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مركز توثيق الانتهاكات في سوريا
Nanvenda Belgekirina Binpekiranin li Suriya
Violation Documentation Center in Syria

50%

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Monthly Statistical Report On Casualties in Syria

Violations Documentation Center in Syria

January 2025



General Statistics

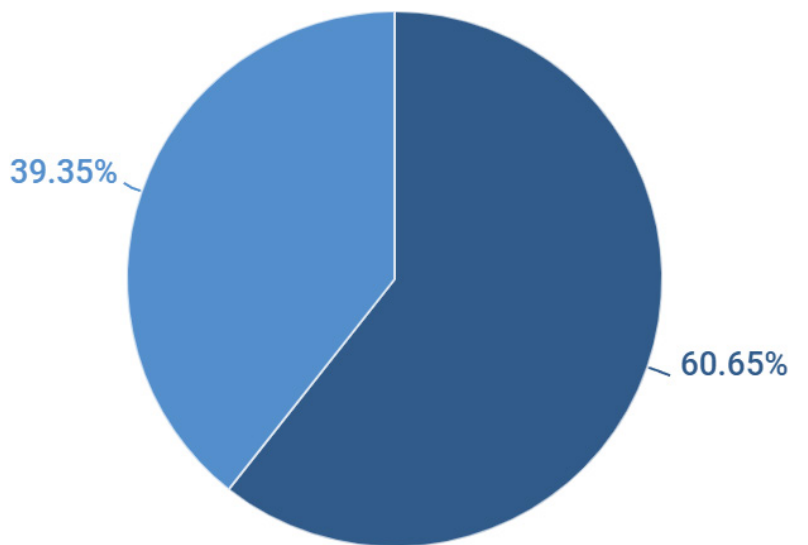


Total Casualties Since Mid-March 2011

Since mid-March 2011 up until **January 2025**, the Violations Documentation Center documented a total of **243,387** battle-related deaths.

● **147,609 (60.65%)**
Among them were Civilians

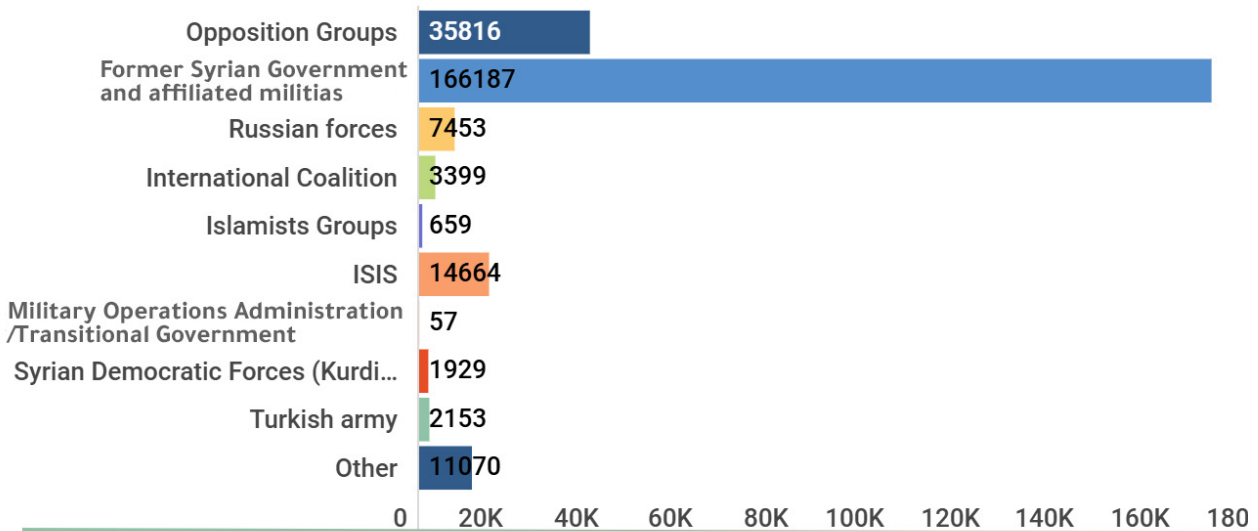
● **95,778 (39.35%)**
Were Non-Civilians





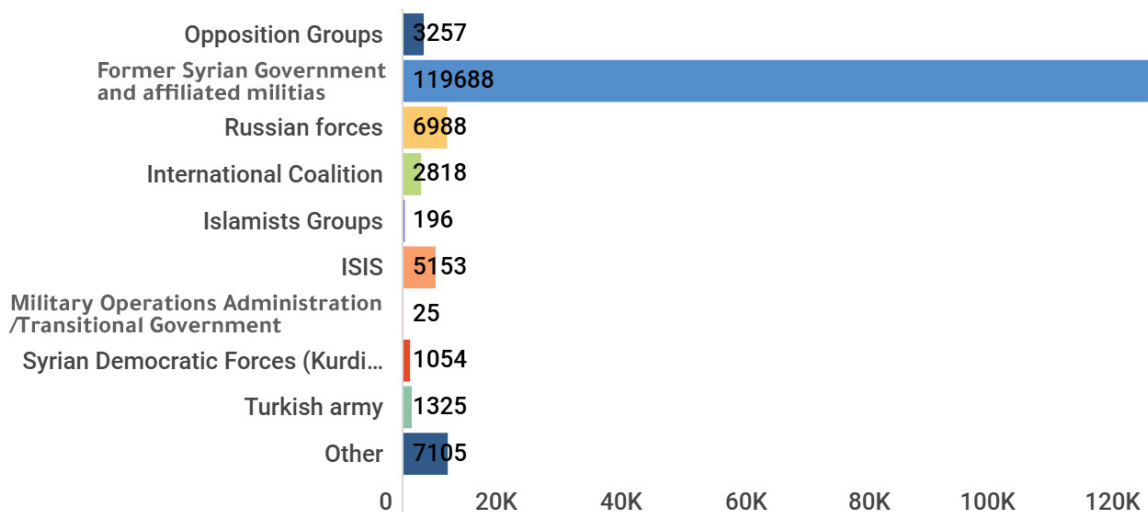
Deaths by the Parties Responsible

The parties responsible for the total number of deaths (civilian and non-civilian) from mid-March 2011 up until **January 2025**:



Civilian Deaths by the Parties Responsible

The parties responsible for civilian casualties from mid-March 2011 up until **January 2025**:





January 2025 Statistics



Battle-Related Deaths

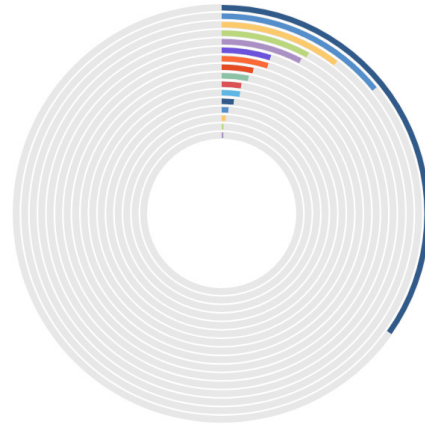
During the month of **January 2025**, a total number of 290 deaths were documented across different Syrian governorates; all of them were documented by their full names.



Deaths by Governorate

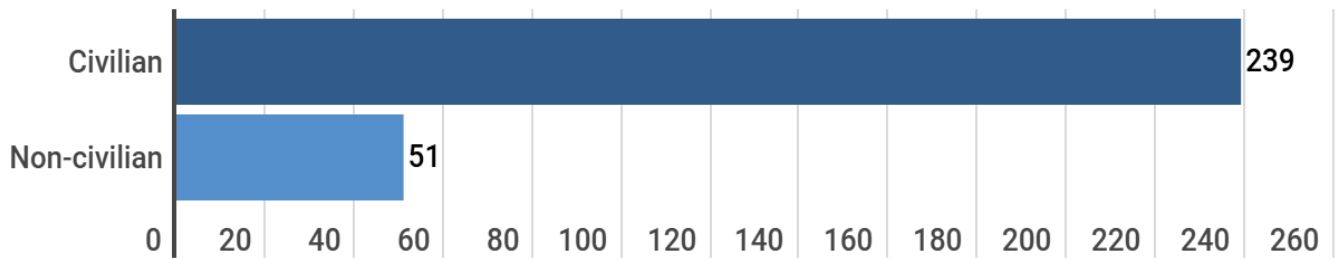
The largest number of documented deaths took place in **Aleppo** with **101** deaths, followed by **Homs** with **41** deaths and **Deir ez-Zur** with **30** deaths.

118 deaths were documented in other governorates.



Deaths by Category: Civilian and Non-Civilian

The number of civilian deaths reached **239** while the number of non-civilian deaths was **51**

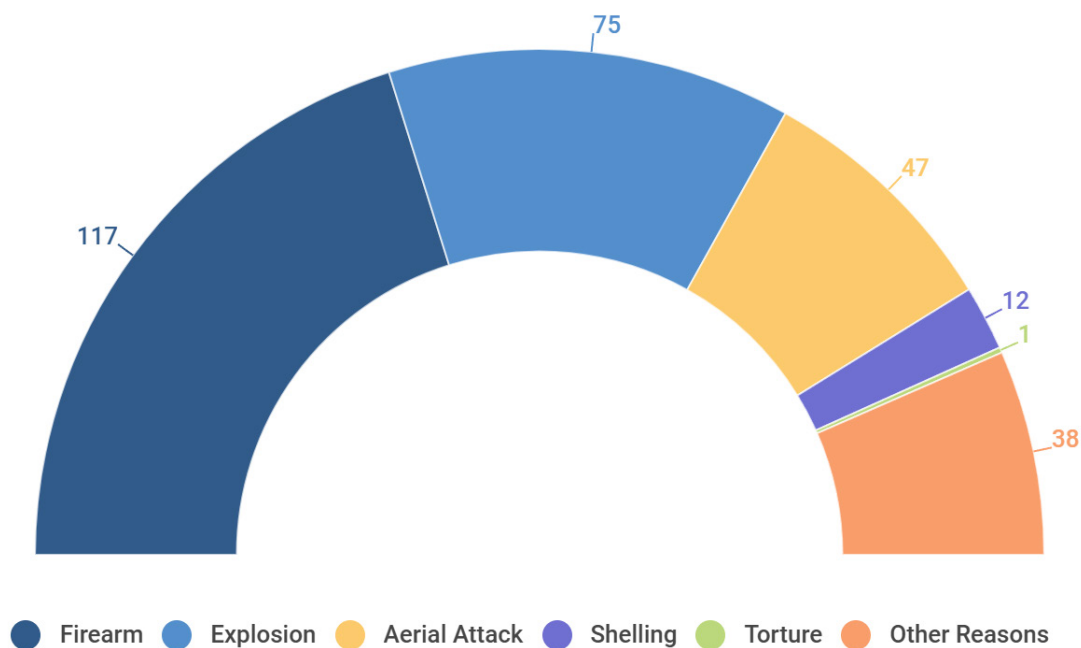




Causes of Death

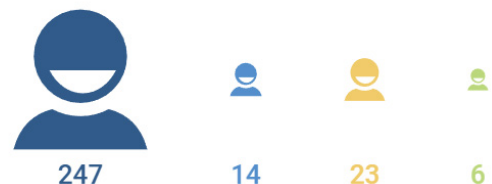
The number of people killed due to direct gunfire and sniping reached 117. Aerial bombardment caused the death of 47 individuals, while the number of those killed as a result of mortar shelling, artillery fire, and tank shelling amounted to 12.

Additionally, one person was tortured to death, and 75 people were killed due to war remnants and landmines. Finally, the center documented the deaths of 38 individuals due to other causes.

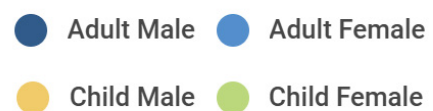


Deaths by Gender

The total number of adult (over 18 years of age) male deaths is **247** while the total number of adult female deaths is **14**.



The total for child battle-related deaths is **29**, with **23** for male children and **6** for female children.





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