

# Foreign involvement in Nagorno-Karabakh

Regional powers are considering ways to halt the conflict in Nagorno-Karabakh, where fighting between Armenia and Azerbaijan is thought to have killed thousands of people, including many civilians



**Lachin corridor:** Azerbaijan trying to cut critical supply link between Nagorno-Karabakh and Armenia



**RUSSIA:** Has military bases in Armenia and defence pact with

Yerevan, but has supplied arms to both warring sides. Brokered two October ceasefires that frayed immediately after taking effect



**TURKEY:** Supports Azerbaijan's war effort and has provided military

assistance, including armed drones. Denies claims by Armenia and Russia that it has sent hundreds of Syrian fighters to Azerbaijan



Nagorno-Karabakh region (ethnic Armenian majority)



Armenian-controlled territory



Territory recaptured by Azerbaijan since Sep 27



Russian military bases



**IRAN:** Keen to act as mediator, fearing conflict could spill over to Iran's

Azeri minority. Has criticised efforts by OSCE\* Minsk Group – chaired by France, Russia and U.S. – to bring peace to region

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