

“El Tarra’s hard earned peace dividend: UN support to community-based Reintegration in the Catatumbo region of Colombia”

- A WORK IN PROGRESS -

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**Misión de Verificación
de Naciones Unidas
en Colombia**

The UN Mission in Colombia:
mandate and key features

- **1st Mission** (UN Mission in Colombia + MMV): September 2016 – September 2017. Observation of:
 - Ceasefire
 - Cessation of hostilities
 - Laying down of arms
- **2nd Mission** (UN Verification Mission in Colombia): from September 2017. Verification of:
 - Socioeconomic and political reintegration
 - Security guarantees
 - Transitional justice sanctions (2021)



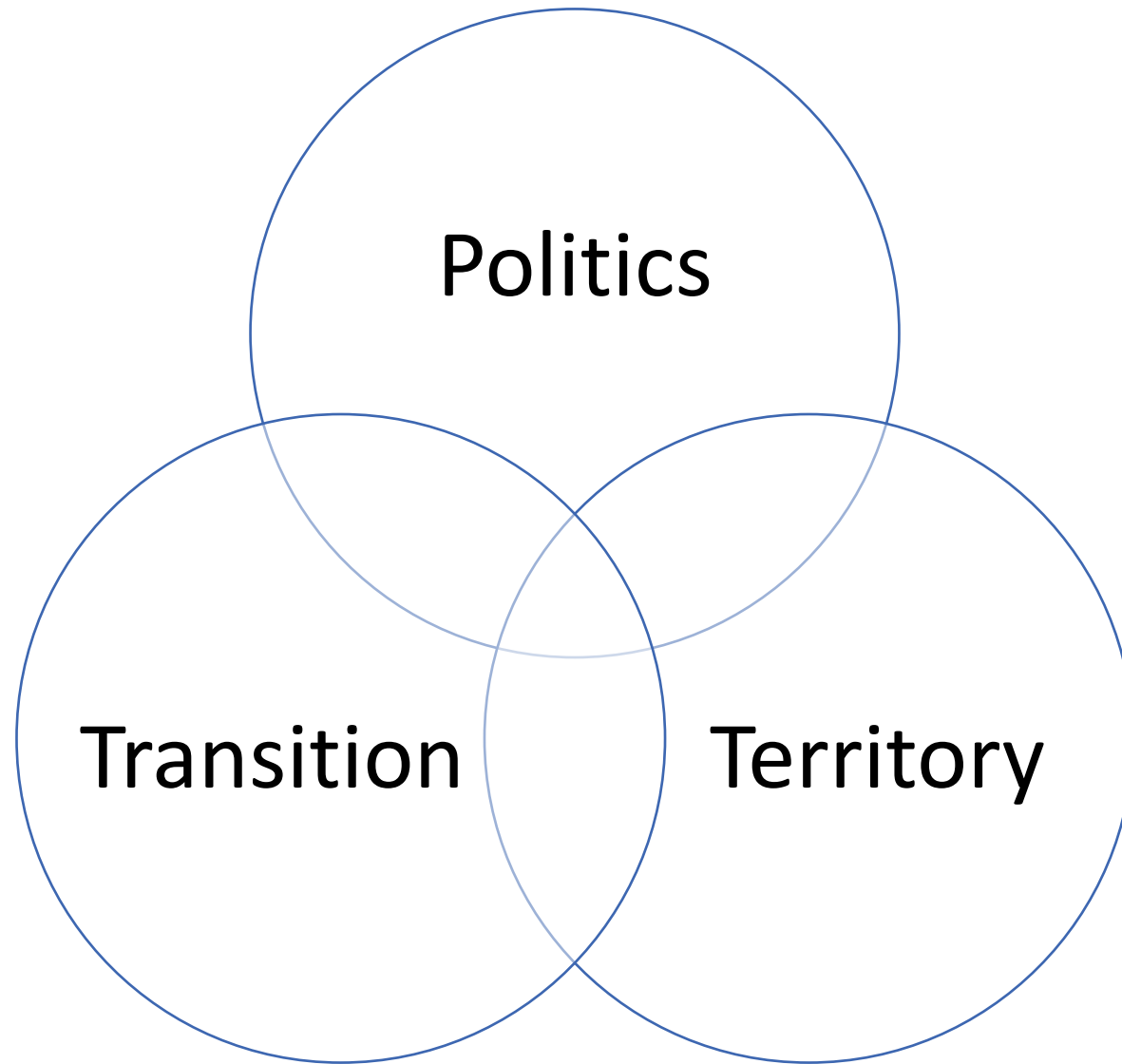
Special Political Mission
(no PKO)

Strong field presence

High level of in-country
acceptance

What were the
challenges we faced?





Politics

Transition

Territory

What did we do?



Building on
civil society
organizations

Involving local authorities



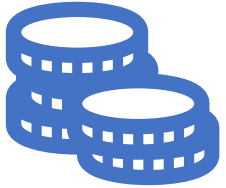


Paving the way for national and international support

What did we learn?



Building local ownership and strategic partnerships



Access to quick and flexible funding mechanisms



Need for further research and monitoring of these local initiatives