

United Nations Counter IED initiatives

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Controlling the Supply Chain for IED Precursor Chemicals**



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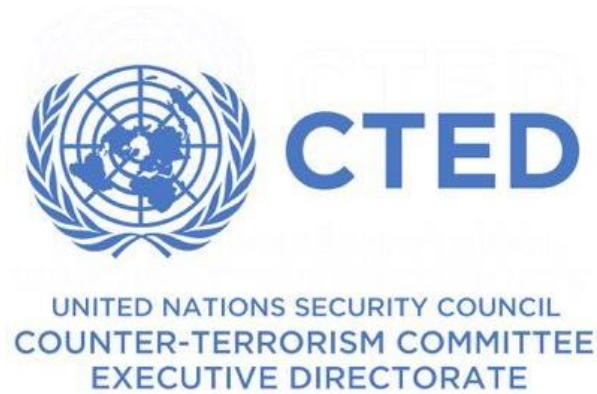
From Ideas to Action

- KNOWLEDGE** Accurate information and insights on priority disarmament issues
- IDEAS** New proposals and options to advance cooperation and address risks
- DIALOGUE** Convene and facilitate multi-stakeholder dialogue and exchange
- ADVICE** Policy expertise to States, regional and multilateral actors on arms control

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United Nations processes & initiatives addressing IEDs

(non-exclusive list)

UN General Assembly resolutions (2020, 2018, 2017, 2016)

UN Secretary General reports to the UN GA (2018, 2016)

UN Security Council resolutions (e.g. 2370, in 2017; and 2482, 2019)

UN Secretary General reports to the UNSC

Different UN processes, entities, and initiatives within different areas (e.g. law enforcement; counter-terrorism; organized crime; prevention of diversion; clearance, safety, security; information exchange, etc.)

Counter-IED Capability Maturity Model and Self-Assessment Tool

UNIDIR C-IED capability maturity model & self assessment tool (I)

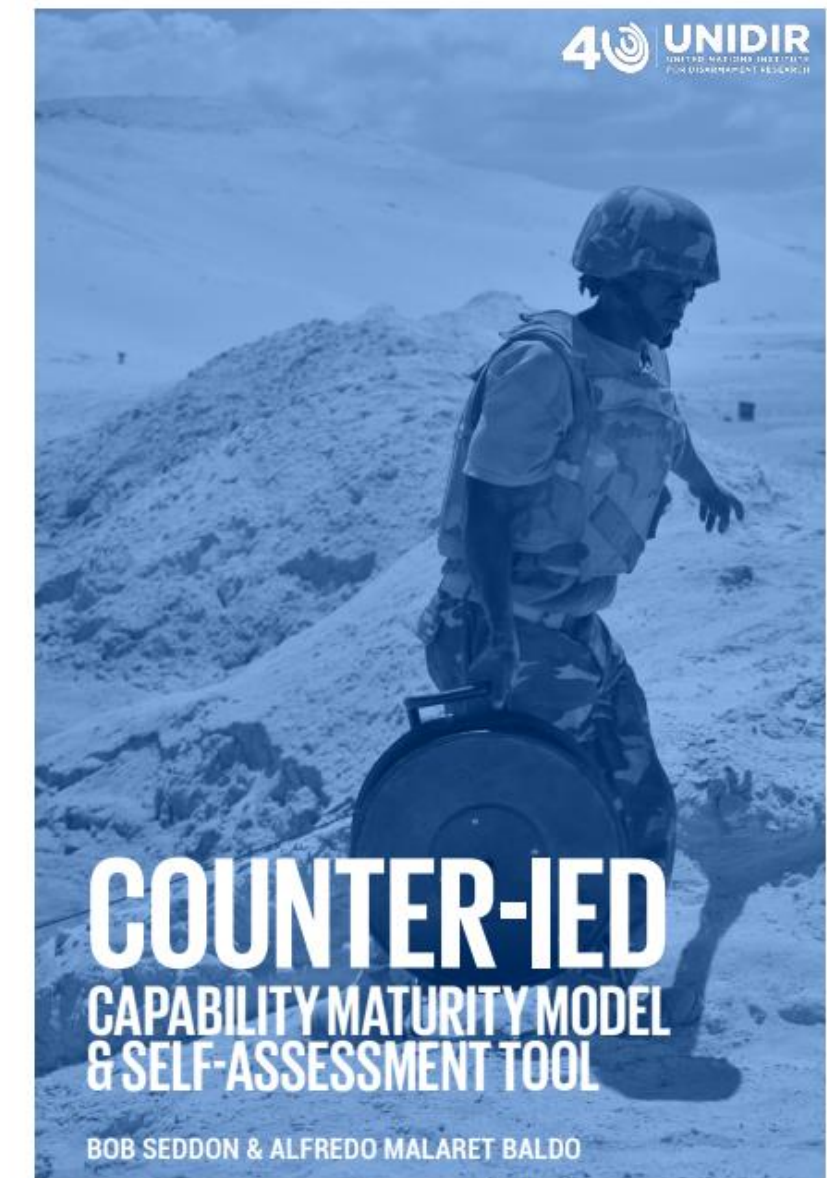
What are the objectives of the Tool?

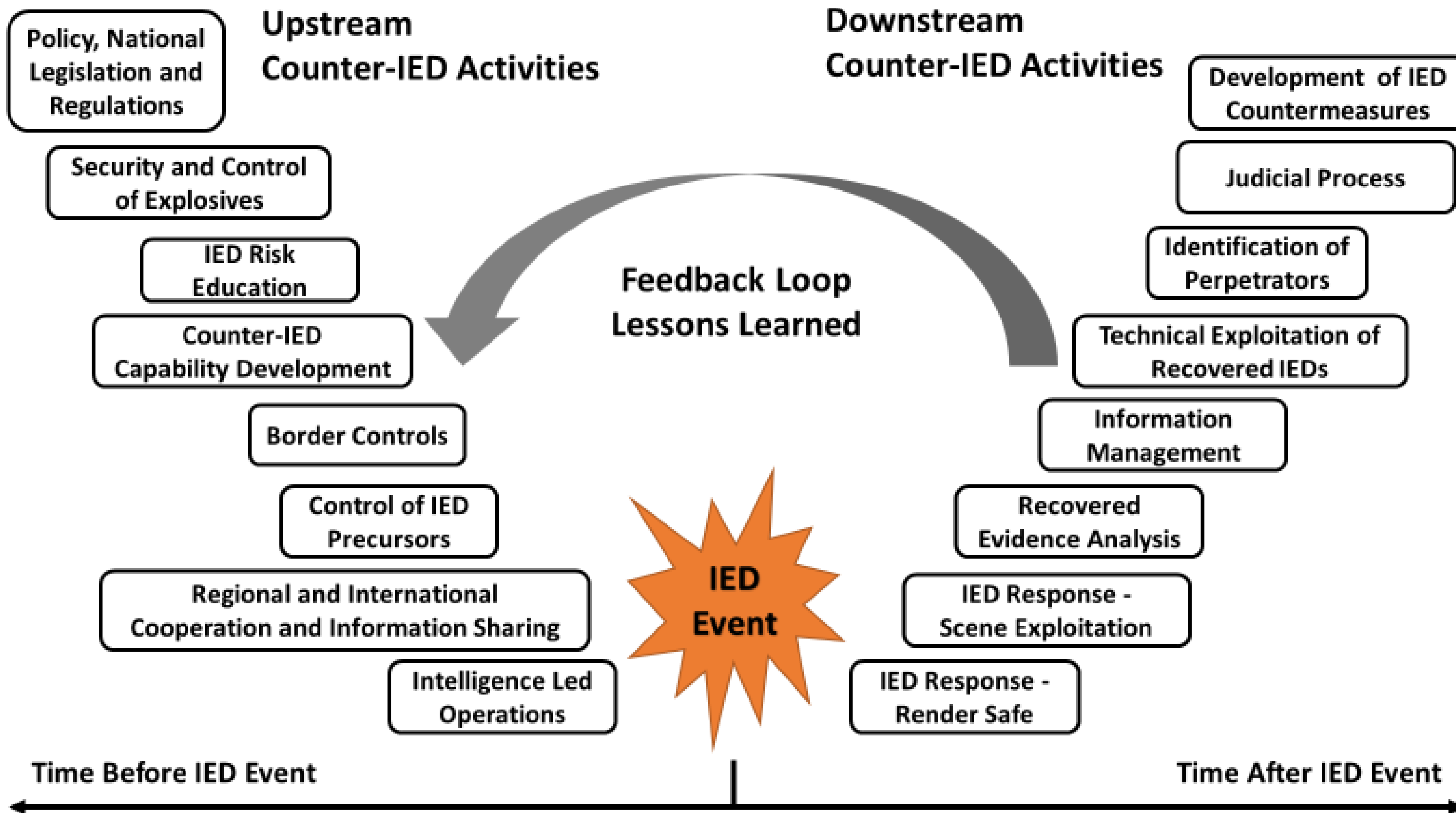
- Leverage **knowledge** to enhance prevention and response strategies
- Assess the **priority** of work and **gauge likely scale of contributions**

What is a Capability Maturity Model (CMM)?

A **set of structured levels** that describe how well the current **practices** produce required outcomes, key benefits include:

- Provides a **benchmark for comparison**
- Indicates **gaps** and areas where **process improvement** may be required

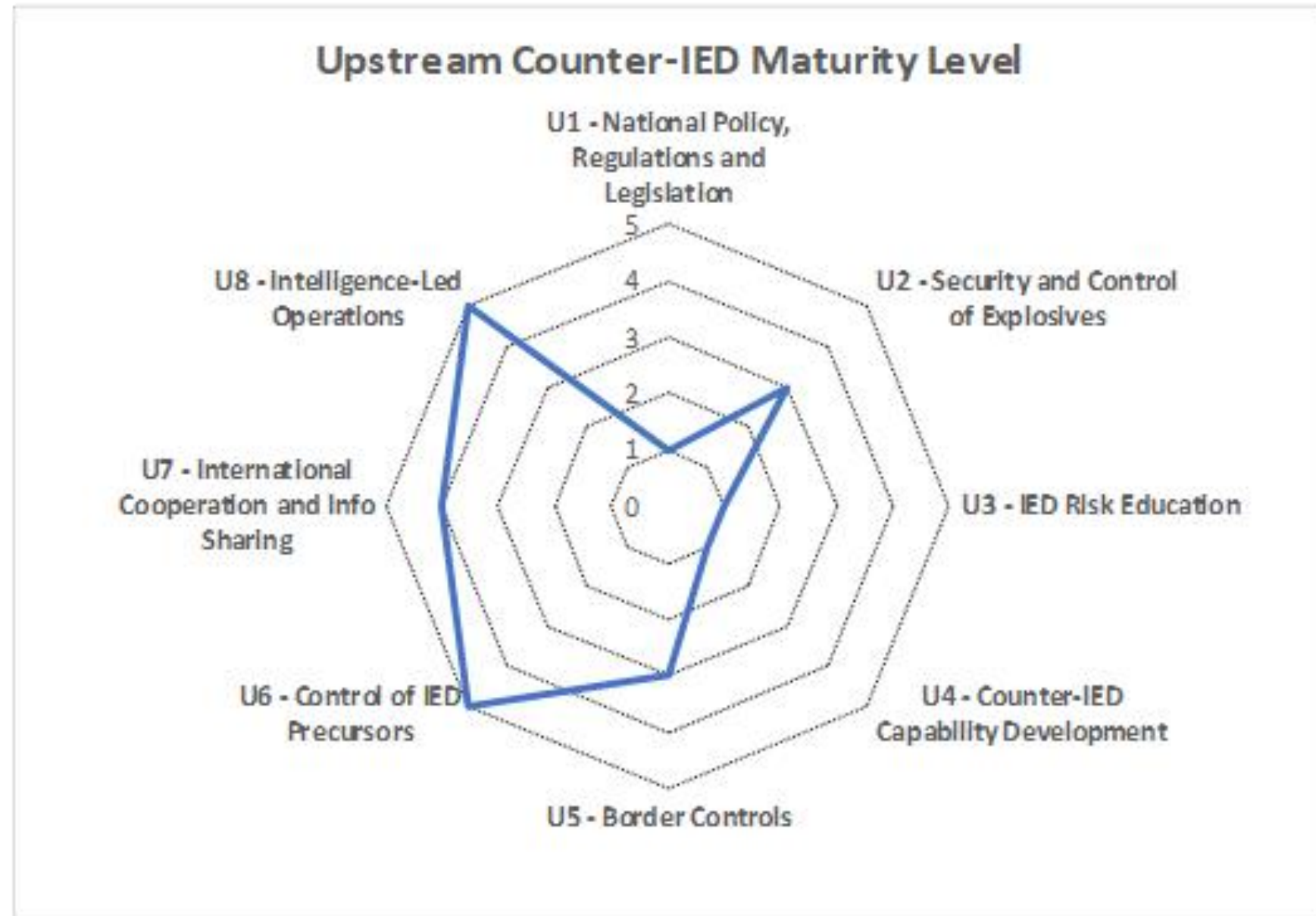






**Upstream Counter-IED Measures - Summary of Counter-IED Capability Maturity
Upstream Components of Counter-IED Capability**

Component of Counter-IED Capability	CMM Level
U1 - National Policy, Regulations and Legislation	1
U2 - Security and Control of Explosives	3
U3 - IED Risk Education	1
U4 - Counter-IED Capability Development	1
U5 - Border Controls	3
U6 - Control of IED Precursors	5
U7 - International Cooperation and Info Sharing	4
U8 - Intelligence-Led Operations	5
Mean Upstream Counter IED Maturity Level	3



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 Assessment Description: Country X
 Assessor(s): A Author

Preventing terrorist from acquiring weapons – supporting and facilitating implementation of UNSC resolution 2370 (I)

- **Objective:** enhancing implementation of UNSC resolution 2370 (2017) and the relevant international standards and good practices; contributing to Member States' capacity to prevent terrorists from acquiring weapons by developing technical Guidelines
- **UNSC resolution 2370 (2017)**
- **UN Global Counter-Terrorism Compact, Border Management & Law Enforcement Working Group, dedicated joint project (2020-2021)**

Preventing terrorist from acquiring weapons – supporting and facilitating implementation of UNSC resolution 2370 (II)

- **Review and strengthening of relevant national legislations and regulations**
- **Border controls & customs**
- **Adequate management and controls of IED chemical precursors**
- **International and regional cooperation and information sharing**
- **Sharing of good practices and capacity building**
- **Awareness-raising in the private sector**

Key takeaways & ways forward

Counter-IED Capacity Maturity Model and Self-Assessment Tool

- The accessible, easy to use Tool is the product of a collaborative effort.
- The Data Visualization App facilitates data collection and display of results.
- The Tool is available in English, French, and Spanish (Arabic soon).
- Strongly encourage States & interested parties to use the Tool in prevention and to improve preparedness.
UNIDIR continues to stand ready and provides support in roll-out and utilization of the Tool.

Preventing terrorist from acquiring weapons – supporting and facilitating implementation of UNSC resolution 2370

- Continuous consultations & inputs from UN Global CT Compact (BMLE) entities on technical guidelines.
- Technical guidelines to facilitate implementation of UNSCR 2370, expected to become available in 2021.
- Continuous engagements and support including for utilization of the guidelines.

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Addressing Improvised Explosive Devices
Options and Opportunities to Better Utilize UN Processes and Actors

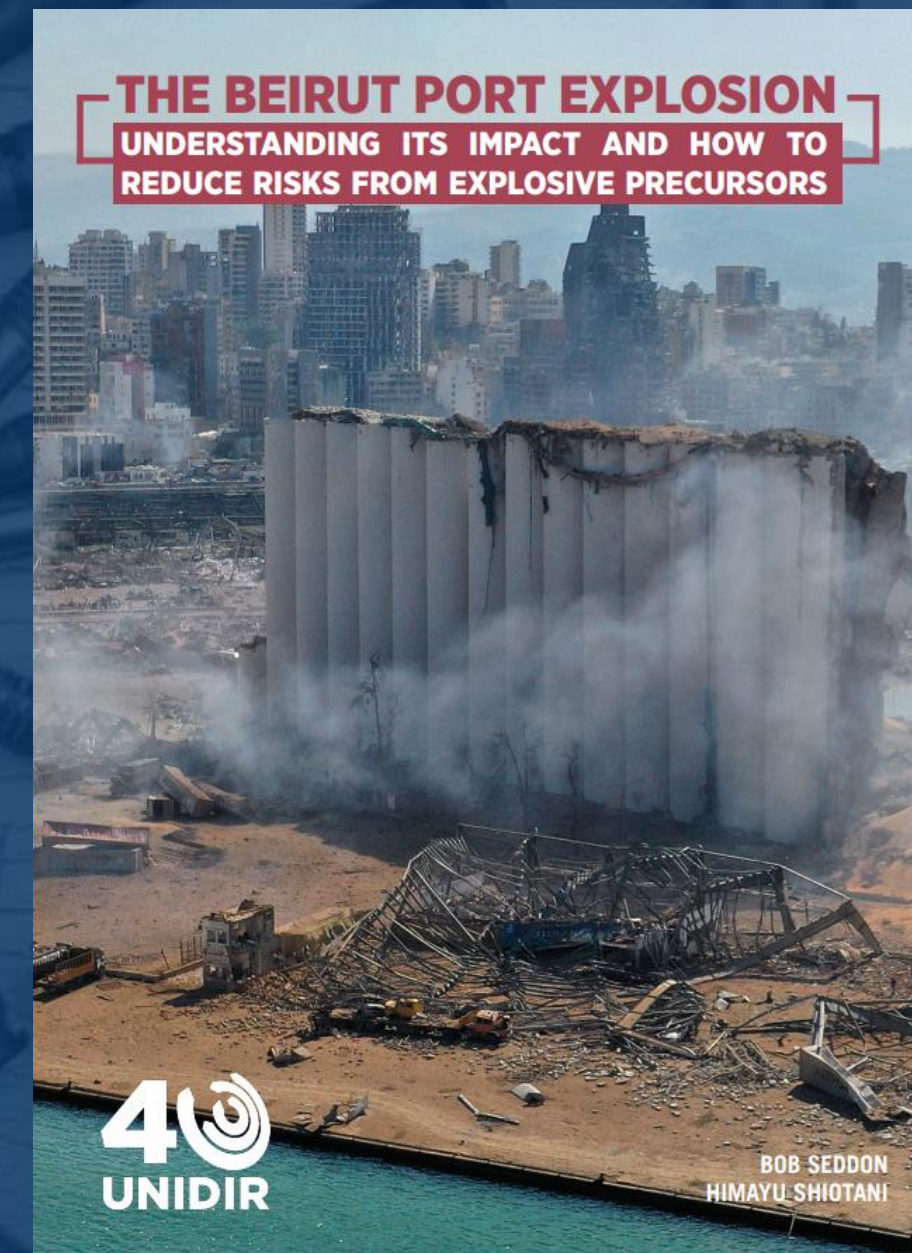
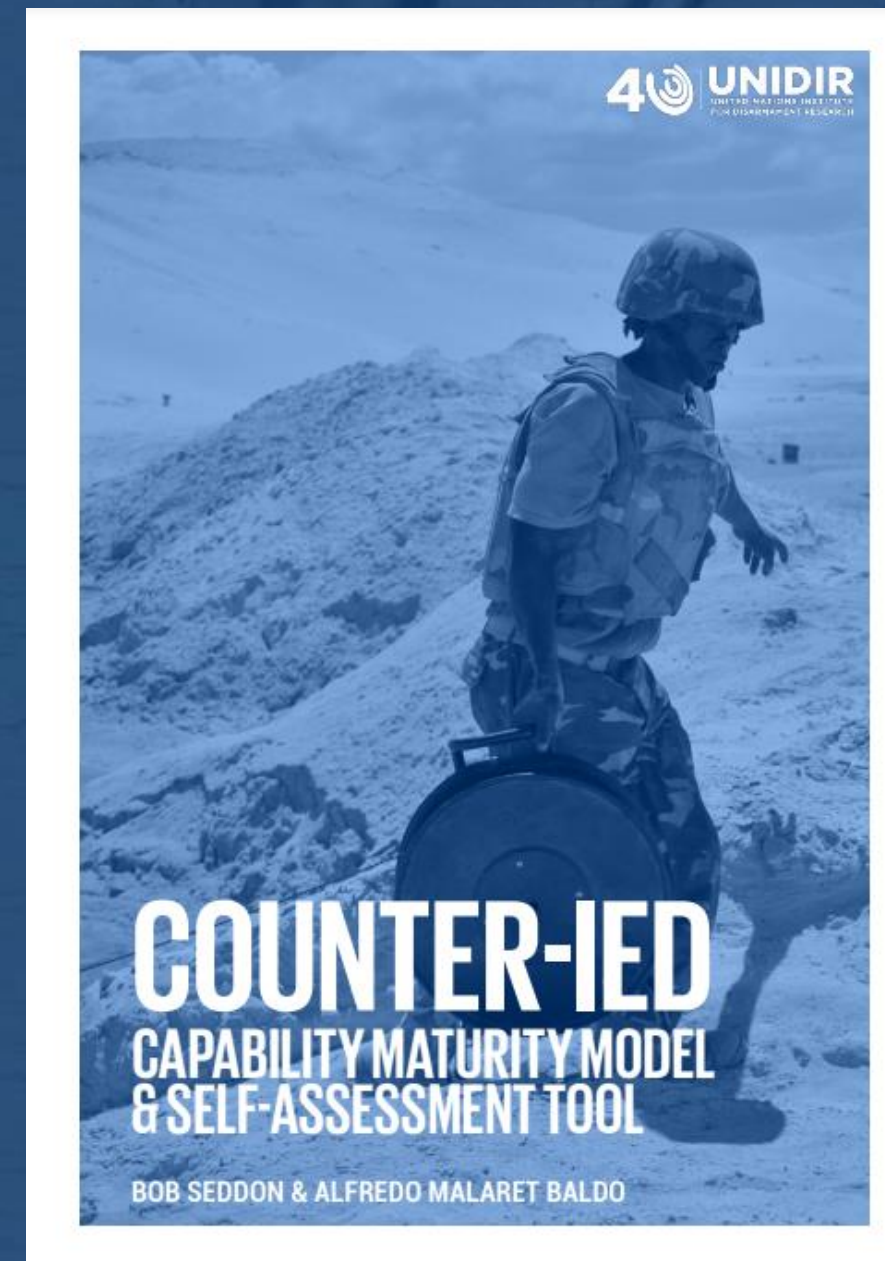
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Meeting Summary
Examining the Roles, Responsibilities and Potential Contributions of Private Sector Industry Actors in Stemming the Flow of Improvised Explosive Devices (IEDs) and Related Materials

Informal Private Sector Consultative Meeting
Geneva, Switzerland
6–7 March 2017

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Questions & answers,

With sincere thanks.

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