

OPERATION ACTIVE RESOLVE INTELLIGENCE REPORT D+4

# General Information

This intelligence report covers the last 24 hours (D+4).

# Intelligence

## Air

### Hezbollah using civilian aircraft

Credible reporting from within Lebanon indicates that Hezbollah on D+3 successfully was able to locate CSG-72 by the use of a civilian aircraft.

**ASSESSMENT:** It is LIKELY that Hezbollah have the capability to use civilian aircrafts as a target reporting unit for Silkworm missiles.

## Sea

Nothing Significant To Report (NSTR)

## Ground

### SA-15 vehicles in final stages of production

Credible reports on the activity in Tartus vehicle factory (OPARTGT021) indicate that 8x SA-15s is in its final stages of production. It is unknown if additional SA-15 vehicles is being produced at the facility.

**ASSESSMENT:** It is LIKELY that the Syrian regimen is increasing their production of war materials due to losses in the initial stage of the war. It is LIKELY that the SA-15 vehicles will be transported to the Syrian Air Defence Academy (OPARTGT062) for a test of the system before it will be deployed into the field. It is EVEN CHANCE that the SA-15 vehicles will be sent from the factory within the next 7 days.

### SA-15 Battalion undergoing training

A Syrian SA-15 reserve battalion is currently undergoing training at the Syrian Air Defence Academy (OPARTGT062). At the night of D+3 , VID have credible reports of a live fire exercise taking place. VID do not know how long the unit have been in training.

**ASSESSMENT:** With a live fire exercise being conducted, it is likely that the SA-15 reserver battalion is close to operational status. It is LIKELY that the SA-15 Battalion will be deployed into the field within the next 7 days. It is LIKELY that the SA-15 battalion will be sent to the Syrian 1st Corps to replace Syrian SA-15 battalions that have suffered heavy losses.

## Political

Nothing Significant To Report (NSTR)

# VID Information gaps

* What is the status of Syrian SCUD units?
* What is the status of Syrian Air Force
  + DCA missions? (Does the Syrian Air Force fly CAPs?
  + 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?
  + Positions of EWR
  + Position of SAM sites
  + Is the entire IADS operational