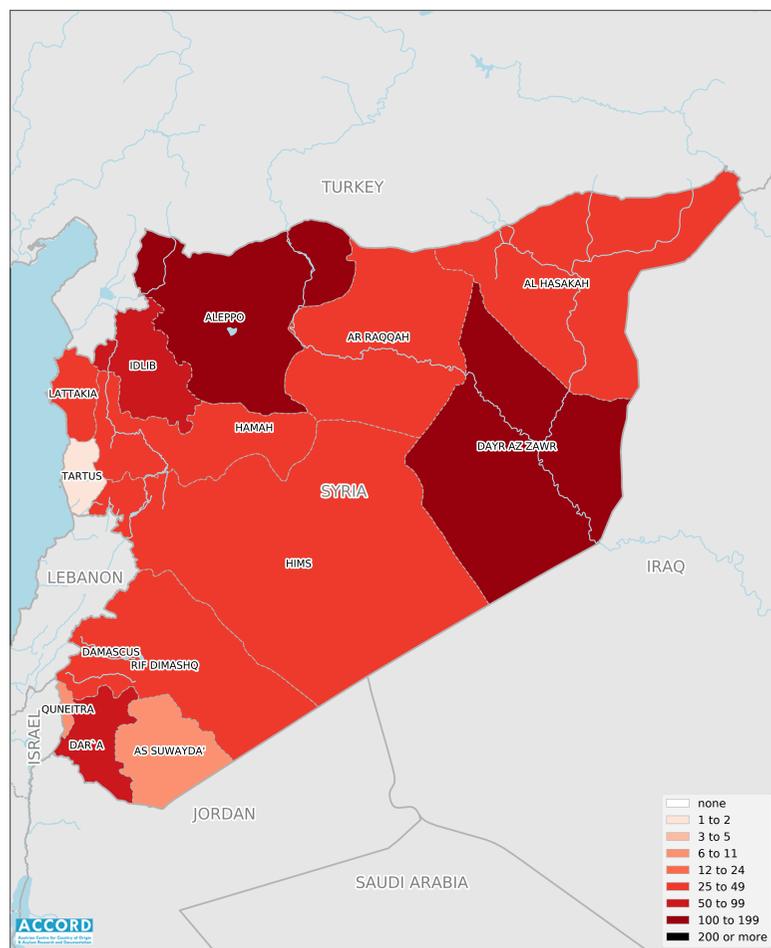# SYRIA, THIRD QUARTER 2024:
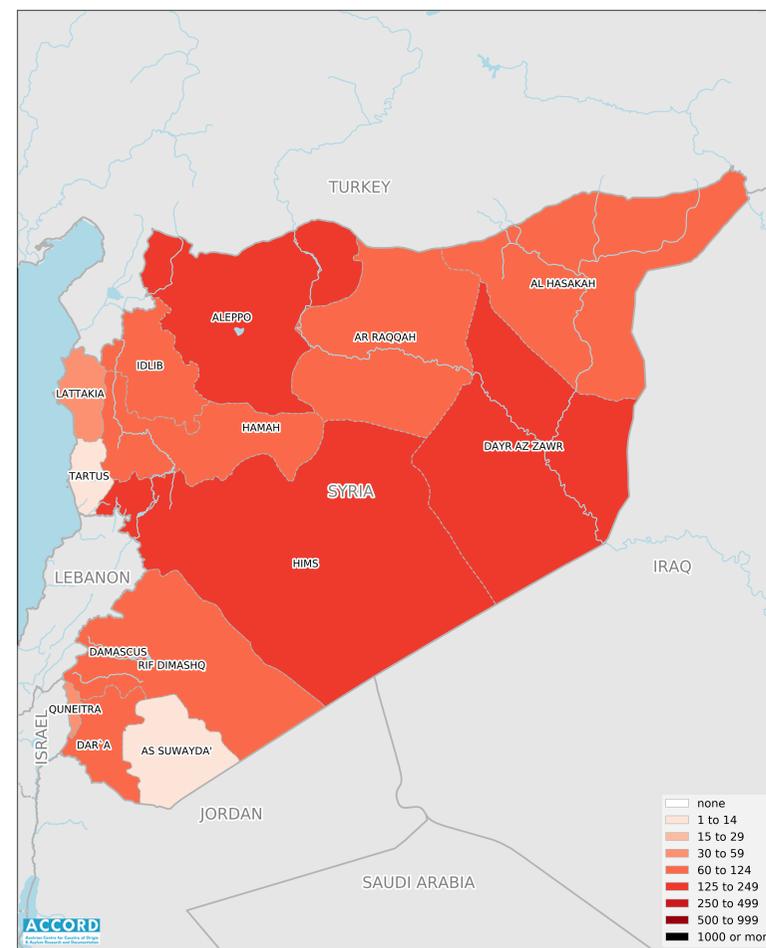## Update on incidents according to the Armed Conflict Location & Event Data Project (ACLED)

Number of reported incidents with at least one fatality

	none
	1 to 2
	3 to 5
	6 to 11
	12 to 24
	25 to 49
	50 to 99
	100 to 199
	200 or more

Number of reported fatalities

	none
	1 to 14
	15 to 29
	30 to 59
	60 to 124
	125 to 249
	250 to 499
	500 to 999
	1000 or more

National borders: GADM, 6 May 2018a; administrative divisions: GADM, 6 May 2018b; incident data: ACLED, 31 January 2025; coastlines and inland waters: Smith and Wessel, 1 May 2015

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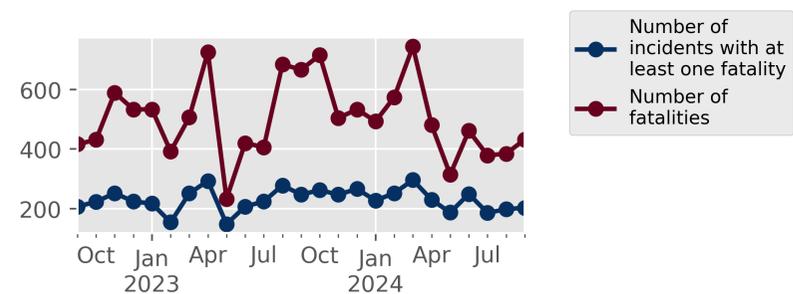## Conflict incidents by category

Category	Number of incidents	Number of incidents with at least one fatality	Number of fatalities
Explosions / Remote violence	1668	155	362
Battles	703	282	650
Violence against civilians	532	144	177
Strategic developments	442	2	2
Protests	411	1	1
Riots	31	3	3
Total	3787	587	1195

This table is based on data from ACLED (datasets used: ACLED, 31 January 2025).

Development of conflict incidents from September 2022 to September 2024

This graph is based on data from ACLED (datasets used: ACLED, 31 January 2025).

Methodology

The data used in this report was collected by the Armed Conflict Location & Event Data Project (ACLED). Based on a variety of sources, ACLED collects data on reported conflict eventsaround the world and provides publicly available event-based datasets. ACLED data contains information on the event type, the date, location, involved actors, and other characteristics of the incident. Most of the data collected by ACLED is gathered based on publicly available reports. As information on fatalities is subject to bias and can vary between sources for the same event, ACLED employs "the most conservative and reliable fatality estimate available". ACLED uses the reports' context to estimate fatalities for events with reported fatalities for which the exact number is unknown ("3" or "10" for plural fatalities, depending on the context; "100" if "hundreds" are mentioned, etc.). For further details on ACLED and for the full data, see www.acleddata.com and ACLED, 2023.

Based on this data, the Austrian Centre for Country of Origin & Asylum Research and Documentation (ACCORD) compiles updates on conflict incidents and publishes them on ecoi.net to offer another access point to the ACLED datasets.

It is advised to employ extreme caution when using fatality numbers.

Assessments of the security situation should not be based solely on quantitative analysis of event data.

Please see ACLED's additional methodological paper for Syria: ACLED, March 2019a, ACLED, April 2019b

Geographic map data is primarily based on GADM, complemented with other sources if necessary. Incidents are mapped to GADM provinces using the provinces in ACLED data. Province names and borders may differ between ACLED and GADM. Incidents that could not be located are ignored. The numbers included in this overview might therefore differ from the original ACLED data. ACLED uses varying degrees of geographic precision for the individual incidents, depending on what level of detail is reported. Thus, towns may represent the wider region in which an incident occurred, or the provincial capital may be used if only the province is known. Erroneous location data, especially due to identical place names, cannot be fully excluded.

Incidents comprise the following categories: battles, violence against civilians, remote violence, riots/protests, non-violent strategic activities. For details on these categories, please see

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Conflict incidents per province

Province	Number of incidents	Number of incidents with fatalities	Number of fatalities
Al Hasakah	228	42	60
Aleppo	967	106	236
Ar Raqqah	252	43	101
As Suwayda'	129	9	9
Damascus	13	2	11
Dar'a	212	71	90
Dayr Az Zawr	621	111	233
Hamah	123	26	73
Hims	112	44	129
Idlib	675	56	101
Lattakia	122	33	50
Quneitra	235	9	33
Rif Dimashq	89	34	68
Tartus	9	1	1

Localization of conflict incidents

Note: The following list is an overview of the incident data included in the ACLED dataset. More details are available in the actual dataset (date, location data, event type, involved actors, information sources, etc.). The data's precision varies among the incidents: a town may represent a region, or the provincial capital may be used if the precise location of an incident is unknown. In the following list, the names of event locations are taken from ACLED, while the administrative region names are taken from GADM data (with the exception of Iraq) which serves as the basis for the maps above.

In **Al Hasakah**, 228 incidents killing **60** people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: **Abiad, Abu Rasin, Al Jana, Al Jawadiyah, Al Sab'a Wa Arba'en, Al Sheikh Ali, Al Tuwinah, Al-Arbain, Al-Hasakeh, Al-Hasakeh - Al Nashweh Al Gharbiyeh, Al-Hasakeh - Al-Aziziyeh, Al-Hasakeh - Ghoweran, Al-Hasakeh - Msheirfeh, Al-Maabdaa, Al-Malikeyyeh, Al-Sa'da, Amuda, Areesheh, Atallah, Dada Abdal, Darbasiyah, Dardara Tal Tamer, Dwerah, Eastern Aluq, Gazelik, Girebawi, Hadaj, Harir, Hdadiyeh, Hole, Hole Camp, Jabal Abdulaziz, Khan Eljabal, Kharab Al Jayr Airbase, Kherbet Al Sha'er, Khwaitleh R'eidat, Kozliyeh, Mabrouka, Middle Janabeh, Mjeibreh, Qahtaniyyah, Qasrok Airbase, Quamishli, Ras al-Ain, Rmelan, Roj Camp, Rubay'at, Safa, Safyan, Shadadah, Shakar Khaj, Tal Al-Laban, Tal Baydar Military Air Base, Tal Brak, Tal Hmis, Tal Tamer, Tall Tawil, Tawileh, Tell Halaf, Thahr El Arab, Tilun, Um Harmla, Umm Al-Fursan, Umm Al-Kayf, Umm Al-Khair, Ya'robiyah**.

In **Aleppo**, 967 incidents killing **236** people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: **A'rima, Aajami, Abla, Abu Kahf, Abu Zandin, Abyan Saman, Abzemo, Adamanly, Afrin, Ain Dara, Ain al Arab, Ain al Hajar, Ajil, Al As'ous, Al Bab, Al Baylouniyeh, Al Daraj, Al Habata, Al Kawukli, Al Khalidiyah, Al Qurt, Al Wasta, Al Ziyarah, Al-Alqamiyyeh, Al-Bughaz, Al-Malikeyyeh, Al-Qasr, Al-Yalni, Aleppo, Aleppo - Jibreen, Aleppo - Sheikh Maqsoud, Alsayed Ali, Amara, Andarin, Aqibah, Ar-Ra'ee, Arab Hassan Kabeer, Asaliyeh, Ashmah, Atareb, Awn al Dadat Crossing, Azaz, Baadinli, Bab Al Salameh, Babka, Bahfis, Bala, Basufan, Basuta, Batabu, Bene, Big Kaber - Big Kaberjeh, Blinta, Bshantra, Bulbul, Burj Al Qas, Burj Hussein Al Thaher, Busraton, Central Prison, Dadat, Daghelbash, Dandaniya, Daret Azza, Darwish Ubasi, Deir Jamal, Deir Meshmesh, Deir Qaq, Donbaly, Durakli, Ein Daqneh, Enab, Fafertin, Ghandorah, Ghazawiyah, Ghoz, Halawanji, Hamra, Harbal, Hawshariya, Hazwan, Hulilu-Khalnare, Ibbin, Jabal Al Sayadah,**

Jalabiyeh, Jalamah, Jandairis, Jarablus, Jarrad, Jat, Jeineh, Jomrokiyeh, Jub Al Barazi, Jubb al Kusa, Juwaiq, Kabashin, Kafr Aleppo, Kafr Amma, Kafr Janna, Kafr Kalbein, Kafr Khasher, Kafr Noran, Kafr Taal, Kaljibrin, Kandarliyeh, Khalil, Kharabishah, Kilote, Kirzele, Kokan, Kreidiyeh, Kwaires Military Airbase, Ma'btali, Madyuneh, Makbas, Maraanaz, Maratet Um Hosh, Mare', Masikah, Matina, Mayasa, Mazra'at Al Uyun, Menagh, Menagh - Military Airbase, Menbij, Mirkan, Miznaz, Mreimin Afrin, Muhsinli, Nabul, Olasha, Qabasin, Qastal Miqdad, Qermitliq, Qirata, Qude, Qunaytirah Mountain, Qurayriyah, Qurt Qulaq al Kabirah, Raju, Regiment 111 Army Base, Regiment 46 - Military Base, Sad Al-Shahba, Sahara, Sajur, Samouqa, Sandaf, Sarin, Sayada, Seftek, Shaalah, Shadir, Shamarekh, Sharan, Shawarighat al Arz, Shaykh Sulayman, Sheikh Ahmad, Sheikh Isa, Sheikh Khoraz, Shuyukh, Shweiha, Somumah, Sorhane, Tadaf, Tadil, Tal Ajar, Tal Jijin, Tal Madeeq, Tal Salur, Tall Malid, Tall Qarah, Tall Rahal, Tall Refaat, Tall Turin, Tallaf, Tanab, Taqad, Tatemrash, Terhin, Thabiyeh, Tokhar, Turandah, Tuwama, Tuways, Um Jlud, Umm Rotha Fawqani, Umm al Qarah, Upper Shyookh, Urum al-Sughra, Wahshiyeh, Yahmul, Yakhur, Zoghra, Zornaqal.

In **Ar Raqqah**, 252 incidents killing 101 people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: Abbara, Abu Hammad, Abu Qubia Al Sharqiyah, Abu Serra, Abu Suseh, Abu Wahl, Akeirshi, Al Dibs, Al Ghazli, Al Hishah, Al Mushayrfah, Al Tabqa, Al Tabqa - Dam, Al-Asadiyah, Al-Hurriyeh, Al-Rasafah, Ar-Raqqa, Ar-Raqqa - Andalus, Arida Abu Jarada, Arida Ojeil, Bir Arab, Derb Hasan, Eastern Jaabar, Eastern Salhabiya, Eastern Zamleh, Ein Issa, Hammam al Turkman, Haymar Kabir, Hazimeh, Hitash, Hoshan, Hweija al Sawaki, Hweijet Shnan, Jabli, Jdaidat Kahit, Jeidine, Jurn Aswad, Jurneyyeh, Karama, Kasrat Affan, Kasrat Muhammad Agha, Katuniyeh, Kdeiran, Khirbat Al-Baqr, Khirbet al Fares, Kobarlik, Kor Hassan, Kork, Laqta, Little Maghalla, Maadan, Mahmudli, Mansura, Maraid, Maruda, Mazra'at Al-Hukumia, Mazraet Bader, Qahtaniyyeh, Qazali, Rabee'a, Ratlah, Rumaniyah, Sabka, Sahl, Sahlat al Banat, Saida, Sakoura, Saleeb Qran, Shanina, Sugar Factory, Sukaryu, Suluk, Sweida, Tal Samn, Tawi Al-Ruman,

Tell Abiad, Turkiyah, Um Huwaysh, Western Salhabiyeh, Yaarub, Zahera, Zamla Oil Field, Zannubah, Zunnar.

In **As Suwayda'**, 129 incidents killing 9 people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: Al Hweya, Amrah, Anz, Ara, Ariqa, As-Sweida, Bothaina, Hazm, Juneineh, Kafr, Lahitha, Majdal, Mardak, Masad, Mazra'a, Milh, Orman, Qanawat, Qarayya, Rassas, Rimet Hazem, Rudayma al Sharqiya, Salkhad, Samma al Hneidat, Sha'ab, Shahba, Sleim, Thebeen, Tlilin, Um Elrumman, Walgha, Waqm, al-Mashquq.

In **Damascus**, 13 incidents killing 11 people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: Damascus, Damascus - Al-Qadam, Damascus - Dummar, Damascus - Kafr Sousah, Patrol Palestine Branch.

In **Dar'a**, 212 incidents killing 90 people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: Abtaa, Adwan, Al-Harra, Al-Na'ema, Alma, Ankhel, As-Sanamayn, Atman, Bekar, Bisr Elharir, Da'el, Dar'a, Dar'a - Al Dahieh, Dar'a - Al-Balad, Dar'a - Al-Mantiqa al-Sina'iyeh, Dar'a - Al-Sabeel, Deir Eladas, Eastern Ghariyeh, Eib, Hit, Hrak, Izra', Jasim, Jisri, Jlein, Jomleh, Kharab Shahem, Kherbet Ghazala, Lajat, Maaraba, Maariya, Mahjeh, Mankat Al-Hatab, Mlihet Elatash, Mseifra, Mzeireb, Nafeaa, Nahj, Nahta, Namer, Nasib Border Crossing, Nawa, Qayta, Rakhim, Sahm El Golan, Samlin, Sayda, Southern Karim, Tafas, Tal Shihab, Tal Um Horan, Tall al Harra, Tall al Jabiyah, Tassil, Tiba, Um Walad, Western Ghariyeh, Western Maliha, Yadudeh, Zabayer.

In **Dayr Az Zawr**, 621 incidents killing 233 people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: Abu Hamam, Abu Hardoub, Abu Khashab, Abul Nitel, Al Mayadin, Al Mayadin - City Bridge, Al Sabkhah, Al Salhiyyah, Al Shanan, Al-Asbah farms, Al-Bukamal, Al-Hawayij, Al-Heri, Al-Hessan, Al-Hussainiyah, Al-Junaynah, Al-Kashma, Al-Kharata Oil Field, Al-Kubar, Al-Panorama, Al-Sayyal, Al-Teem - Oil Field, Al-Zabari, Ali, As Sukkariyah,

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Ash Shula, Ashara, Athman, Ayyash, Bal'um, Basira, Bishri Mountain - Deir-ez-Zor, Bogeleyyah, Breiha, Dahleh, Daman, Darnaj, Deir-ez-Zor, Deir-ez-Zor - Al Muwazafin, Deir-ez-Zor - Al Omal, Deir-ez-Zor - Al-Bogeleyyah, Deir-ez-Zor - Al-Hawiqa, Deir-ez-Zor - Al-Joura-Al-Thawra, Deir-ez-Zor - Al-Qosor, Deir-ez-Zor - Hamidiya, Deir-ez-Zor - Harabesh, Deir-ez-Zor - Hatla, Deir-ez-Zor - Vanguards Camp, Dweir, Eastern Jurdi, Ghabra, Gharanij, Gharibah, Hajin, Harmushiyah, Hawayej Bumasaa, Hejneh, Hweij Dhiab, Jadid Bakkara, Jalaa, Jasmi, Jazaret Elbuhmeid, Jazaret Milaj, Jdid Ekeidat, Jiah, Kaba Jeb, Kasra, Khasham, Kishkiyeh, Koniko Gas Field, Lower Baqras, Maamel - 7 KM, Mahkan, Manjm Al-Malah salt mine, Marashdeh, Masrab, Mhemideh, Moezleh, Mrat, Mreiyeh, Muhasan, Muzan, Mweileh, Omar - Oil Fields, Qaalat al-Rahba, Qetet Elbuleil, Quriyeh, Rabida, Ruwayshid, Saalu, Sabah al Khayr, Salhiyeh, Sawa, Sbeikhan, Shafa, Shamiya, Shiheil, Shmeitiyeh, Sur, Sweidan Jazira, Sweiyeh, Tabiyet Jazira, Tabni, Takihi, Tayyana, Thiban, Tiba, Toob, Upper Baqras, Zghir Jazireh, Zir, al Attal Roundabout.

In **Hamah**, 123 incidents killing **73** people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: **47th Brigade Army Base, Abu Fayyad Dam, Al Ghab Plain, Al Mashad al 'Aali, Al-Hamidiah, Al-Jakusiyah, Al-Mashiak, Al-Qahera, Al-Sirmaniyah, Amqiyah, Ankawi, As-Saan, As-Salamiyah, Bahsa, Dayr Sunbul, Doqmaq, Dweir Elakrad, Hakora, Hama, Ithariyah, Jabl Al-Fasidah, Jurin, Kawkab, Khattab, Kherbet Elnaqus, Khirbat al-Tanahij, Lower Amiqa, Maarin, Qarqur, Qastun, Qulaydin, Shakkushiyah, Sheikh Hadid, Tal Wassit, Tanjarah, Taqsis, Tiba Elemam, Zakoom, Zawi - Zawyeh, Zayzun, Ziyara**.

In **Hims**, 112 incidents killing **129** people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: **Al Mukhtaria, Al Qusayr, Al Qusayr - Military Air Base, Al- Wadhihi, Al-Dawah, Al-Hail - Oil Field, Al-Koum, Al-Tayibah, Al-Wa'er Valley, Ar-Rastan, Ghanto, Homs, Homs - Al-Mazra'ah, Homs - Al-Waer, Hosh al Sayed Ali, Jbab Hamad, Jeb Ej-Jarrah, Kherbet Tin Noor, Makrumiyeh, Matraba, Shayrat Air Base, Shin, Sokhneh, Tadmor, Talbiseh,**

Tall Shihab, Third Station, Tweinan, Um Sharshouh, Umm Haratayn, Upper Makhrim, Wadi Hanna, Zeita.

In **Idlib**, 675 incidents killing **101** people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: **Afes, Al Burayj, Al Duweir, Al Fatatra, Al Hallubah, Al Zawf, Al-Dana, Al-Z'einiyeh, Aqrabat, Arbikh, Ariha, Armanaz, Arshani, Atmah, Atmah Camp, Bab El Hawa, Badama, Banin, Bara, Barisha, Bennsh, Bikfala, Bsanqul, Dadikh, Dana, Dar Al-Kabira, Deir Hassan, Deir Sunbul, Ehsem, Eshtabraq, Fleifel, Foah, Frikeh, Ftireh, Ghassaniyeh, Halluz, Hantutin, Harim, Has, Hazano, Hazarin, Hersh Banin, Humaymat, Idleb, Jabal al-Zawiya, Janudiyeh, Jarada, Jisr-Ash-Shugur, Jobas, Joseph, Kadoura, Kafr Battikh, Kafr Debbin, Kafr Jales, Kafr Lata, Kafr Lusin, Kafr Musa, Kafr Nobol, Kafr Takharim, Kafraya, Kafruma, Kansafra, Karamah Camps, Karsaa, Kawkabah, Kelly, Ketyan, Khan al-Sabeel, Kherbet Eljoz, Khirbat Jazraya, Korin, Ma'arrat An Nu'man, Ma'arrat Mukhus, Ma'arrat Tamasrin, Maarbalit, Maaret Al Naasan, Maaret Alia, Maartabi, Maarzaf, Majdaliya, Mantaf, Maraand, Marayan, Mardikh, Mastomeh - Military Camp, Mastumeh, Mejazir, Milaja, Mseibin, Nahar Al Abiad, Nayrab, Orm Eljoz, Qah, Qminas, Qourqeena, Ruwaiha, Sahl Arruj, Salhiyeh, Salqin, San, Saraqab, Sarmada, Sarmin, Selwa, Sfuhen, Sheikh Bahr, Shinan, Shulin, Teftnaz, Termanin, Tuffahiyeh, Turnabah, Upper Sheikh Sindyan, Zardana Mashehad**.

In **Lattakia**, 122 incidents killing **50** people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: **Ain al Ashra, Ain al Ghazal, Aku, Al Durrah, Al Tufahiya, Al-Bayda, Bashoura, Ein Issa, Haddada, Jabal al-Akrad, Jabal al-Turkman, Jablah, Jeb al Ahmar, Kabani, Kansaba, Kasab, Kellez, Lattakia, Nahshabba, Nawwara-Klz, Qastal Maaf, Qlaba, Saraf, Shamruran, Tall Al-Burkan, Tall Al-Malik, Tall Qarmil, Tall Rasho, Tallat Abu Ali, Touma**.

In **Quneitra**, 235 incidents killing **33** people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: **Ain Ziwan, Al Asbah, Al Qahtaniyah, Al Ramtha, Al Samaka, Baath, Ein Qiniyye, Eliad, Ghadir al Bostan, Ghajar,**

Hadar, Hamat Gader, Hameidiyyeh, Jbata Elkhashab, Katzrin, Keila Base, Kela Alon, Khan Arnaba, Kodneh, Ma'laqa, Majdal Shams, Merom Golan, Mount Hermon, Neve Ativ, Odem, Ortal, Quneitra, Quneitra - Golan Border Crossing, Radar Post, Ramat Magshimim, Razaniya Sayda, Rwayset Al Alam, Rwayset Al Qarn, Shebaa Farms, Tel Faher Base, Tsnobar Base, Yarden Base, Yehudiya Nature Reserve, Yitzak Base, Yoav Base, Zebdine, Zubaydah.

In **Rif Dimashq**, **89** incidents killing **68** people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: **Al Jubah, Al Qutayfah, Al Sabboura, Al Tawani, An-Nasiriyah, Assal al Ward, Az-Zabdani, Babella, Beit Saber, Betima, Bludan, Damascus - International Airport, Deir Khabiyeh, Denaji, Dimas, Duma, Eastern Qalamoon, Felita, Horayra, Hosh Arab, Jamraya, Jaramana, Jdidet Yabus, Kafir Yabus, Kanaker, Kisweh, Madaya, Meraba, Otayba, Qalamoun, Raheiba, Rukban, Sarghaya, Sayyeda Zeinab, Sidnaya Military Prison, Tanf, Upper Hfeir, Yafur, Yalda, Zakiyeh**.

In **Tartus**, **9** incidents killing **1** person were reported. The following locations were among the affected: **Arab Al-Mulk, Arida Crossing, Mi'yar Shaker, Safita, Safsafa, Tartous**.

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