

FP 7 TIRAMISU Integration - TIRAMISU Information Management System (T-IMS): United we stand; divided we fall...

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A lot of efforts have been made to counter the mine threat. Many of these are successes in getting rid of the mines, saving time, being cost efficient and saving lives. Joining forces within the TIRAMISU consortium all these – state of the art systems – will boost the total outcome. One entity that cuts through the complete mine action process is “information”.

We are convinced that it is high time to all existing “information management islands” within the mine action community and provide one tool that will give all actors throughout the complete process the possibility to gather, structure, present and distribute all relevant mine action information.

We have active co-operation with and/or support from (among others) the Geneva International Centre for Humanitarian Demining (GICHD), Belgian EOD Centre (DOVO), Canadian Defence Forces, Swedish EOD and Demining Centre (SWEDEC).

To implement the TIRAMISU Information Management System (T-IMS) – one the tools in the TIRAMISU tool-box – we use the latest development platforms, software and processes, common mine action communication language (maXML) will be further developed together with GICHD and GIS standards (OGC) will safeguard compatibility within and outside TIRAMISU.

This presentation/demonstration will show how far it’s possible to bring modern technology to support the present and future mine action with information management.

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