Syrian security branches and Persons in charge

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Syrian regime Forces according to the latest survey carried out by the Syrian network for human rights, arrested not less than (215,000) Syrian citizens, including nearly 9,000 under the age of eighteen, 35,000 university students, almost 4500 women (800 of them faculty student), and at least (80,000) forcibly disappeared. The detained in Syria has been subjected to various types of violence, torture, claimed the lives of 2305, including 80 children and 25 women until 31/03/2013. The following link shows distribution and documentation identified by name, date, place, image and video to many of them. Thirty four children has been tortured to death. The following link shows the children who died under torture verified by date, place and distribution in the Syrian governorates. There are 25 women also tortured to death in the dungeons of prison, which indicate to use systematically very drastic methods against women detainees, the following link gives names, dates and special videos of torture female victims.

It has been a necessity to recognize the highly detailed intelligence services and the main affiliate branches and those who in charge, because it is the real headquarters that brutally tortured thousands of the Syrian people and killed hundreds of them under torture, not to mention that there are at least 700 rape cases took place in those branches. We indicate that these branches are what we could recognize them and there are dozens of secret detention centres (we know nothing about it yet) deliberately opened by the Syrian regime where horrible actions took place there and intended to escape from responsibility and accountability pretext that they are not subject to them and no one knows bout.

First: Officials OF the Security Agencies:

Note: The Syrian network for Human Rights notes that the procedure of obtaining security branches leaders names in all of Syrian governorates was very difficult because they are surrounded by an aura of secrecy and confidentiality, so we would like to indicate the possibility of some errors (not to exceed 5%) for some of the names who might be isolated and we did not inform of that, therefore we register them that they are still on top of their work, except All of these things, the remaining things are very accurate in a very high rate. The most prominent officials in Syria for security agencies as supervisors and the direct responsible for the torture and death due to torture (mostly belonging to the Alawi sect ratio above 98%).
Chief of General Intelligence and State Security:
Major General /Ali Mamlouk (Sunni) and has 6 deputies are:
1 – Brigadier/ Zuhair Hamad (Shiite)
2 - Brigadier /Nazih Hassoun (Alawi)
3 - Brigadier /Ghassan Khalil (Alawi)
4 - Brigadier /Hafez Makhlouf (Alawi)
5 - Brigadier /Anis Salama (Alawi)
6 - Brigadier /Thaer El-omer (Shiite)

Heads of security branches according to each governorates in Syria:

Damascus Governorate:
Military Intelligence / Section 291 / Brigadier Rafiq Shehadeh ,
he came after Abdel Fattah Qudsea (Sunni)
Rafiq Shahadah was one of Bashar al-Assad private guards and assisted
by Brigadier Ali Younis and Brigadier Adnan al-Asi.
Air Intelligence / Major General Jamil Hassan (Alawi)
Air Intelligence / Mezze Airport Branch / Brigadier Abdul Salam Fajr Mahmoud
(Director of Investigations Branch)
General Intelligence / Section 285 / Brigadier Ibrahim Moalla
State Security / Rustom Ghazali
Political Security / General Mohammed Dib Zeitoun (Sunni)
Palestine / Brigadier Mohammed Makhlouf (Alawi)
External Security Branch / Brigadier Fouad Fadel (Alawi)

Aleppo Governorate:
State Security Branch / Taiseer Ammouna
Air Force Intelligence Branch / Adib Salama (Alawi)
Political Security branch / Nasser Ali who took the position of Atef Najib
for a while in the province of Daraa
Military Security / Brigadier-General Abdul Latif Al-Fahad

Hama Governorate:
Criminal security branch / Abdel Aleem Abdul Hamid
State security / Ibrahim Darwish
Air Intelligence / Sohail Hassan
Military security / Abdul Nasser Al Zaher
Political Security :
Brigadier Hossam Luke ( chief )
Chief of patrols and observation / Colonel Adel Mohammed Ibrahim
Chief of the Investigation Branch / Brigadier Shehadeh Badi Mansour
**Deraa Governorate:**
Military Intelligence / Section 245 / Colonel Loay Ali  
Air Force Intelligence / Daraa Branch / Brigadier Qusay Mihoub  
Political Security / Daraa Branch / Nasser Ali

**Idlib Governorate:**
Military Intelligence / Section 271 / Brigadier Hussein Nofal  
State Security / Brigadier Abdul Rahman Mohammed Najim (from Sukhna town)  
Political Security / Brigadier Aiser  
Military security (Terrorism Department), Colonel/ Kamal Hassan, one of the most criminal personalities in Alassad regime, caused dozens death.  
Air Intelligence / Brigadier Ahmed Awad, (Rabiah town)

**Homs Governorate:**
Military Intelligence / Section 235 / Mohammed Zmarena  
Air Intelligence / Homs branch / Brigadier Jawdat Al-Ahmad  
General Intelligence / Section 318 / Brigadier Firas Al-Hamd  
Political Security / Homs branch / Hossam Luke

**Lattakia Governorate:**
Air Intelligence: Colonel /Suhail Al-Abdullah, Concerning with dissidents and following-up military that are not loyal to Alassad regime  
General Intelligence / Lattakia Branch / Brigadier Ali Ali  
Political Security / Lattakia Branch / Taha Haji Taha  
Major Lutfi Mora responsible for investigation in Political Security Branch  
State Security branch / section head: Brigadier Khader Hussein Ali (Sunni)  
Colonel: Amer Hassan (the actual director of the Security branch)  
Military Security / Chief of the Branch: Brigadier Adnan al-Ahmad, head of military security (the most criminal branch in Lattakia), recognized with his sectarian  
Criminal Security Branch / Brigadier Mohammad Ibrahim Samra, president of the Criminal Security Branch in Lattakia

**Deir Ezzor Governorate:**
Military Security Branch / Major General/ Gamee Gamee who is the actual leader of the security services and even the army in Deir al-Zour all works by his commands.  
Chief of the Military Police / Brigadier Habib Safeya  
Political Security branch / headed by Brigadier Jassim Mohammed (Sunni) from eastern Aleppo countryside, he has weak role in events while the major role is for of his assistant /Ghiath Swedan from Homs.
Public Security / Brigadier Daas Daas (Alawi) a Republican Guard officer,  
he is from Qardahah / Syrian coast  
Air Intelligence / Brigadier Mohammad Tayara  
Airport chief of Deir Ezzor / Brigadier Bassam Haidar (Alawi)  
The commander of military operations in Deir al-Zour / Brigadier Issam Zahreddine from Suwayda, before him was Major General Esber Abboud, who moved to the governorate of Hama

**Hasaka Governorate:**  
Military Intelligence / Brigadier Ali Diab  
Air Intelligence / Hussein Saleh  
State Security / Brigadier Ahmed Deeb from Qardahah  
Political Security / Taiseer Wasel from Al-Gabla  
Military Security in Shaddadi Zone / Brigadier Taiseer Kiwana

**Quneitra Governorate:**  
Political Security / Capt. Ziad Alrkad collaborates with Capt. Orans  
State Security / Colonel Qais Meala  
Air Intelligence / first assistant unknown first name  
but surname is Ammar from Jabatha village

**Sweida Governorate:**  
Military security / Wafiq Nasser  
State Security / Mohammed Makhlouf  
Political security / Ibrahim Zidan

**Raqqa Governorate:**  
Military security / Samir Muhammad Ali  
Air Intelligence / Colonel Abdul Allah Aljdua from Raqqa  
Political Security / Mohamed Ammar Sarmini  
State Security / Brigadier Khaled Al-Halabi

**Tartous Governorate:**  
Military Security / Brigadier Abdul Karim Abbas, from Deir al-Zour  
Air Intelligence / Colonel Ahmed Jabara, from Deir al-Zour  
State Security / Brigadier Ahmed Zaity, from Lattakia  
Security military in Banyas / Lieutenant Ghalib Ismail  
The official in Security Committee overseeing the Banyas / Brigadier General Hassan Khalil
Second: very prominent leaders:
Republican Guard commander: Major General Mohammed Shoaib Ali Suleiman (Alawi – Jebla)
And Vice President: Brigadier General Mohammad Qasim (Alawi)
Current Chief of Staff: Fahd Fareej ((Sunni - Hama - Bedouin origins )),
noting that the heads of the General Staff from twenty years ago were Alawi.
Deputy Chief of Staff: Major General /Ali Ayoub (Alawi)
Commander of Engineers Corps in Army/ Jihad Shehada (Alawi)
Security and military Office Manager for Bashar Alassad : General Bassam Merhej (Alawi)
Special Forces Commander: Major General Juma Ahmed (Alawi)
Major General /Ali Ammar (Alawi) commander of fourth division, the strongest teams and
the most dangerous, which is under the control of Maher Assad , most of its leaders are
Alawi: such an Molhim Mihoub , Ahmed Abdullah , Dawod Esber and Ghassan Bilal
Director of the Directorate of Air Defense (air defense commander) in Syria:
Major General/ Jamil al-Badr Hassan (Alawi)
Air Force Commander in Syria: Major General Issam Halak (unknown)
Head of the Military Police branch and Special Tasks: Brigadier / Hael al-Assad (Alawi)
Brigade commander to protect the capital, Damascus (Gen. 90):
Brigadier Zuhair al-Assad (Alawi)
Commander of the unit 549 ((conflict brigade)) to protect Damascus:
Maj. Gen. Ghassan al-Assad (Alawi)
Rami Makhlouf (president of the orchard association which is funding
the so-called Shabiha and popular committee)
Hafez Makhlouf (Head of “40” section in General Intelligence)
Some security advisers and they were former presidents of the security
branches and became security advisers are:
Major General Mohammad / Nassif Kheir Beik
(Alawi -official of the Syrian-Iranian relations -76 years old)
Brigadier/ Izz al-Din Ismail (Alawi -68 years)
Major General / Mohammed al-Kholi
Major General/ Ibrahim Hawijah
Major General / Shafiq Fayyad
Major General /Hassan Khalil

Third: Syrian intelligence agencies and basic branches details :
Security agencies are divided into four main sections:
Military Intelligence (military security)
Air Force Intelligence
State Security (GID)
Political Security
A group composed of 48 basic branches in addition to the “regional” branches in the provinces. We stress that there are dozens of secret headquarters in various places and neighborhoods in the Syrian governorates could not be documented.

The most repressive of those agencies and the most sensitive, military intelligence and air intelligence while the Political Security is one of the most pervasive and invasive agencies among people and controlling them.

Each of those agencies are divided into branches (in the cases of the military intelligence and the General Intelligence, each branch has number of three digest known to it while in the cases of Air Force Intelligence and the Political Security realizes branch by its name) and each branch of these agencies is divided into sections and each section is divided according to specialization: to detachments or to cells (in the case of external activity) or to groups.

Thus, the Pyramidal division from the top to bottom as following:

Intelligence Agency - Branch - section - detachment, group, or cell (depending on the task).

Those agencies have relationship with two security offices are:
National Security Bureau
Presidential Guard office (officially called private office).

Security organizations structure
Numbering: about 120,000 solider, corporal and officer distributed on 4 security agencies, consists of 48 essential security branches, in addition to regional branches in the provinces. Statistics before the revolution estimated the number of employees in the intelligence services about 90 thousand between officer, corporal and civil servants, mostly belong to the Alawi sect, and indicate that this number does not include informants and Reports writers deployed both among the people or within the military, in the state institutions, these numbers are not included with the Non-Syrian agents and security officers of military formations or airports or battalions of air defense and security officers embassies and government institutions because those are considered as army personnel or air force or personnel of the Ministry of Foreign personnel (in the case of embassies) or the police and Central Security) in the case of internal structures (they are linked with the intelligence services coordinators fully but are not considered within the personnel of those agencies.

Intelligence officers, has a population of approximately 2000 officer (not including who gifted honorary ranks as a result of services they provided), more than half of them are from Alawi sect.

Military Intelligence (Military Security Branch)

S Branch Brief description
1. branch 291 Headquarters Branch: the main center of the organization and contains all the personnel files within this agency
2. branch 293 Officers Security Branch: Responsible for monitor army officers and play a major role in the upgrade, the deportation or transfer of military officers or appointing them to their positions, the head of this section has direct contact with the President of the Republic
3. Branch 294 Military Security Branch: monitors all sections of the army and the armed forces (with the exception of the Air Force and Air Defense)

4. Branch 235 Palestine Branch: one of the most cruel branches of military intelligence, it was allocated in the beginning in monitoring the Palestinian organizations and Palestinian refugees residing on Syrian land and expansion in the reign of Hafez al-Assad to include his chase Islamic movements and penetrate and try to guidance and control if necessary or create Islamic movements and fake terrorist organizations as Alnasra organization that follow the Syrian regime and is different from the Alnasra of al-Qaeda.

5. Branch Information Branch: specializes in general information for agency make and various studies, the Branch also monitors the activity, local media and global audio-visual and video (including the Internet)

6. Branch 211 Technical Branch also called Computer branch and employs high human competencies and with a good level of culture specialise with Internet and Computer

7. Branch 225 Communications Branch and staffed by high human efficiencies with a good cultural level and specialized in internal and external communications made by telephone, mobile or fax and can directly control all communications inside Syria

8. Branch 237 Wireless Branch, it is concerned with a special survey of radio waves and wireless call tracking and bugging them or disturb or interfere with

9. Branch 248 Military Investigation is serve as the main investigative body for the military security service (although each branch of the central agency and Regional owns the special investigation section) and is the second hardest branch in the agency in terms of human rights violations after the Palestine Branch

10. Branch 215 Raids and storming

11. Branch 216 Patrols Branch

12. Branch 220 Intelligence Branch of the front: also called Branch Sasa:

   It is for intelligence affairs of the occupied Golan and the forces of the front and also monitors the international emergency forces operating there

13. Branch 227 Damascus Branch also called Area Branch

14. Branch 261 Branch of Homs Governorate

15. Branch 245 Branch of Daraa Governorate

16. Branch 219 Branch of Hama Governorate

17. Branch 222 Branch of Hasaka Governorate

18. Branch 271 Branch of Idlib Governorate

19. Branch 290 Branch of Aleppo Governorate

20. Branch 243 Branch of Deir Ezzor Governorate

21. Branch 221 Branch of Badia also called Branch of Palmyra
Air Force Intelligence:

It’s a very vague organization and loyal to the regime and most reliable and is charged with the of confidential and sensitive tasks, the information known about it less than the rest of other security agencies cause of the secret nature of this agency in spite of it consider small compared to other agencies, and the scarcity of inadvertent contact with civilians before the revolution, except in special cases and this is the first agency between the intelligence agencies of the Syrian regime in terms of human and technical competencies and most of its elements belonging to the Alawi sect and very, very few of the other sects.

S Branch Description of the Branch:

22. Administrative branch It is the center of the agency that contains files of all employees within this agency
23. Information Branch It specializes in general information and various studies for the agency and contains many divisions (including religions division and political division) also this Branch monitors Media activity of local media and global audio-visual and visual (including the Internet)
24. Investigation Branch It is the main investigative body for the Air Intelligence (although each branch of the central and provincial agency has the special investigation section) is considered the most severe branch and violates all norms and laws of human rights where they using very violent methods of torture.
25. Airport Branch Located within Mazza airport and is responsible for the security of the airport and presidential security of the presidential plane and perhaps this section is also responsible for intelligence tasks related to personal security for President during his travels abroad
26. Operations Branch Responsible for internal and external operations of the agency including matters relating to Air Force require externally intelligence effort
27. Special Operations Branch Information about this section is rare and started talking about it effectively during the Revolution for its involvement with some violations and abuses against protesters and activists.
28 Special Tasks Unit Also little information about it and there is some information about being responsible for providing support to special operations and sub-tasks

Regional branches they spread among Syrian provinces, there is a responsible branch for each Governorate or comprehensive sector in several provinces,
each branch covering section of the geographical segments which are also divided into Air Force and Air Defense (It is known that the leadership of the Air Force and Air Defense divided the country for several sectors and each sector has his military leadership, Air Force Intelligence established regionally branch for every sector of those sectors), and every branch followed by a number of sections as needed and each section followed by a number of detachments as needed.
each regional branch is responsible for both civil and military airports, air defence bases within the geographical segment, contains files for all officers and worker soldiers, pilots and hosts of civilian airport.
not to mention that each civilian or military airport has its own security officers
(also security officers for each air defense battalion, for example)
this officer is linked and coordinated directly with the Air Force Intelligence Branches in charge
of the sector in which the airport is located or air defence formation and related with security
branch more than with the chief in the airport, which is an officer of the security or the com-
mmander of the formation of air defense, who is an officer of the security, which makes the order
made by airport security officer is more powerful than airport chief or air defence formation.
We should mention that any departure of aircraft must be done with the consent and coordination
with the Air Force Intelligence branch to which the airport is connected, it is noteworthy that the
least important branches of the air intelligence have detention centres inside a number of air bases

State Security (GID)
some call it by error “the General Security Service (GSS) by mistake in output for the label
(where the agency is called administration of GID) and its branches have three numbers of its
own and its branches are located in Damascus exclusively.

S Branch Brief description :
29. Branch 111 Administrative branch which is the heart of the agency, it contains files of all
employees within this agency also monitors the employees within to prevent any gap, it plays
a role in the upgrade, the deportation or transfer of employees within the agency.
30. branch 251 Internal Branch and some call it by mistake the state security branch while naming
the State Security launches the General Intelligence Service as a whole as some call it by mistake
internal security while the internal security forces fired on the police force under the Ministry of
the Interior and specializes this section to monitor different political groups and monitor political
activities in addition to monitor any signs of an armed opposition (especially from Islamic cur-
rents) One of the sections of his department called anti-terrorism department of a similar nature to
the nature of the anti-terrorism department of the Palestine branch in the military security service
31. branch 255 Information Branch, a branch specializes in general information of the agency
and various studies concerning it and has a lot of different departments (including the Depart-
ment of Religions and political parties) and the branch also watches activity of local media and
knowledgeable audio-visual and video (including the Internet) and deal with it also directly or
indirectly including matters of the agency as it specializes in services related to computer and
Internet-related agency is similar to the branch’s Technical for the military security
It is worth mentioning that the section 255 with heavy activity on the Internet and oversees the
monastery on many sites pro-regime or suspicious sites that claim to be with the opposition, in
addition to his propaganda activities to send comments and posts in the net and play with other
branches an important role in overseeing the so-called Syrian army-mail
32. branch 279 External branch which is responsible for activities of intelligence outside of
Syria and this branch is responsible for most of the intelligence activities outside Syria more
than any other branch of the branches that operate externally in intelligence of the system and
different DNV this section job is to monitor the Syrians abroad and work against the opposition abroad as it also monitors the Syrian diplomatic missions and take over security duties in respect of diplomatic missions and a division of this, the section is responsible for monitoring the Syrians during their Hajj and Umrah.

33. branch 300 Espionage Branch and also called anti-espionage branch has internal and external tasks related to the exercise of espionage and counter-espionage and mentions that this section monitors every one enter Syria from foreigners and non-Syrian Arabs.

34. Branch Training Branch, this branch is responsible for training officers and intelligence and conduct courses for them (security information course, document security course, investigation and interrogation course, counter-terrorism course, studies security course to protect important personalities, security installations course and monitor and track course, etc.) It is worth mentioning that Syrian employees in intelligence services of other people are doing their courses in this section before handing them over their duties in their agencies and this section even trained jailers and executioners on their work and trains officers also how to investigate and the arts of use and innovate various torture methods; psychological, physical and ways to destroy detainee psychologically, and to indicate that this section deals with non-Syrian intelligence officers from allied countries of the system such as the Soviet Union and ex-Romania to do the job in training courses on various disciplines.

35 branch 285 Investigation Branch which is a main investigative body for the state security agency (although each branch of the central and provincial agency has special investigation department)

36. branch 295 Branch raids and storming

37. branch 318 branch of Homs Governorate

38. branch 322 branch of Aleppo Governorate

39. branch 327 branch of Deir Ezzor Governorate

Regional Branches It has branches in every province that has followed this departments at the district level and detachments respects level

S Branch Brief description:

40. Administrative branch

Information branch Is the heartbeat of the agency contains files of all employees, within this agency also monitors the employees within to prevent any gap and plays a role in the upgrade or the deportation or transfer of employees within the system.

Information Branch, a branch specializes in general information of the agency and various studies related to it and has a lot of different departments (including the Department of Religions and political parties) and watching section also local media and knowledgeable audio-visual and video activity (including the Internet) and deal with it also directly or indirectly including matters of the system.
41. Investigation Branch It serves as the main investigative body for the PSO (although each branch of the central and provincial system has special investigation department)

42. Operations Branch Responsible for operations carried out by the system, which serves its activity and its objectives.

43. Patrols Branch External branch which is responsible for activities of intelligence outside of Syria and this branch is responsible for most of the intelligence activities outside Syria more than any other branch of the branches that operate externally in Syrian intelligence services and different DNV this section to monitor the Syrians abroad and work against the opposition abroad and also monitors the Syrian diplomatic missions and take over security duties in respect of diplomatic missions and a division of this section is responsible for monitoring the Syrians during their Hajj and Umrah.

44. Branch of political parties It is responsible for the political parties and its control and monitoring of any political opposition activity.

Branch of students and student activities: sometimes called a branch of Student Affairs is responsible for monitoring the students and their student activities and has files on all university students in Syria.

45. Branch of wanted and observers Is a branch dedicated to navigation, surveillance and follow-up

46. Government institutions Security Division Its mission is to monitor the government (ministries and the prime minister) and public institutions of the state, supervise it and even monitors the minister and general managers and record information about them and their movements.

47. Licenses Branch A section responsible for licensing and assumed all real estate office or shop cell phones or vegetable shop ... Etc. to obtain a license through it

48. Prisons Branch The regional branches spread in all provinces of the country and follow its sections covering all areas within each province and belongs to those sections detachments covering all aspects within the region so as to cover the country completely (a branch in every province and department in each region and a detachment in each side) this side can never be seen without detachment security policy) and holds branches regional monitoring mission citizens along the diameter and the detachments and departments recruit informants within the ranks of citizens every where you live in and receive reports from them and archiving, organization and sent to the Special Branch to maintain as there is in the Political Security branch private maintain a file for each citizen of the population are recording information about continuously renewed by potential and coordinate regional branches work with branches central agency in the event of overlapping of work between them, mentioned that the regional branch of the private province of Damascus called city branch and oversees this section on the central prisons (Prisons Civil) has added to administrative section and Investigation section distributed over the central prisons that have several functions such as administration of direct political section CSS inside the prison, where it is known that political detainee after finished his interrogation in the intelligence branches are converted to either a military prison and to either politi-
cal section closed in a central prisons (Civil) and the detachment security policy management section closed political prison while The police administration wings of prisoners judicial, in addition to control prisoners judicial inside other suites (where they are recruiting prisoners inside dormitories as informants on the rest of the other prisoners) and also monitor the prison administration and police recruits working within, and in addition to the establishment of this management branch closed political divisions within central prisons, it also has special files of prisoners and judicial police and state employees working within the central prisons.

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Fourth: the most prominent sites of the security services (Syrian network for Human Rights owns Google Earth file that has been working on it for many months, it displays all security sites, prisons and detention centers).

We will recall the sites that highlighted security branches and indicate that the danger really lies in the existence of dozens of secret prisons as some villas and some buildings that follow its ownership of the leaders in the security services and the secret prisons are to get the hardest torture and rape, as well as schools, churches, mosques, hospitals, sports stadiums, theaters and many underground cellars.

**Homs Governorate:**
Air Force Intelligence
The center is located on Hama road at a roundabout known to the people of the city of Homs.

• Military Security Branch
Near education directorate of Homs, and near the train station, this section is a separate prison known as balloon prison which is located in the Bab Tadmour about 200 meters away from the new garage. New balloon prison is existed near Hama Road near the Air Force Intelligence Branch.

Al-Quseer - Jalaa Street
• Political Security Branch
Al-Quseer - just 100 meters from the military security branch in Jalaa Street
• Church of the Savior Monastery turned into a branch of the torture and murder
Located between Al-nozha neighbourhood and Al-marja in Bab Sebaa neighbourhood
• Criminal Security Branch
Located in Zaidl area in Homs surroundings
• Palmyra Prison
Located in Palmyra desert, about 125 km northeast of Damascus

**Damascus and countryside:**

Most of the security branches located in Kafr Sousa neighbourhood near the Customs vertigo just south of Abbasid Square:
* Military raids Branch
* Military Investigation Branch (section 228)
* Military Security Branch to Damascus
Located in the middle of Mezze Highway near the vertigo industrious in Kafr Sousa Regiment Building 41 in the Special Forces located under Harasta Bridge
Palestine Branch (Branch 235)
Located on the airport road near the Faculty of Mechanical Engineering
Patrols Branch (section 216)
Located near the Palestine Branch
Anti-terrorist branch
Located in the area of Jisr Abiad
Political security branches
Damascus branch of the political security is located at the end of Mazeh highway behind blood bank building
Jebbeh Branch of political security: in Jebbeh area near Almazraa neighbourhood
Political Investigations Branch: Located opposite Fayhaa Sports Hall
Maysat Branch: near Jebbeh vertigo
Adra prison: building located to the south of Adra central prison
State Security: State Security headquarters is located in an area in Kafar Souseh near the Almojtahed vertigo
Khatib Branch: currently Located on a Baghdad street
Air Force Intelligence Branch: Located in the Mezze military airport
Air Intelligence Area Branch: Located in the town of Harasta at Arbin junction
Foreign Security Branch: in the neighborhood of al-Maliki
Criminal Security Branch: Customs Square
**Hama Governorate:**
Hama Central Prison
Hama prison: Located in Qusor neighbourhood

**Aleppo Governorate:**
Air Force Intelligence Branch
(Zahira neighborhood near Orphanage)

**Lattakia Governorate:**
Central Prison
(Moroccans area - the Arab street - behind Hikam building
Political Security Branch)
(Thawra Highway, near the water company, for a small garden, located on the ground floor)
Military Security Branch
(Aaron vertigo in front of Al-Hassan mosque)
State Security Branch
(Near the water company)
Air Force Intelligence Branch
Seventh project near El Nour recordings
Criminal security branch
(October district)
Jul Jamal School
Sports center –Alraml Aljanobi district– El-taqsi Square - House in Gomaa building

**Idlib Governorate:**
**Security Branches and headquarters in the Governorate of Idlib**

1. **Idlib city:**
Where there are four branches of the air intelligence, military and political and what is known to the security of the state
Military Intelligence: located in the south-east in Qusor
State Security Intelligence: located south east of the city along with Rahman Mosque
Air Intelligence: located by the workers’ housing
Political intelligence: located in Thawra neighbourhood.
Now: All branches gathered with what is known as security box area

2. **Jisr Alshogor:**
There are security detachments in Jisr Alshogor city, for each branch of military security, state security, and political security except air intelligence, all the detachment that were combined in the electricity Foundation
But at the present time: they are existed in Achtbriq within village Achtbriq

3. **Saraqeb:**
There in Saraqeb City detachment of the political security branch and another branch of state security and was built by the radio
Now: freed and there is no security in the city
4. Harem:
There are two detachments to the Political Security branch and the other branch of military security in the city and are located in the so called district security
Now: freed and there is no security

5. Bab El-hawa border crossing:
There is a detachment of the political security and detachment of military security and detachment air intelligence in El-hawa border town door and where they are located in Bab El-hawa square
Now: There is no security there

6. Maart Nu’man:
Where there are detachments of three branches, a branch of military security, state security and political security and there is no branch of Air Force Intelligence in the city
Military security: Division near the Baath Party at the end of the Corniche against the teachers’ union
State Security: near the health clinic and close to the Justice Palace
Political Security: was close to October school
After the outbreak of the revolution, all previous branches gathered in the new cultural center building where they committed a massacre known as the massacre of cultural center of the right of prisoners before being edited and eliminate the presence of security in the city

7. Khan Sheikhoum:
There was a detachment of the political security branch in Khan Sheikhoum located in the neighborhood of the youth against martyrs’ cemetery
Now: There’s no security in the city, but the city surrounded by 18 military checkpoints, including all security branches barriers at the entrances of the city

8. Areha:
There was in the city of Ariah a detachment of the political security branch, which is located behind the automatic oven that located in the northeast side of the city.

Syrian Network for Human Rights Demands the international community represented by the United Nations and the Security Council to make, through the International Criminal Court and the maximum speed accounting, a trial and prosecution of all those involved within the various security branches who have acts of torture, murder and rape, Which are considered crimes against humanity and only the policy of impunity will become the basis and all efforts will go rights around the world to fight in vain because we did not materialize on the ground in a country like Syria was detained in the colors and different varieties of torture and even kill of large