



# COMBINED JOINT TASK FORCE OPERATION INHERENT RESOLVE

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## Combined Joint Task Force – Operation Inherent Resolve Monthly Civilian Casualty Report

**SOUTHWEST ASIA** – Since the beginning of operations in 2014, the Coalition and partner forces have liberated nearly 110,000 square kilometers (42,471 square miles) from Daesh, eliminating their self-proclaimed territorial caliphate and freeing 7.7 million people from Daesh oppression. The Coalition will continue to work with partner forces to deny Daesh any physical space and influence in the region as well as deny Daesh the resources they need to resurge.

The Coalition conducted 34,826 strikes between August 2014 and the end of April 2020. During this period, based on information available, CJTF-OIR assesses at least 1,377 civilians have been unintentionally killed by Coalition actions since the beginning of Operation Inherent Resolve.

We follow a rigid targeting process for all of our strikes to ensure strict adherence to the Law of Armed Conflict while attempting to avoid collateral damage. Every accidental loss of life is tragic, and it will remain our goal to take all feasible precautions to avoid putting civilians in danger in our pursuit of a ruthless enemy.

In the month of December, CJTF-OIR carried over 115 open reports from previous months and received 50 new reports. CJTF-OIR completed 40 civilian casualty allegation assessment reports. CJTF-OIR assessed 38 reports as non-credible and two were duplicates of previous reports. One hundred and twenty five reports are still open, including four that CJTF-OIR had previously closed but reopened due to the availability of new information.

The results of each investigation of an allegation will fall into one of two categories, either "credible" or "non-credible." An assessment of "credible" means that our team investigated the allegation and determined that, based on available evidence, more likely than not, the death was the result of Coalition action. A "non-credible" evaluation means that the information we have to assess the allegation, using our available resources, cannot determine, to the standard of "more likely than not", that the death was the result of Coalition action. There could be a number of reasons for this, to include no corroborating strikes at that time or that location, there was insufficient evidence to support the allegation, or there is simply insufficient or overly vague data in the allegation itself.

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It is important to note that while the Coalition has a substantial quantity of data at its disposal to investigate every claim, we welcome any information from any source that will enable us to determine the truth. Furthermore, we routinely reopen closed investigations based on new information that might help us attain more accurate results.

**Non-Credible Reports:** After a thorough review of the facts and circumstances of each civilian casualty report, CJTF-OIR assessed the following 38 reports as non-credible. At this time there is insufficient information to assess that, more likely than not, a Coalition action resulted in civilian casualties. Numeric Key: [CJTF-OIR Allegation Number] / [Non-Governmental Organization Allegation Number] [Grid Coordinate]. The Military Grid Reference System coordinates specified in these reports are derived from the original allegation source.

1. Jan. 11, 2015, near Deir Ez Zor, Syria, via Airwars report. After a review of all available records it was determined that, more likely than not, the alleged civilian casualties did not occur as a result of a Coalition action. 2792/CS041 37SFU285723
2. Sept. 20, 2015, in Mosul, Iraq, via Airwars report. After a review of all available records it was determined that, more likely than not, the alleged civilian casualties did not occur as a result of a Coalition action. 2833/CI110 38SLF379237
3. March 9, 2016, in Asriya, Iraq, via Airwars report. After a review of all available records it was assessed that no Coalition actions were conducted in the geographical area that corresponds to the report of civilian casualties. 2913/CI200 38SLC209043
4. Apr. 5, 2016, in Idlib, Syria, via Airwars report. The report contains insufficient information of the time, location, or details to assess its credibility. 2929/CS197 37SBV867775
5. June 15, 2016, Hasi, Iraq, via Airwars report. After a review of all available records it was determined that, more likely than not, the alleged civilian casualties did not occur as a result of a Coalition action 2960/CI252 38SLB829826
6. Oct. 18, 2016, in Al Basira, Syria, via Airwars report. After a review of all available records it was assessed that no Coalition actions were conducted in the geographical area that corresponds to the report of civilian casualties. 3070/CS343a 37SFU299912
7. Oct. 18, 2016, in Raqqah, Syria, via Airwars report. After a review of all available records it was assessed that no Coalition actions were conducted in the geographical area that corresponds to the report of civilian casualties. 3071/CS343b 37SEV027801
8. Oct. 22, 2016, in Tweihina, Syria, via Airwars report. After a review of all available



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- records it was assessed that no Coalition actions were conducted in the geographical area that corresponds to the report of civilian casualties. 3072/CS345  
37SCA429345
9. Nov. 26, 2016, in Mosul, Iraq, via Airwars report. After a review of all available records it was assessed that no Coalition actions were conducted in the geographical area that corresponds to the report of civilian casualties. 3067/CI351 38SLF396236
10. Nov. 29, 2016, in Mosul, Iraq, via Airwars report. After a review of all available records it was assessed that no Coalition actions were conducted in the geographical area that corresponds to the report of civilian casualties. 3076/CI356 38SLF381235
11. Dec. 10, 2016, in Ashwa, Iraq, via Airwars report. After a review of all available records it was assessed that no Coalition actions were conducted in the geographical area that corresponds to the report of civilian casualties. 3077/CI367 38SKE615880
12. Dec. 20, 2016, in Mosul, Iraq, via Airwars report. After a review of all available records it was assessed that no Coalition actions were conducted in the geographical area that corresponds to the report of civilian casualties. 3078/CI375 38SLF324234
13. Dec. 26, 2016, in Mosul, Iraq, via Airwars report. After a review of all available records it was assessed that no Coalition actions were conducted in the geographical area that corresponds to the report of civilian casualties. 3079/CI377 38SLF407236
14. Jan. 4, 2017, near Al Rashid, Syria, via Airwars report. After a review of all available records it was assessed that no Coalition actions were conducted in the geographical area that corresponds to the report of civilian casualties. 3102/CS4254a  
37SDV752890
15. Jan. 11, 2017, in Taftanaz, Syria, via Airwars report. After a review of all available records it was assessed that no Coalition actions were conducted in the geographical area that corresponds to the report of civilian casualties. 3095/CS439a  
37SCV004858
16. Jan. 13, 2017, in Tadeef, Syria, via Airwars report. After a review of all available records it was assessed that no Coalition actions were conducted in the geographical area that corresponds to the report of civilian casualties. 3082/CS443 37SCA682236
17. Feb. 1, 2017, in Raqqah, Syria, via Airwars report. After a review of all available records it was assessed that no Coalition actions were conducted in the geographical area that corresponds to the report of civilian casualties. 3086/CS471 37SDV982783



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18. Apr. 4, 2017, in Salqeen, Syria, via Airwars report. After a review of all available records it was assessed that no Coalition actions were conducted in the geographical area that corresponds to the report of civilian casualties. 3097/CS662a 37SBA709024
19. Apr. 19, 2017, in Tabaqa, Syria, via Airwars report. After a review of all available records it was assessed that no Coalition actions were conducted in the geographical area that corresponds to the report of civilian casualties. 3098/CS710 37SDV588670
20. May 4, 2017, in Tabaqa, Syria, via Airwars report. After a review of all available records it was assessed that no Coalition actions were conducted in the geographical area that corresponds to the report of civilian casualties. 3099/CS769 37SDV596673
21. May 4, 2017, in Tabaqa, Syria, via Airwars report. After a review of all available records it was assessed that no Coalition actions were conducted in the geographical area that corresponds to the report of civilian casualties. 3100/CS769 37SDV580669
22. May 24, 2017, in Hamrat Nasir, Syria, via Airwars report. After a review of all available records it was assessed that no Coalition actions were conducted in the geographical area that corresponds to the report of civilian casualties. 3101/CS857 37SEV151745
23. June 7, 2017, in Ash Shajra, Syria, via Airwars report. After a review of all available records it was assessed that no Coalition actions were conducted in the geographical area that corresponds to the report of civilian casualties. 3105/CS930a 36SYB699299
24. June 8, 2017, in Raqqah, Syria, via Airwars report. After a review of all available records it was assessed that no Coalition actions were conducted in the geographical area that corresponds to the report of civilian casualties. 3106/CS941 37SEV011782
25. June 8, 2017, in Ayyash, Syria, via Airwars report. After a review of all available records it was assessed that no Coalition actions were conducted in the geographical area that corresponds to the report of civilian casualties. 3107/CS946a 37SEV956201
26. June 15, 2017, in Marat, Syria, via Airwars report. After a review of all available records it was assessed that no Coalition actions were conducted in the geographical area that corresponds to the report of civilian casualties. 3115/CS1105a 37SFV126085
27. June 17, 2017, in Raqqah, Syria, via Airwars report. The report contains insufficient information of the time, location, or details to assess its credibility. 3112/CS1016



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28. June 20, 2017, in Mayadin, Syria, via Airwars report. After a review of all available records it was assessed that no Coalition actions were conducted in the geographical area that corresponds to the report of civilian casualties. 3113/CS1044a  
37SFU317758
29. June 21, 2017, in Raqqah, Syria, via Airwars report. After a review of all available records it was assessed that no Coalition actions were conducted in the geographical area that corresponds to the report of civilian casualties. 3114/CS1054b  
37SDV992793
30. June 28, 2017, in Al Latum, Syria, via Airwars report. After a review of all available records it was assessed that no Coalition actions were conducted in the geographical area that corresponds to the report of civilian casualties. 3116/CS1112  
37SDU930786
31. June 30, 2017, in Raqqah, Syria, via Airwars report. The report contains insufficient information of the time, location, or details to assess its credibility. 3117/CS1126  
37SEV008784
32. July 1, 2017, in Raqqah, Syria, via Airwars report. After a review of all available records it was assessed that no Coalition actions were conducted in the geographical area that corresponds to the report of civilian casualties. 3118/CS1135 37SEV001790
33. July 3, 2017, in Al Hussainiya, Syria via Airwars report. After a review of all available records it was assessed that no Coalition actions were conducted in the geographical area that corresponds to the report of civilian casualties. 3119/CS1151a  
37SFV046134
34. July 4, 2017, in Mosul, Iraq, via Airwars report. The report contains insufficient information of the time, location, or details to assess its credibility. 3108/CI801  
38SLF323240
35. July 10, 2017, in Al Mayadin, Syria, via Airwars report. After a review of all available records it was assessed that no Coalition actions were conducted in the geographical area that corresponds to the report of civilian casualties. 3120/CS1182  
37SFU323770
36. July 11, 2017, in Abu Kamal, Syria, via Airwars report. After a review of all available records it was assessed that no Coalition actions were conducted in the geographical area that corresponds to the report of civilian casualties. 3121/CS1187





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37. July 17, 2017, in Abu Hamam, Syria, via Airwars report. After a review of all available records it was assessed that no Coalition actions were conducted in the geographical area that corresponds to the report of civilian casualties. 3123/CS1218  
37SFU536546

38. July 23, 2017 in Raqqah, Syria, via Airwars report. The report contains insufficient information of the time, location, or details to assess its credibility. 3124/CS1258  
37SEV008784

**Duplicate Reports:** The following reports were found to be duplicates of previously assessed allegations of civilian casualties.

1. March 8, 2017 in Karama, Syria, via Airwars report. The allegation of civilian casualties identified in this report is a duplicate of those assessed in Allegation 970 (Credible, one civilian unintentionally wounded, published on June 28, 2019). 3096/CS558  
37SEV252702
2. July 16, 2017, in Raqqah, Syria, via Airwars report. The allegation of civilian casualties identified in this report is a duplicate of those assessed in Allegation 2755 (Not Credible, published July 27, 2019). 3122/CS1214a 37SDV991777

**Open Reports:** CJTF-OIR is still assessing 125 reports of civilian casualties.

1. June 18, 2015, near Khanez Village, Syria, via Airwars report.
2. Aug. 24, 2015, near Mosul, Iraq, via Airwars report.
3. Aug. 29, 2015, near Raqqah, Syria, via Airwars report.
4. Sept. 9, 2015, near Al-Thawrah, Syria, via Airwars report.
5. Sept. 27, 2015, near Hit, Iraq, via Airwars report.
6. Sept. 27, 2015, near Jala'a, Syria, via Airwars report.
7. Oct. 22, 2015, near Baloum, Syria, via Airwars report.
8. Nov. 24, 2015, near Jarbua, Iraq, via Airwars report.
9. Dec. 30, 2015, near Mosul, Iraq, via Airwars report.



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10. Jan. 1, 2016, near Thaiyala, Iraq, via Airwars report.
11. Feb. 27, 2016, near Ayn al Arus, Syria, via Airwars report.
12. March 12, 2016, near Abu Qalqal, Syria, via Airwars report (previously closed, but reopened due to new information).
13. April 16, 2016, near Mosul, Iraq, via Airwars report.
14. June 1, 2016, near Mosul, Iraq, via Airwars report.
15. June 8, 2016, near Mosul, Iraq, via Airwars report.
16. June 22, 2016, near Raqqah, Syria, via Airwars report.
17. June 29, 2016, near Fallujah, Iraq, via Airwars report.
18. June 30, 2016, near Fallujah, Iraq, via Airwars report.
19. June 30, 2016, near Manbij, Syria, via Airwars report.
20. July 7, 2016, near Manbij, Syria, via Airwars report.
21. July 9, 2016, near Manbij, Syria, via Airwars report.
22. July 9, 2016, near Manbij, Syria, via Airwars report.
23. July 9, 2016, near Manbij, Syria, via Airwars report.
24. July 9, 2016, near Manbij, Syria, via Airwars report.
25. July 15, 2016, near Manbij, Syria, via Airwars report.
26. July 16, 2016, near Manbij, Syria, via Airwars report.
27. July 18, 2016, near Tokhar Kabir, Syria, via Airwars report.
28. July 18, 2016, near Haymar Labda, Syria, via Airwars report.
29. July 24, 2016, near Manbij, Syria, via Airwars report.



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30. Aug. 7, 2016, near Al Tanak, Syria, via Airwars report.
31. Aug. 11, 2016, near Diban, Syria, via Airwars report.
32. Aug. 16, 2016, near Ghirra Sgheer, Syria, via Airwars report.
33. Aug. 31, 2016, near Tal Houdan, Syria, via Airwars report.
34. Sept. 8, 2016, near Tall Afar, Iraq, via Airwars report.
35. Sept. 13, 2016, near Shadadi, Syria, via Airwars report.
36. Sept. 14, 2016, near Al Salhiya, Syria, via Airwars report.
37. Sept. 27, 2016, near Al Arima, Syria, via Airwars report
38. Sept. 30, 2016, near Hajin, Syria, via Airwars report.
39. Nov. 2, 2016, near Maraat Misrin, Syria, via Airwars report.
40. Nov. 2, 2016, near Kafr Takharim, Syria, via Airwars report.
41. Nov. 18, 2016, near Batabo, Syria, via Airwars report.
42. Nov. 24, 2016, near Mosul, Iraq, via Airwars report.
43. Jan. 6, 2017, near Al-Ziraei, Iraq, via media report (previously closed, but reopened due to new information).
44. Jan. 11, 2017, near Saraqib, Syria, via Airwars report.
45. Jan. 12, 2017, near Mosul, Iraq, via Airwars report.
46. Jan. 15, 2017, near Ziraei, Iraq, via Airwars report.
47. Feb. 20, 2017, near Mosul, Iraq, via Airwars report.
48. Feb. 21, 2017, near Azri, Iraq, via Airwars report.
49. March 4, 2017, near Al-Matahin, Iraq, via Airwars report.
50. March 4, 2017, near Mosul, Iraq, via Airwars report.





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51. March 4, 2017, near Mosul, Iraq, via Airwars report.
52. March 10, 2017, near Nabulus, Iraq, via Airwars report.
53. March 17, 2017, near Al Jadidah, Iraq, via Airwars report.
54. March 27, 2017, near Sarmada, Syria, via Airwars report.
55. April 4, 2017, near Karbala, Iraq, via Airwars report.
56. April 4, 2017, near Al Qaim, Iraq, via Airwars report.
57. April 10, 2017, near Mosul, Iraq, via Airwars report.
58. April 28, 2017, near al-Tabaqah, Syria, via Airwars report.
59. May 11, 2017, near Mosul, Iraq, via Airwars report.
60. June 5, 2017, near Raqqah, Syria, via Airwars report.
61. June 6, 2017, near Raqqah, Syria, via Amnesty International report.
62. June 7, 2017, near Al Quriya, Syria, via Airwars report.
63. June 9, 2017, near Raqqah, Syria, via Amnesty International report.
64. June 9, 2017, near Raqqah, Syria, via Amnesty International report.
65. June 9, 2017, near Raqqah, Syria, via Amnesty International report.
66. June 9, 2017, near Raqqah, Syria, via Airwars report.
67. June 11, 2017, near Raqqah, Syria, via Airwars report.
68. June 12, 2017, near Raqqah, Syria, via Airwars report.
69. June 13, 2017, near Raqqah, Syria, via Amnesty International report.
70. June 17, 2017, near Hawijah al-Swafi, Raqqah, Syria via Airwars report.
71. June 21, 2017, near Raqqah, Syria, via Amnesty International report.



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72. July 2, 2017, near Al Soor, Syria via Airwars report.
73. July 4, 2017, near Tal al-Jayer, Syria, via Human Rights Watch.
74. July 6, 2017, near Raqqah, Syria, via Airwars report.
75. July 7, 2017, near Raqqah, Syria, via Amnesty International report.
76. July 13, 2017, near Raqqah, Syria via Airwars report.
77. July 18, 2017, near Raqqah, Syria via Airwars report.
78. July 23, 2017, near Nazlet Shahata, Syria via Airwars report.
79. July 23, 2017, near Raqqah, Syria, via Airwars report.
80. July 24, 2017, near Raqqah, Syria, via Airwars report.
81. July 25, 2017, near Al Khamesiya, Syria, via Airwars report.
82. July 26, 2017, near Raqqah, Syria, via Airwars report.
83. Aug. 1, 2017, near Raqqah, Syria, via Amnesty International report.
84. Aug. 1, 2017, near Raqqah, Syria, via Amnesty International report.
85. Aug. 2, 2017, near Karbala, Iraq, via Airwars report.
86. Aug. 10, 2017, near Raqqah, Syria, via Amnesty International report.
87. Aug. 14, 2017, near Raqqah, Syria, via Amnesty International report.
88. Aug. 15, 2017, near Raqqah, Syria, via Amnesty International report.
89. Aug. 16, 2017, near Raqqah, Syria, via Amnesty International report.
90. Aug. 16, 2017, near Raqqah, Syria, via Amnesty International report.
91. Aug. 19, 2017, near Al-Helo, Syria, via Human Rights Watch report.
92. Aug. 22, 2017, near Raqqah, Syria, via Airwars report.



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93. Sept. 5, 2017, near Raqqah, Syria, via Amnesty International report.
94. Sept. 10, 2017, near Raqqah, Syria, via Amnesty International report.
95. Sept. 23, 2017, near Raqqah, Syria, via Amnesty International report.
96. Sept. 25, 2017, near Raqqah, Syria, via Amnesty International report.
97. Sept. 27, 2017, near Raqqah, Syria, via Amnesty International report.
98. Oct. 3, 2017, near Raqqah, Syria, via Amnesty International report.
99. Oct. 3, 2017, near Raqqah, Syria, via Amnesty International report.
100. Oct. 8, 2017, near Raqqah, Syria, via Amnesty International report.
101. Oct. 10, 2017, near Deir Ez Zor, Syria via self-report.
102. Oct. 13, 2017, near Husaybah, Iraq via Airwars report.
103. Nov. 26, 2017, near Daranj, Syria, via Airwars report.
104. Nov. 28, 2017, near El Qata, Syria, via self-report.
105. Dec. 5, 2017, near al-Jarhi, Syria, via Airwars report.
106. Dec. 22, 2017, near Hajin, Syria, via Airwars report.
107. Feb. 6, 2018, near al-Shafaa, Syria, via self-report.
108. May 27, 2018, near al-Soussa, Syria, via Airwars report.
109. June 4, 2018, near Al-Helo, Syria, via Human Rights Watch.
110. Nov. 17, 2018, near Abu al-Hasan, Syria, via Syrian Observatory for Human Rights report.
111. Nov. 25, 2016, near al-Kashmah, Syria, via Airwars report.
112. Dec. 10, 2018, near al-Kashmah, Syria, via social media report.



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113. Jan. 3, 2019, near Al-Shafah, Syria, via social media report (previously closed, but reopened due to new information).
114. Jan. 10, 2019, near al-Shajlah, Syria, via self-report.
115. Jan. 22, 2019, near Al Baghouz, Syria, via Airwars report.
116. Jan. 25, 2019, near Al Baghouz, Syria, via Airwars report.
117. Feb. 7, 2019, near Al Shahil, Syria, via Airwars report.
118. Feb. 10, 2019, near Omer Oil Fields, Syria, via media and Airwars report.
119. Feb. 11, 2019, near al-Baghouz, Syria, via social media and Airwars report.
120. Feb. 12, 2019, near al-Baghouz, Syria, via social media report.
121. March 13, 2019, near al-Baghouz, Syria, via Airwars report.
122. March 18, 2019, near al-Baghouz Fawqani, Syria, via self-report.
123. Aug. 31, 2019, near Kafr Jasil, Syria, via Airwars report.
124. Sept. 3, 2019, near Al-Ezba, Syria, via Airwars report (previously closed, but reopened due to new information).
125. March 13, 2020, near Karabala, Iraq, via media report.

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