

## Idlib Province - Revolution Dossier

**Summary:** Main northwest enclave with high displacement concentration and recurring escalation.

**Where:** Idlib city, Jabal al-Zawiya, Maarrat al-Numan axis, and border-adjacent zones.

**What happened:** Large displacement influx, aerial campaigns, de-escalation deals, and repeated breakdowns of ceasefire terms.

**Why it mattered:** Idlib became the primary opposition-held concentration zone after multiple evacuations from other provinces.

**Detention / Saydnaya:** Detention/abduction patterns involved multiple armed actors and security entities.

**Chemical dossier:** Khan Shaykhun (2017, Idlib governorate) is one of the key chemical dossiers referenced in red-line and accountability debates.

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