

Turkey issues strong warning to Syria

Turkey's top military commander has warned Syria that it will respond with greater force if cross-border shelling continues. The threat comes as clashes between Syrian troops and rebels intensify along the border



Diyarbakir air base: At least 25 F-16 fighter jets deployed

Akcakale: Additional tanks deployed after Syrian shells kill five Turkish civilians on October 3

Qah: First formal refugee camp opened in Syria

Azmarin

Mediterranean Sea

Latakia

Aleppo

Idlib

Maarat al-Nuaman:

Under rebel control after 48-hour battle

Homs: Government forces advancing into rebel-held Khalidiya district

Oct 9, Damascus: Dozens killed in suicide bomb attack on intelligence agency compound used as interrogation centre

Dera'a

Amman

JORDAN

TURKEY

Al Qamishli

Al Hasakah

Tal Abyad

Ar Raqqa

Deir al Zour

IRAQ

Abu Kamal

River Euphrates

50km

30 miles

Areas of conflict

150-strong U.S. military task force sent to Jordan to deal with influx of Syrian refugees, and prepare for scenarios such as Damascus losing control of its chemical weapons