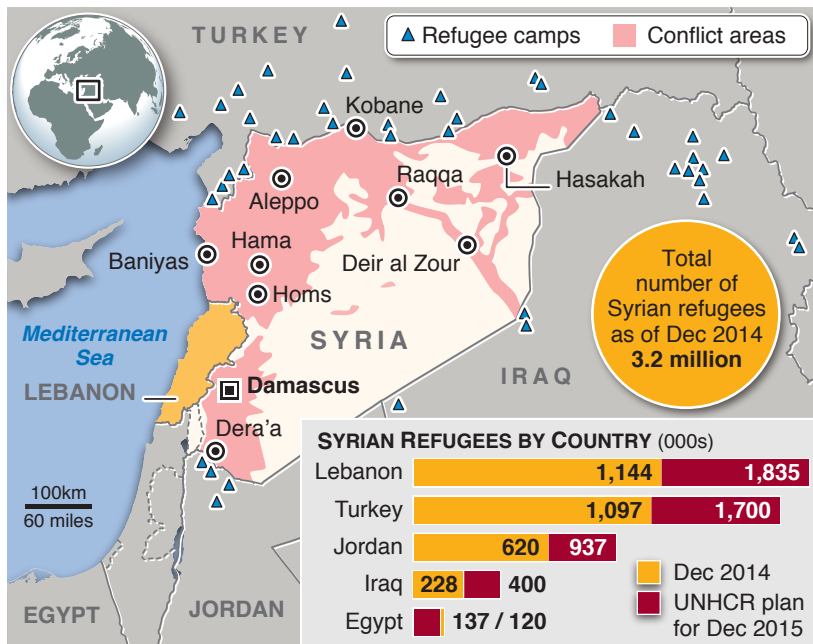


Lebanon limits entry of Syrians fleeing war

Lebanon has begun imposing unprecedented restrictions on the entry of Syrians, as the tiny country with a fragile sectarian balance struggles to cope with well over a million refugees fleeing the civil war next door



LEBANON RESTRICTIONS

Syrians wanting to enter Lebanon have to state clear purpose of their visit. If approved, visa will be issued for limited duration

Syrians coming to work in Lebanon will have to be sponsored by Lebanese individual or company

Syrians already inside Lebanon and not registered with UN refugee agency UNHCR will have to apply for visas when their current residencies expire

