
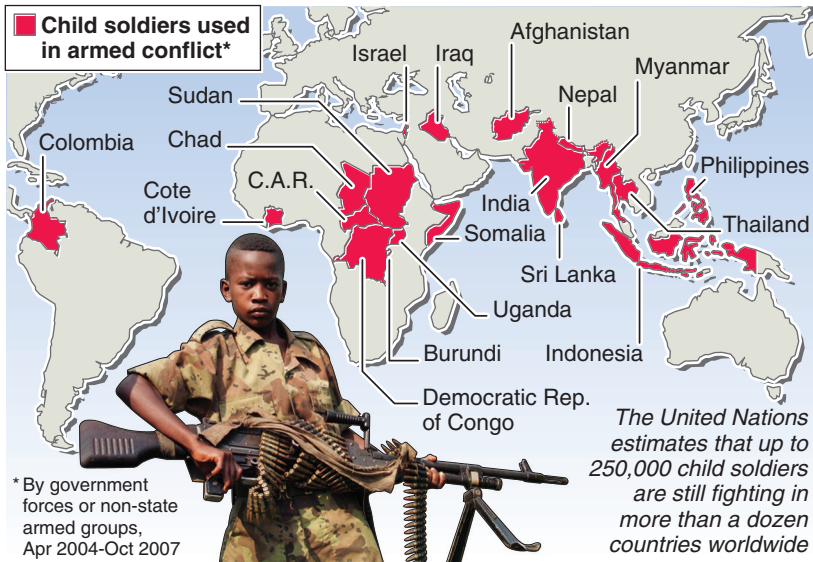


Child soldiers case is first at war crimes court

Former Congolese rebel leader Thomas Lubanga stands accused of recruiting hundreds of child soldiers in his militia forces, in the first ever war crimes trial at the International Criminal Court in The Hague

 Child soldiers used in armed conflict*



* By government forces or non-state armed groups, Apr 2004-Oct 2007