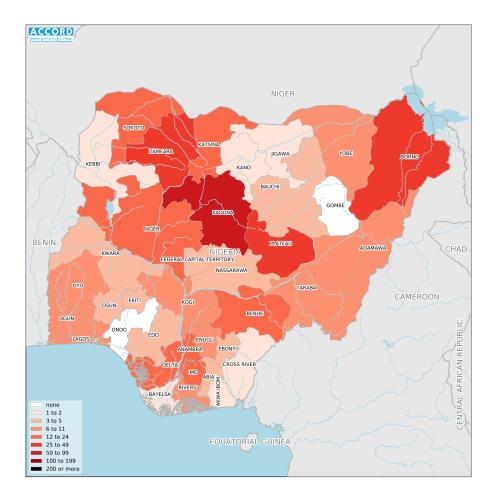
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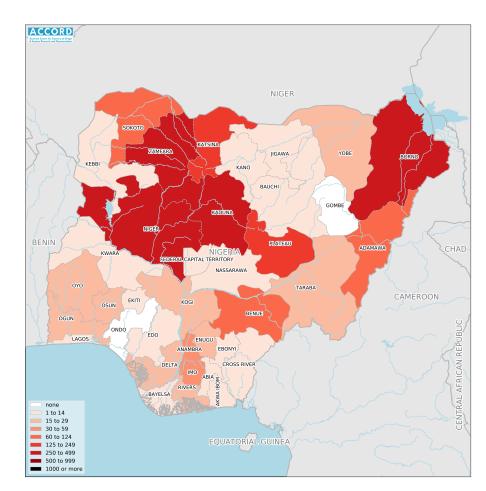
Update on incidents according to the Armed Conflict Location & Event Data Project (ACLED)

compiled by ACCORD, 16 December 2021

Number of reported incidents with at least one fatality



Number of reported fatalities



National borders: GADM, 6 May 2018a; administrative divisions: GADM, 6 May 2018b; incident data: ACLED, 10 December 2021; coastlines and inland waters: Smith and Wessel, 1 May 2015

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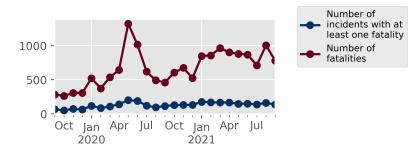
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Conflict incidents by category

Category	Number of incidents	Number of incidents with at least one fatality	Number of fatalities
Violence against civilians	383	206	1002
Battles	220	157	913
Protests	172	4	4
Riots	70	32	65
Strategic developments	52	1	3
Explosions / Remote violence	43	33	509
Total	940	433	2496

This table is based on data from ACLED (datasets used: ACLED, 10 December 2021).

Development of conflict incidents from September 2019 to September 2021



This graph is based on data from ACLED (datasets used: ACLED, 10 December 2021).

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.

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 states to use the most conservative estimate available. ACLED uses the reports' context to estimate fatalities for events with reported fatalities for which the exact number is unknown ("10" for plural fatalities, "100" if "hundreds" are mentioned, etc.). For further details on ACLED and for the full data, see www.acleddata.com and Raleigh; Linke; Hegre, and Karlsen, 2010.

Based on this data, the Austrian Centre for Country of Origin & Asylum Research and Documentation (ACCORD) compiles updates on conflict incidents and publishes them on ecoi.net to offer another access point to the ACLED datasets.

It is advised to employ extreme caution when using fatality numbers.

Assessments of the security situation should not be based solely on quantitative analysis of event data.

Geographic map data is primarily based on GADM, complemented with other sources if necessary. Incidents are mapped to GADM provinces using the provinces in ACLED data. Province names and borders may differ between ACLED and GADM. Incidents that could not be located are ignored. The numbers included in this overview might therefore differ from the original ACLED data. ACLED uses varying degrees of geographic precision for the individual incidents, depending on what level of detail is reported. Thus, towns may represent the wider region in which an incident occured, or the provincial capital may be used if only the province is known. Erroneous location data, especially due to identical place names, cannot be fully excluded.

Incidents comprise the following categories: battles, headquarters or bases 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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Conflict incidents per province

Province	Number of incidents	Number of incidents with fatalities	Number of fatalities
Abia	11	3	3
Adamawa	13	9	93
Akwa Ibom	10	1	4
Anambra	33	16	43
Bauchi	11	3	3
Bayelsa	10	1	2
Benue	31	18	106
Borno	91	48	390
Cross River	11	2	4
Delta	34	13	21
Ebonyi	6	4	12
Edo	32	4	8
Ekiti	12	3	3
Enugu	14	6	20
Federal Capital Territory	38	5	6
Gombe	2	0	0
lmo	32	19	54
Jigawa	8	2	2
Kaduna	98	64	392
Kano	5	2	3

Province	Number of incidents	Number of incidents with fatalities	Number of fatalities
Katsina	46	22	125
Kebbi	2	2	12
Kogi	18	10	27
Kwara	15	4	4
Lagos	17	8	11
Nassarawa	13	5	10
Niger	36	19	280
Ogun	34	9	19
Ondo	10	0	0
Osun	19	4	15
Оуо	20	7	15
Plateau	42	32	199
Rivers	30	11	23
Sokoto	33	23	109
Taraba	13	8	16
Yobe	18	8	24
Zamfara	72	38	438

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.). The data's precision varies among the incidents: a town may represent a region, or the provincial capital may be used if the precise location of an incident is unkown. 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 maps above.

In Abia, 11 incidents killing 3 people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: Aba, Arochukwu, Bende, Ohafia, Omoba, Onicha Ngwa, Onuaku Uturu.

In Adamawa, 13 incidents killing 93 people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: Dabna, Damai, Fufore, Garaha, Giwano, Guyuk, Lamurde, Maiha, Michika, Numan, Song, Yola.

In Akwa Ibom, 10 incidents killing 4 people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: Eket, Ekparakwa, Enwang, Eyofin, Iko, Ikot Akpaden, Ikot Ekpene, Oron, Uyo.

In Anambra, 33 incidents killing 43 people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: Abatete, Ajalli, Amansee, Anaku, Awka, Awkuzu, Enugu Umunze, Igbariam, Igbo-Ukwu, Nanka, Nkpor, Nnewi, Nnobi, Oba, Ogidi, Oko, Onitsha, Ozubulu, Umuleri.

In Bauchi, 11 incidents killing 3 people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: Bauchi, Bayara, Bununu, Tafawa-Balewa, Takandan Giwa, Tilden Fulani.

In **Bayelsa**, **10** incidents killing **2** people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: **Amassoma**, **Biogbolo**, **Ekeremor**, **Ogu**, **Otuasiga**, **Yenagoa**.

In Benue, 31 incidents killing 106 people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: Agila, Aila, Alabar, Apa-Agila, Gbajimba, Katsina-Ala, Korinya, Makurdi, Oju, Otukpa, Oturkpo, Tse-Agberagba, Ugba, Yandev.

In Borno, 91 incidents killing 390 people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: Ala, Ashigashiya, Auno, Azare, Baga, Bama, Banki, Biu, Cross Kauwa, Damasak, Damboa, Dikwa, Dunamari, Dusuman, Gajiram, Gamboru, Garin Kuturu, Gashigar, Gubio, Gwoza, Jaje, Jakana, Karetu, Kawuri, Kirta Wulgo, Kolori, Kontori, Lassa, Luma, Mafa, Maiduguri, Mainok, Mairami, Malam Fatori, Mandaragirau, Monguno, Ngala, Ngoshe, Njimtilo, Pulka, Rann, Yamtaji.

In Cross River, 11 incidents killing 4 people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: **Boji, Calabar, Okpoma, Ugep**.

In Delta, 34 incidents killing 21 people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: Afiesere, Amukpe, Asaba, Effurun, Ekrebuo Isiokolo, Forcados, Illah, Irri, Isoko Camps, Jeddo, Obiaruku Quarters, Obinomba, Ogwashi-Uku, Okuoke, Ole, Otor Udu, Otulu, Ovwian, Sapele, Tuomor, Ughelli, Umutu, Warri.

In **Ebonyi**, **6** incidents killing **12** people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: **Abakaliki**, **Effium**, **Ekoli**, **Ngbo**, **Onicha**, **Ugbodo**.

In Edo, 32 incidents killing 8 people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: Afuze, Agbede, Auchi, Benin City, Ehor, Ekehuan, Idogbo, Igarra, Igieduma, Obadan, Obazuwa, Okada, Ugbor, Ugbowo, Ugo.

In Ekiti, 12 incidents killing 3 people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: Ado-Ekiti, Ido Ekiti, Ikere, Ikole, Iloro, Isinbode, Otun.

In Enugu, 14 incidents killing 20 people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: Adani, Awgu, Eha Amufu, Emene, Enugu, Inyi, Nimbo, Nsukka, Obeagu, Owo, Udi, Uwani.

In Federal Capital Territory, 38 incidents killing 6 people were reported. The

following locations were among the affected: Abuja, Gwagwalada, Gwarinpa, Jabi, Kuje, Kwali, Maitama, Nyanya, Rubochi, Tunga Maje, Wuse, Yangoji, Yebu, Zuba.

In **Gombe**, **2** incidents killing **0** people were reported. The following location was among the affected: **Gombe**.

In Imo, 32 incidents killing 54 people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: Aboh, Afozuru, Amike, Asa, Awara, Awo-Idemili, Ihube, Izombe, Mgbidi, Njaba, Oguta, Okporo, Omuma, Orlu, Oru, Owerri, Umuagwo, Umuohiagu.

In Jigawa, 8 incidents killing 2 people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: Babura, Dutse, Karkarna, Marke, Miga, Sule Tankarkar, Taura.

In Kaduna, 98 incidents killing 392 people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: Afaka, Bina, Birnin Gwari, Birnin Yero, Buruku, Chikun, Galadimawa, Giwa, Godogodo, Gora, Gwagwada, Gwantu, Igabi, Iri, Jagindi, Jankasa, Jemaa, Juji, Kachia, Kadage, Kaduna, Kajuru, Kakuri, Kauru, Kerawa, Kibori, Kujama, Kurmin Masara, Lere, Madakiya, Madamai, Madauci, Magamiya, Manini, Maro, Rido, Rigacikun, Rigasa, Romi, Sabon Birni, Sabon Gari, Sabon Tasha, Samaru, Udawa, Ungwan Gajere, Ungwar Sarki, Zangon Katab, Zaria, Zonkwa.

In Kano, 5 incidents killing 3 people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: Gwale, Kano, Kumbotso, Sumaila.

In Katsina, 46 incidents killing 125 people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: Bakori, Batsari, Dan Musa, Dangani, Daura, Dunya, Dutsin Ma, Faskari, Funtua, Ilali, Jibia, Kankara, Katsina, Kofa, Kurfi, Mahuta B, Malumfashi, Matazu, Pauwa, Sabuwa, Sabuwar Kasa, Safana, Tafoki, Yan

Tumaki, Yargoje.

In **Kebbi**, **2** incidents killing **12** people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: **Marke**, **Shanga**.

In Kogi, 18 incidents killing 27 people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: Ayangba, Bugana, Gegu, Gwolawo, Kabba, Koton-Karfe, Lokoja, Ogaminana, Okedayo, Okene, Okpo, Osara.

In Kwara, 15 incidents killing 4 people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: Afon, Alapa, Eruku, Esie, Illorin, Ilofa, Malete, Offa, Omu Aran, Oro Ago.

In Lagos, 17 incidents killing 11 people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: Aja, Ayobo, Festac, Iba, Ikeja, Ikorodu, Ikotun, Isiwu, Isolo, Mushin, Ojo, Ojota, Oshodi, Surulere.

In Nassarawa, 13 incidents killing 10 people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: Akwanga, Gudi, Keana, Lafia, Mararaba, Masaka, Nasarawa, Obi, Toto, Wamba.

In Niger, 36 incidents killing 280 people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: Babun Tunga, Bassa, Dobogi, Gawu, Gurmana, Ibu, Jiko, Kagara, Kontagora, Kuta, Kwau, Maganda, Makura, Mariga, Mayaki, Minna, Sabon Dagga, Saminaka, Sarkin Pawa, Suleja, Tegina, Uzawo, Wawa, Zungeru.

In Ogun, 34 incidents killing 19 people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: Abeokuta, Ado Odo, Agboju, Aiyetoro, Ibara-Orile, Ibeshe, Idiroko, Ijebu-Igbo, Ijebu-Ode, Imala, Iperu, Iraye, Itori, Kobape, Magboro, Oke Mosan, Onigari, Otta, Owode, Sanngo-Ota.

In **Ondo**, **10** incidents killing **0** people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: **Akure**, **Idanre**, **Ikare**, **Ilara**, **Ondo**.

In Osun, 19 incidents killing 15 people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: Esa Odo, Esa Oke, Ifon, Ile-Ife, Imesi Ile, Ipetumodu, Ire, Modakeke, Oshogbo, Osu.

In Oyo, 20 incidents killing 15 people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: Agoro Ibadan, Akinkunmi, Akinyele, Awotan, Eruwa, Ibadan, Igangan, Iwere-Ile, Moniya, Oke Ado, Okeho, Soka.

In Plateau, 42 incidents killing 199 people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: Barkin Ladi, Bassa, Bukuru, Dogon Karfe, Fobur, Gada Biu, Ganawuri, Jol, Jos, Mangu, Miango, Rayfield, Riyom, Tudun Wada, Zawan.

In Rivers, 30 incidents killing 23 people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: Abonnema, Agbonchia, Ahoada, Akpaji, Alesa, Bomu, Bonny, Bori, Boue, Elele Alimini, Emohua, Gwara, Kula, Nkpelu, Okrika, Omoku, Oyigbo, Port Harcourt.

In Sokoto, 33 incidents killing 109 people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: Birjingo, Boda, Burukusuma, Gangara, Gatawa, Gidan Madi, Goronyo, Isa, Kalage, Kurawa, Rabah, Sabon Birni, Shinaka, Sokoto, Tara, Tulutu, Tureta, Unguwar Lalle, Wababi.

In Taraba, 13 incidents killing 16 people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: Baissa, Gassol, Jalingo, Karim Lamido, Kundi, Mutum Biyu, Sabongida, Sunkani, Takum.

In Yobe, 18 incidents killing 24 people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: Babban Gida, Bujimirum, Buni, Buni Gari, Buni Yadi,

Damaturu, Geidam, Goniri, Gujba, Gulani, Kanama, Ngurbuwa, Potiskum.

In Zamfara, 72 incidents killing 438 people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: Adabka, Badarawa, Bakura, Bungudu, Dan Sadau, Faru Magami, Galadi, Gidan Babagoji, Gummi, Gurbin Baure, Gusau, Kaya, Kurya, Kuyanbana, Kware, Kyaram, Magami, Maradun, Maru, Moriki, Rini, Ruwan-Tofa, Sarkin, Shinkafi, Sububu, Tashar Abu, Tsafe, Zurmi.

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