



"This year will be busy: demanding and challenging" – announced the Commander of the Multinational Corps Northeast Major General Bogusław Samol in an address to the Corps Headquarters' staff on 22 January 2013, and presented main aims, tasks and events for the year 2013.

"I believe in your unique talents, your patience, cultural diversity and understanding of the human mind. You are very important for our Corps," said Major General Bogusław Samol to the staff of the Multinational Corps Northeast and admitted to count on the personnel's support. The MNC NE Commander indicated for main areas of effort in 2013: further development of the Headquarters' structure, training & exercises, cooperation with the nations and the deployment to Afghanistan in 2014.

Strengthening the Corps' position within the NATO Force Structure, developing cooperation with the Land Command in Izmir and defining the Corps' new role after the NATO reform are the main features of the first area.

The training & exercises field encompasses, among other things, the major Crystal Eagle 13 exercise and the Saber Strike exercise in Estonia.

