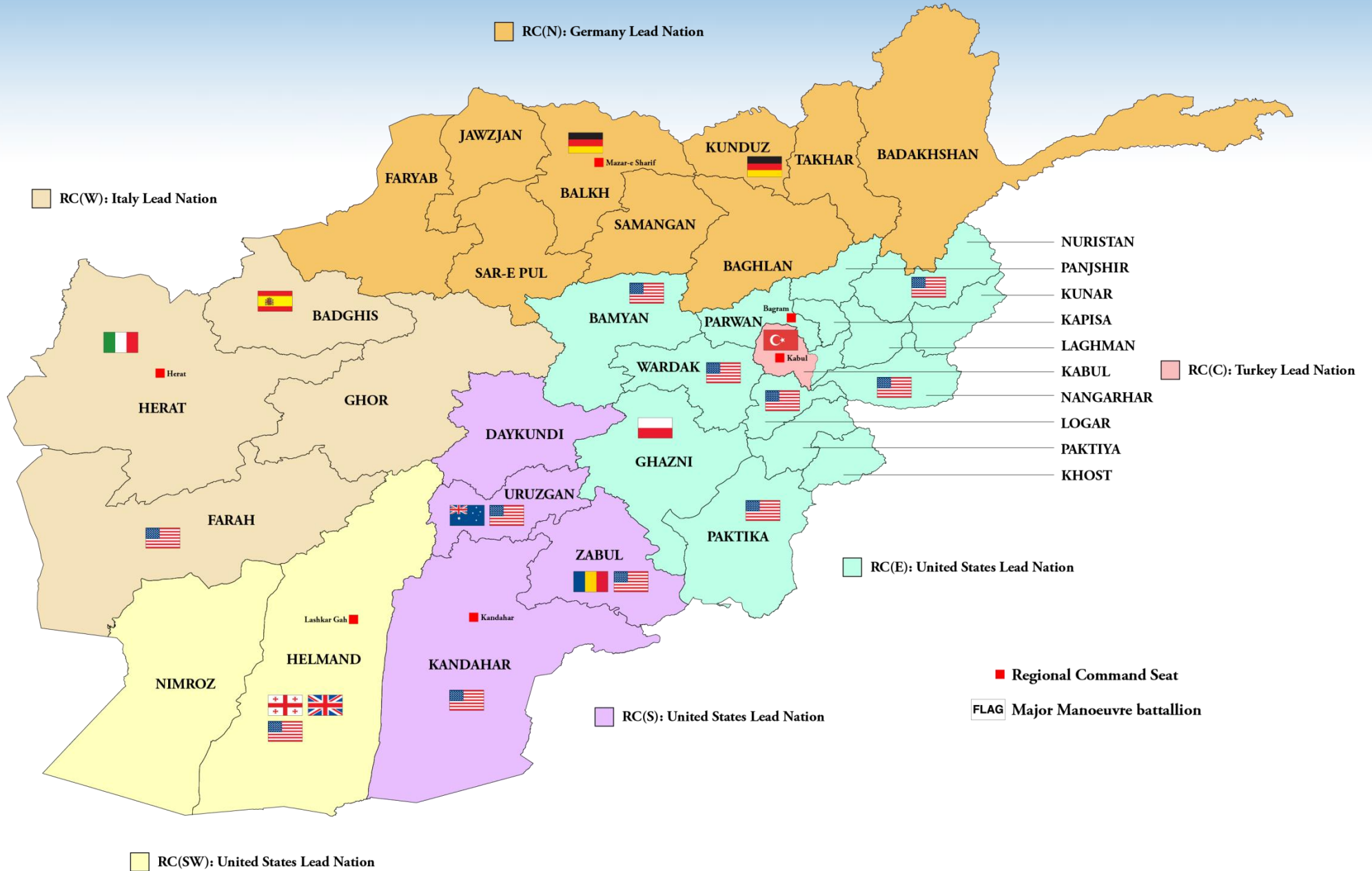
¹ Turkey recognises the Republic of Macedonia with its constitutional name



International Security Assistance Force



Regional Commands & Major Units (>700 troops)



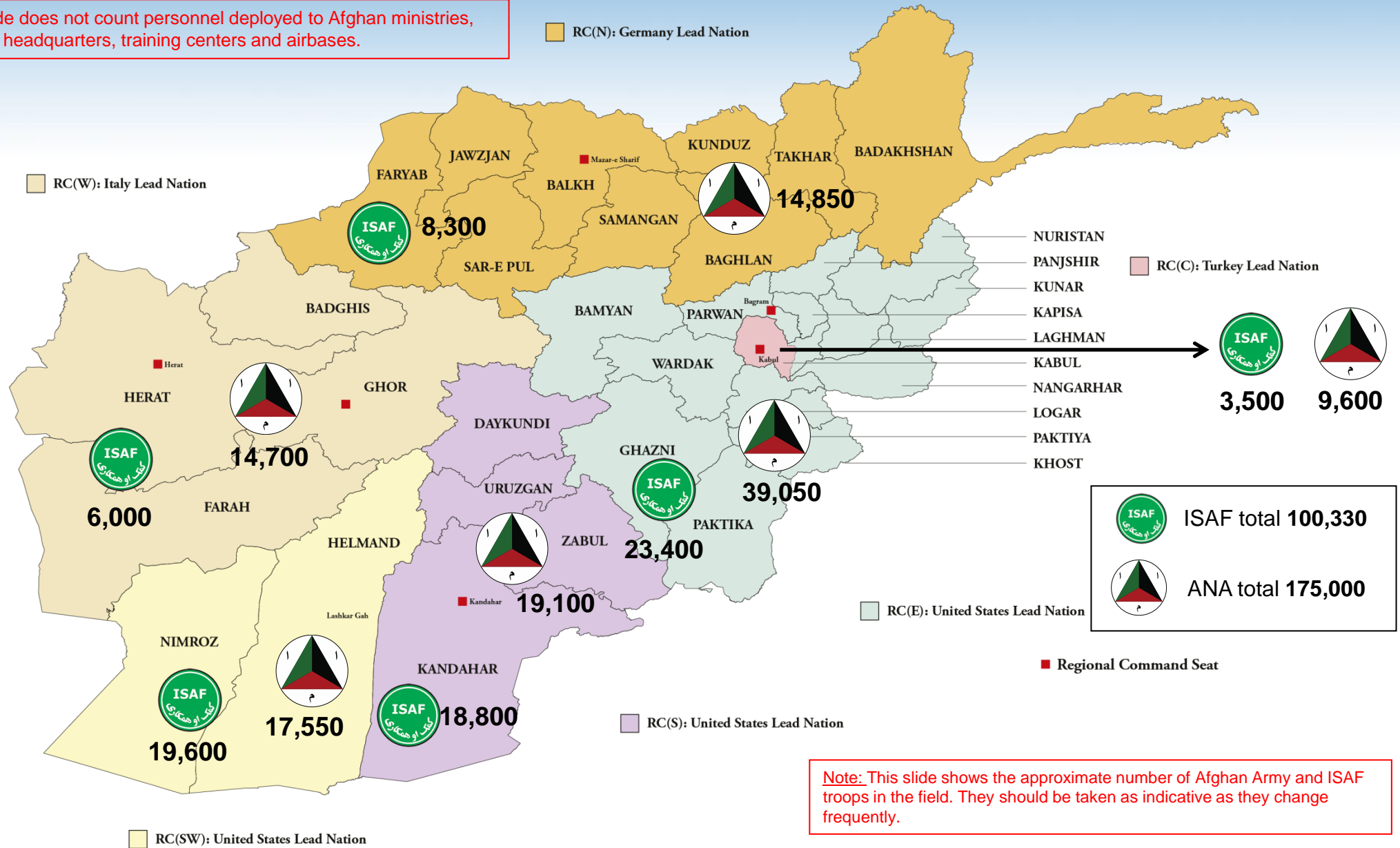


Afghan National Army (ANA) International Security Assistance Force



Fielded personnel in military units

The slide does not count personnel deployed to Afghan ministries, military headquarters, training centers and airbases.



Note: This slide shows the approximate number of Afghan Army and ISAF troops in the field. They should be taken as indicative as they change frequently.