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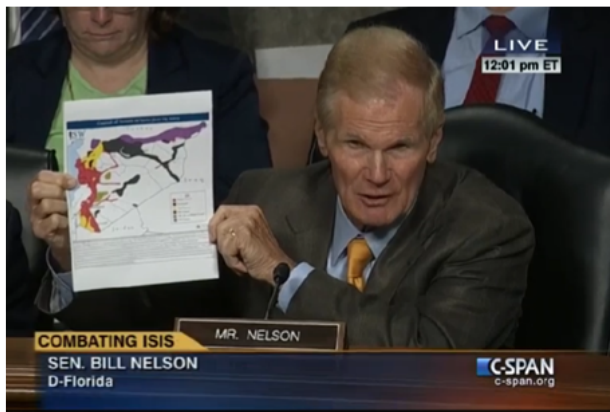


"We still as the United States of America, the Iraqis still, the world still has opportunities to shape and change the situation, such that the question of who lost Iraq shouldn't be on our minds."

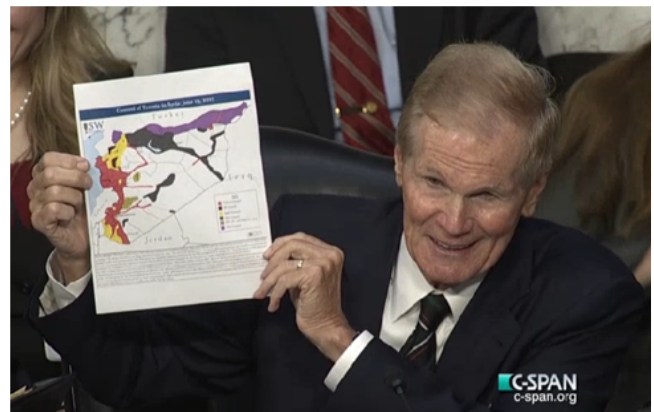
POLITICO Magazine
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ISW in Congress



Sen. Bill Nelson (R-FL) holding an ISW Syria Control of Terrain Map at a Senate Armed Services Committee hearing on U.S. policy on ISIS (07/07/2015)



Sen. Bill Nelson (R-FL) holding an ISW Syria Control of Terrain Map at a Senate Armed Services Committee nomination hearing for the Chairman of the Joint Chiefs (07/09/2015)

Harleen Gambhir

Counterterrorism Analyst

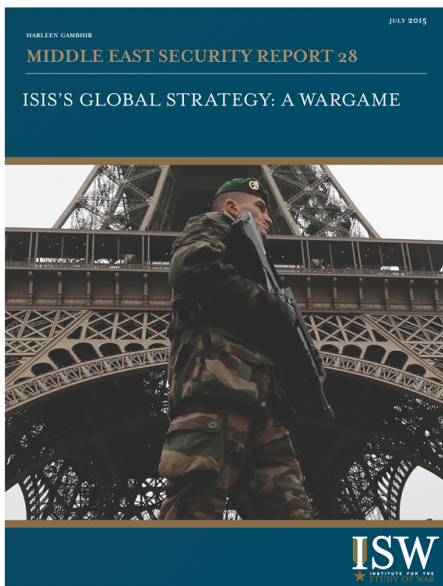


"ISIS is trying to foster and grow its affiliates in a way that it can outlast defeat in Syria and Iraq, if it comes."

Voice of America
07/17/2015

ISIS's Global Strategy: A Wargame

by Harleen Gambhir



"The U.S. is vulnerable to strategic surprise resulting from ISIS's external activity."

BusinessInsider
07/15/2015

"Overall ISIS still retains the ability to plan and execute phased conventional military campaigns and terrorist attacks."

Associated Press
07/30/2015



Jennifer Cafarella

Syria Analyst, Evans Hanson Fellow



“Syrian revolutionary groups are actually a natural ally for the U.S. to defeat ISIS in Syria.”

*US News and World Report
07/09/2015*



“Perceptions on the ground are incredibly important.”

*US Today
06/24/2015*



“I would say [chemical warfare] is another asymmetric tactic that ISIS has in its arsenal.”

*Christian Science Monitor
07/21/2015*

Christopher Kozak

Syria Analyst



“As Iran acquires more financial capital ... we would expect to see further direct financial support to the Assad regime.”

*International Business Times
07/14/2015*



“[Western anti-ISIS fighters] have different motivations.”

*Irish Times
07/25/2015*



"I think that the fear of mission creep is a concern for Hezbollah."

*Foreign Policy
07/09/2015*

"The backing of Kurdish advances with airstrikes 'signaled U.S. support for some form of contiguous Kurdish autonomous region in northern Syria'."

*Voice of America
06/22/2015*





Christopher Harmer

Senior Naval Analyst

“You can say that the FSA and YPG are both fighting ISIS. You cannot say that they have the same interests.”

Daily Beast
06/28/2015

“From a military perspective, the Shia militias are a good thing. From a political perspective, it’s destabilizing.”

BusinessInsider
07/29/2015

“There is a very real possibility that [the attacks in Tunisia, Kuwait and France] are part of a broader strategic campaign by ISIS.”

Daily Mail
06/26/2015

“The geography is tailor-made for ISIS to exploit Turkish security vulnerabilities.”

LA Times
07/27/2015

“It’s pure whitewash. The Pentagon is trying to run out the clock on this.”

US News and World Report
06/27/2015

“Giving aid directly to the Peshmerga would help in the short term, but make it more difficult to reunify Iraq in the long term.”

Washington Times
07/16/2015

“What [the Islamic State] is recognizing is, in the short term, it’s not going to be able to go as far as it wants as fast as it wants.”

Voice of America
06/26/2015

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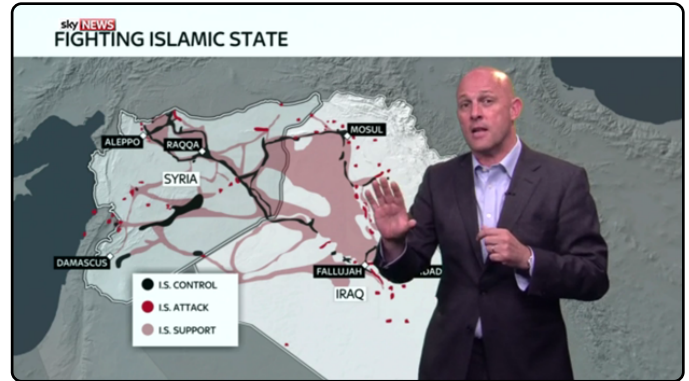
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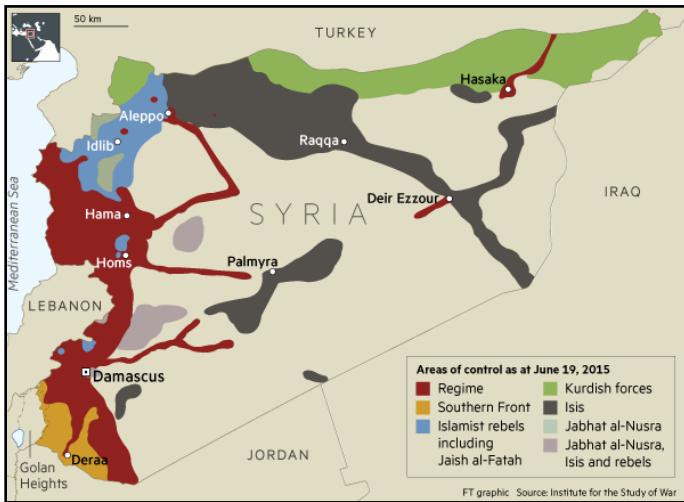


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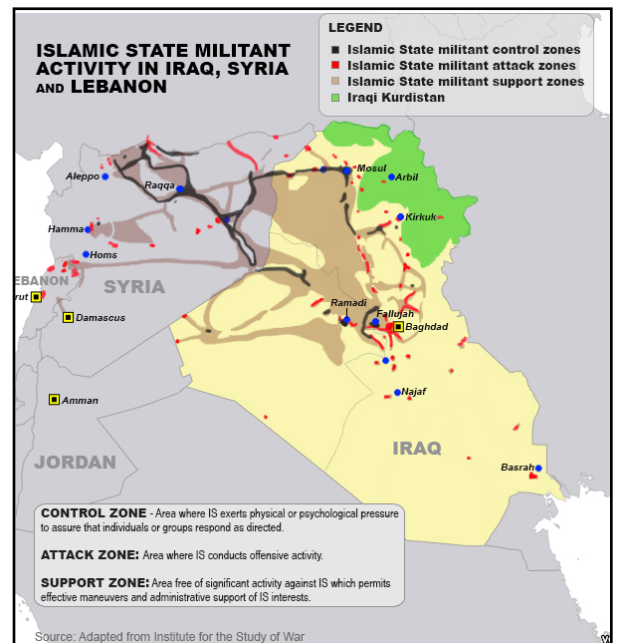
In addition to our analysts' expertise, ISW's maps continue to be utilized by major news sources as a crucial visual complement to breaking news stories and cutting edge analysis. In particular, our maps provided valuable insight on the advance of Kurdish forces in Syria and featured extensively in coverage on the proposed ISIS-free zone in northern Syria.



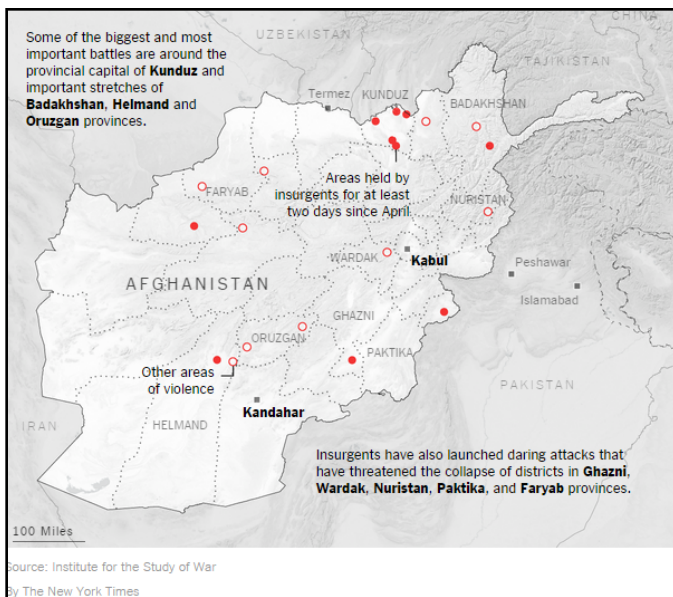
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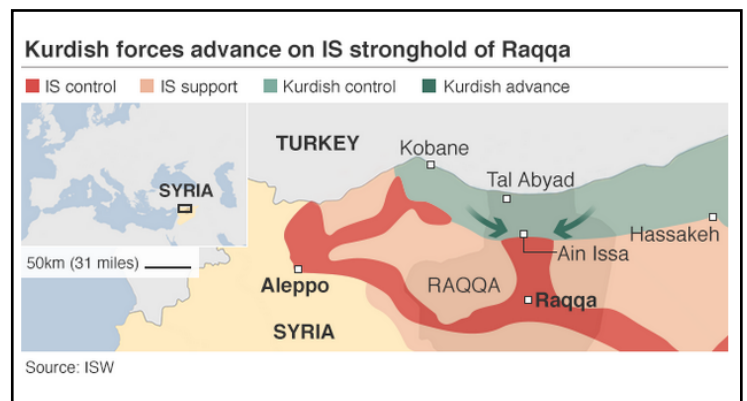
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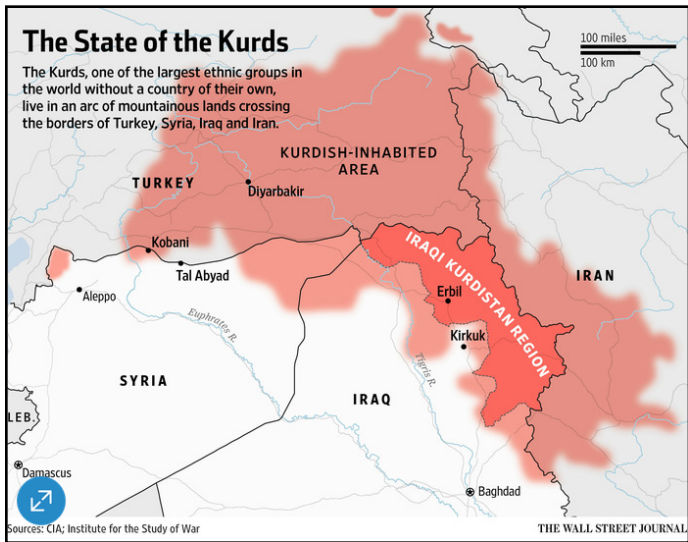
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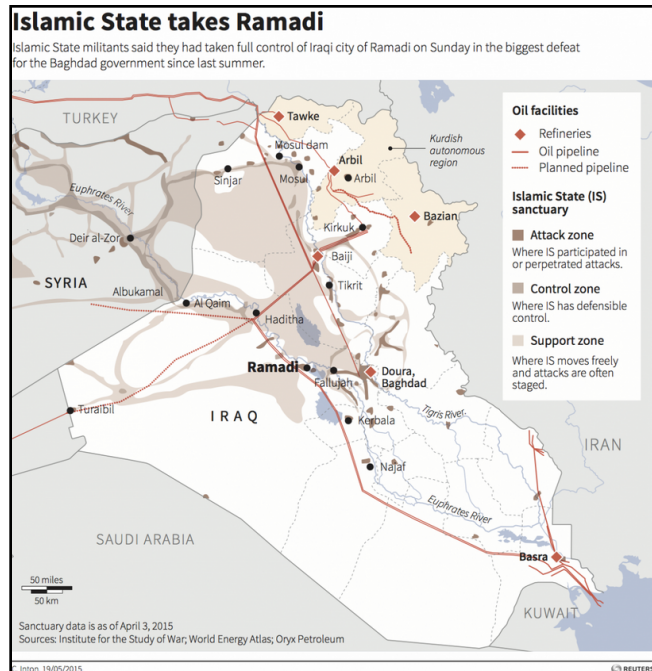
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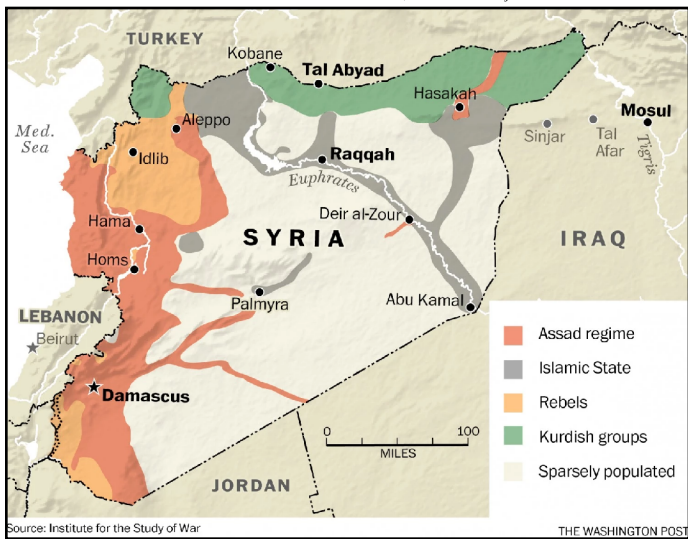
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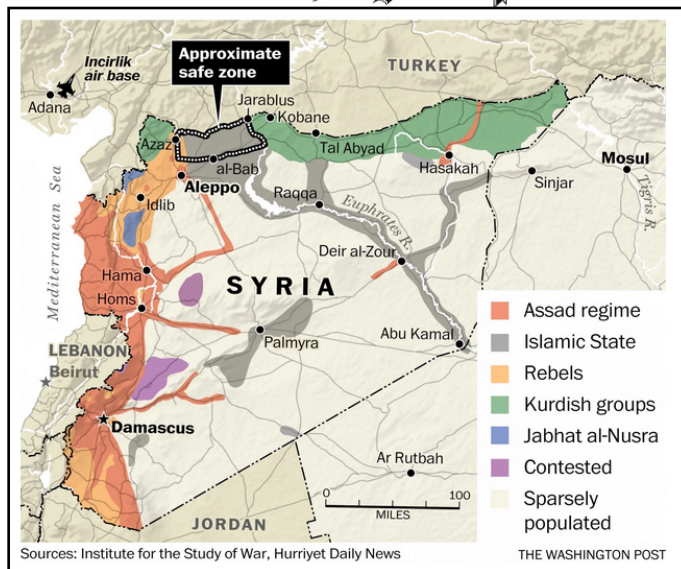
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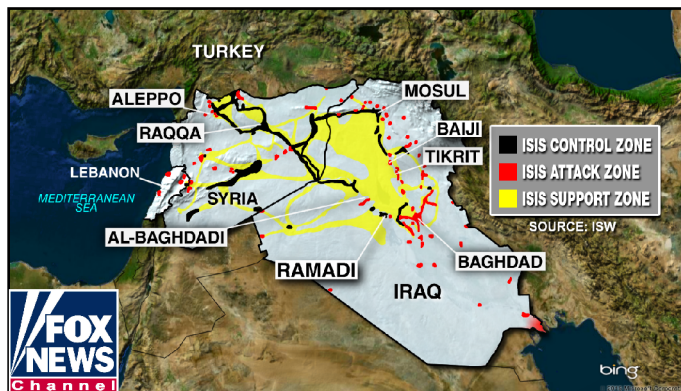
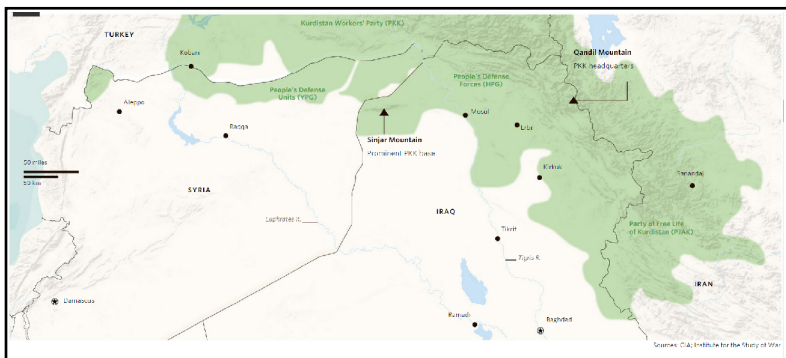
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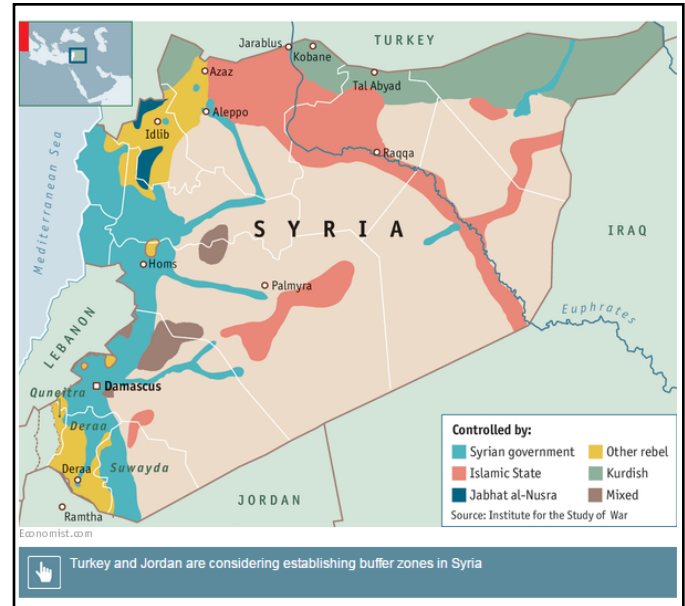


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● Area of ISIS support
● Area of ISIS control

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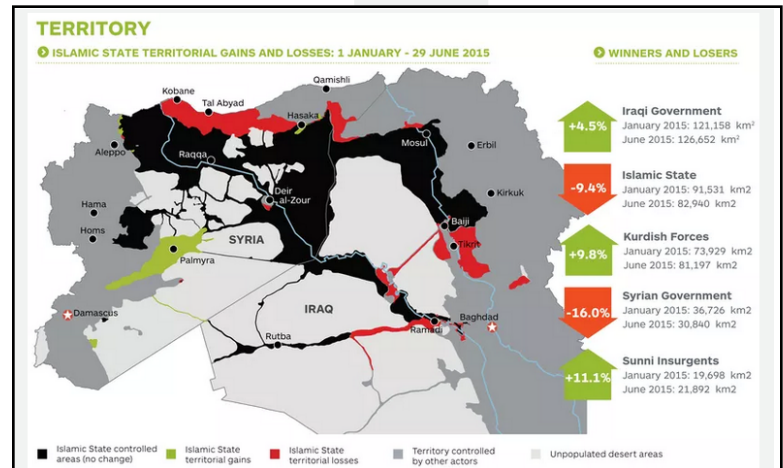
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Turkey and Jordan are considering establishing buffer zones in Syria

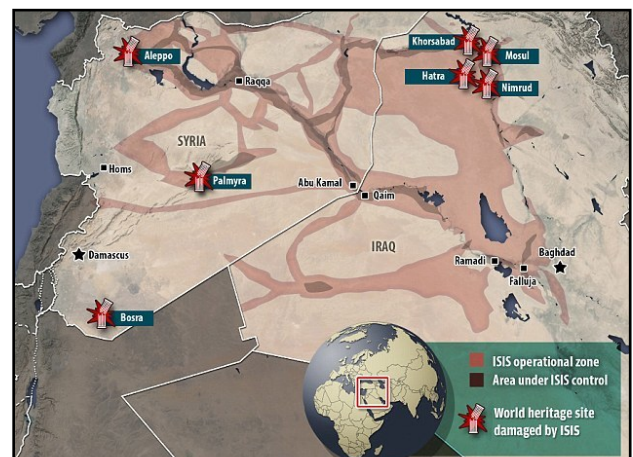
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