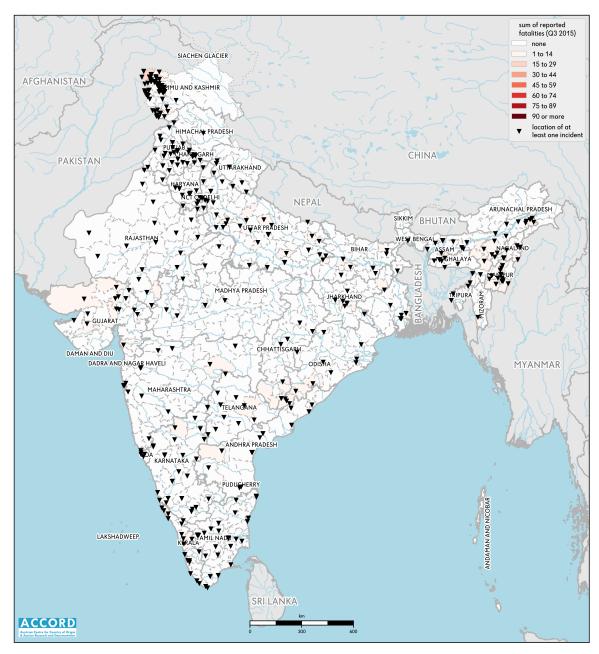
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National borders: GADM, November 2015a; administrative divisions: GADM, November 2015b; Bhutan/China border status: CIA, 2012; China/India border status: CIA, 2006; Kashmir border status: CIA, 2004; geodata of disputed borders: GADM, November 2015a; Natural Earth, undated; incident data: ACLED, undated; coastlines and inland waters: Smith and Wessel, 1 May 2015

Conflict incidents by category

category	number of incidents	sum of fatalities
riots/protests	882	20
battle	141	153
violence against civilians	58	48
non-violent activities	11	0
remote violence	8	3
total	1100	224

This table is based on data from the Armed Conflict Location & Event Data Project (datasets used: ACLED, undated).

Development of conflict incidents from September 2013 to September 2015



This graph is based on data from the Armed Conflict Location & Event Data Project (datasets used: ACLED, undated).

LOCALIZATION OF CONFLICT INCIDENTS

<u>Note:</u> The following list is an overview of the incident data included in the ACLED dataset. More details are available in the actual dataset (date, location data, event type, involved actors, information sources, etc.). In the following list, the names of event locations are taken from ACLED, while the administrative region names are taken from GADM data which serves as the basis for the map above. Data on incidents on the Siachen Glacier are not reflected in this update.

In Andhra Pradesh, 35 incidents killing 2 people were reported. The following locations were affected: Anantapur, Chandragiri, Chinnapuram, Guntur, Kakinada, Kurnool, Ongole, Siribala, Tirupati, Vijayawada, Visakhapatnam.

In Assam, 47 incidents killing 17 people were reported. The following locations were affected: Bijni, Bordubi, Chirang, Dibrugarh, Dima Hasao, Diphu, Doomdooma, Gohpur, Golaghat, Golakganj, Greater Noida, Guwahati, Hatikali, Jorhat, Kakopothar, Karimganj, Kokrajhar, Lakhimpur, Mangaldoi, Pengeri, Silchar, Tihu, Tinsukia.

In **Bihar**, **16** incidents killing **6** people were reported. The following locations were affected: **Banka**, **Bihar Sharif**, **Buxar**, **Gaya**, **Kasba**, **Kishangan**j, **Patna**, **Shahjadpur**.

In Chandigarh, 19 incidents killing 0 people were reported. The following location was affected: Chandigarh.

In Chhattisgarh, 10 incidents killing 5 people were reported. The following locations were affected: Bastar, Chhattisgarh, Korba, Raigarh, Raipur, Sukma.

In Goa, 5 incidents killing 0 people were reported. The following locations were affected: Madgaon, Mapuca, Panaji, Ponda, Vasco Da Gama.

In Gujarat, 20 incidents killing 14 people were reported. The following locations were affected: Ahmedabad, Godhra, Himatnagar, Jamnagar, Kalol, Mehsana, Morbi, Palanpur, Rajkot, Rancharda, Rapar, Surat, Visnagar.

In Haryana, 33 incidents killing 0 people were reported. The following locations were affected: Ambala, Baniyani, Chandigarh, Dadri, Gurgaon, Hansi, Haryana, Hisar, Mahendergarh, Manesar, Naraingarh, Palwal, Panchkula, Rohtak, Sirsa, Sonipat, Yamunanangar.

In Himachal Pradesh, 1 incident killing 0 people was reported. The following location was affected: Sainj.

In Jammu and Kashmir, 162 incidents killing 67 people were reported. The following locations were affected: Akhnoor, Anantnag, Arnia, Asmuji, Awantipora, Balakote, Bandipore, Baramulla, Basantgarh, Bhimbergali, Boniyar, Budgam, Bugam, Chenani, Dogripora, Gulpur, Gurez, Hamirpur, Handwara, Jammu, Kakapora, Kanachack, Karimbad, Keran, Khrew, Kishtwar, Krishna Ghati, Kulgam, Ladoora, Langate, Lolab, Mandi, Mankote, Mendhar, Nowgam, Nowhatta, Pallanwala, Pargwal, Pattan, Poonch, Pulwama, Rafiabad, Rajouri, Rajpora, Ranbir Singh Pura, Ratnipora, Saderkoot, Sagipora, Salotri, Samba, Sogam, Sophian, Sopore, Srinagar, Tangdhar, Tral, Trenz, Uri, Wussan.

In **Jharkhand**, 16 incidents killing 9 people were reported. The following locations were affected: **Chainpur**, **Hazaribagh**, **Jamshedpur**, **Jharkhand**, **Kisko**, **Mandar**, **Ranchi**, **Raneshwar**.

In Karnataka, 103 incidents killing 4 people were reported. The following locations were affected: Bagalkot, Bangalore, Belgaum, Bellary, Beltangadi Taluk, Bidar, Bijapur, Chitradurga, Davangere, Dharwad, Gulbarga, Hassan, Hubli, Hyderabad, Jaipur, Koppal, Mandya, Mangalore, Mysore, Raichur, Shimoga, Shrirangapattana, Thiruvananthapuram, Udupi, Uppinangady, Yadgir.

In Kerala, 40 incidents killing 5 people were reported. The following locations were affected: Ajanur, Ayarkunnam, Azhikode, Kalpetta, Kannur, Kasaragod, Kochi, Kollam, Kottayam, Kumarakom, Kurichy, Malappuram, Manarcadu, Munnar, Palakkad, Pattambi, Pulpally, Shimoga, Thiruvananthapuram, Thrissur, Trichur.

In Madhya Pradesh, 29 incidents killing 0 people were reported. The following locations were affected: Badnawar, Bhopal, Gwalior, Indore, Kota, Madhya Pradesh, Sitapur.

In Maharashtra, 33 incidents killing 1 person were reported. The following locations were affected: Bandra, Dhule, Harsul, Jalgaon, Mumbai, Nagpur, Nashik, Pandharpur, Pen, Pune, Thane, Uttur, Vidarbha.

In Manipur, 57 incidents killing 21 people were reported. The following locations were affected: Aimol Ngairong, Bishnupur, Churachandpur, Heirok, Imphal, Kakching, Kangpokpi, Lamphelpat, Moreh, Motjang, Nungba, Senapati, Tamenglong, Thoubal.

In Meghalaya, 10 incidents killing 2 people were reported. The following locations were affected: Rajapukhuri, Rengregre, Resubelpara, Rongara, Rongjeng, Samanda, Shillong, Tura, Williamnagar.

In Mizoram, 1 incident killing 1 person was reported. The following location was affected: Chawngte.

In NCT of Delhi, 55 incidents killing 0 people were reported. The following location was affected: Delhi.

In Nagaland, 10 incidents killing 31 people were reported. The following locations were affected: Avangkhu, Dimapur, Khekiho, Kohima, Longsa, Noklak, Puliebadze, Tuensang.

In Odisha, 15 incidents killing 11 people were reported. The following locations were affected: Anandpur, Bhejaguda, Bhubaneswar, Chitrkonda, Cuttack, Jharsuguda, Kandhamal, Malkangiri, Nuapada, Rayagada, Soroda.

In Puducherry, 9 incidents killing 0 people were reported. The following location was affected: Puducherry.

In Punjab, 99 incidents killing 4 people were reported. The following locations were affected: Abohar, Ajitgarh, Amritsar, Baghapurana, Barnala, Bathinda, Firozpur, Gurdaspur, Hajipur, Jagraon, Jalandhar, Ludhiana, Malerkotla, Mansa, Moga, Mohali, Mullanpur, Nabha, Nurmahal, Pathankot, Patiala, Punjab, Rupnagar, Sahibzada Ajit Singh Nagar, Samrouli, Sangrur, Tarn Taran.

In Rajasthan, 45 incidents killing 0 people were reported. The following locations were affected: Ajmer, Alwar, Barmer, Deedwana, Jaipur, Jaisalmer, Jhalawar, Jodhpur, Karnal, Kota, Lunawada, Mandya, Rajsamand, Sardarshahar, Suratgarh, Udaipur, Uniara.

In Tamil Nadu, 82 incidents killing 0 people were reported. The following locations were affected: Chennai, Coimbatore, Cuddalore, Dindigul, Erode, Kanniyakumari, Kodungaiyur, Madurai, Mannargudi, Nagercoil, Namakkal, Pudukkottai, Ramanathapuram, Salem, Singanallur, Srirangam, Thanjavur, Theni, Tiruchchirappalli, Tiruchirappalli, Tirunelveli, Tiruppur, Tiruvannamalai, Tuticorin, Vellore.

In Telangana, 19 incidents killing 2 people were reported. The following locations were affected: Adilabad,

Hassan, Hyderabad, Karimnagar, Khammam, Mahabubnagar, Mahbubnagar, Medak, Nalgonda, Nizamabad, Warangal.

In **Tripura**, **7** incidents killing **0** people were reported. The following locations were affected: **Agartala**, **Dharmanagar**, **Hurua**.

In Uttar Pradesh, 55 incidents killing 20 people were reported. The following locations were affected: Agra, Allahabad, Ambedkarnagar, Azamgarh, Ballia, Basti, Bulandshahr, Deoria, Dewa, Etah, Firozabad, Gonda, Gorakhpur, Greater Noida, Gurdaspur, Kakopothar, Kannauj, Kanpur, Kotwali, Lucknow, Mahoba, Meerut, Mehmudabad, Noida, Pratapgarh, Saharanpur, Shamli, Sitapur, Varanasi.

In **Uttarakhand**, 40 incidents killing 1 person were reported. The following locations were affected: **Dehadrun**, **Dehradun**, **Kashipur**, **Mussoorie**, **Nainital**, **Pauri**, **Roorkee**, **Sitarganj**.

In **West Bengal**, **27** incidents killing **1** person were reported. The following locations were affected: **Ashokenagar**, **Burdwan**, **English Bazar**, **Habra**, **Howrah**, **Jalpaiguri**, **Kolkata**, **Titagarh**.

METHODOLOGY

The data used in this report was collected by the Armed Conflict Location & Event Data Project (ACLED). ACLED collects data on reported conflict events in selected African and Asian countries, India being among them. ACLED researchers collect event data from a variety of sources and code them by date, location, agent, and event type. For further details on ACLED and for the full data, see www.acleddata.com und Raleigh; Linke; Hegre, and Karlsen, 2010.

Based on these data, the Austrian Centre for Country of Origin & Asylum Research and Documentation (ACCORD) compiles updates on conflict incidents.

Incidents comprise the following categories: battle, headquarters or base established, non-violent activity by a conflict actor, riots/protests, violence against civilians, non-violent transfer of territory, remote violence. For details on these categories, please see

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Most of the data collected by ACLED is gathered based on publicly available, secondary reports. It may therefore underestimate the volume of events. Fatality data particularly is vulnerable to bias and inaccurate reporting, and ACLED uses the most conservative estimate available. Furthermore, event data may be revised or complemented in future updates. The lack of information on an event in this report does not permit the inference that it did not take place. The boundaries and names displayed do not imply endorsement or acceptance by the Austrian Red Cross.

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