

AATTI-4

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- Inception
 - Raised Darwin, Feb/Mar 2005
 - Deployed to Kuwait April/May 2005
 - Deployed into Theatre
 - **Adv Party early May 2005**
 - **Main Body second and third weeks of May 2005 (whilst AATTI-3 was still conducting their mission up until Aug)**

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- Team Manning

- Key appointments

- CO LT COL Stephen Tulley
 - RSM WO1 Darrell Edwards
 - 2IC MAJ Terence Ness
 - S1 CAPT Anthony Krupa
 - S2 CAPT James Robins

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- Team Manning Cont
 - Key appointments
 - S3 CAPT Nathan Stapleton
 - S4 CAPT David Ruff
 - LO CAPT Phillip Dwyte
 - Advisor BN CO 1BN MAJ Chris Johns
 - Advisor BN CO 2 BN MAJ Stefano Boscato
 - Total posted strength of 71, Predominately from 1 BDE.

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- **Mission:**
- Train the local Iraqi Army IOT enable them to take over the internal and external defence of their country.

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- **In February 2005 the Prime Minister announced that the Australian Government had agreed to a request from the British and Japanese Governments to assist with the provision of a secure environment for Japanese reconstruction work in the southern Iraq province of Al Muthanna.**

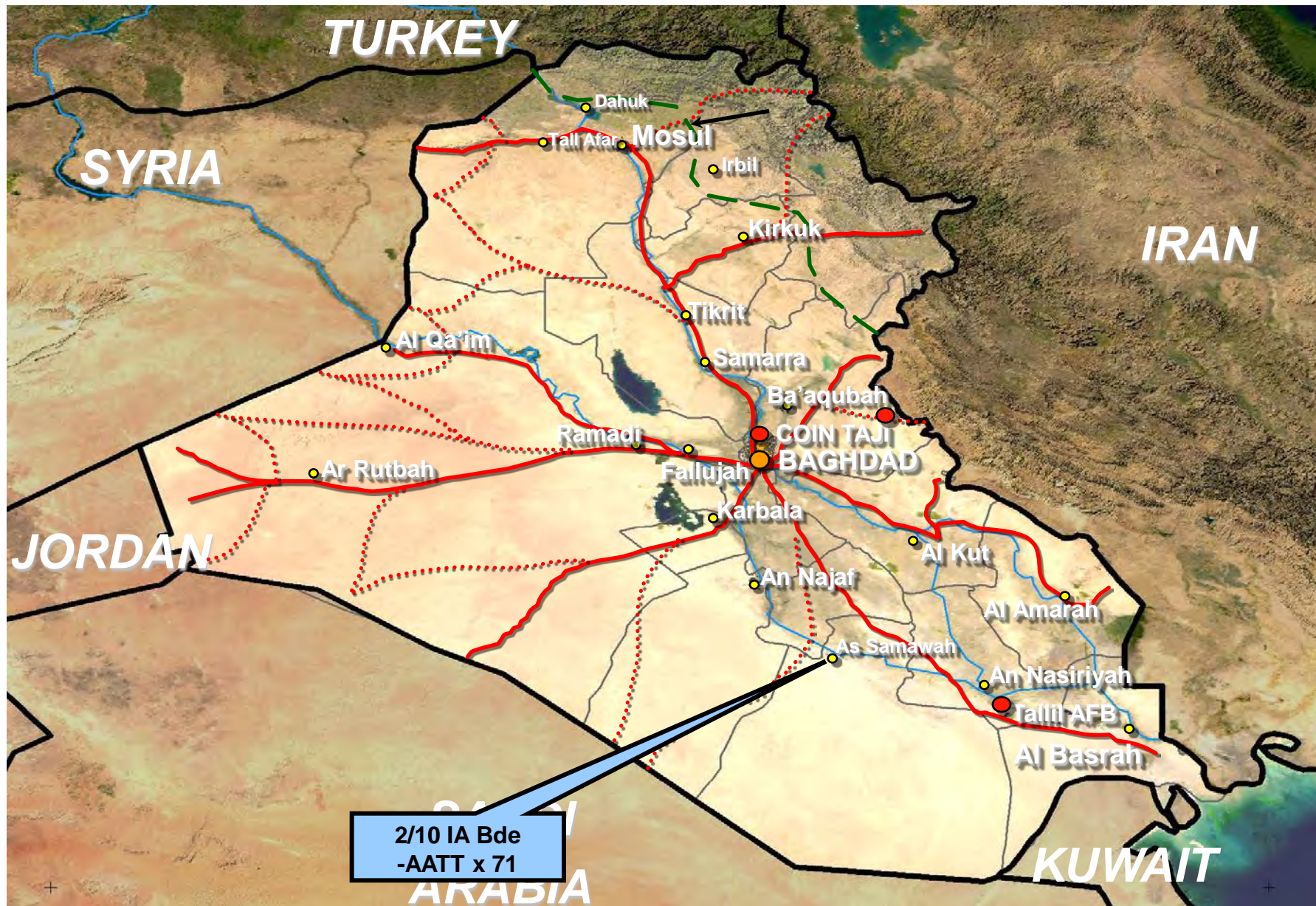
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- **In response to the Government direction the ADF created the Al Muthanna Task Group (AMTG-1), an Army combined arms battlegroup based on units from the Army's high readiness 1st Brigade and also comprising an additional AATTI.**

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- AATTI 4 had the responsibility of advising and training 2 Bde of the Iraqi Army's 10th Division, based in Al Muthanna.
- The Iraqis had already received a lot of training from other coalition nations before the team arrived i.e British and Dutch.
- AATTI-4 main effort was mentoring, advising and training the Iraqis in the planning and conduct of operations, including vehicle and dismounted patrols, vehicle check points and cordon and search tasks.”

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- Specific Tasks
- The AATTI-4 in the Al Muthanna Province was focused on infantry training, unlike AATTI-3 that was deployed to Taji, which focused on training Iraqi soldiers in logistic skills.

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- AATTI-4 Flag
 - Unit Flag
 - **No example found,**

AATTI-4 Colour Patch AMTG 1



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AMTG 1

- The Lamassu uniform patch was worn by all members in Al Muthanna Task Group (AMTG). The Lamassu was a creature with a body of a bull, wings of an eagle, and a crowned human head.
- This symbol was first used by the WW1 British led Mesopotamian Expeditionary Force that defeated the Turkish Army who held the land known as Iraq.

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- Made its name and left its mark:
- By improving the Iraqi Army's level of security capability.
- Created a new confidence in the way they conducted their operations.
- Assisted in the preparation of the Iraqi Army to take full responsibility for securing the province.

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- AATTI-4 handed over their responsibility in late Oct 2005 to AATTI-5

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Warrant Officer Class 2 Tony Colliver, Australian Army Training Team Iraq



CO AATTI-4 with Defence Minister Camp Smitty



New Map

