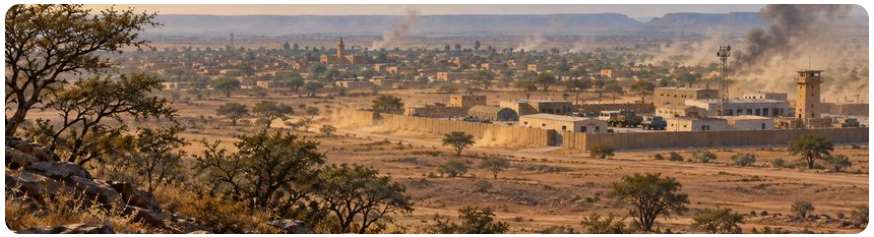
PROJECTOR SLIDE

Djibo military base assault

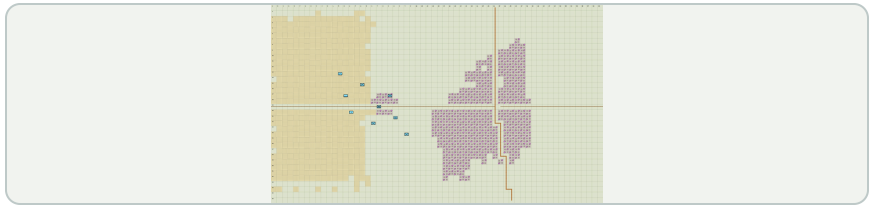
Djibo, Soum Province, Burkina Faso · 26 November 2023

Learning objectives

- Explain how a base could be breached before an air response inflicted losses.
- Distinguish confirmed drone use from conflicting military loss claims.
- Keep civilian protection evidence separate from military scoring.



Scenario illustration · AI generated



Student map · own side only · Simulation situation map · reconstructed terrain and estimated deployments; not verified historical positions.

Run and debrief

3 minutes 20 seconds at 1×. Put five JNIM military assault groups out of action during the base attack and air response. This is a limited damage objective: it does not mean the base was never breached or that the civilian population was protected.

Which result differed from history, and what evidence or model assumption explains it?

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