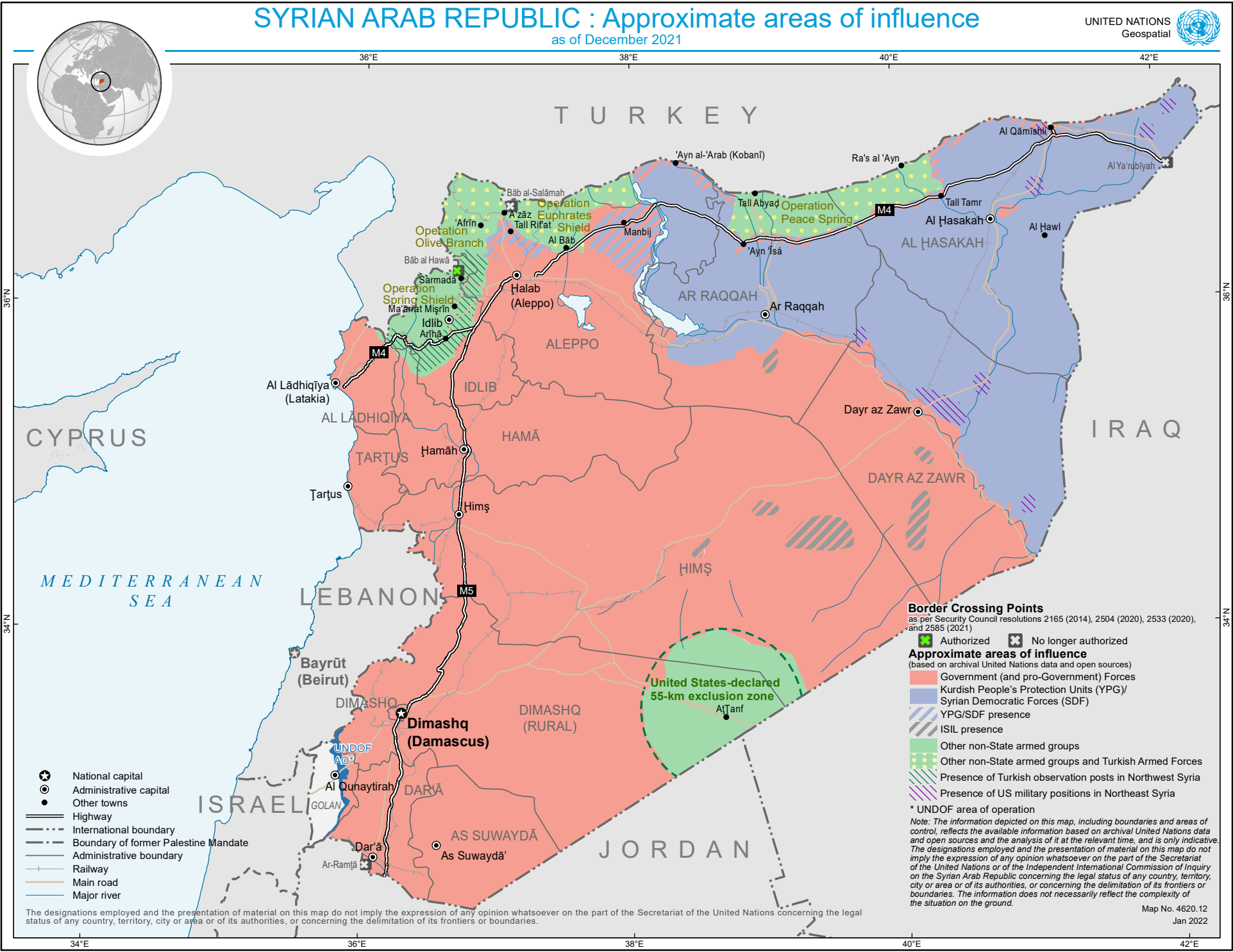


SYRIAN ARAB REPUBLIC : Approximate areas of influence

as of December 2021



- National capital
- Administrative capital
- Other towns
- Highway
- International boundary
- Boundary of former Palestine Mandate
- Administrative boundary
- Railway
- Main road
- Major river

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- Border Crossing Points**
as per Security Council resolutions 2165 (2014), 2504 (2020), 2533 (2020), and 2585 (2021)
- Authorized
 - No longer authorized
- Approximate areas of influence**
(based on archival United Nations data and open sources)
- Government (and pro-Government) Forces
 - Kurdish People's Protection Units (YPG)/ Syrian Democratic Forces (SDF)
 - YPG/SDF presence
 - ISIL presence
 - Other non-State armed groups
 - Other non-State armed groups and Turkish Armed Forces
 - Presence of Turkish observation posts in Northwest Syria
 - Presence of US military positions in Northeast Syria
- * UNDOF area of operation
- United States-declared 55-km exclusion zone**
Al-Tanf
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