



OPERATION ACTIVE RESOLVE INTELLIGENCE REPORT D+8

1 General Informatio

This intelligence report covers the last 24 hours (D+8).

2 Intelligence

2.1 Air

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2.2 Sea

2.2.1 Russian SAG (Surface Action Group) Composition

VID now have confirmation that the destroyer REZKY is one of the 3 vessels in the Russian SAG enroute to the Eastern Mediterranean

COMMENT:

Russian SAG was first mentioned in OPAR VID INTREP D5

ASSESSMENT:

It is **LIKELY** that the Russian SAG contains a Air Defence platform with long-range air defence.

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2.3 Ground

2.3.1 SA-15 BN deployed

A Syrian SA-15 reserve battalion is reported to have left Syrian Air Defence Academy (OPARTGT062) during the evening hours of D+8. The SA-15 battalion was reported moving NORTH.

COMMENT:

The SA-15 battalion was first mentioned in OPAR VID INTREP D4.

ASSESSMENT:

The SA-15 battalion will LIKELY be deployed in the defense along the northern border of Syria to reduce air attacks against Syrian forces.

2.3.2 SA-2 BN's left RAQQA

During the night of D+8 3x SA-2 BN's are reported to have left RAQQA (OPARTGT022). VID have no further details about the SA-2 BN's

COMMENT:

The production of SA-2 BN's was first mentioned in OPAR VID INTREP D5

ASSESSMENT:

It is assessed as EVEN CHANCE that the SA-2 BN's will form new SA-2 regiment or form independent BN's to protect high value target.

2.3.3 Cyber operations ongoing

VID have indications of increased activity in the cyber domain with several attempts to intrusion in allied networks have been taking place the last few days.

ASSESSMENT:

It is LIKELY that a nation state is behind the increased activity

2.4 Political

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3 VID Information gaps

- What is the status of Syrian SCUD units?
- What is the status of Syrian Air Force
 - o DCA missions? (Does the Syrian Air Force fly CAPs?)
 - o QRA (reaction times, from what bases type of aircrafts)
- What is the status of 4th Corps and 5th Corps (Are they leaving bases, if yes, that can indicate a major Syrian offensive. Which direction?)
- What is the status of Syrian Air Force A-G missions?
- Is there presence of Russian forces in either Tartus or Bassel Al-Assad airfield?
- What is the status of Syrian IADS?
 - o Positions of EWR
 - o Position of SAM sites
 - o Is the entire IADS operational

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