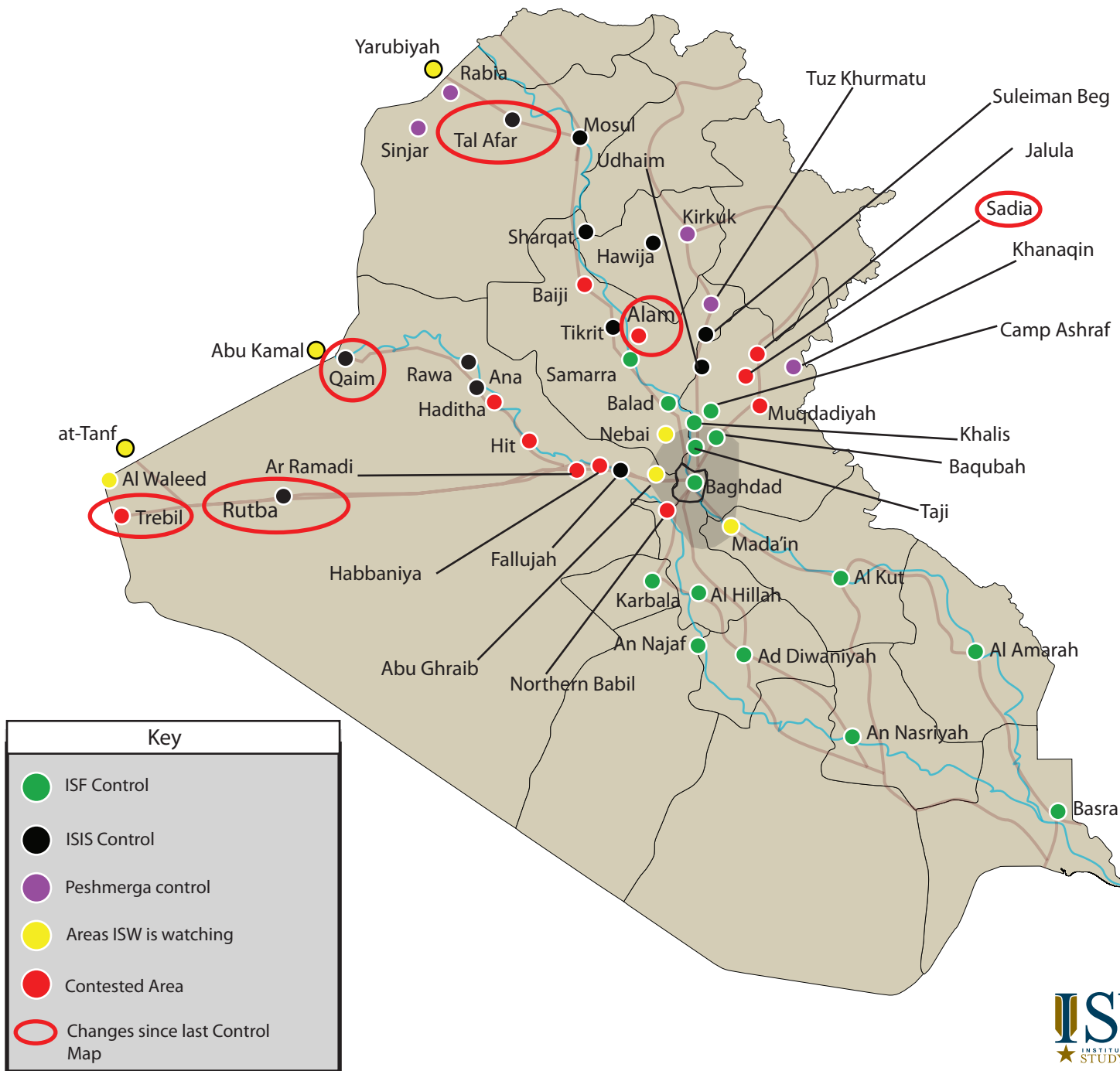


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Sunni insurgents and JRTN still claim offensives in the contested zones. Shi'a militias are active in Samarra, Diyala, and the southern Baghdad Belts. Abu Kamal, on the Syrian side of the border, has remained under Jabhat al-Nusra's control despite ISIS' recent takeover of Qaim in Iraq.

Changes for June 23 update: Tal Afar, in Ninewa province, is under ISIS control. Sadia, in Diyala province, is currently contested with ISIS involved in separate engagements with both the Peshmerga and other armed groups. The Trebil border crossing in Anbar is out of government control and now likely under the control of tribal elements or ISIS. Alam, in Salah ad-Din province, is contested between ISIS and anti-ISIS tribal elements.