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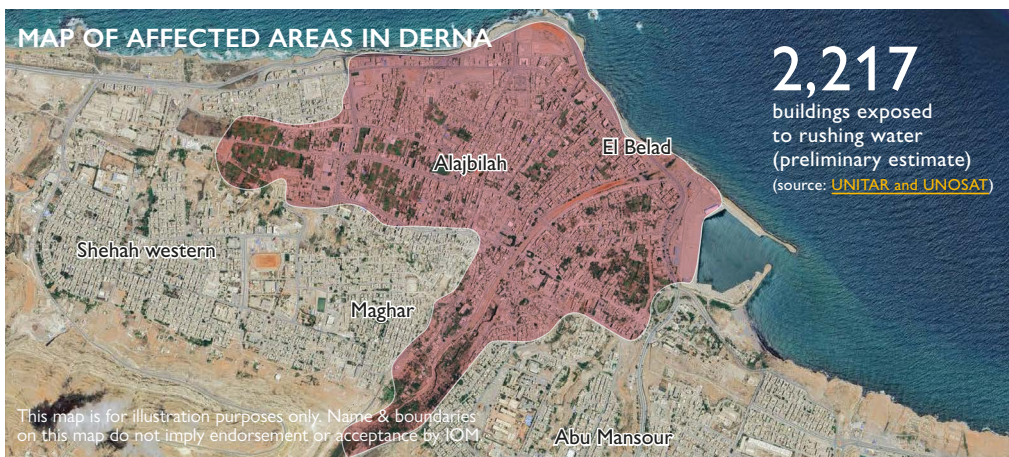
- Over 5,000 are presumed dead, with a total of 3,922 deaths having been registered in hospitals, according to WHO sources. Rescue teams continue their search for survivors.
- The restoration of some roads, which had previously been blocked, is now allowing some individuals affected by the floods to leave the areas hit by Storm Daniel in search of safety, shelter and basic necessities.

DERNA*

30,000 individuals displaced

- The number of displaced individuals (30,000) is likely an underestimation given the limited data available.
- Some displaced households are currently accommodated in three schools: the college of medical technology (935 individuals), Alkhalud school (250 individuals) and Amal school in Al Sahel (1,100 individuals).

- The hospital of Al Wahda in the neighbourhood of Bab Tobruk is the only operational healthcare facility in the eastern part of Derna. It has a functioning generator but there is a shortage of medical staff, (including doctors) and no radiology technician onsite. There is also a lack of antibiotics, painkillers and chronic disease medications (e.g. diabetes, high blood pressure), as well as an urgent need for equipment (e.g. blood pressure monitors, beds, wheelchairs, oxygen cylinders, surgical instruments and body bags).
- There is a severe shortage of drinking water in the city. There are also reports of fuel shortages; adding to the difficulty of transportation given the damage and flooding of the road network.
- There is one road open connecting Benghazi to Derna.
- The telecommunications network has been reestablished in parts of Derna but remains limited and unreliable.
- Many other displaced households are accommodated by host families (some hosting up to five families).



ALBAYDA

3,000 individuals displaced

- According to field reports, around 30,000 individuals have been affected by the damage caused by storm Daniel in Albayda, including at least 3,000 individuals who have been displaced.
- The majority of displaced households are reportedly hosted by relatives in safer neighbourhoods (Al Khenshaa, Sports City, Ijnein, Buhabib and Al Ghariqa), except for a minority who are accommodated at four schools in Albayda (Asmaa Bint Abi Talib, Aisha Mother of Believers, Khaled bin Al Walid and Abdullah bin Al Abbas). These four schools are also ready to host displaced families from Derna, many of whom have already arrived (around 400 individuals) and more are expected as roads are cleared and allow for movement.
- Urgent needs at these schools include bottled water, baby diapers, personal care and female hygiene supplies, blankets, mattresses and cleaning supplies.
- According to field reports, the hospital in Albayda is functioning at 80 per cent of its capacity.
- As of 13 September 2023, the road that enters the city from the south (Al-Ghariqa Bayda road) was not accessible, impeding access to the neighbourhood of Al Tuffah. The roads that enter Albayda to the west and east are functioning and most roads within the town have been drained and are now accessible to vehicles.
- Frequent and lengthy power outages continue to occur.
- There is a lack of fuel throughout the area of Albayda as stocks ran out at petrol stations on 13 September 2023.
- The majority of deaths recorded were males.

ALMARJ & TAKNES

2,595 individuals displaced

- Around 1,500 individuals have been displaced within Almarj and most are hosted by relatives.
- The situation in the city centre of Almarj is mostly back to normal, but many homes were destroyed by the flooding in the surrounding areas of Taknes and Jardas Alabeed, which displaced 1,095 individuals.
- The roads are still reportedly flooded.
- All public and private hospitals are open.

SHAHAT

- Fewer than 20 deaths or missing persons have been reported.
- The neighbourhoods of Shahat centre and Shahat Ancient Monuments (the road to the latter is inaccessible by car) have been most affected.
- Two schools are used as reception centres for IDPs from Derna (Orouba and Zaid bin Tabet schools), where medical care is provided although IDPs are not sheltered in these schools.

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BENHAZI

2,195 individuals displaced

- Around 35 individuals from Derna arrived in Benghazi and are being housed by host families, while the February 17 school in Sidi Khalifa is being readied to be used as a shelter. The school lacks non-food items, such as bedding, covers and cleaning materials.
- An estimated 2,195 individuals have been displaced in Benghazi.

WARDEAH

200 individuals displaced

- There are an estimated 200 IDPs.
- Electricity network is not functioning, and telecommunications are limited.
- Around 30 aid vehicles have arrived, but increased search and rescue capacity remain the critical issue.

SOUSSE

350 individuals displaced

- Individuals displaced are hosted within Soussa with host families as they are unable to leave the town due to road closures.

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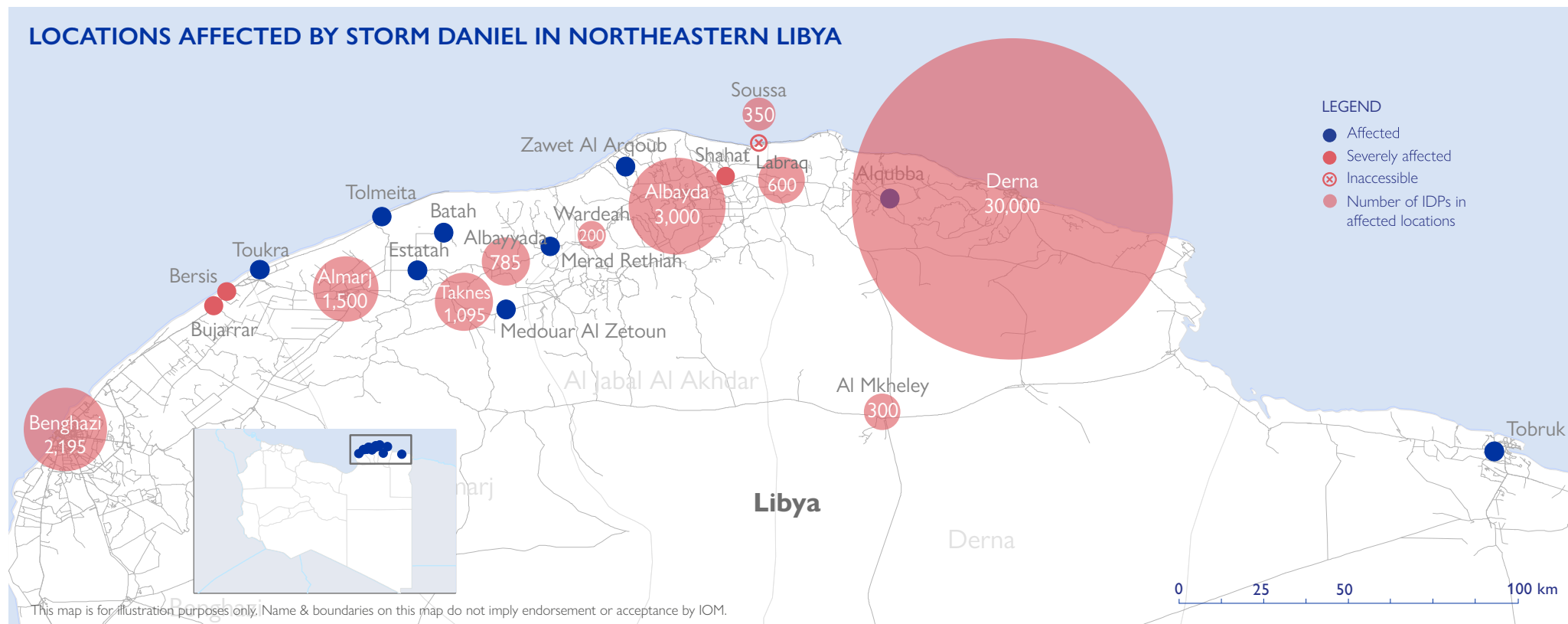
- No displacement, significant damage nor loss of life were reported.
- Electricity and most services are functioning.

AL MKHELEY

300 individuals displaced

- The individuals displaced have reportedly moved back to their homes but all of them are inhabitable highlighting the needs for shelter and non-food items.
- The roads to Al Mkeley are closed and the town is only accessible by the desert roads requiring desert vehicles but a plane with relief items has reportedly landed on 13 September.
- The equipment of the local hospital has been damaged and is currently out of service.

LOCATIONS AFFECTED BY STORM DANIEL IN NORTHEASTERN LIBYA



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