

# VIRTUAL INTELLIGENCE SERVICE VICTORIA PER INTELLECTUM

# **OPAR D+7 Ground forces**

### **INTSUM VIS-GROUND-001**

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### **WORD OF CAUTION - GENEVA CONVENTION!**

During last engagement we have friendlies reported destroying a TIGR vehicle.

The TIGR vehicle is a wheeled vehicle similar to the one shown in picture to the right.

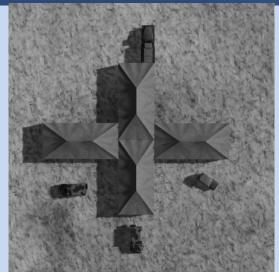
The Syrian Army is using this vehicle as a field **AMBULANCE**.

**DO NOT UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCES FIRE UPON THIS TYPE OF VEHICLE** as it is protected by the Geneva Convention.

Similarly the tent structure shown to the right, consisting of 4x tent are used by the Syrian Army as FIELD HOSPITAL.

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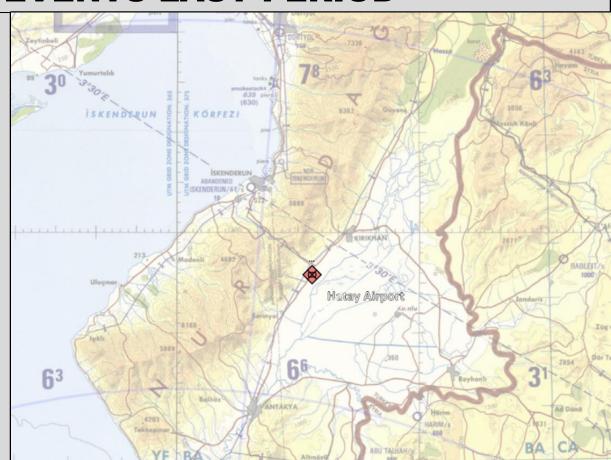


### **MAJOR EVENTS LAST PERIOD**

#### **Syrian 1st Corps:**

Friendly A/C support by JTAC WARRIOR came into contact and engaged elements 10th Armor Division in the Hatay valley (ROZ NELSON) causing significant losses to ENY unts.

Further to the east Friendly A/C engaged ENY elements in killbox YANKEE 1



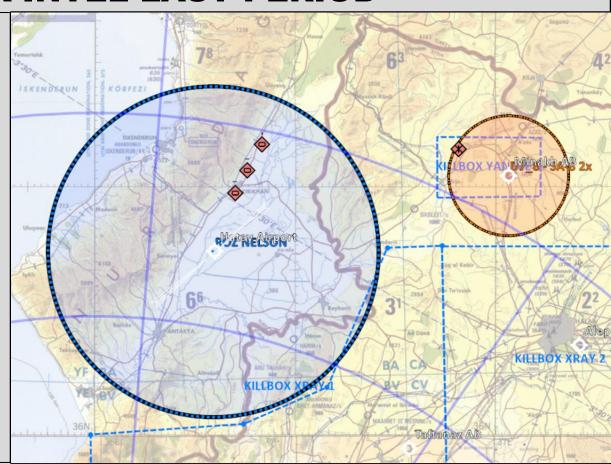
### **MAJOR INTEL LAST PERIOD**

#### **Syrian 1st Corps:**

WARRIOR reported at least 2x Company strength MBT (#51-53) on the road inside ROZ NELSON. Orientation of the vehcles are unknown but based AXE INTEL all ARTY were face north, these MBT could be re-units of 10th Armored Division. In any case the find is significant and should be exploited.

COBRA reported SA-8's at Minakh AB. These along with the destroyed SA-15 must be part of 2nd Coprs elements.

Furthermore COBRA reported seveal MI-24 Hinds at Minakh AB. These can be used to airlift in ENY troops and wreck significant casulties to FRD forces and as such should be neutralised as soon as possible.



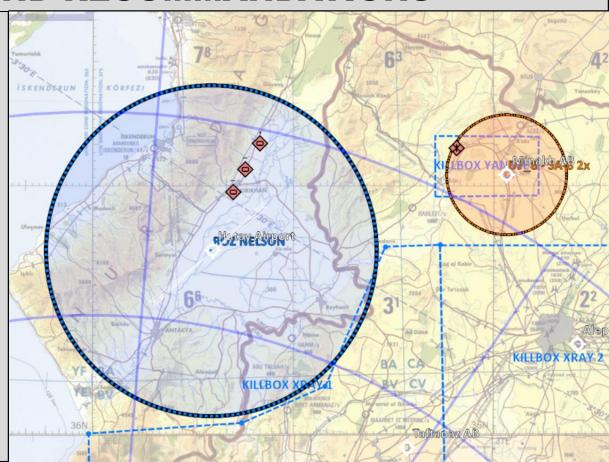
### VIS GROUND RECOMMANDATIONS

#### **Northern front:**

VIS recommends that pressure is continued upon remaining 1st Corps units in and around Hatay valley, in support of friendly ground forces.

Furthermore VIS recommends a task force assembled consisting of AR and SEAD to hit Minakh AB in order to obtain one or more of the following objectives.

- 1. Establish contact ENY forces in and around Minakh AB believed to be units of 2nd Corps.
- 2. Neutralise ENY helos and deny ENY Minakh AB as FOB.
- 3. Clear Minakh AB of SAM's to provide safe passage for FRD A/C to reach key areas of Alleppo (KB XRAY2)



### **BDA LAST PERIOD**

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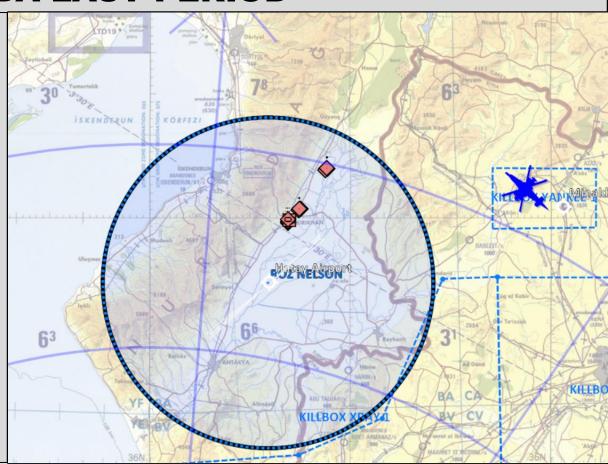
#### BDA:

#### Hatay Valley – ROZ NELSON

WARRIOR supported by AXE and CLAW reported destroying 10xMBT (#45-48), 10xMSTA artillery pieces (#48 + #50), 1x Shilka, 1x SA-19, 1x manpad and a utility truck (#48)

#### **KILLBOX YANKEE 1**

COBRA flight engaged and neutralised 4xBMP and 3xSA-15 unfortunately to the loss of several airframes.



# **SUMMARY OF ENEMY SITUATION (facts)**

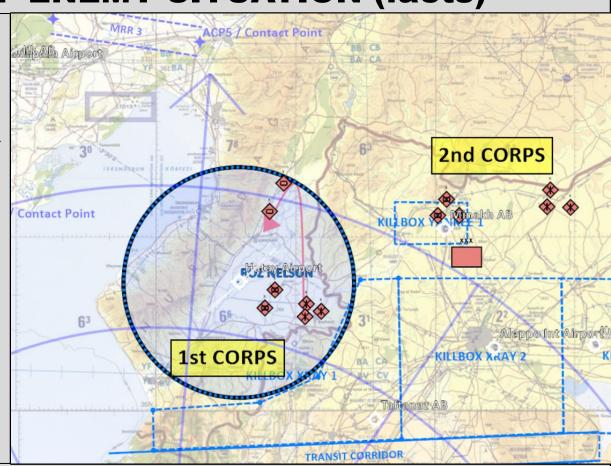
The most significant INTEL is from AXE spotting All artillery was pointing north, stationary, not visibly firing.

This leads VIS to conclude that ENY has not yet had the opportunity to re-group 10<sup>th</sup> Armored Division to shut the hole that we punched through from Iskenderun. Friendly forces are attacking 10<sup>th</sup> Armor Division rear elements.

VIS estimates that 102<sup>nd</sup> Armored Brigade is down to app. 12% strength.

VIS believes that remining elements of 11<sup>th</sup> Mechanized Division (112<sup>th</sup> & 113rd Mechanized Brigades) have dug into defensive positions east of Hatay AF, however unaccounted for at this time.

12th Motorized Divsion is still unaccounted for.



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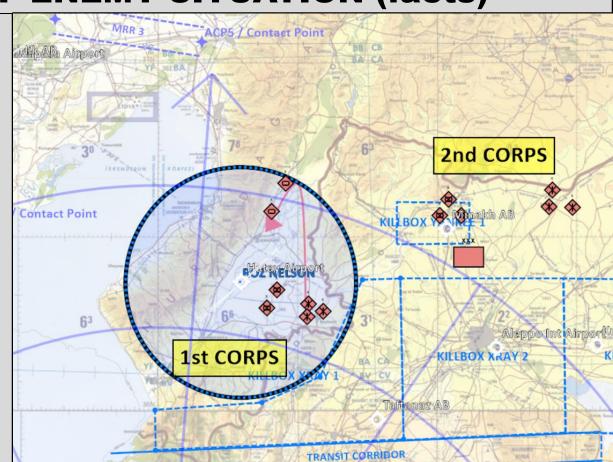
To the east in Killbox YANKEE 1, COBRA has confirmed ENY contact.

Based upon the sightings of SA-8's along with destroyed SA-15 and BMP's leads VIS to conclude that 21st Mechanized Division of 2nd Coprs have been found.

#### NOTE!

2nd Corps doesn't not have full strength compared to a standard Corps as it lacks the following;

Armor Division
Air Defence Division
Rocket Artillery Regiment



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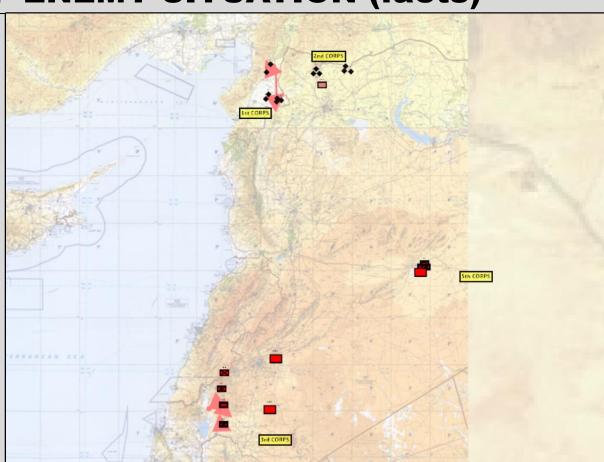
1st Corps has lost Iskenderun and are being pushed in the Hatay valley.

Lead elements of 2nd Corps have just been found in viscinity Minakh AB.

3rd Corps is holding strong in GOLAN Heights region and currently VIS does not hold any new intellegence of this area.

4th Corps is still believed to protecting Damaskus.

5th Corps is still <u>believed</u> stationary however is expected to be able to move within days if needed.



### **ASSESSMENT OF ENEMY SITUATION (Short term)**

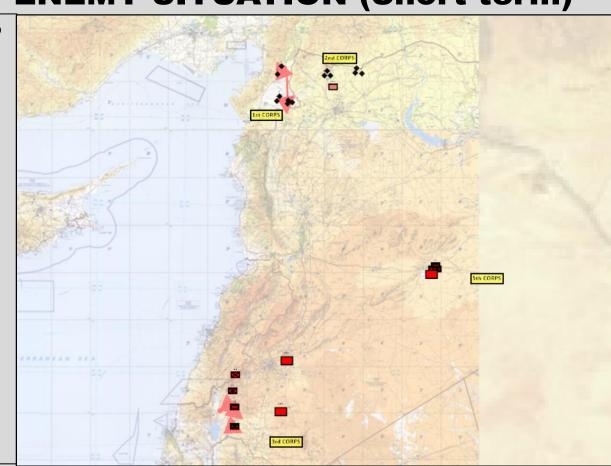
Remaining units of 10th Armored Division apears to be disoriented and have not yet been able to counter FRD forces pushing through at Iskenderun. However VIS expects that remaining elements of 10th Armored Division will soon re-group to drive southbound to engage FRD forces.

Earlier assumptions that 2nd Corps was going to push to support 1st Coprs have yet to materialze. Currently it seems more likely that 2nd Corps is just trying to hold it's ground.

3rd Corps will remain in a current hold waiting for the inevatable attack from Israel and it's allied.

4th Corps have shown no indication of movement so far and is anticpated to stay and protect Damaskus

5th Corps will continue preparing to move if needed.

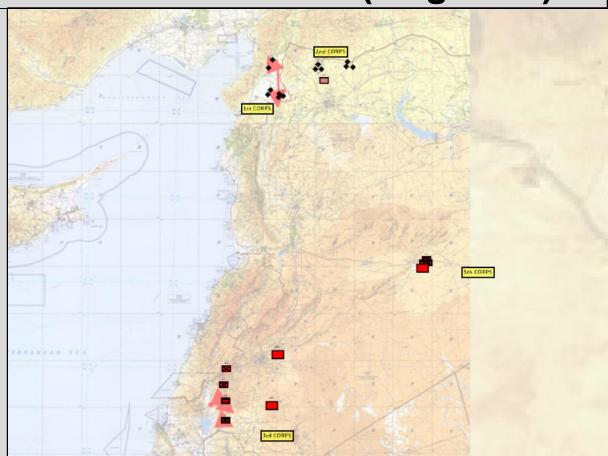


# **ASSESSMENT OF ENEMY SITUATION (long term)**

Syrian long term goal to establish foot hold in Turkey now seem less likely, is assessed they may try and hold their current ground until perhaps 5th Corps can reach the northern parts of the conflict zone.

It will give the country a better leverage in the future during international negotiations.

This can be assisted by friendly forces hitting field hospitals and ambulances, which will inevetably lead to loss of internation support.



### **INTELLIGENCE GAPS**

Any reporting of the whereabouts of 12th Motorized Division BTR's is highly valuable for VIS?

Are there any movement to positions of 4th Corps and 5th Corps and if so in which direction?

