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| Name (English) | Siliana, Tunisia |
| Name (Fuṣḥā, transcription) | Silyāna |
| Name (Fuṣḥā, Arabic) | سليانة |
| Name in local variety (in transcription) | Silyǟna |
| Geo location | 36.08, 9.36 |
| Typology (Local) | West (Maghreb) > Tunisia > North Western Tunisia |
| Typology (General) | Bedouin-type dialect |
| General | Silyǟna is a modern farming town of more than 31000 (2014) inhabitants and the capital of the Gouvernourate Silyǟna. Modern Silyǟna was founded in 1905 and it is located about 130 km south-west of the capital Tunis. It consists of 17 districts and is the hometown of the historician Ahmad ibn Abi Dhiyaf and the singer Hédi Jouini. Silyǟnas population was formed mainly by arabic tribes during the settlement of the Beni Hilāl in the region and by some Amazigh tribes. Since the 1990 the town grew bigger, due to immigration from the neighbouring rural areas and it keeps growing (in 2004 it counted only 24000 inhabitants). |
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