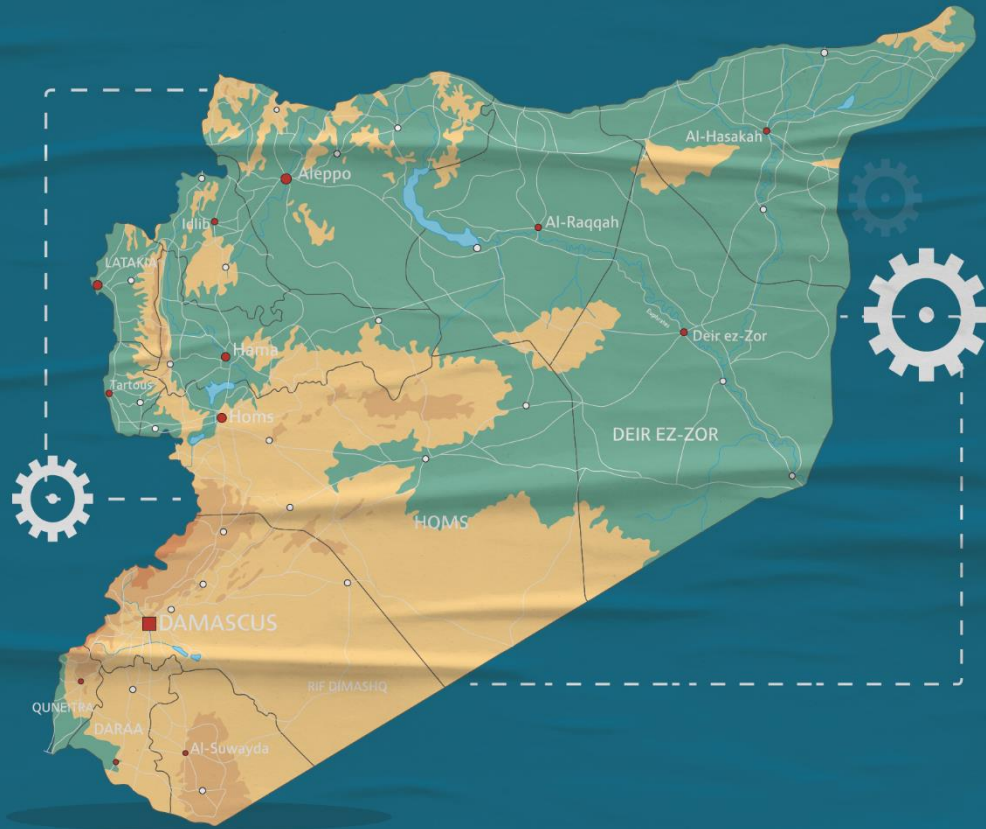


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Summary of Events

22-31 May 2023

- 30 Ceasefire Violations
- 22 cities and towns were affected by the heavy artillery shelling of the Syrian regime.
(Some cities and towns were bombed more than once during this period)
- 13 fires in northwestern Syria in 13 cities and towns without fatalities

The enumerators of the Information Management Unit (IMU) of the Assistance Coordination Unit (ACU) documented 30 violations by the Syrian regime and its Russian ally of the ceasefire agreed between the Turkish and Russian sides in Idlib governorate and the related countryside of Aleppo, Hama, and Latakia governorates during the period from 22-31 May 2023.

- **Idlib:** The regime forces shelled with heavy artillery the city of Ehsem and the towns of Deir Sunbul, Banin, Bara, Maarbalit, Maaret Elnaasan, Abdita, Sarja, Bazabur, and Kansafra in the central region of Idlib governorate, and the towns of Fleifel and Ruwaiha in the southern countryside of Idlib.
- **Aleppo:** The regime forces shelled with heavy artillery the city of Daret Azza and the towns of Kafr Amma, Kafr Taal, and Kafr Noran in the western countryside of Aleppo.
- **Hama:** The regime forces shelled with heavy artillery the city of Ziyara and the towns of Sarmaniya, Qahera, Dweir Elakrad, and Kherbet Elnaqs in the northern countryside of Hama.
- **Latakia:** The regime forces shelled with heavy artillery the hill of the town of Kabani in the northern countryside of Latakia.

Thirteen fires erupted in northwestern Syria, six of which were in agricultural lands within the towns of Kelly and Teftnaz in the Idleb countryside, Dweibeq, Atareb, and Maaret Atarib in the western Aleppo countryside. Additionally, three other fires occurred in dry grasslands in Maaret Tamsrin, Daret Azza, and the village of Hamama in western Idleb. A fire broke out in a car loaded with straw in the village of Frikeh, and a fire in stored firewood inside a house in Harim. Furthermore, a fire erupted in an electricity transformer in the village of Hafasraja in western Idleb, and a fire broke out in an automated bakery in the village of Barisha in northern Idleb.

Sequence of Events

24 May 2023

Northwest

Enumerators from the Information Management Unit (IMU) in the Assistance Coordination Unit (ACU) documented ceasefire violations by the regime in Idleb governate and its surrounding countryside of Hama. In the central area of Idleb governate, regime forces heavily shelled the town of Deir Sunbul. In the northern countryside of Hama, regime forces shelled the city of Ziyara with heavy artillery.

25 May 2023

Northwest

Enumerators from the Information Management Unit (IMU) in the Assistance Coordination Unit (ACU) documented ceasefire violations by the regime in the central area of Idleb governate, as the regime forces heavily shelled the town of Banin and Deir Sunbul. In the southern countryside of Idleb, Russian warplanes shelled the town of Fleifel with missiles. In the western countryside of Aleppo, regime forces shelled with heavy artillery the city of Daret Azza and the towns of Kafr Amma and Kafr Taal. In the northern countryside of Hama, regime forces shelled the towns of Sarmaniya and Qahera with heavy artillery.

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26 May 2023

Northwest

Enumerators from the Information Management Unit (IMU) in the Assistance Coordination Unit (ACU) documented violations of the ceasefire by the regime in the western countryside of Aleppo. The regime forces targeted the city of Daret Azza with heavy artillery shelling. In the northern countryside of Hama, regime forces shelled the towns of Sarmaniya and Qahera with heavy artillery.

27 May 2023

Northwest

Enumerators from the Information Management Unit (IMU) in the Assistance Coordination Unit (ACU) documented ceasefire violations by the regime in the Idleb governorate and the surrounding countryside of Hama and Lattakia. In the central area of the Idleb governate, regime forces heavily shelled the city of Ehem and the towns of Bara and Maarbalit. In the northern countryside of Hama, regime forces shelled with heavy artillery the towns of Sarmaniya and Dweir Elakrad. In the northern countryside of Lattakia, regime forces shelled the hill town of Kabani with heavy artillery.

28 May 2023

Northwest

Enumerators of the Information Management Unit (IMU) in the Assistance Coordination Unit (ACU) documented ceasefire violations by the regime in the northern countryside of Hama. Regime forces bombarded the city of Ziyara with heavy artillery.

29 May 2023

Northwest

Enumerators from the Information Management Unit (IMU) in the Assistance Coordination Unit (ACU) documented ceasefire violations by the regime in Idleb governate and its surrounding countryside of Aleppo. In the central area of the Idleb governate, regime forces heavily shelled the town of Maaret Elnaasan. In the western countryside of Aleppo, regime forces shelled the town of Kafr Noran with heavy artillery.

30 May 2023

Northwest

Enumerators from the Information Management Unit (IMU) in the Assistance Coordination Unit (ACU) documented ceasefire violations by the regime in Idleb governate and its surrounding countryside of Aleppo. In the central area of the Idleb governate, regime forces heavily shelled the towns of Abdit, Sarja, and Bazabur. The shelling resulted in the injury of a civilian in the town of Bazabur. The regime forces shelled the town of Ruweiha in the southern countryside of Idleb with heavy artillery. In the western countryside of Aleppo, regime forces shelled the town of Kafr Noran with heavy artillery.

31 May 2023

Northwest

Enumerators from the Information Management Unit (IMU) in the Assistance Coordination Unit (ACU) documented ceasefire violations by the regime in Idleb governate and its surrounding countryside of Aleppo and Hama. In the central area of the Idleb governate, regime forces heavily shelled the town of Kansafra. In the western countryside of Aleppo, regime forces shelled the town of Kafr Noran with heavy artillery. In the northern countryside of Hama, regime forces shelled the town of Kherbet Elnaqus with heavy artillery, setting agricultural land on fire.

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