



# Weekly Report

## Mali

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- 1** 10 militants killed by Algerian troops near Malian boarder
- 2** Al-Qaeda militants are targeting civilians

### ***10 militants killed by Algerian troops near Malian boarder***

- Algerian troops have killed 10 militant fighters from Mali and Libya during an attempted infiltration by the group.
- Algerian troops seized rocket launchers, rifles, and grenades from the group.
- Source: Reuters  
<http://www.reuters.com/article/2014/05/07/us-algeria-security-idUSBREA4610620140507>

### ***Al-Qaeda militants are targeting civilians***

- Al-Qaeda militants are targeting civilians deemed to be collaborating with French troops as well as a Secular Touareg group.
- Reports indicate that at least 11 people accused of collaborating with the French military operation have died as a result of the last 11 months.
- Source: Magharebia  
[http://magharebia.com/en\\_GB/articles/awi/newsbriefs/general/2014/05/07/newsbrief-05](http://magharebia.com/en_GB/articles/awi/newsbriefs/general/2014/05/07/newsbrief-05)

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*“It was an attempted infiltration by a heavily armed terrorist group with elements from Mali, Libya and Tunisia”. – Algerian President Abdelaziz Bouteflika*

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