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**13-26 October 2014:**

**EU-wide “sweep” undocumented migrants:  
The Joint Operation (JO) “MOS MAIORUM”**

**Update 3: Summary of Web, media coverage (15.10.14)**

see for latest News: <http://www.statewatch.org/news/newsfull.htm>

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Statewatch News Online:

**On Monday 13 October, the EU's latest migrant hunt begins:**

<http://www.statewatch.org/news/2014/oct/migrant-hunt.htm>

**and Council of the European Union document on the operation: The Joint Operation (JO) “MOS MAIORUM”** (LIMITE document, that is, not public):

<http://www.statewatch.org/news/2014/sep/eu-council-2014-07-10-11671-mos-maioum-jpo.pdf>

**13 October: SPECIAL REPORT: Joint Operation "Mos Maiorum" starts:**

<http://www.statewatch.org/news/2014/oct/eu-operation-mos-maiorum.htm>

## **EU/International**

*Africanews.eu* (3)

MEPs condemn police operation to hunt irregular immigrants

<http://www.africa-news.eu/immigration-news/italy/6274-meps-condemn-police-operation-to-hunt-irregular-immigrants.html>

Frontex denies involvement in operation to hunt irregular immigrants

<http://www.africa-news.eu/immigration-news/italy/6273-frontex-denies-involvement-in-operation-to-hunt-irregular-immigrants.html>

Massive police operation to hunt irregular immigrants kicks off today

<http://www.africa-news.eu/immigration-news/italy/6272-massive-police-operation-to-hunt-irregular-immigrants-kicks-off-today.html>

*Euronews*

European police begin controversial hunt for thousands of 'irregular' migrants, by Sarah Joanne Taylor

<http://www.euronews.com/2014/10/13/european-police-begin-controversial-hunt-for-thousands-of-irregular-migrants-/>

*Euobserver*

Police launch EU-wide crackdown on migrants, Nikolaj Nielsen

<http://euobserver.com/justice/126049>

*Map Mos Maiorum!* Initiative for reporting events. Calls for witnesses to report events, collecting and collating this material into a mapping exercise.

<http://map.nadir.org/>

*Vice News*

Europe Launches Secretive Probe of Migrant Smuggling Networks, by Melodie Bouchaud

<https://news.vice.com/article/europe-launches-secretive-probe-of-migrant-smuggling-networks>

## **Austria**

*Radio Helsinki*

Reisewarnung für Flüchtende

<http://helsinki.at/news/reisewarnung-fuer-fluechtende>

## **Belgium**

*Indymedia Brussel*

13>26 octobre : Mos Maiorum - Opération européenne de contrôles des migrations dites "illégalles" - Europese controle-operatie tegen "illegale" migraties

<http://bxl.indymedia.org/spip.php?article5442&lang=fr>

*RTBF*

Mos Maiorum: 14 jours de lutte contre l'immigration clandestine

[http://www.rtbf.be/info/dossier/euranetplus/detail\\_mos-maiorum-14-jours-de-lutte-contre-l-immigration-clandestine?id=8377584](http://www.rtbf.be/info/dossier/euranetplus/detail_mos-maiorum-14-jours-de-lutte-contre-l-immigration-clandestine?id=8377584)

## France

*Mediapart* – finir de Rire blog

13 octobre 2014 : ouverture de la chasse aux sans papiers en Europe, by Martine and Jean-Claude Vernier

<http://blogs.mediapart.fr/blog/fini-de-rire/101014/13-octobre-2014-ouverture-de-la-chasse-aux-sans-papiers-en-europe>

*RFI*

«Mos Maiorum»: l'UE lance une vaste opération contre les sans-papiers

<http://www.rfi.fr/europe/20141014-operation-union-europeenne-migrants-clandestins-schengen-lampedusa-filieres-clandestines-mos-maiorum/>

## Germany

*AG Friedensforschung. Veranstalter des Friedenpolitischen Ratschlags*

Reisewarnung für die EU. Nächste Woche beginnt in 25 EU-Staaten die Operation "Mos maiorum". Es ist die bisher größte Kontrollaktion gegen "unerwünschte Migranten", by Matthias Monroy

<http://www.ag-friedensforschung.de/themen/Migration1/eu5.html>

*Andrej Hunko*

Fragen an die Bundesregierung. Antwort auf die mündliche Frage zur Beteiligung deutscher Polizeien an der europaweiten Polizeioperation „Mos Maiorum“

<http://www.andrej-hunko.de/bt/fragen/2241-antwort-auf-die-muendliche-frage-zur-beteiligung-deutscher-polizeien-an-der-europaweiten-polizeioperation-mos-maiorum>

*Bayrischer Rundfunk*

Fahndung nach Flüchtlingen ohne Papiere – video, police controls on migrants at Munich station

<http://www.br.de/mediathek/video/sendungen/nachrichten/aktion-mos-maiorum-100.html>

*Berliner Zeitung*

Verschärfte Kontrollen EU-Länder wollen Illegale aufspüren

<http://www.berliner-zeitung.de/politik/verschaeefte-kontrollen-eu-laender-wollen-illegale-aufspueren,10808018,28714484.html>

*Bundesjustizportal*

Thomas Klein (German Left Party in the Federal State of Hessen), Europaweite Polizeiaktion ‚Mos Maiorum‘: Abschreckungs- und Abschottungspolitik gegenüber

Flüchtlingen muss ein Ende haben <http://bundesjustizportal.de/hessen/item/801-europaweite-polizeiaktion-%E2%80%9Aamos-maiorum%E2%80%98-abschreckungs-und-abschottungspolitik-gegen%C3%BCber-fl%C3%BChtlingen-muss-ein-ende-haben.html>

*Detektor.fm*

"Europaweite Flüchtlingsjagd"

<http://detektor.fm/politik/mos-maiorum-europas-fluechtlingskontrollen>

*Die Welt*

EU-weite Fahndung nach illegalen Einwanderern auch im Südwesten

<http://www.welt.de/regionales/baden-wuerttemberg/article133267653/EU-weite-Fahndung-nach-illegalen-Einwanderern-auch-im-Suedwesten.html>

*DNN - Dresdner Neueste Nachrichten*

„Mos Maiorum“: Europaweite Kontrollen von Flüchtlingen auch in Sachsen

<http://www.dnn-online.de/web/dnn/specials/polizeiticker/detail/-/specific/Mos-Maiorum-Europaweite-Kontrollen-von-Fluechtlingen-auch-in-Sachsen-503556640>

*mdrAKTUELL*

Polizei kontrolliert Flüchtlinge in Mitteldeutschland -

[http://www.mdr.de/nachrichten/polizeikontrolle-mos-maiorum100\\_zc-e9a9d57e\\_zs-6c4417e7.html](http://www.mdr.de/nachrichten/polizeikontrolle-mos-maiorum100_zc-e9a9d57e_zs-6c4417e7.html)

*N24*

Operation "Mos Maiorum" – Europa macht Jagd auf illegale Einwanderer -

<http://www.n24.de/n24/Nachrichten/Politik/d/5547716/europa-macht-jagd-auf-illegale-einwanderer.html>

*report-k Kölns Internetzeitung*

Hauptbahnhof Köln: Demonstration gegen EU-weite Polizeiaktion "Mos Maiorum", about a demo in Cologne central station, by Daniel Deininger

<http://www.report-k.de/Koeln/Lokales/Hauptbahnhof-Koeln-Demonstration-gegen-EU-weite-Polizeiaktion-Mos-Maiorum-35731>

*Tagesschau* (television news programme)

25 Länder suchen illegale Einwanderer

<http://www.tagesschau.de/ausland/mos-maiorum-101.html>

*Vice (Deutschland)*

Die Jagd auf Flüchtlinge ist eröffnet—europaweit, by Matern Boeselager,  
<http://www.vice.com/de/read/die-jagd-auf-flchtlinge-ist-seit-heute-eroeffnet-europaweit-277>

## Italy

*Beppe De Leonardis blog*

L'Europa e i nuovi barbari - Durante la presidenza italiana. Per l'Europa i 'sans papiers' sono barbari

<http://beppedeleonardis.blogspot.co.uk/>

*Consiglio Italiano per i Rifugiati*

Mos Maiorum: l'arma per abolire Mare Nostrum

[http://www.cir-onlus.org/index.php?option=com\\_content&view=article&id=1454:mos-maiorum-l-arma-per-abolire-mare-nostrum&catid=13&Itemid=143&lang=it](http://www.cir-onlus.org/index.php?option=com_content&view=article&id=1454:mos-maiorum-l-arma-per-abolire-mare-nostrum&catid=13&Itemid=143&lang=it)

*Contropiano*

Migranti: parte la maxi retata etnica e razzista Mos Maiorum

<http://contropiano.org/politica/item/26867-migranti-parte-la-maxi-retata-etnica-e-razzista-mos-maiorum>

*MicroMega*

Una mega-retata di migranti. Classicheggiante, però, by Annamaria Rivera

<http://temi.repubblica.it/micromega-online/una-mega-retata-di-migranti-classicheggiante-pero/>

*NAGA*

Comunicato stampa: La Grande Retata

<http://www.meltingpot.org/La-Grande-Retata.html#.VDx76UCTneJ>

*Stranieri in Campania. Servizio regionale di mediazione culturale*

'Mos Maiorum', da oggi fino al 26 ottobre parte la stretta sui controlli alle frontiere

<http://www.stranieriincampania.it/wp/mos-maiorum-da-oggi-fino-al-26-ottobre-parte-la-stretta-sui-controlli-alle-frontiere/>

## Malta

*Malta Today*

EU states launch controversial police hunt for irregular migrants. Mos Maiorum is to be coordinated by the Italian Ministry of the Interior's Central Directorate for Immigration and

Border Police, in "close cooperation" with the EU's border control agency Front, Matthew Vella

[http://www.maltatoday.com.mt/news/world/44915/ eu\\_states\\_launch\\_controversial\\_police\\_hunt\\_for\\_irregular\\_migrants#.VDxrPUCTnel](http://www.maltatoday.com.mt/news/world/44915/ eu_states_launch_controversial_police_hunt_for_irregular_migrants#.VDxrPUCTnel)

## **Spain**

*Press statement by 37 associations in the Spanish State*

ANTE LA REDADA EUROPEA CONTRA PERSONAS MIGRANTES 'MOS MAIORUM' PREVISTA DEL 13 AL 26 DE OCTUBRE:

<http://www.statewatch.org/news/2014/oct/Comunicado-entidades-sobre-operacin-Mos-Maiorum-12-10-14.pdf>

*Diagonal*

El Gobierno español participa en la llamada "caza del migrante"

<https://www.diagonalperiodico.net/global/24254-gobierno-espanol-participa-la-llamada-caza-del-migrante.html>

*El Periodic*

Grave inquietud en cuanto a posibles vulneraciones de derechos humanos de la operación "Mos Maiorum"

[http://www.elperiodic.com/requena/noticias/330036\\_grave-inquietud-cuanto-posibles-vulneraciones-derechos-humanos-operacion-mos-maiorum.html](http://www.elperiodic.com/requena/noticias/330036_grave-inquietud-cuanto-posibles-vulneraciones-derechos-humanos-operacion-mos-maiorum.html)

*Europa Press (2)*

Frontex sólo participará en la operación contra la inmigración irregular 'Mos Maiorum' para dar apoyo estadístico

<http://www.europapress.es/sociedad/noticia-frontex-solo-participara-operacion-contra-inmigracion-irregular-mos-maiorum-dar-apoyo-estadistico-20141013192239.html>

Unión Progresista de Fiscales se suma a las críticas contra la operación contra la inmigración irregular 'Mos Maiorum'

<http://www.europapress.es/epsocial/inmigracion-00329/noticia-union-progresista-fiscales-suma-criticas-contra-operacion-contra-inmigracion-irregular-mos-maiorum-20141013174955.html>

*KAOS en la Red*

Alerta inmigrantes

[http://www.kaosenlared.net/index.php?option=com\\_k2&view=item&id=97873:alerta-inmigrantes](http://www.kaosenlared.net/index.php?option=com_k2&view=item&id=97873:alerta-inmigrantes)

## *Para inmigrantes*

“Mos Maiorum”: comienza el operativo de detención a inmigrantes irregulares

<http://www.parainmigrantes.info/mos-maiorum-comienza-el-operativo-de-detencion-a-inmigrantes-irregulares-483/>

## *Publico*

Cerca de 40 ONG alertan de posibles "redadas racistas" contra inmigrantes

<http://www.publico.es/actualidad/550027/cerca-de-40-ong-alertan-de-posibles-redadas-racistas-contra-inmigrantes>

## *Queda la palabra*

Press coverage and campaigns, including video messages by actors saying “Come for me” in response to the JPO and campaign to monitor the police’s behaviour around the country

<http://www.quedalapalabra.com/2014/10/operacion-mos-maiorum-la-caza-europea.html>

## *Telecinco (television news)*

Frontex sólo participará en la operación contra la inmigración irregular 'Mos Maiorum' para dar apoyo estadístico

[http://www.telecinco.es/informativos/sociedad/Frontex-participara-inmigracion-Mos-Maiorum\\_0\\_1875300501.html](http://www.telecinco.es/informativos/sociedad/Frontex-participara-inmigracion-Mos-Maiorum_0_1875300501.html)

## **Sweden**

### *Anna Troberg*

EU förklarar jaktsäsongen på papperslösa inledd

<http://www.annatroberg.se/2014/10/10/eu-forklara-jaktsasongen-pa-papperslosa-inledd/>

*Demonstration mot hetsjakt på papperslösa! (Mos Maiorum)-Malmö-2014-10-13*

Video of the Demo in Malmö

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6-Mlr8sUzTU>

### *Omni*

V-kritik mot Reva-insats: "Vill sluta gränserna"

<http://omni.se/topic/e21946c7b0370d8cb65e71b0ed59c260b939eb2a>

## **Switzerland**

### *Corriere del Ticino*

Europa, via a "Mos Maiorum". Con questa operazione le forze di Polizia cercheranno di bloccare migranti irregolari

<http://www.cdt.ch/mondo/cronaca/116807/europa-via-a-mos-maiorum.html>

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