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Transition in Afghanistan

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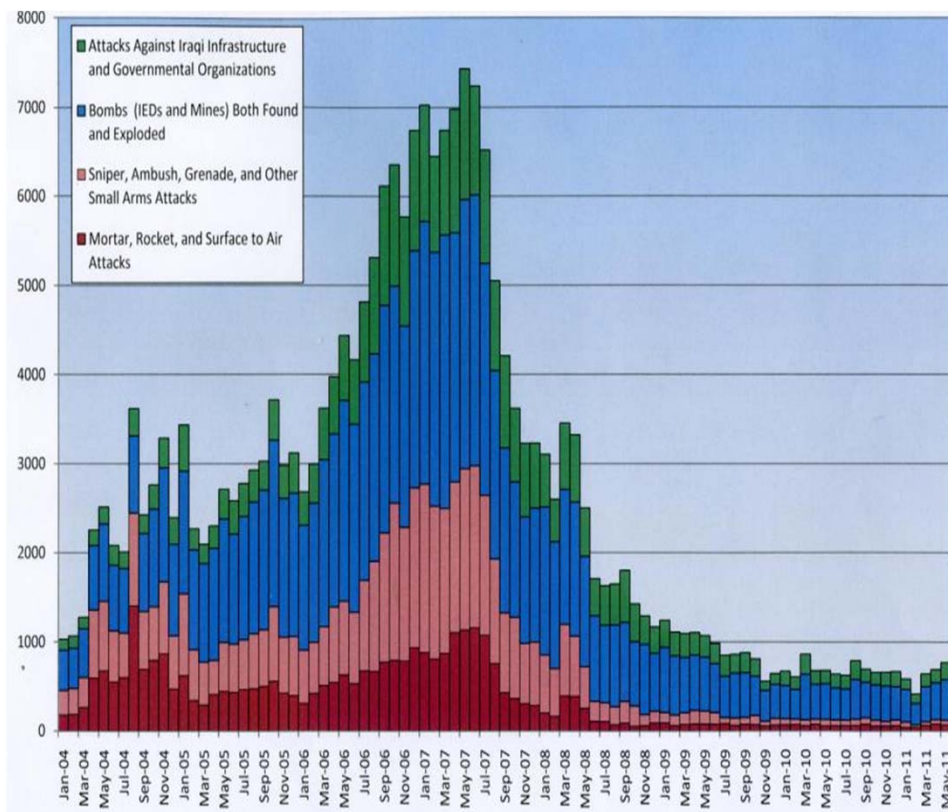
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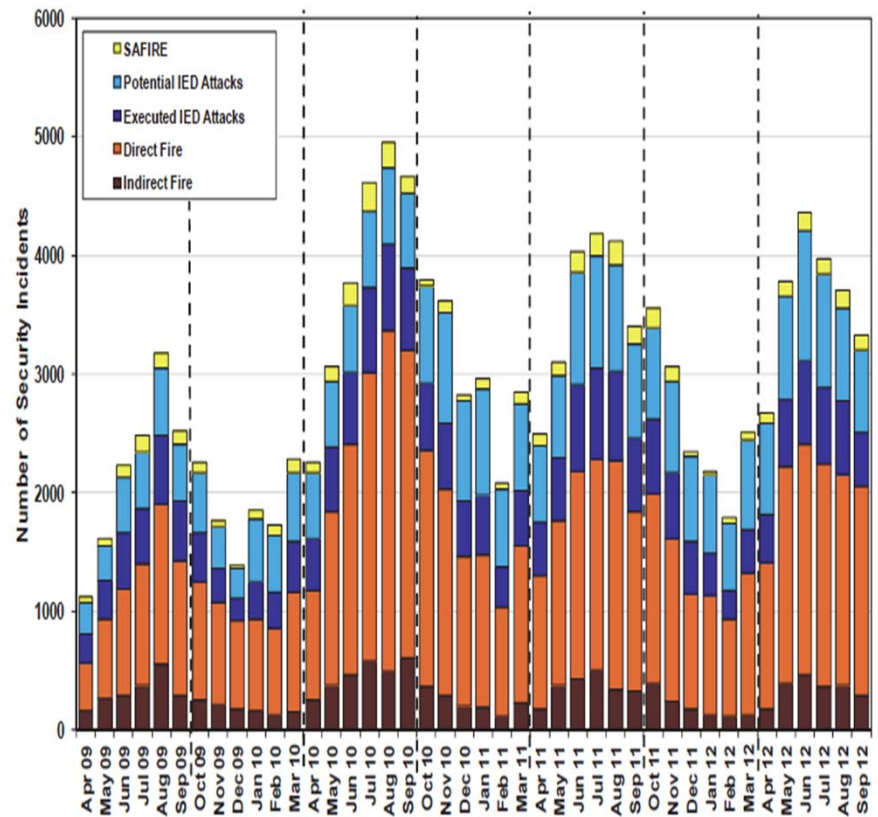
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What is the Real Security Situation? No Unclassified Metrics Better Than 2009

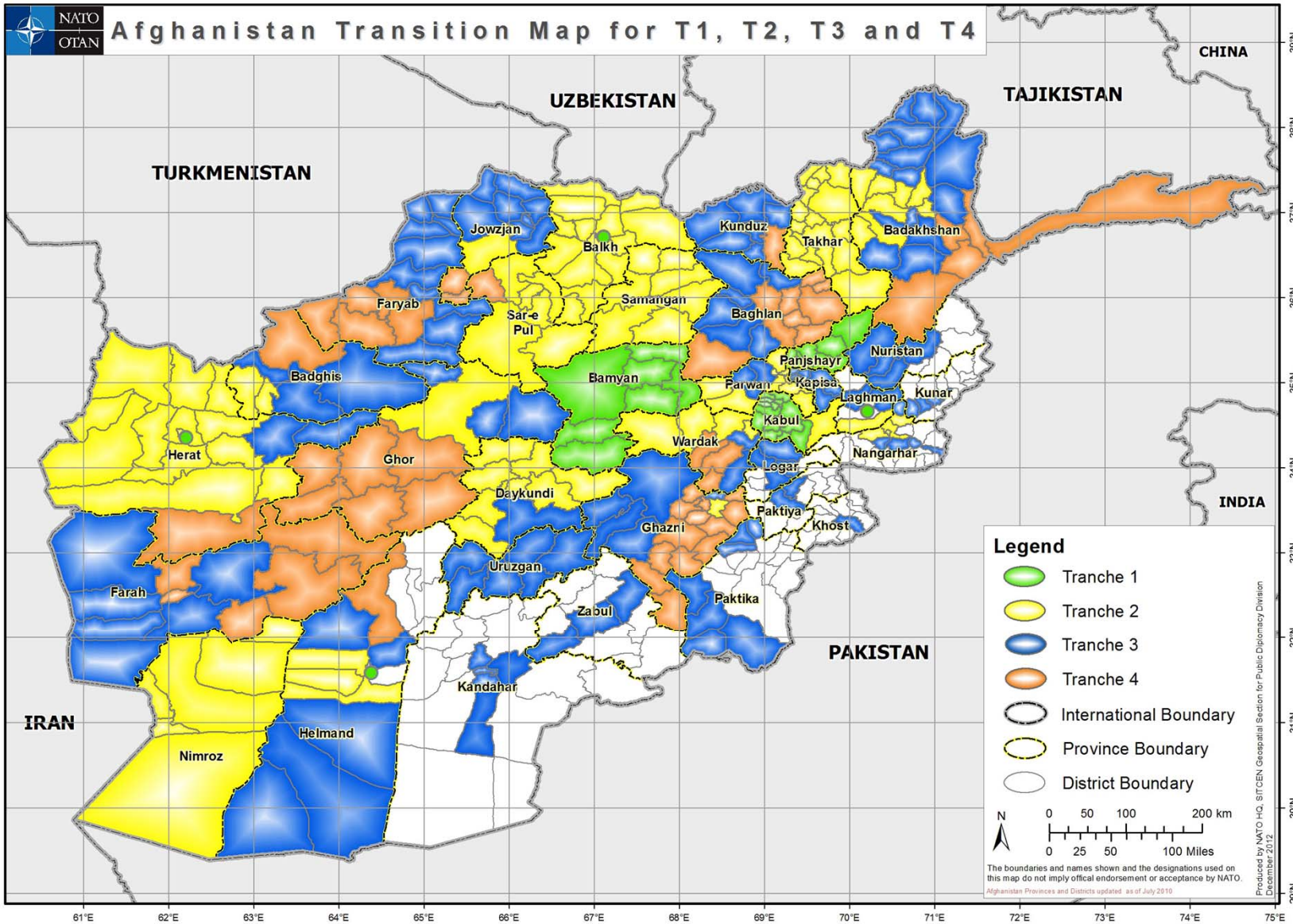
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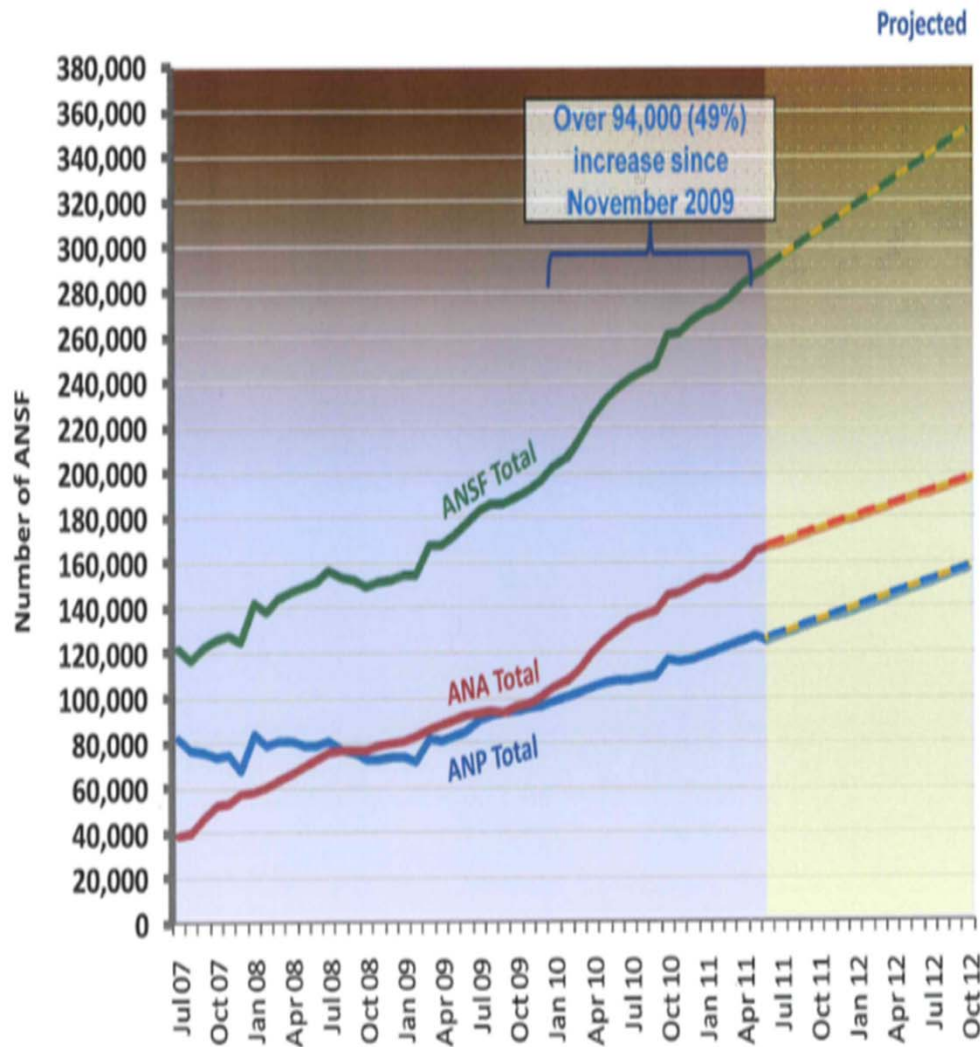
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A Different View of Security



Racing to 352,000? For What?



Force Element	Manpower Goal End 2012	% of Total
MOD	NA	NA
ANA	172,055	49%
AAF	7,639	2%
Subtotal	195,000	51%
MOI	NA	NA
ANCOP	14,451?	4%
AUP	110,279	31%
ABP	23,090	7%
Subtotal	157,000	45%
CNPA	2,986?	0.8%
ALP-		
Militias	30,000-40,000	NA
APPF	11,000-23,000	NA

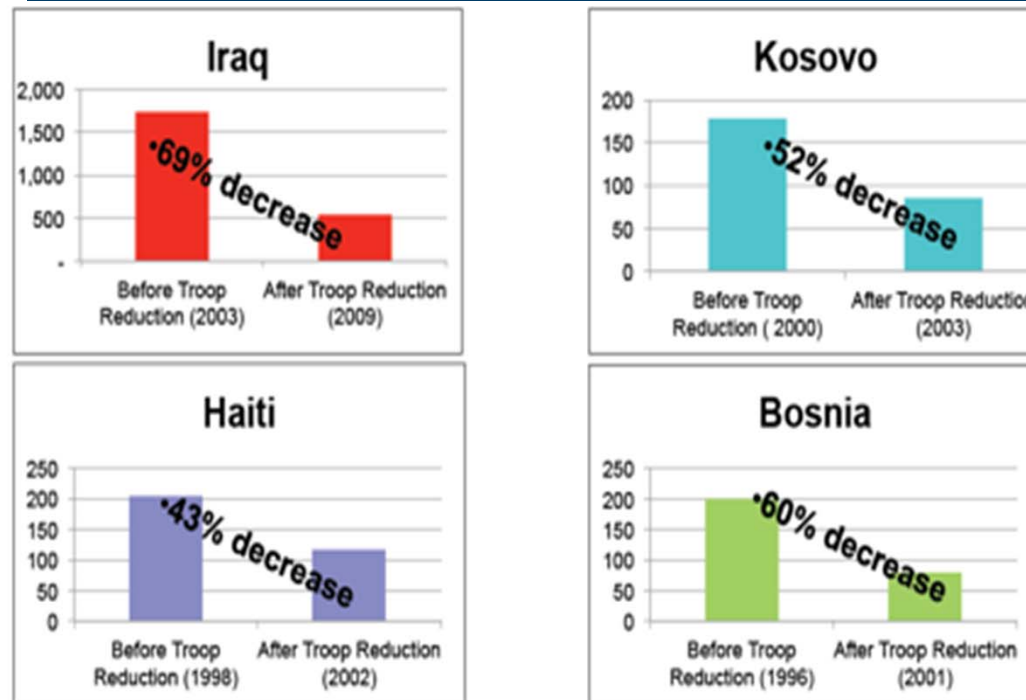
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Source: U.S. Experts

Real World Aid: Declare Victory and Leave?

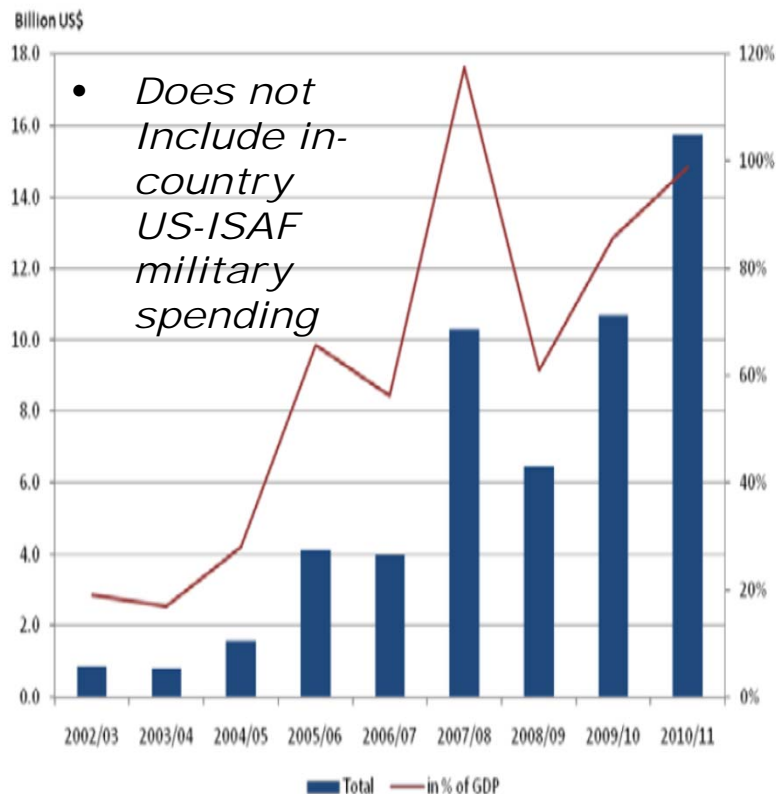
Development Assistance Levels Before and After Troop Reductions



Following the withdrawal or significant reduction in troop levels, Iraq, Kosovo, Haiti, and Bosnia saw significant decreases in development assistance levels.

An Economy Driven by Aid, Military Spending, and Narcotics

Outside Aid Spending Drives GDP After 2003/2004



Only 10% of Afghan Budget is Self-Funded

- 64% comes from US Aid
- 26% from Other donors
- 10% is Afghan funded

