# **PART 1: UN Resources**

### **Regular budget**

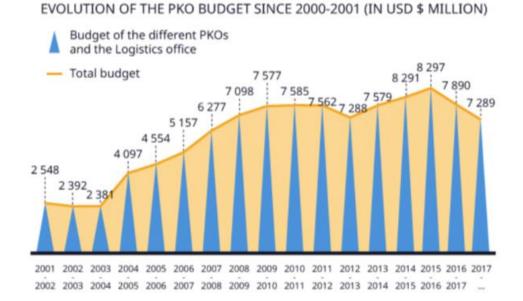
- USD \$5.614 billion in 2017 adopted by the General Assembly for a two-year period
- This budget is mainly operational. It covers the expenses of the Secretariat and the administrative expenses of certain funds and programmes

Since 2000, the UN budget has almost doubled, reflecting the growing number of programmes and missions run by the organization.

## The Peacekeeping Budget

- USD \$7.3 billion
- between 1 July 2017 and 30 June 2018
- Each peacekeeping operation (PKO) is financed by:
  - Mandatory contributions
    - o Increased contributions by permanent members of the Security Council
- Since 2000, the UN PKO budget has been multiplied by 3.5: not only has the number of operations increased, the number and nature of peacekeeping duties have changed

### [Graph : Evolution of the PKO budget since 2000-2001 (in USD \$ million)]



#### 15 peacekeeping operations are currently underway

- More than 95,000 soldiers and police officers from 127 troop-contributing countries have been mobilized
- 840 French soldiers are currently deployed in seven PKOs, mostly in UNIFIL in Lebanon (660) and MINUSCA in the Central African Republic (104)

## **PART 2: French contributions**

#### French contributions to the regular budget

- Regular budget: USD \$122.6 million in 2017
- The main contributors to the regular budget (for the 2016-2018 period):
  - o 1- United States: 22%
  - o **2- Japan: 9.68%**
  - o 3- China: 7.92%
  - 4- Germany: 6.39%
  - o 5- France: 4.86%

#### French contributions to the peacekeeping budget

- PKO budget: USD \$388 million
- 2017-2018: France is the fifth-largest contributor, providing 6.29% of the 2017 PKO budget
- The main contributors to the peacekeeping budget (for the 2016-18 period):
  - o 1- United States: 28.47%
  - o 2- China: 10.25%
  - o 3- Japan: 9.68%
  - o 4- Germany: 6.39%
  - o 5- France: 6.29%
- The 5 permanent members of the Security Council contribute more than half of the total peacekeeping budget