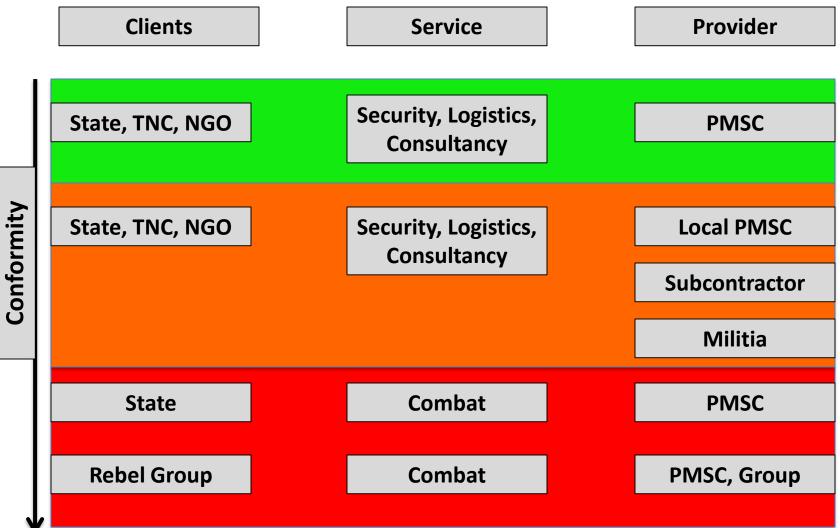
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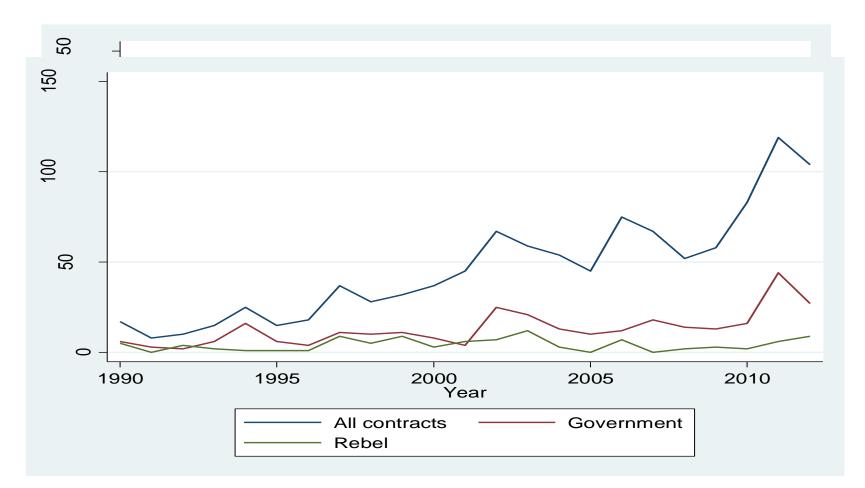
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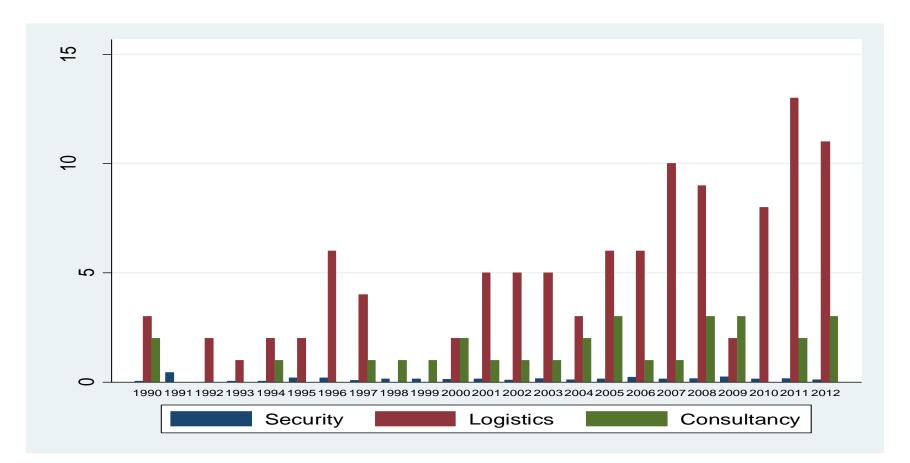
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Trajectories on the Market for Force

Defence, logistics, consultancy

Constant: rejection of combat services

State

Shift to non-armed services, e.g. surveillance or cyber

Shift: Traditional hardware contractor entering defence service sector

Combat services

Increasing demand: Deployment in intrastate conflicts (Nigeria); foreign intervention (UAE in Yemen); interstate rivalry (Russia/ US in Syria)

Non-State

Increasing demand: TNC & local commercial actors substantial growths in demand

Constant: Small rebel contract segment

Development: Merger of radical Islamist ideology and market ideas (Malhama tactical)

substantial growth rate: cyber; most concerning: Interstate rivalry