

WOMEN PEACEKEEPERS: GENDER IMBALANCE

UN MILITARY EXPERTS ON MISSION (UNMEM) AND STAFF OFFICERS - MARCH 2026

Month	UNMEM				Staff Officer (SO)				Combined UNMEM and SO				Number of women to reach 23%
	Men	Women	Total	%F	Men	Women	Total	%F	Men	Women	Total	%F	
March 2026	538	204	742	27.5 %	952	217	1,169	18.6 %	1,490	421	1,911	22.03 %	19
February 2026	573	216	789	27.4 %	993	227	1,220	18.6 %	1,566	443	2,009	22.05 %	20

Over 100 Military Observers & Staff Officers

Country	UNMEM				SO				Combined UNMEM and SO				Number of women to reach 23%
	Men	Women	Total	%F	Men	Women	Total	%F	Men	Women	Total	%F	
India	19	9	28	32.1 %	73	15	88	17.0 %	92	24	116	20.7 %	3
Bangladesh	30	4	34	11.8 %	67	20	87	23.0 %	97	24	121	19.8 %	4
Nepal	21	6	27	22.2 %	70	7	77	9.1 %	91	13	104	12.5 %	11

50-99 Military Observers & Staff Officers

Country	UNMEM				SO				Combined UNMEM and SO				Number of women to reach 23%
	Men	Women	Total	%F	Men	Women	Total	%F	Men	Women	Total	%F	
Ghana	18	14	32	43.8 %	34	13	47	27.7 %	52	27	79	34.2 %	0
Rwanda	13	8	21	38.1 %	33	7	40	17.5 %	46	15	61	24.6 %	0
Pakistan	27	6	33	18.2 %	48	17	65	26.2 %	75	23	98	23.5 %	0
China	16	8	24	33.3 %	34	6	40	15.0 %	50	14	64	21.9 %	1
Brazil	13	6	19	31.6 %	34	5	39	12.8 %	47	11	58	19.0 %	3

25-49 Military Observers & Staff Officers

Country	UNMEM				SO				Combined UNMEM and SO				Number of women to reach 23%
	Men	Women	Total	%F	Men	Women	Total	%F	Men	Women	Total	%F	
United Republic of Tanzania	0	4	4	100.0 %	20	10	30	33.3 %	20	14	34	41.2 %	0
Zambia	6	3	9	33.3 %	19	10	29	34.5 %	25	13	38	34.2 %	0
Kenya	6	3	9	33.3 %	16	8	24	33.3 %	22	11	33	33.3 %	0
Morocco	0	3	3	100.0 %	23	6	29	20.7 %	23	9	32	28.1 %	0
Nigeria	6	4	10	40.0 %	12	3	15	20.0 %	18	7	25	28.0 %	0
Egypt	16	1	17	5.9 %	15	10	25	40.0 %	31	11	42	26.2 %	0
Malawi	5	4	9	44.4 %	18	3	21	14.3 %	23	7	30	23.3 %	0
Russian Federation	12	3	15	20.0 %	11	1	12	8.3 %	23	4	27	14.8 %	3
Indonesia	4	0	4	0.0 %	26	4	30	13.3 %	30	4	34	11.8 %	4
Mongolia	9	1	10	10.0 %	14	2	16	12.5 %	23	3	26	11.5 %	3
Italy	3	1	4	25.0 %	20	2	22	9.1 %	23	3	26	11.5 %	3

11-24 Military Observers & Staff Officers

Country	UNMEM				SO				Combined UNMEM and SO				Number of women to reach 23%
	Men	Women	Total	%F	Men	Women	Total	%F	Men	Women	Total	%F	
Mexico	4	8	12	66.7 %	1	0	1	0.0 %	5	8	13	61.5 %	0
Sierra Leone	3	4	7	57.1 %	2	2	4	50.0 %	5	6	11	54.5 %	0
Netherlands	5	6	11	54.5 %	0	0	0	-	5	6	11	54.5 %	0
Thailand	7	4	11	36.4 %	0	2	2	100.0 %	7	6	13	46.2 %	0
Malaysia	3	3	6	50.0 %	4	3	7	42.9 %	7	6	13	46.2 %	0
Zimbabwe	2	5	7	71.4 %	7	2	9	22.2 %	9	7	16	43.8 %	0
Peru	6	3	9	33.3 %	5	4	9	44.4 %	11	7	18	38.9 %	0
Bolivia	5	4	9	44.4 %	2	0	2	0.0 %	7	4	11	36.4 %	0
Bhutan	1	5	6	83.3 %	8	0	8	0.0 %	9	5	14	35.7 %	0
Australia	8	4	12	33.3 %	5	3	8	37.5 %	13	7	20	35.0 %	0
Benin	4	3	7	42.9 %	7	2	9	22.2 %	11	5	16	31.3 %	0
Ethiopia	2	2	4	50.0 %	9	3	12	25.0 %	11	5	16	31.3 %	0
Jordan	1	3	4	75.0 %	12	2	14	14.3 %	13	5	18	27.8 %	0
Gambia	0	1	1	100.0 %	8	2	10	20.0 %	8	3	11	27.3 %	0
Tunisia	0	1	1	100.0 %	15	4	19	21.1 %	15	5	20	25.0 %	0
Cambodia	1	1	2	50.0 %	9	2	11	18.2 %	10	3	13	23.1 %	0
Senegal	0	0	0	-	10	3	13	23.1 %	10	3	13	23.1 %	0
Viet Nam	5	1	6	16.7 %	6	2	8	25.0 %	11	3	14	21.4 %	1
Republic of Korea	8	3	11	27.3 %	7	1	8	12.5 %	15	4	19	21.1 %	1

Finland	9	3	12	25.0 %	3	0	3	0.0 %	12	3	15	20.0 %	1
South Africa	1	0	1	0.0 %	12	3	15	20.0 %	13	3	16	18.8 %	1
Burundi	4	1	5	20.0 %	9	2	11	18.2 %	13	3	16	18.8 %	1
Germany	7	2	9	22.2 %	3	0	3	0.0 %	10	2	12	16.7 %	1
Norway	11	1	12	8.3 %	6	2	8	25.0 %	17	3	20	15.0 %	2
Guatemala	11	1	12	8.3 %	5	1	6	16.7 %	16	2	18	11.1 %	3
Ireland	10	1	11	9.1 %	8	1	9	11.1 %	18	2	20	10.0 %	3
Argentina	10	0	10	0.0 %	9	2	11	18.2 %	19	2	21	9.5 %	3
Canada	3	1	4	25.0 %	17	1	18	5.6 %	20	2	22	9.1 %	4
New Zealand	7	1	8	12.5 %	3	0	3	0.0 %	10	1	11	9.1 %	2
Uruguay	7	1	8	12.5 %	14	1	15	6.7 %	21	2	23	8.7 %	4
United Kingdom	3	0	3	0.0 %	18	2	20	10.0 %	21	2	23	8.7 %	4
France	1	0	1	0.0 %	16	1	17	5.9 %	17	1	18	5.6 %	4
United States of America	4	0	4	0.0 %	14	1	15	6.7 %	18	1	19	5.3 %	4
Switzerland	19	1	20	5.0 %	1	0	1	0.0 %	20	1	21	4.8 %	4
Austria	9	0	9	0.0 %	8	0	8	0.0 %	17	0	17	0.0 %	4
Spain	1	0	1	0.0 %	12	0	12	0.0 %	13	0	13	0.0 %	3
Kazakhstan	6	0	6	0.0 %	6	0	6	0.0 %	12	0	12	0.0 %	3
Mauritania	8	0	8	0.0 %	3	0	3	0.0 %	11	0	11	0.0 %	3

1-10 Military Observers & Staff Officers

Country	UNMEM				SO				Combined UNMEM and SO				Number of women to reach 23%
	Men	Women	Total	%F	Men	Women	Total	%F	Men	Women	Total	%F	
Montenegro	0	1	1	100.0 %	0	0	0	-	0	1	1	100.0 %	0
Albania	0	1	1	100.0 %	0	0	0	-	0	1	1	100.0 %	0
Dominican Republic	1	2	3	66.7 %	0	0	0	-	1	2	3	66.7 %	0
Namibia	0	1	1	100.0 %	1	1	2	50.0 %	1	2	3	66.7 %	0
Kyrgyzstan	2	3	5	60.0 %	0	0	0	-	2	3	5	60.0 %	0
Philippines	5	4	9	44.4 %	0	1	1	100.0 %	5	5	10	50.0 %	0
Liberia	1	2	3	66.7 %	1	0	1	0.0 %	2	2	4	50.0 %	0
Botswana	0	0	0	-	1	1	2	50.0 %	1	1	2	50.0 %	0
Poland	3	4	7	57.1 %	2	0	2	0.0 %	5	4	9	44.4 %	0
Cameroon	2	2	4	50.0 %	4	2	6	33.3 %	6	4	10	40.0 %	0
Uganda	2	2	4	50.0 %	1	0	1	0.0 %	3	2	5	40.0 %	0
Czech Republic	1	1	2	50.0 %	2	1	3	33.3 %	3	2	5	40.0 %	0
Congo	0	0	0	-	3	2	5	40.0 %	3	2	5	40.0 %	0
Republic of Moldova	4	3	7	42.9 %	1	0	1	0.0 %	5	3	8	37.5 %	0
Estonia	1	1	2	50.0 %	1	0	1	0.0 %	2	1	3	33.3 %	0
Latvia	2	1	3	33.3 %	0	0	0	-	2	1	3	33.3 %	0
Portugal	1	1	2	50.0 %	4	1	5	20.0 %	5	2	7	28.6 %	0
Chile	5	2	7	28.6 %	0	0	0	-	5	2	7	28.6 %	0
Sri Lanka	1	1	2	50.0 %	6	1	7	14.3 %	7	2	9	22.2 %	1
Togo	4	2	6	33.3 %	4	0	4	0.0 %	8	2	10	20.0 %	1
Croatia	8	2	10	20.0 %	0	0	0	-	8	2	10	20.0 %	1
Honduras	8	2	10	20.0 %	0	0	0	-	8	2	10	20.0 %	1
Ecuador	4	0	4	0.0 %	1	1	2	50.0 %	5	1	6	16.7 %	1
Romania	4	1	5	20.0 %	1	0	1	0.0 %	5	1	6	16.7 %	1
Burkina Faso	2	1	3	33.3 %	4	0	4	0.0 %	6	1	7	14.3 %	1
Fiji	2	1	3	33.3 %	4	0	4	0.0 %	6	1	7	14.3 %	1
Chad	6	0	6	0.0 %	0	1	1	100.0 %	6	1	7	14.3 %	1
Niger	1	0	1	0.0 %	8	1	9	11.1 %	9	1	10	10.0 %	2
Hungary	5	0	5	0.0 %	4	1	5	20.0 %	9	1	10	10.0 %	2
Denmark	9	1	10	10.0 %	0	0	0	-	9	1	10	10.0 %	2
Serbia	3	0	3	0.0 %	6	0	6	0.0 %	9	0	9	0.0 %	3
Slovakia	2	0	2	0.0 %	6	0	6	0.0 %	8	0	8	0.0 %	2
Côte d'Ivoire	2	0	2	0.0 %	4	0	4	0.0 %	6	0	6	0.0 %	2
Paraguay	3	0	3	0.0 %	2	0	2	0.0 %	5	0	5	0.0 %	2
Colombia	3	0	3	0.0 %	1	0	1	0.0 %	4	0	4	0.0 %	1
Turkiye	2	0	2	0.0 %	2	0	2	0.0 %	4	0	4	0.0 %	1
Guinea	4	0	4	0.0 %	0	0	0	-	4	0	4	0.0 %	1
Sweden	3	0	3	0.0 %	0	0	0	-	3	0	3	0.0 %	1
Slovenia	3	0	3	0.0 %	0	0	0	-	3	0	3	0.0 %	1
Japan	0	0	0	-	2	0	2	0.0 %	2	0	2	0.0 %	1

Cyprus	0	0	0	-	2	0	2	0.0%	2	0	2	0.0%	1
Cuba	2	0	2	0.0%	0	0	0	-	2	0	2	0.0%	1
Timor-Leste	2	0	2	0.0%	0	0	0	-	2	0	2	0.0%	1
Azerbaijan	2	0	2	0.0%	0	0	0	-	2	0	2	0.0%	1
Greece	0	0	0	-	1	0	1	0.0%	1	0	1	0.0%	1
Qatar	0	0	0	-	1	0	1	0.0%	1	0	1	0.0%	1
Armenia	0	0	0	-	1	0	1	0.0%	1	0	1	0.0%	1
Algeria	1	0	1	0.0%	0	0	0	-	1	0	1	0.0%	1
El Salvador	1	0	1	0.0%	0	0	0	-	1	0	1	0.0%	1
Belgium	1	0	1	0.0%	0	0	0	-	1	0	1	0.0%	1

	Meeting/exceeding contribution target of at least 23% women
	Contributing 0.1% or more women peacekeepers
	Not contributing women peacekeepers

Troops - MARCH 2026

Month	Men	Women	Total	%F	Number of women to reach 13%
March 2026	36,326	3,141	39,467	8.0 %	1,990
February 2026	37,548	3,287	40,835	8.0 %	2,022

Over 1000 Troops

Country	Men	Women	Total	%F	Number of women to reach 13%
Ghana	1,404	262	1,666	15.7 %	0
Rwanda	2,815	265	3,080	8.6 %	136
Nepal	3,751	309	4,060	7.6 %	219
Bangladesh	3,691	246	3,937	6.2 %	266
Indonesia	1,629	104	1,733	6.0 %	122
Morocco	1,235	69	1,304	5.3 %	101
Pakistan	1,916	103	2,019	5.1 %	160
China	1,521	49	1,570	3.1 %	156
India	3,874	101	3,975	2.5 %	416

100 - 999 Troops

Country	Men	Women	Total	%F	Number of women to reach 13%
South Africa	286	98	384	25.5 %	0
Nigeria	133	38	171	22.2 %	0
Zambia	472	125	597	20.9 %	0
Argentina	184	42	226	18.6 %	0
Cambodia	363	80	443	18.1 %	0
Mongolia	449	81	530	15.3 %	0
Kenya	331	51	382	13.4 %	0
Peru	151	23	174	13.2 %	0
Uganda	543	82	625	13.1 %	0
United Kingdom	201	30	231	13.0 %	1
Cameroon	523	77	600	12.8 %	2
Poland	121	17	138	12.3 %	1
Viet Nam	217	30	247	12.1 %	3
Ethiopia	795	104	899	11.6 %	13
Malawi	656	82	738	11.1 %	14
Malaysia	455	55	510	10.8 %	12
Thailand	230	27	257	10.5 %	7
Spain	580	66	646	10.2 %	18
Sri Lanka	267	30	297	10.1 %	9
United Republic of Tanzania	868	96	964	10.0 %	30
Fiji	130	14	144	9.7 %	5
Côte d'Ivoire	136	14	150	9.3 %	6
Germany	163	16	179	8.9 %	8
Slovakia	197	16	213	7.5 %	12
Senegal	139	11	150	7.3 %	9
Bhutan	139	11	150	7.3 %	9
France	550	43	593	7.3 %	35
Guatemala	170	12	182	6.6 %	12
Burundi	562	38	600	6.3 %	40
Italy	688	44	732	6.0 %	52
Uruguay	776	49	825	5.9 %	59
Republic of Korea	386	21	407	5.2 %	32
Tunisia	573	30	603	5.0 %	49
Finland	154	8	162	4.9 %	14
Portugal	143	7	150	4.7 %	13
Ireland	271	13	284	4.6 %	24
Serbia	163	7	170	4.1 %	16
Egypt	716	30	746	4.0 %	67
Kazakhstan	139	2	141	1.4 %	17
Austria	154	2	156	1.3 %	19
Jordan	130	0	130	0.0 %	17

11-99 Troops

Country	Men	Women	Total	%F	Number of women to reach 13%
Brunei Darussalam	19	2	21	9.5 %	1
Republic of Moldova	32	1	33	3.0 %	4
Mauritania	50	0	50	0.0 %	7
El Salvador	35	0	35	0.0 %	5
Hungary	20	0	20	0.0 %	3

1-10 Troops

Country	Men	Women	Total	%F	Number of women to reach 13%
Paraguay	0	2	2	100.0 %	0
Ecuador	1	1	2	50.0 %	0
Malta	4	2	6	33.3 %	0
Latvia	2	1	3	33.3 %	0
North Macedonia	3	1	4	25.0 %	0
Chile	5	1	6	16.7 %	0
Brazil	9	0	9	0.0 %	2
Slovenia	6	0	6	0.0 %	1

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