

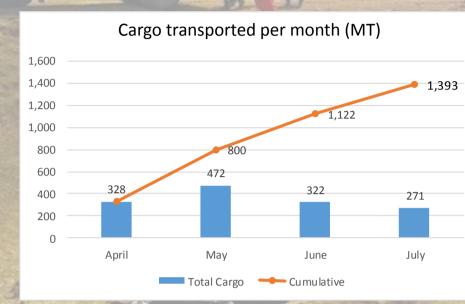


Syria Airdrops so 200950 as of 21 July 2016

Relief items dropped to **Deir Ezzor**

Contributing donors Canada

- High-energy biscuits (HEBs)
- Date bars
- Salt
- Beans
- Chickpeas
- Rice
- Sugar
- Bulgur
- Oil
- Lentils
- Water purification tablets





Challenges

- Air operator availability: there is only one civilian certified air operator willing to operate into Syria;
- Equipment availability: equipment is manufactured to order, thereby extending the delivery lead time;
- Intermittent communication between air crew and ground team;
- Special permissions to access, transport, clear and utilize specialized equipment (dropsonds, pyrotechnics, parachutes);
- Actual wind patterns aloft may differ from forecast reports, thereby affecting drop accuracy.
- Overflight permits are granted only for specific periods of time and the renewal process sometimes affects planned schedules.





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