

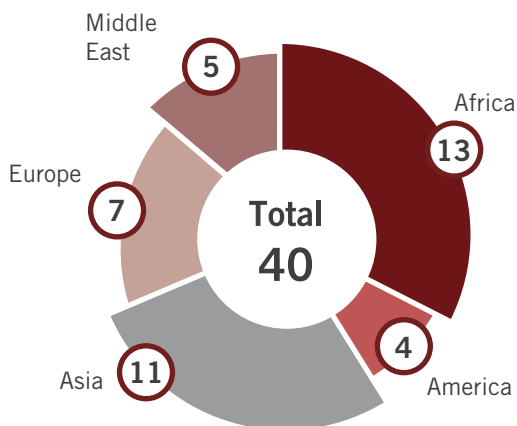
Peace processes and negotiations in 2020

The COVID-19 pandemic slowed down negotiating processes and the implementation of peace agreements, while aggravating the humanitarian situation in armed conflicts and socio-political crises

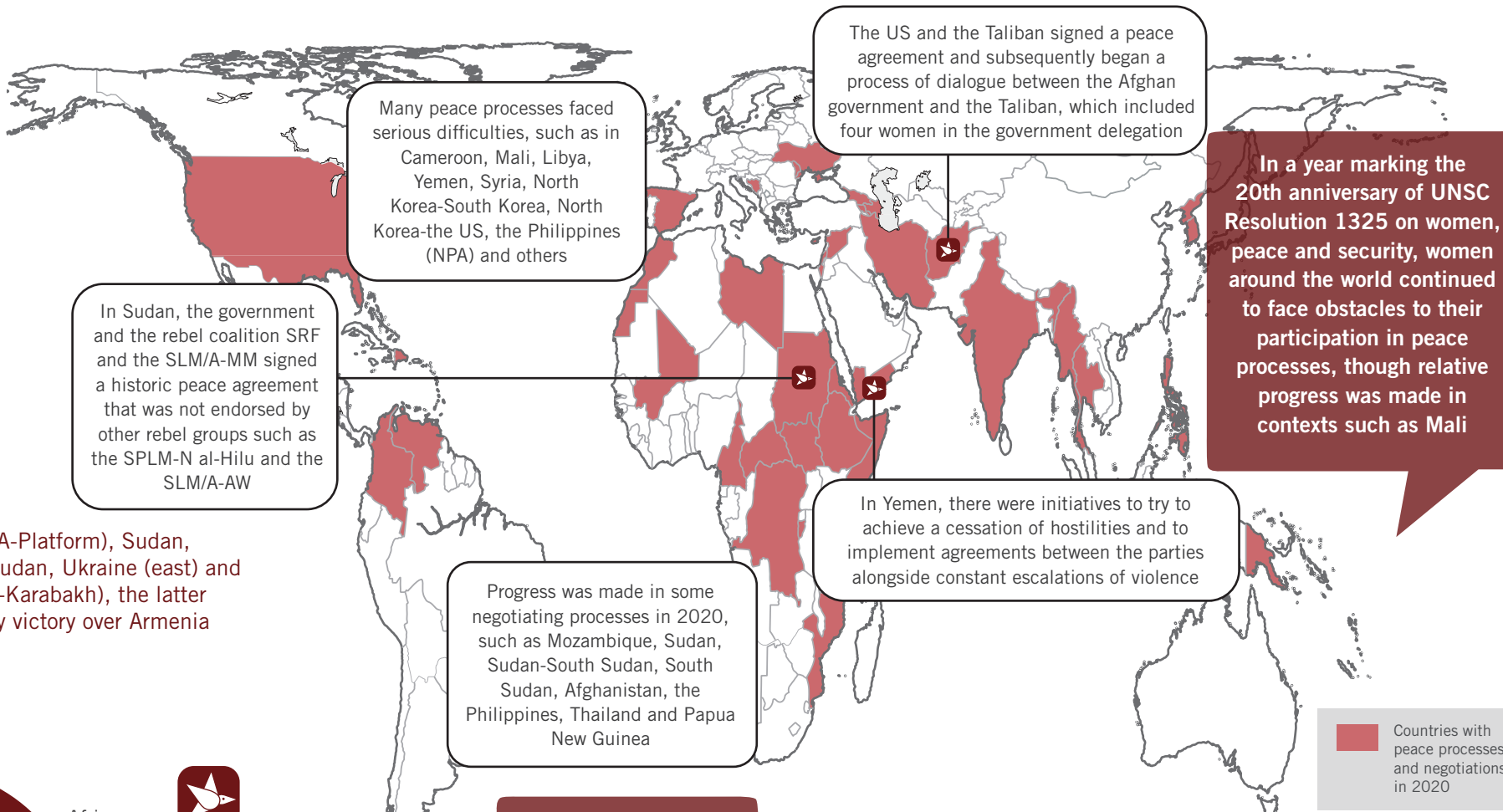


During 2020 significant agreements were reached in Afghanistan, Libya, Mali (CMA-Platform), Sudan, South Sudan, Sudan-South Sudan, Ukraine (east) and Armenia-Azerbaijan (Nagorno-Karabakh), the latter being interpreted as a military victory over Armenia

Regional distribution of peace negotiations



Various actors in conflict announced truces in response to the UN Secretary-General's call, as in Sudan (Darfur), Colombia, the Philippines, Thailand and Myanmar, though the response was limited and fragile in its implementation



Countries with peace processes and negotiations in 2020

82% of peace processes and negotiations revealed the involvement of third parties

Recurrent themes in negotiation agendas:

- Truces, ceasefires and cessation of hostilities
- Disarmament, demobilisation and reintegration of combatants
- Status of disputed territories and recognition of minority identities
- Political power-sharing

Main third parties involved in negotiations

