

# US Mercenaries in Yemen: Blackwater Group Abandons Taiz War Front in West Yemen

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*The U.S. based Blackwater Group has reportedly abandoned the Ta'iz front in western Yemen after suffering heavy casualties over the last two months while fighting alongside the Saudi-led Coalition forces and the Hadi loyalists.*

Local activists have reported this news after they intercepted a communication between Blackwater officers and members of the Saudi-led Coalition in the coastal province of Ta'iz.

In a matter of two months, the Blackwater Group has lost well over 100 casualties at the volatile Ta'iz front, including operatives from a dozen countries around the world.

Most of the Blackwater operatives killed in Yemen were believed to be from Colombia and Argentina; however, there were also casualties from the United States (U.S.), Australia, and France.

Blackwater Group's withdrawal from the Ta'iz Governorate comes just four days after the Houthis and the Yemeni Army's 48th Brigade of the Republican Guard seized Jabal Al-Shabakah.

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