



# About the Navy Irregular Warfare Office



For several years the Navy has carried out a variety of irregular warfare (IW) and counterterrorism (CT) activities, and has taken some steps in recent years to strengthen its ability to conduct such activities. Among the most readily visible of the Navy's current IW operations are those being carried out by Navy sailors serving ashore in Iraq and Afghanistan. Many of the Navy's contributions to IW operations around the world are made by Navy individual augmentees (IAs)—individual Navy sailors assigned to various DOD operations. In July 2008 the Navy established the **Navy Irregular Warfare Office**, which works closely with U.S. Special Operations Command.

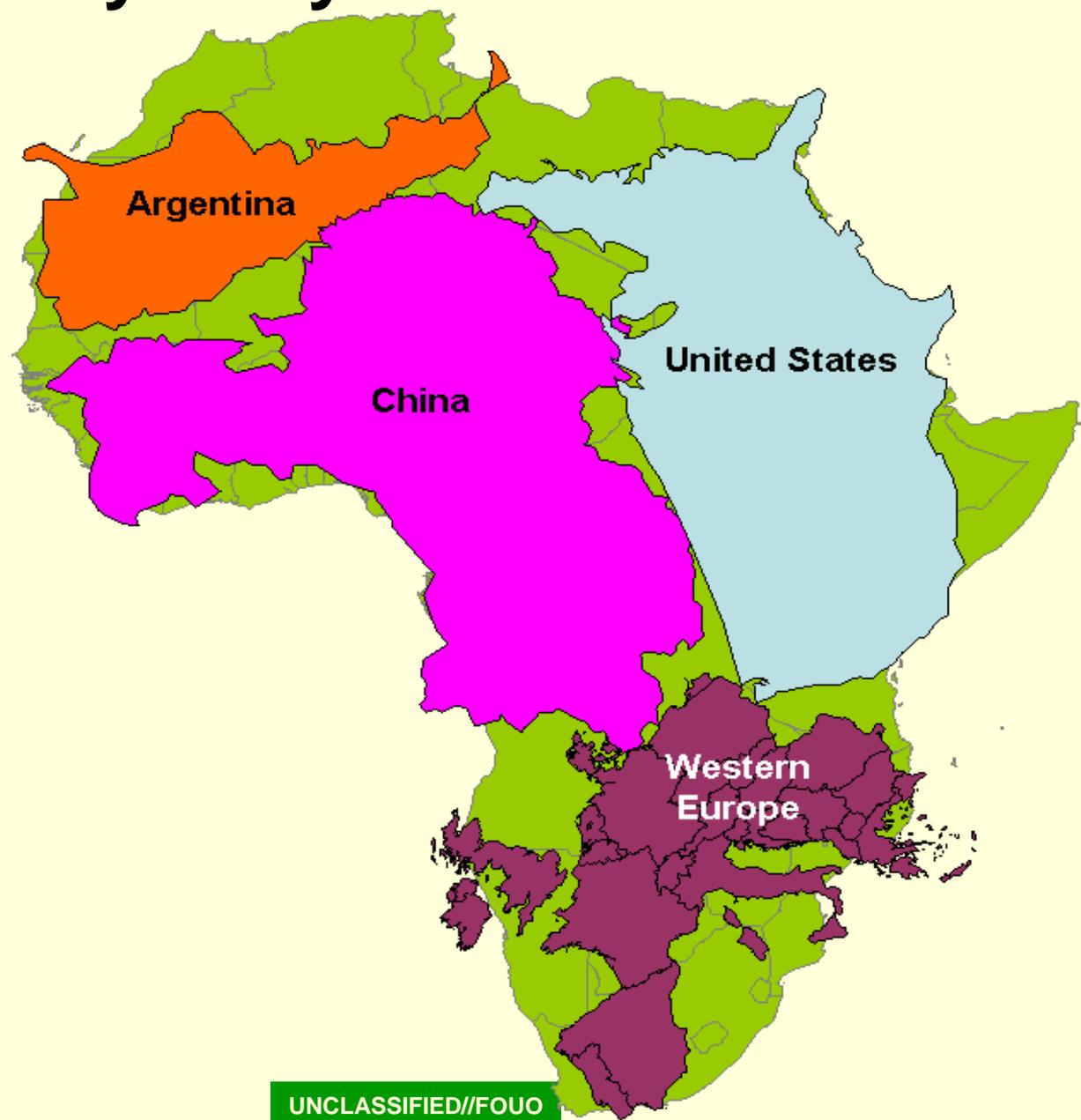


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- You can put the entire United States, a significant portion of Asia and South America, and Western Europe, and still have 2.5 million sq miles left.
- And the infrastructure necessary to cover the distances efficiently is just not there, making travel often difficult and lengthy



# Tyranny of Distance





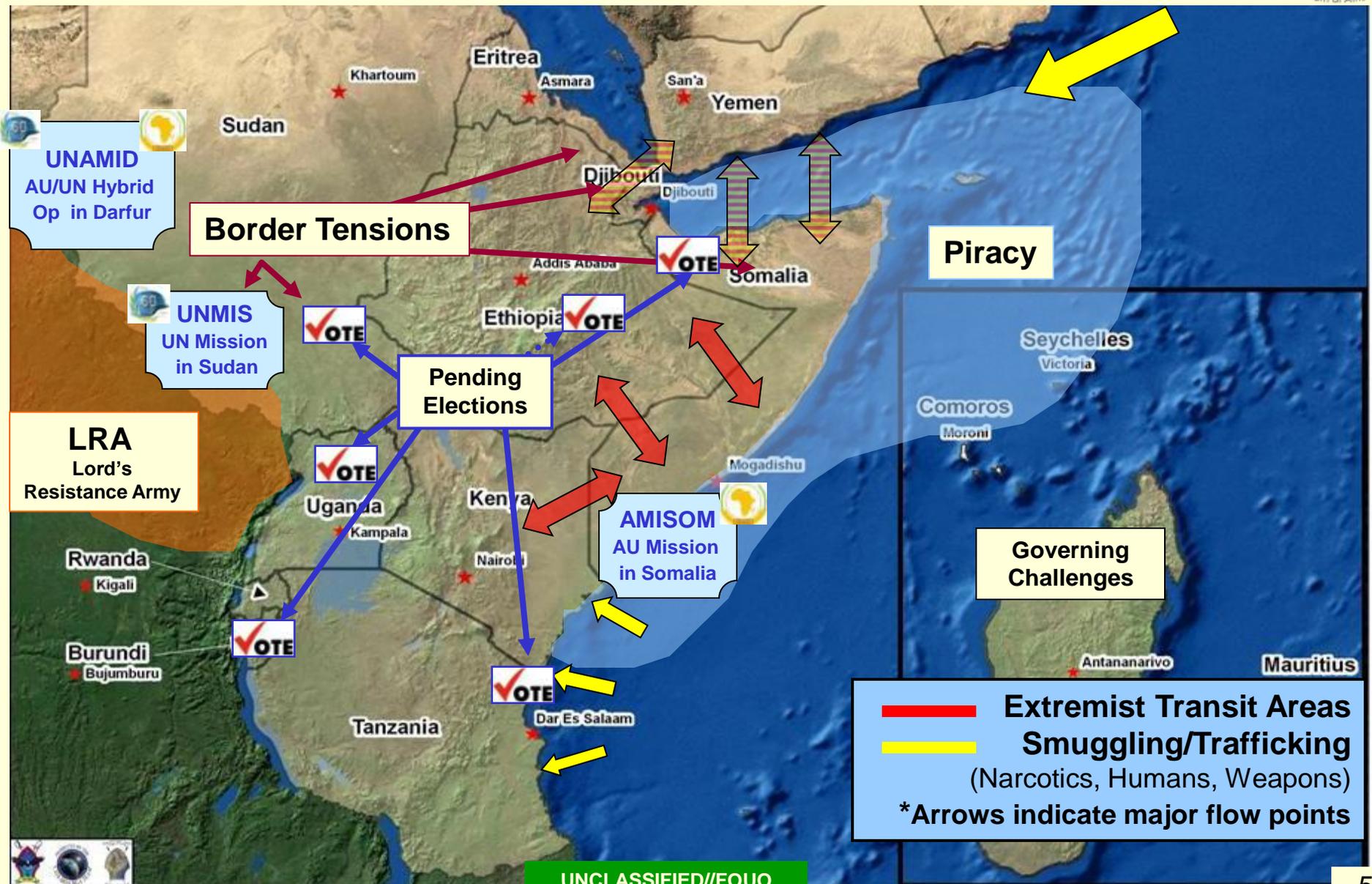
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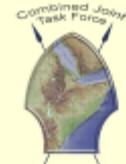


- Ethiopian/Eritrean border
- Eritrean/Djiboutian border
- Somalia lack of governance/piracy
- Kenya: Post election violence/food insecurity
- Sudan: Bashir and the International Criminal Courts
- Comoros: Mayotte staying French

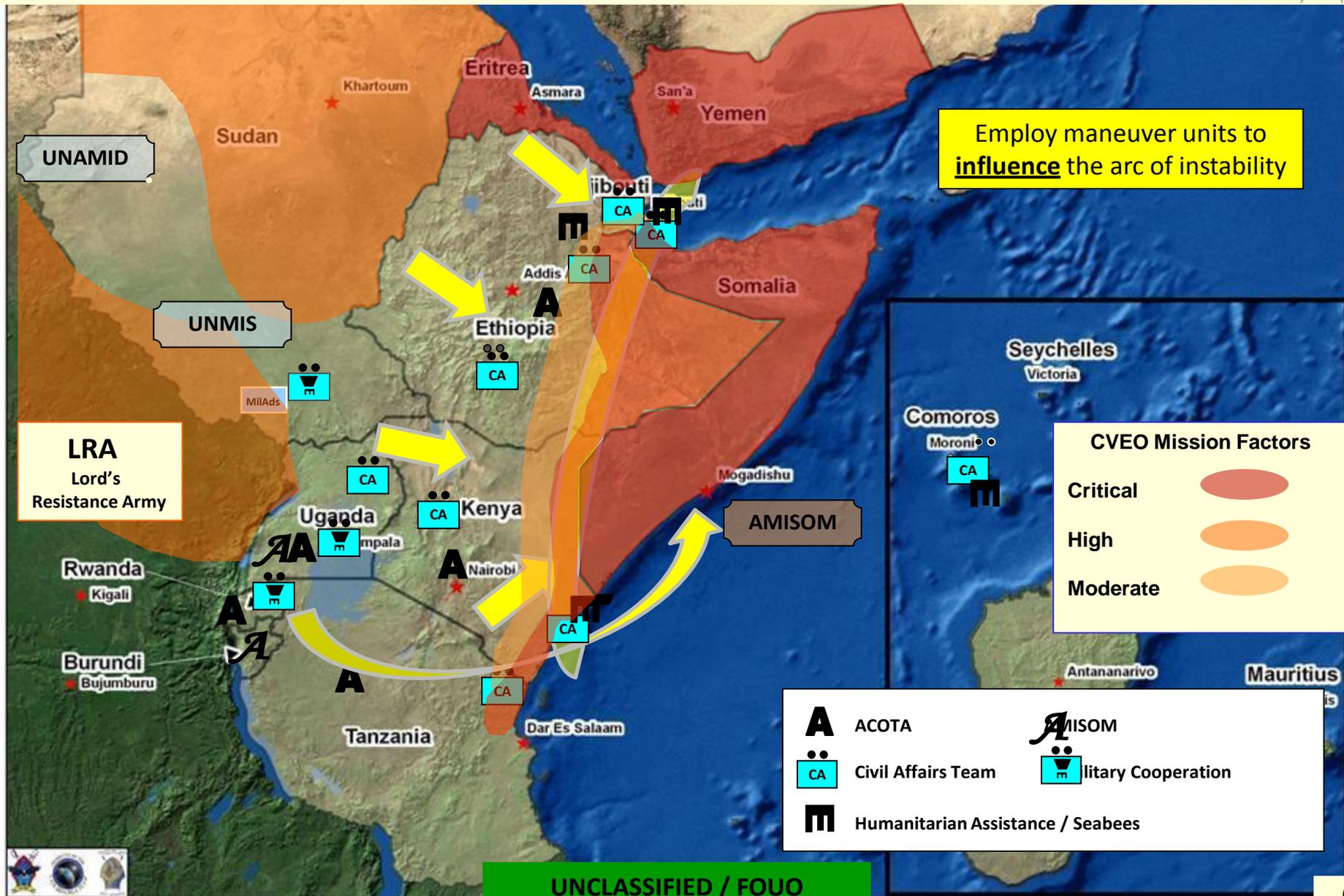


# Complex Environment





# Operations Overview





# CLDJ Mission & Vision

Provide, operate, and sustain superior service to **support** NCC and COCOM **operational requirements**. **Enable** operations in HOA while fostering positive U.S.-African Nation relations.



**Self sufficient:** Water production/storage, electricity, sewage treatment plant & waste incinerators