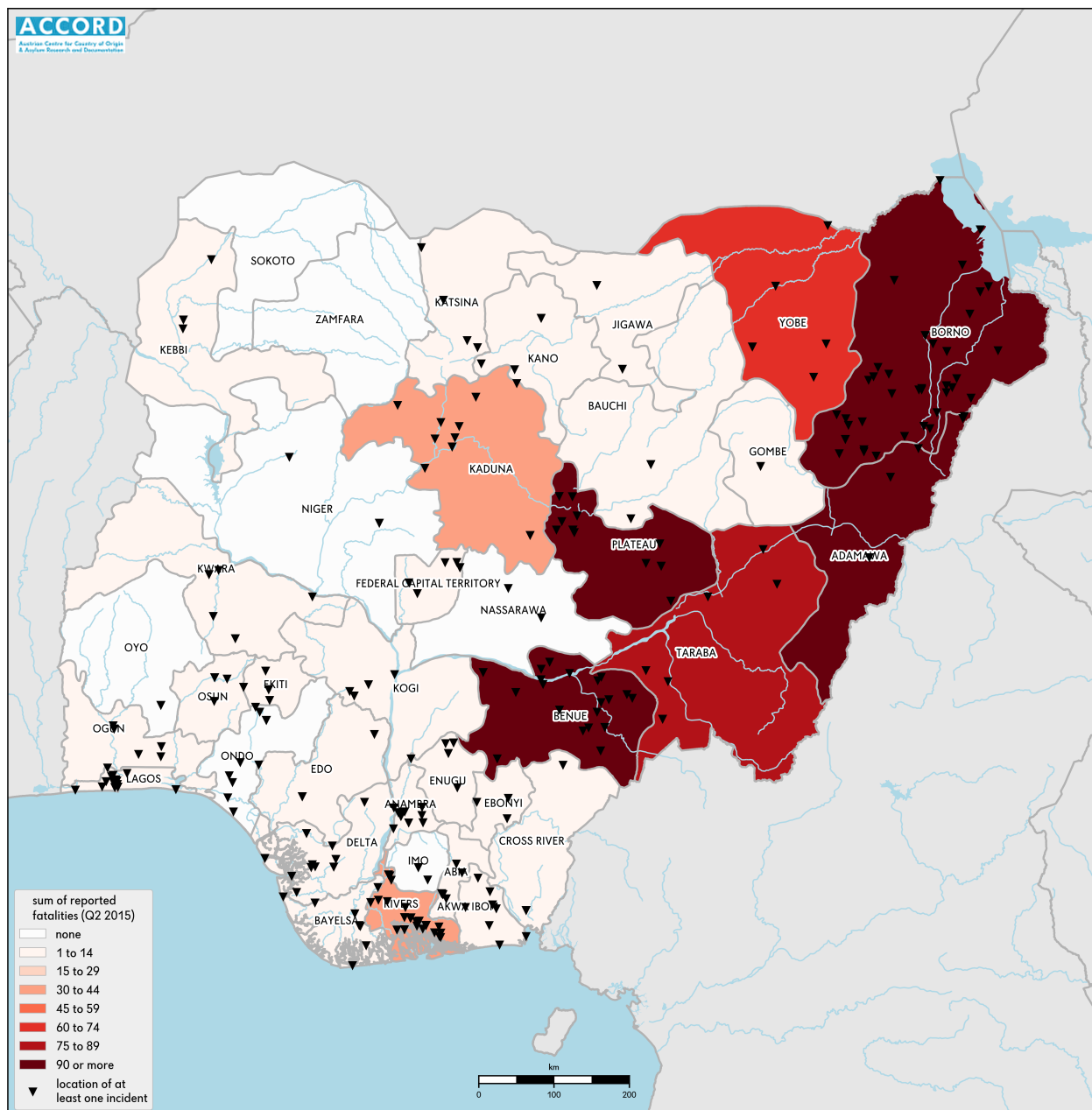


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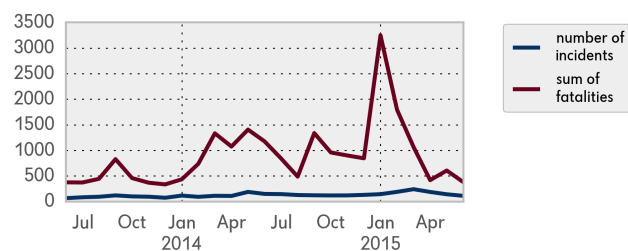
National borders: [GADM, November 2015a](#); administrative divisions: [GADM, November 2015b](#); incident data: [ACLED, 14 November 2015](#); coastlines and inland waters: [Smith and Wessel, 1 May 2015](#)

Conflict incidents by category

category	number of incidents	sum of fatalities
riots/protests	200	4
violence against civilians	142	921
battle	71	354
non-violent activities	16	5
remote violence	11	120
total	440	1404

This table is based on data from the Armed Conflict Location & Event Data Project (datasets used: [ACLED, 14 November 2015](#)).

Development of conflict incidents from June 2013 to June 2015



This graph is based on data from the Armed Conflict Location & Event Data Project (datasets used: [ACLED, undated](#), [ACLED, 14 November 2015](#)).

LOCALIZATION OF CONFLICT INCIDENTS

Note: 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.

In **Abia**, 9 incidents killing 1 person were reported. The following locations were affected: **Aba, Oboro District Court, Osisioma, Umu Akpara, Umuahia.**

In **Adamawa**, 9 incidents killing 90 people were reported. The following locations were affected: **Gombi, Kamburo Karaga, Madagali, Uda, Yola.**

In **Akwa Ibom**, 9 incidents killing 5 people were reported. The following locations were affected: **Ibendo, Mbiabong Etoi, Ndiya, Odoro-Ikpe, Oko Ita, Qua Iboe Terminal, Utu Etim Ekpo, Uyo.**

In **Anambra**, 21 incidents killing 4 people were reported. The following locations were affected: **Agulu, Awka, Ekwulobia, Nkpor, Nnewi, Obosi, Ochucho-Umuodo, Ogid, Onitsha.**

In **Bauchi**, 4 incidents killing 2 people were reported. The following locations were affected: **Bauchi, Bogoro.**

In **Bayelsa**, 10 incidents killing 2 people were reported. The following locations were affected: **Agge, Biseni, Brass, Ekeremor, Mbiama, Nembe, Ogbia, Otuaka, Yenagoa.**

In **Benue**, 25 incidents killing 204 people were reported. The following locations were affected: **Abur, Adikpo, Agberga, Gbajimba, Gbanu, Gusa, Igumale, Iorzaa, Kanshio, Katsina-Ala, Kurungu, Kyado, Lessel, Makurdi, Naka, Obangedde, Tse Vir, Ugba, Ukura, Zaki Biam.**

In **Borno**, 66 incidents killing 664 people were reported. The following locations were affected: **Afa, Alafa, Alagarno, Alau, Askira, Azare, Baga, Bale, Biu, Buratai, Dala, Damboa, Dille, Garkida, Gubio, Gur, Gwoza, Huyum, Izge-Lamsu, Jakana, Kafa, Kirinowa, Konduga, Kwajaffa Babur, Mafa, Maiduguri, Malam Fatori, Marte, Maudori, Monguno, Musari, Sambisa Forest Rese*, Shettimari, Tashon Alade, Tokombere, Yajjwa.**

In **Cross River**, 8 incidents killing 4 people were reported. The following locations were affected: **Calabar, Okuku.**

In **Delta**, 16 incidents killing 6 people were reported. The following locations were affected: **Asaba, Eku, Eriemu, Isoko Camps, Ogbe-Ijoh, Ovwian, Sapele, Ugborodo, Ughelli, Urhobos, Warri.**

In **Ebonyi**, 3 incidents killing 2 people were reported. The following locations were affected: **Abakaliki, Ezza-Agu, Ikwo.**

In **Edo**, 11 incidents killing 6 people were reported. The following locations were affected: **Benin City, Fugar, Idanre.**

In **Ekiti**, 11 incidents killing 2 people were reported. The following locations were affected: **Ado-Ekiti, Efon-Alaiye, Ido Ekiti, Ikere.**

In **Enugu**, 9 incidents killing 5 people were reported. The following locations were affected: **Enugu, Enugu-Ezike, Itchi, Nsukka, Ofu, River.**

In **Federal Capital Territory**, 27 incidents killing 2 people were reported. The following locations were affected: **Abuja, Dafa, Kubwa, Kundu, Mpape.**

In **Gombe**, 1 incident killing 5 people was reported. The following location was affected: **Gombe.**

In **Imo**, 9 incidents killing 0 people were reported. The following locations were affected: **Nmu Neke, Owerri.**

In **Jigawa**, 2 incidents killing 1 person were reported. The following locations were affected: **Birnin Kudu, Garki.**

In **Kaduna**, 15 incidents killing 41 people were reported. The following locations were affected: **Birnin-Gwari, Buruku, Chikun, Jemaa, Kaduna, Rigacikun, Sabon Birni, Sabon Birnin Yero, Ungwan Barnawa, Zaria.**

In **Kano**, 5 incidents killing 1 person were reported. The following locations were affected: **Gidan Rogo, Kano, Tukurwa.**

In **Katsina**, 4 incidents killing 12 people were reported. The following locations were affected: **Dan Musa, Malumfashi, Rigoji, Shimfida.**

In **Kebbi**, 3 incidents killing 7 people were reported. The following locations were affected: **Argungu, Bayan Dutse, Suru.**

In **Kogi**, 5 incidents killing 6 people were reported. The following locations were affected: **Lokoja, Ogaminana, Okene, Osara.**

In **Kwara**, 8 incidents killing 6 people were reported. The following locations were affected: **Ajasse Ipo, Aro, Illorin, Illorin Native Area, Pategi.**

In **Lagos**, 35 incidents killing 2 people were reported. The following locations were affected: **Abule Ijesha, Alakuko, Apapa, Badagry, Ebute-Lekki, Ebute-Metta, Ijegun, Ikeja, Ikorodu, Itire, Lagos, Murtala Airport, Mushin, Ojo, Somolu, Surulere.**

In **Nassarawa**, 3 incidents killing 0 people were reported. The following locations were affected: **Garaku, Lafia.**

In **Niger**, 4 incidents killing 0 people were reported. The following locations were affected: **Kontagora, Minna.**

In **Ogun**, 8 incidents killing 2 people were reported. The following locations were affected: **Abeokuta, Ago, Akomoje, Ijebu-Ode, Shagamu.**

In **Ondo**, 15 incidents killing 0 people were reported. The following locations were affected: **Ago-Ilaje, Akure, Igbara-Oke, Ilara, Ode-Aye, Okitipupa, Ore, Ugbo.**

In **Osun**, 7 incidents killing 4 people were reported. The following locations were affected: **Ilashe, Ile-Ife, Oshogbo.**

In **Oyo**, 5 incidents killing 0 people were reported. The following location was affected: **Ibadan.**

In **Plateau**, 23 incidents killing 125 people were reported. The following locations were affected: **Bangai, Barikin Ladi, Bassa, Dengi, Foron, Jos, Kurmi, Langtang, Riyom, Ropp, Wase.**

In **Rivers**, 33 incidents killing 43 people were reported. The following locations were affected: **Abonnema, Ahoada,**

Alese, Bomu, Buguma, Egbada, Emohua, Idu, Isiokpo, Kpopie, Kpor, Obia, Obior, Obor, Obrikom, Ogali, Okoloma-Tai, Okrika, Ozuoba, Port Harcourt, Rumu-Osi, Rumuola, Wakama.

In **Taraba**, 8 incidents killing 76 people were reported. The following locations were affected: **Donga, Jalingo, Kambari, Karim Lamido, Takum, Wukari.**

In **Yobe**, 9 incidents killing 74 people were reported. The following locations were affected: **Beddegana, Bulturam, Damaturu, Potiskum, Wagur.**

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, Nigeria 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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DISCLAIMER

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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