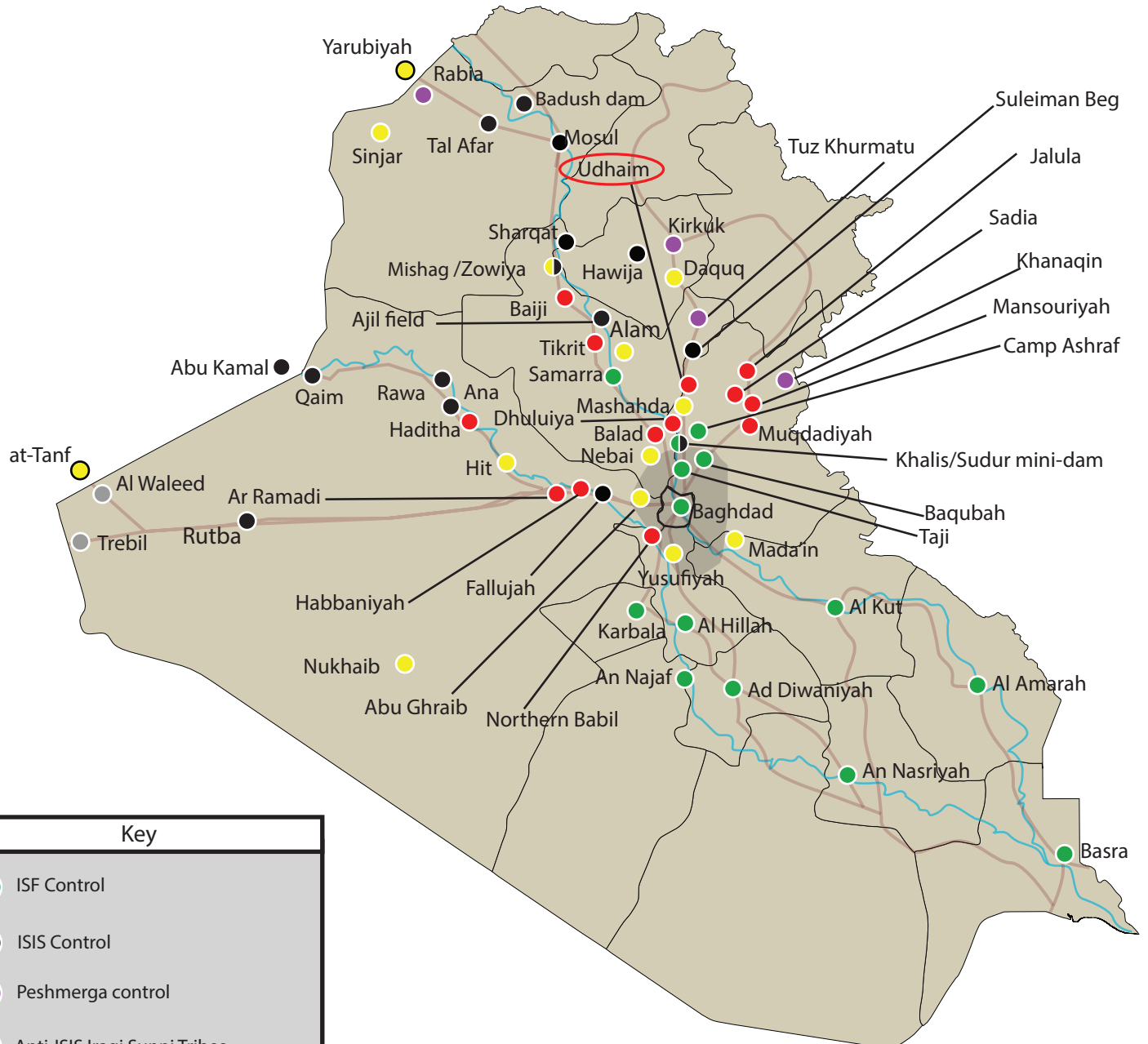
Control of Terrain in Iraq: July 29, 2014



Key

- ISF Control
- ISIS Control
- Peshmerga control
- Anti-ISIS Iraqi Sunni Tribes
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- Areas ISW is watching
- Contested Area
- Changes since last Control Map

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Changes for July 29 update: On June 24, ISW assessed that the area of Udhaim was cleared by the ISF and Iraqi Shi'a militias. On July 28, however, the Defense Ministry announced the start of an operation that has thus far cleared three villages and remains ongoing. The operation appears to be prompted by an increasing number of clashes and IEDs emplaced in the city, which indicates a level of ISIS access to the area that challenges full ISF control. ISW is therefore changing the status of Udhaim from ISF controlled to contested.