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## 'Turkish intel helps cross-border operations succeed'

National Intelligence Organization played role in solving murder of Saudi journalist Jamal Khashoggi, says Turkey's Erdogan



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ANKARA - Turkey's National Intelligence Organization (MIT) has played a major role in the success of the nation's cross-border anti-terrorist operations, Turkey's president said Monday. "The MIT recently destroyed places considered the most secure locations by the [terrorist] group through operations in northern Iraq

against PKK ringleaders," Recep Tayyip Erdogan told an inauguration ceremony for the MIT's new headquarters in the capital Ankara. YPG/PKK terrorists often use northern Iraq to plan cross-border terrorist attacks in Turkey. In its more than 30-year terror campaign against Turkey, the PKK -- listed as a terrorist organization by Turkey, the U.S. and EU -- has been responsible for

the deaths of 40,000 people, including women, children, and infants. The YPG is the PKK's Syrian offshoot. "The role of national intelligence in solving the murder of [Saudi journalist Jamal] Khashoggi was outstanding and made our country proud at the international level," he added. Khashoggi, a contributor to The Washington Post, was killed at the Saudi... [MORE DETAILS](#)

## Iran: Thousands mourn slain general Soleimani



TEHRAN - Thousands of Iranians attended a funeral procession for top military general Qasem Soleimani and Iraqi militia leader Abu-Mahdi al-Muhandis in

the capital Tehran on Monday. Soleimani, the head of Iran's Revolutionary Guards' elite Quds force, and al-Muhandis, the deputy leader of the Iraqi Hashd al-Shaabi

force, were killed in a U.S. drone airstrike outside Baghdad airport on Friday. Iran's Supreme Leader Ali Khamenei led the prayer... [MORE DETAILS](#)



## 'Interest in Turkey's 1st indigenous car running high'

Aysu Bicer

ANKARA - With interest in Turkey's first indigenous car already running high, procedure for pre-orders will be set up soon, according to the country's industry and technology minister.

"We're at the stage of producing 100-150 prototypes. They will be tested, and at the beginning of 2022, the factory will start mass production," added Mustafa Varank, speaking to Anadolu Agency's... [MORE DETAILS](#)

## Indonesia: Death toll from Jakarta floods rises to 66



Przaro Gozali Idrus

JAKARTA - The death toll from severe floods and landslides that struck the Indonesian capital Jakarta over the New Year rose to 66, the state-run disaster management authority said Monday. Agus Wibowo, the spokesman for Indonesian National Disaster Management Agency, said in a statement that some of the disaster-hit people started to return their homes... [MORE DETAILS](#)



## 'Turkey opposes mercenaries in Libya'

Tevfik Durul and Nazli Yuzbasioglu

ANKARA - Turkey is opposed to mercenaries coming to Libya as

they will hinder efforts to maintain peace and stability, said the foreign minister on Monday. "We are against... [MORE DETAILS](#)