



Local mediation dynamics and the elusiveness of peace: Mali as a case study

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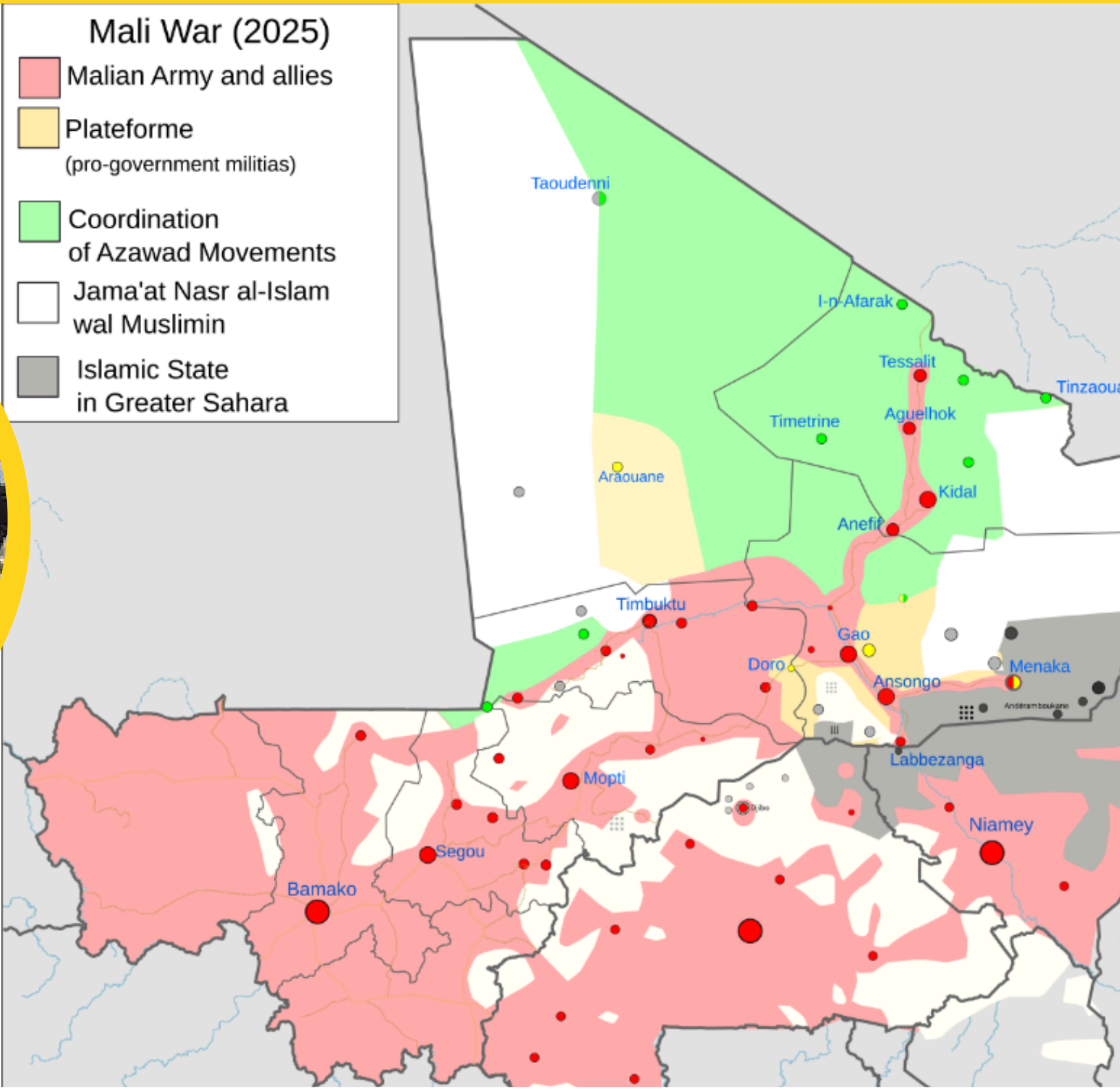
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I. Setting the scene

A history of violence or a legacy of peace and coexistence?
The descent from “donor darling” to “crisis hotspot”

II. Literature review

- Origins of (re)occurrence of the Malian conflicts
- Limitations of RECs/RMs security and peacemaking interventions
- (in)effectiveness of international security and stabilization interventions
- Local mediation, peacemaking, and the political economy of peace and security interventions”



III. Framework



Political economy dynamics, produce a professionalization and NGO-ization of the peacebuilding field in Mali.

IV. Hypothesis

this colonization of space would indirectly marginalize local actor and overlook their inner power struggles, leaving deep-rooted grievances unaddressed.

it will contribute to shaping the conflict as recurrent cycles of violent localized conflict and ignore broader structures of insecurity and absence of the role of the state.

V. Findings

