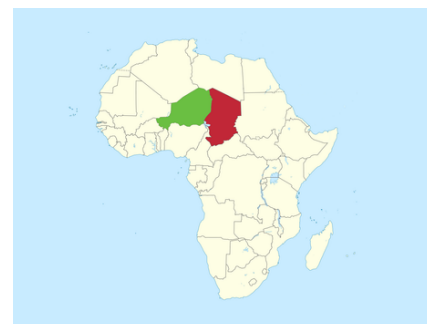




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### Background

Wings for Conservation is a non-profit foundation based in the Netherlands, providing aerial support to help protect and restore wildlife in Africa.

We are currently operating in the Republic of Chad. Chad's protected area system is made up of four national parks and seven wildlife reserves.

Since 2018, our aircraft has flown over 1400 hours of conservation missions, covering more than 200,000 km.

We carry out surveillance flights to detect poachers, illegal camps, illegal cattle grazing, and other illicit activities in order to direct the ground deployment of ranger teams.

We gather data on the ecosystem and wildlife populations to help support management actions for wildlife areas and develop scientific research.

### Summary

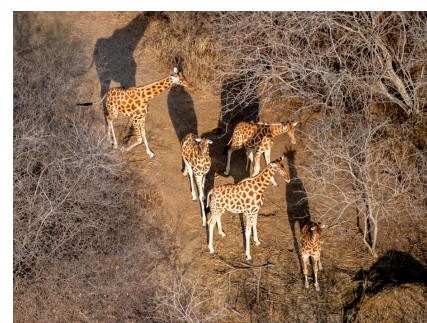
In 2022, our aircraft was deployed across protected areas and important wildlife ecosystems in Chad and Niger. This was our fifth year of field operations and our busiest to date.

The aircraft flew a total of 484 hours, covering a distance of more than 70,000 kilometers.

In Ouadi Rimé-Ouadi Achim Reserve, we recorded the highest counts of Dama gazelle numbers in the wild in several decades.

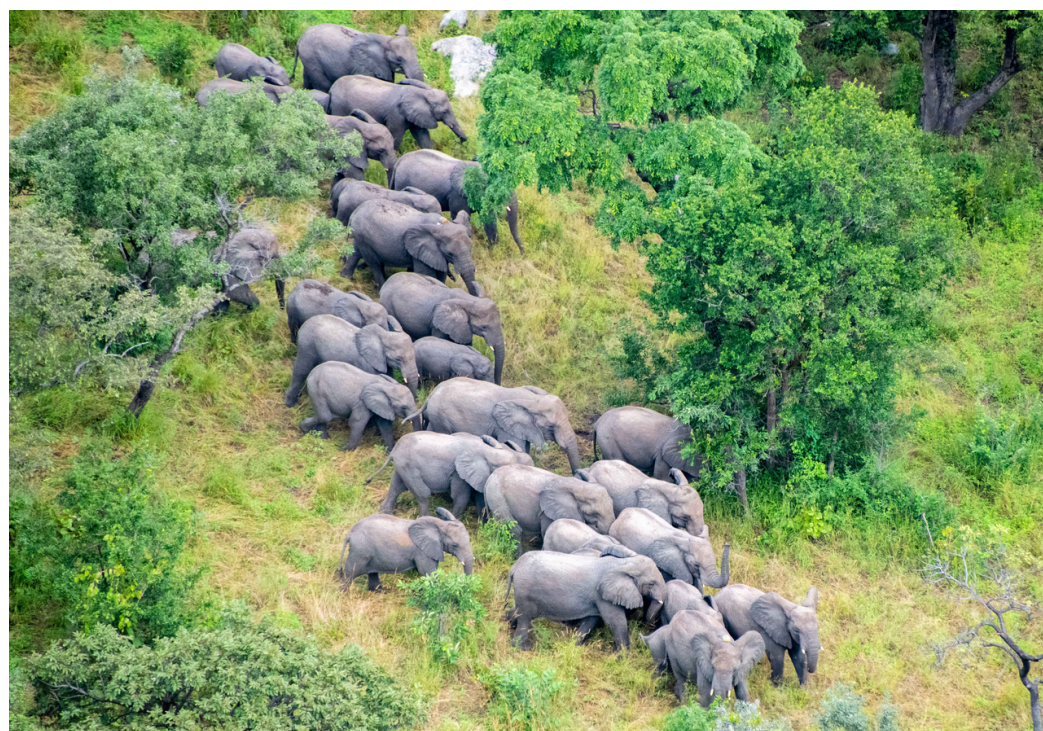
Zah-Soo National Park was created in March 2022. Our work and presence in the area was the initial driver for the creation of the new National Park, and it is the result of our work throughout several years with various partners.

We carried out our first project outside of Chad, in neighbouring Niger, in the Termit Massif and Tin Toumma Desert.



### Partners

Our work is only made possible thanks to generous donations from private individuals, partner corporations and organizations. We are very grateful for their continued support.



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