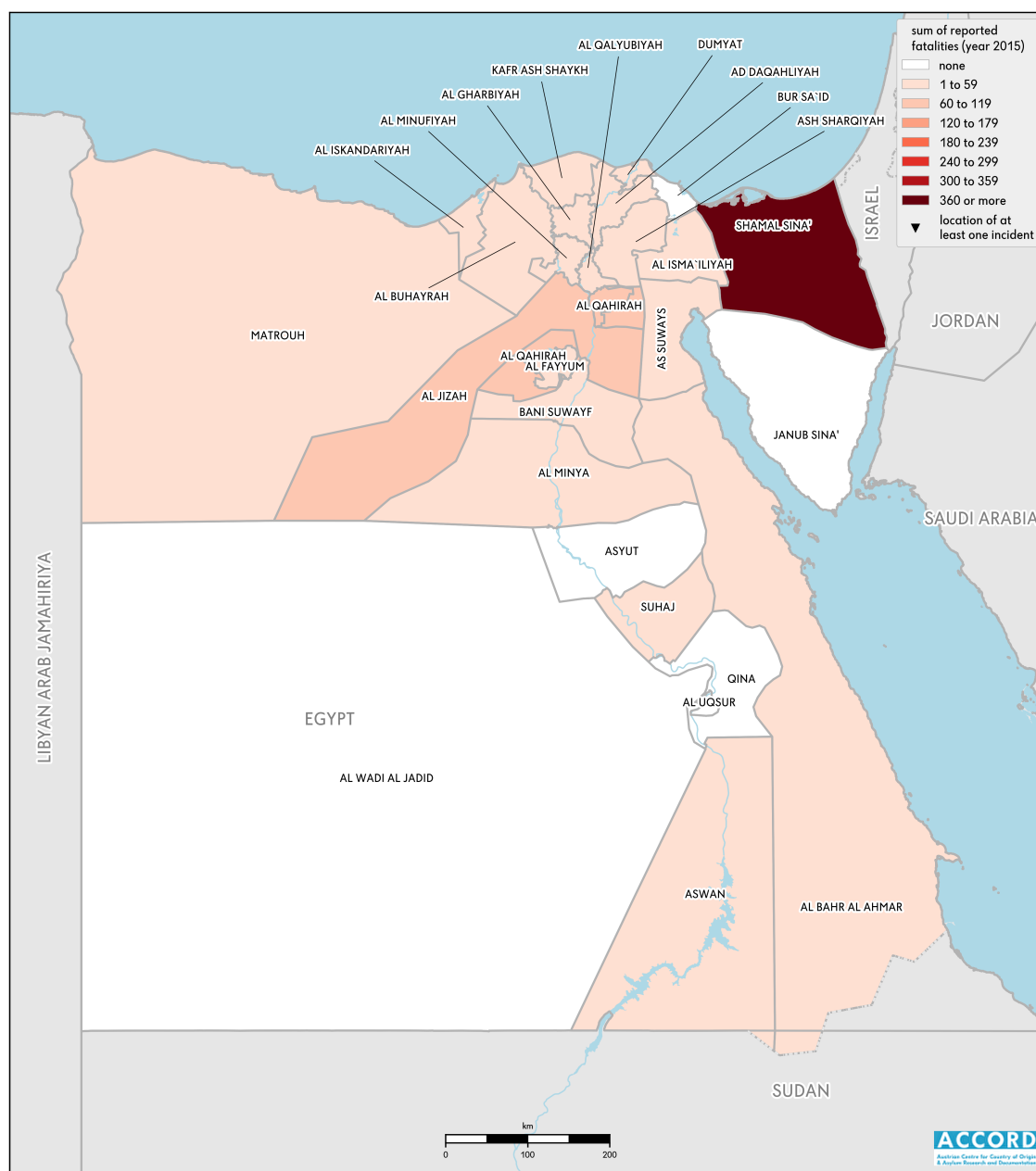


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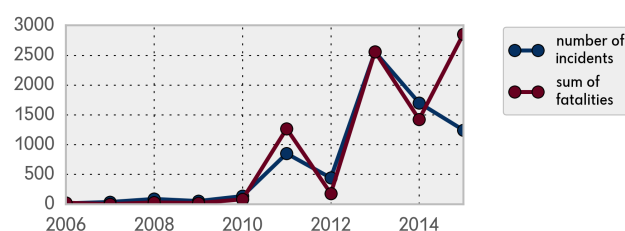
National borders: [GADM, November 2015b](#); administrative divisions: [GADM, November 2015a](#); Hala'ib triangle and Bir Tawil: [UN Cartographic Section, March 2012](#); Occupied Palestinian Territory border status: [UN Cartographic Section, January 2004](#); incident data: [ACLED, undated](#); coastlines and inland waters: [Smith and Wessel, 1 May 2015](#)

Conflict incidents by category

category	number of incidents	sum of fatalities
battle	314	1765
riots/protests	311	33
remote violence	309	644
violence against civilians	193	404
strategic developments	117	8
total	1244	2854

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

Development of conflict incidents from 2006 to 2015



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

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 **Ad Daqahliyah**, 18 incidents killing 4 people were reported. The following locations were affected: **Al Mansurah, Bani Ebeid, Gamasa, Kom el Nour, Mit Salsil, Sursuq, Talkha.**

In **Al Bahr al Ahmar**, 2 incidents killing 1 person were reported. The following location was affected: **Hurghada.**

In **Al Buhayrah**, 39 incidents killing 7 people were reported. The following locations were affected: **Abu al Matamir, Ad Dilinjat, Balba, Damanhur, Itay al Barud, Kafr ad Dawwar, Rosetta, Zarqun.**

In **Al Fayyum**, 56 incidents killing 22 people were reported. The following locations were affected: **Al Azab, Al Fayyum, Al Hamuli, Biyahmu, Ibsheaway, Itsa, Monshaat Al Fayoum, Senro Al Bahreyah, Sinnuris, Tamiyah, Wadi Al Raian.**

In **Al Gharbiyah**, 25 incidents killing 4 people were reported. The following locations were affected: **Al Mahallah al Kubra, Kafr Diyama, Kafr az Zayyat, Qutur, Samannoud, Tanta, tanta.**

In **Al Iskandariyah**, 73 incidents killing 16 people were reported. The following locations were affected: **Agami, Al Amiriyah, Al Attarin, Al Hanufl, Al Muntazah, Al Wardiyan, Alexandria, Ar Raml, Ash Shatib, Burj al-Arab, El Safira, El Siouf, Khurshid, Kom el Dikka, Moharam Bek, Nagaa Al-Arab, Shati Miyami, Sidi Beshr, Sidi Jabir, Smouha.**

In **Al Isma'iliyah**, 6 incidents killing 4 people were reported. The following locations were affected: **Al-Abtal, Ismailia.**

In **Al Jizah**, 106 incidents killing 84 people were reported. The following locations were affected: **6th October City, Abu an Numrus, Al Agouza, Al Ayyat, Al Haram, Al Jizah, Al Warraq, Al-Badrashin, At Talbeyah, Atfih, Awsim, Bahariya Oasis, Dokki, El Badrashin, El-Hawamdia, Faysal, Imbabah, Kirdasah, Mohandiseen, Nahiya, Oula, Pyramids of Giza, Saqqarah, Zamalek.**

In **Al Minufiyah**, 18 incidents killing 4 people were reported. The following locations were affected: **Birket al Saba, Quwaysina, Sadat City, Shibin al Kawm.**

In **Al Minya**, 31 incidents killing 8 people were reported. The following locations were affected: **Bani Mazar, Damshir, Hur, Mallawi, Minya, Samalut, Sawada.**

In **Al Qahirah**, 248 incidents killing 80 people were reported. The following locations were affected: **15 May City, Abdeen, Ain Shams, Al Abbasiyah, Al Amiriyah, Al Azbakeyah, Al Maadi, Al Manyal, Al Marj, Al Matariyah, Al-Nozha, Az Zamalik, Cairo, Cairo International Airport, Dar el-Salam, El Shorouk City, El Tagamu El Khames, El Zaytoun, El-Salam, El-Zawya El-Hamraa, Fifth Settlement, Garden City, Halwan, Heliopolis, Hilmyah az Zaytun, Maydan Alf Maskan, Misr al Qadimah, Muqattam, Nasr City, New Cairo City, Qarun, Qasr Al-Nile, Raw al Faraj, Saqr Quraysh, Saray al Qubbah, Shubra, Tahrir Square, Tura Prison.**

In **Al Qalyubiyah**, 34 incidents killing 9 people were reported. The following locations were affected: **Abu Zaabal,**

Bahr Muways, Banha, El Obour City, Kafr al Jazzar, Shibin al Qanatir, Shubra al Khaymah, Toukh.

In **Al Uqsar**, 6 incidents killing 3 people were reported. The following locations were affected: **Al Karnak, Luxor.**

In **As Suways**, 13 incidents killing 8 people were reported. The following locations were affected: **El-Ganayen, Suez.**

In **Ash Sharqiyah**, 48 incidents killing 18 people were reported. The following locations were affected: **10th of Ramadan City, Abu Hammad, Abu Kabir, Al Ibrahemeah, Anshas, Bilbays, Diyarb Najm, Minya al Qamh, Zagazig.**

In **Aswan**, 9 incidents killing 2 people were reported. The following locations were affected: **Aswan, Faris.**

In **Asyut**, 9 incidents killing 0 people were reported. The following locations were affected: **Al Awamer, Ash Shamiyah, Asyut.**

In **Bani Suwayf**, 15 incidents killing 12 people were reported. The following locations were affected: **Bani Suwayf, Hawwarat Adlan, Kafr Darwish, Nasir.**

In **Bur Sa'id**, 9 incidents killing 0 people were reported. The following locations were affected: **Port Fouad, Port Said, al-Zohour.**

In **Dumyat**, 6 incidents killing 6 people were reported. The following locations were affected: **Damietta, Faraskur, Izbat Al Basartah.**

In **Janub Sina'**, 2 incidents killing 0 people were reported. The following locations were affected: **Sharm el-Sheikh, Wadi Sidud.**

In **Kafr ash Shaykh**, 16 incidents killing 14 people were reported. The following locations were affected: **Baltim, Kafr ash Shaykh, Mutubas.**

In **Matrouh**, 3 incidents killing 2 people were reported. The following locations were affected: **Marsa Matruh, Siwa Oasis.**

In **Qina**, 7 incidents killing 0 people were reported. The following locations were affected: **Nag Hamadi, Qina, Rahmaniya.**

In **Shamal Sina'**, 442 incidents killing 2545 people were reported. The following locations were affected: **Abu Tawilah, Al Arish, Al Hasna, Al Mahdiah, Al Muqataah, Al Qusaymah, Al Wifaq, Al-Goura Airport, Al-Khurayzah, At Tawil, Bir Abu Shannar, El Qawadis, El-Kharouba, Matalla, Rafah, Sheikh Zuweiyid.**

In **Suhaj**, 3 incidents killing 1 person were reported. The following location was affected: **Sohag.**

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, Egypt 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. Geographic map data is primarily based on GADM, complemented with other sources if necessary. ACLED's location data is then used to locate incidents in these maps. Incidents that could not be located are ignored. The numbers included in this overview might therefore differ from the original ACLED data.

Incidents comprise the following categories: battle, headquarters or base established, non-violent strategic activities, 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.

Please note: An earlier version of this overview contained errors for the years prior to 2015 in the trend chart on page 1. The chart has been corrected in this version.

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