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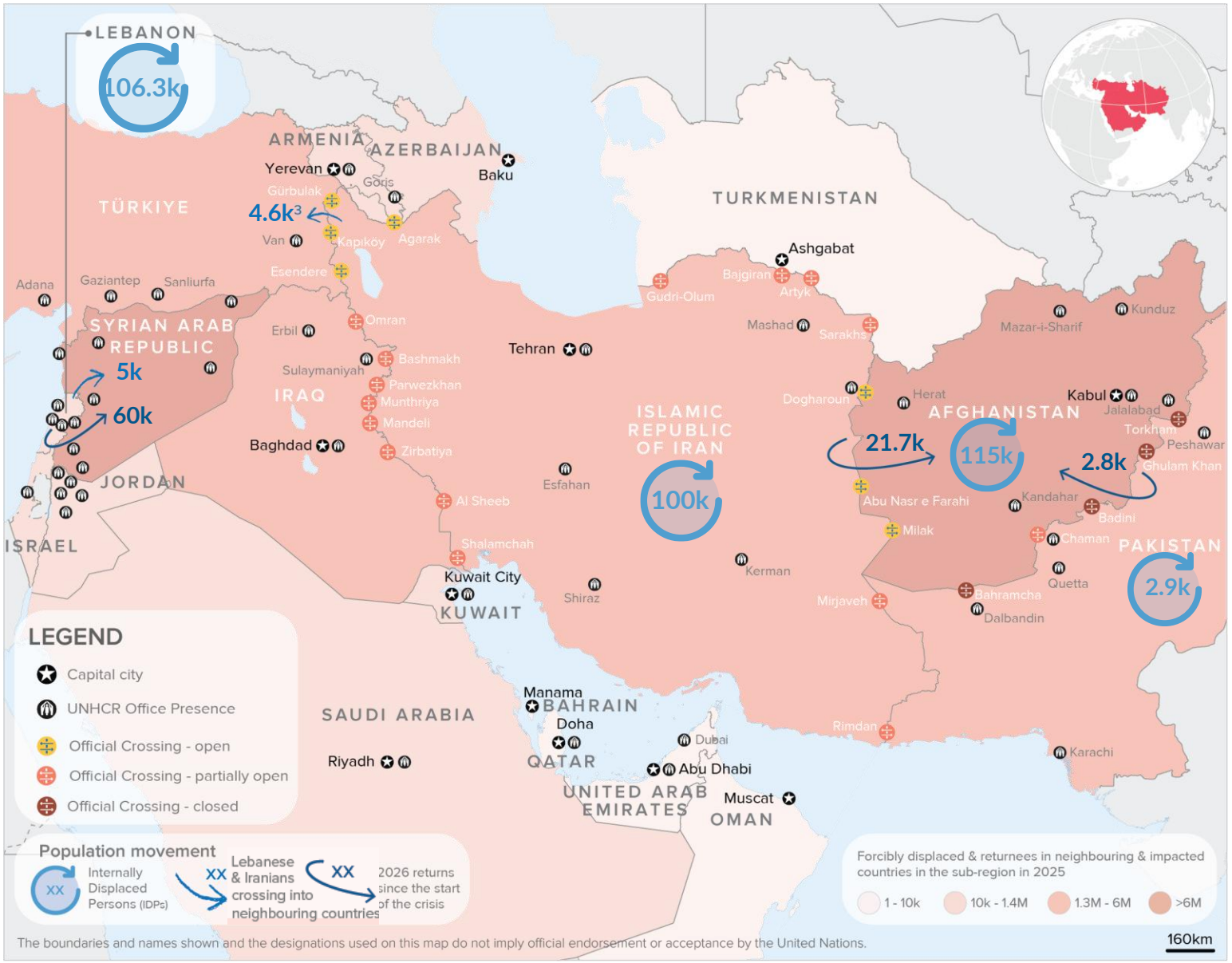
Middle East Situation

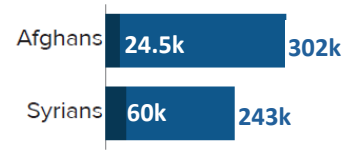
as of 7 March 2026 5pm GMT



324,300[1]
Internally displaced persons

~9,600
Lebanese[2] & Iranians[3] crossing into neighbouring countries

545,000
Returnees in 2026, of which **84,500** have returned since the start of the crisis



[1] Source: UNAMA, GIRI road police, Government of Lebanon and Government of Pakistan. The Iran figure refers to the estimated number of people who left Tehran during the first three days of the crisis, as reported by the Iranian road police. Actual displacement within the country is likely higher.
[2] Source :Government of Lebanon.
[3] Source: UNHCR. Some Iranian nationals may be entering Türkiye under the visa-free short-term stay regime (up to 90 days). Such movements may reflect precautionary or temporary travel while individuals assess developments in the situation in Iran