

# More U.N. peacekeepers for Yugoslavia

The 6,000 extra U.N. troops authorised to be sent to Bosnia Hercegovina brings the total military commitment to over 21,600 personnel. Rules of engagement allow the troops not only to fire in self-defence but to use force to carry out the U.N. mandate protecting convoys of food and medicine



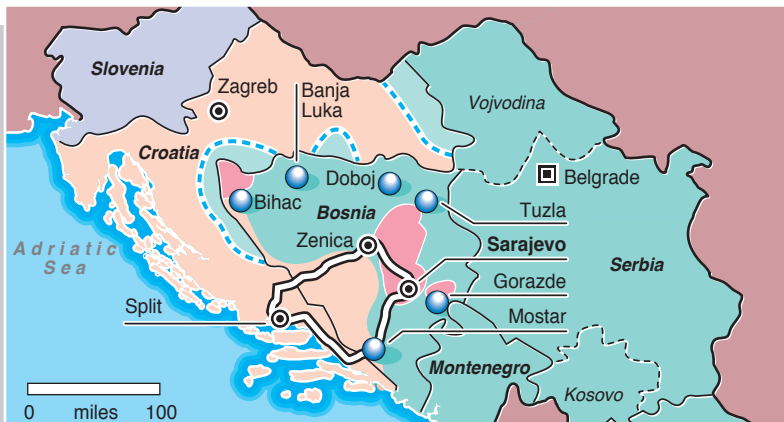
Proposed bases for extra U.N. troops

Serbian controlled

Serb controlled, patrolled by U.N.

Bosnian Muslims

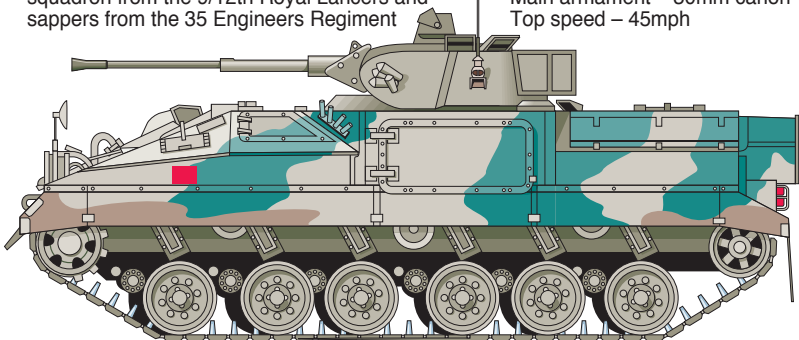
Croatian controlled



## UK force in Bosnia:

1,800 troops including 1,000 Desert Rats from the Cheshire Regiment, 120 men from the Royal Irish Regiment, a recce squadron from the 9/12th Royal Lancers and sappers from the 35 Engineers Regiment

**Desert Rats:** Equipped with 20 tonne Warrior 'battle-taxis' which carry seven infantry plus a crew of three. Main armament – 30mm canon Top speed – 45mph



## Other countries joining the U.N. force in Bosnia



**Italy:**  
1,000 troops



**France**  
1,100 troops



**Canada:**  
1,200 troops



**Spain:** 400 troops, **Belgium, Denmark, Netherlands and Norway:** 500 troops