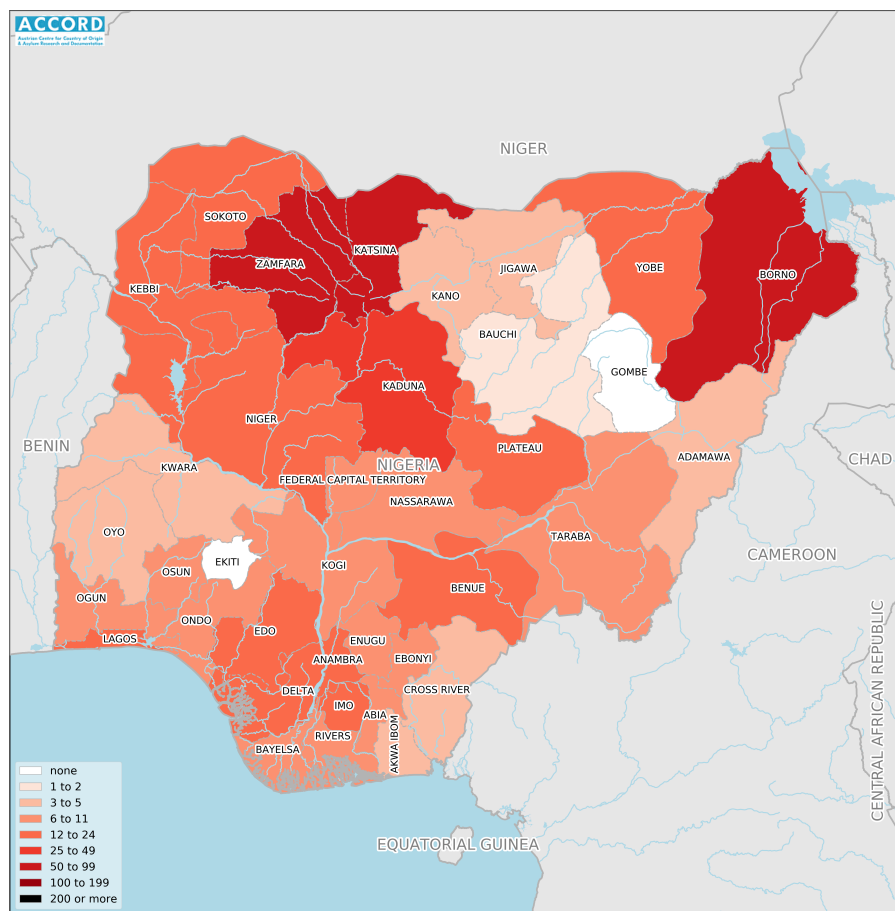


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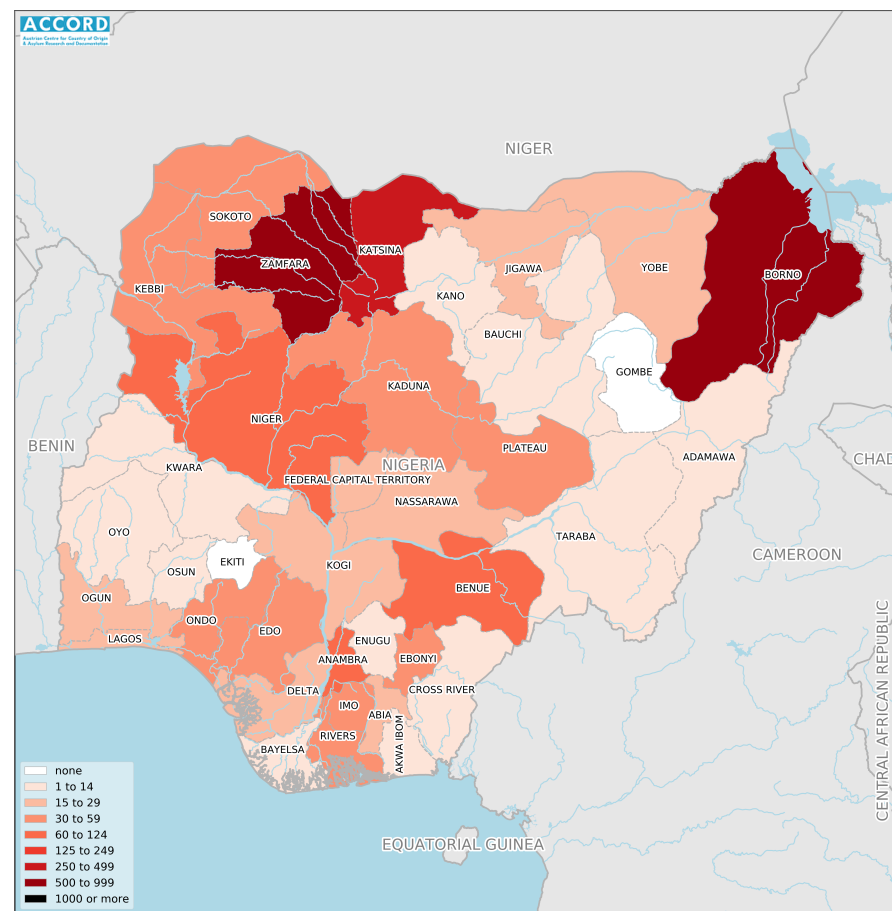
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Number of reported incidents with at least one fatality



Number of reported fatalities



National borders: [GADM, 6th May 2018a](#); administrative divisions: [GADM, 6th May 2018b](#); incident data: [ACLED, 1st August 2025](#); coastlines and inland waters: [Smith and Wessel, 1st May 2015](#)

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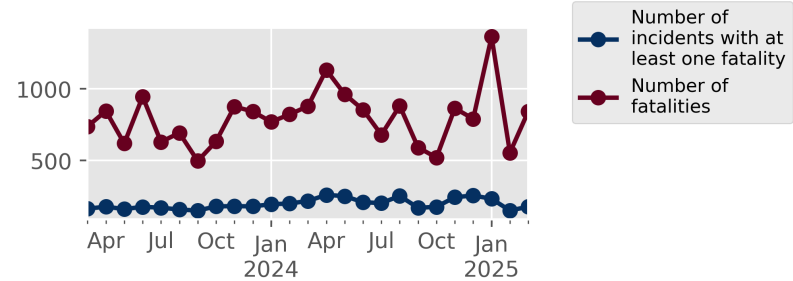
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Conflict incidents by category

Category	Number of incidents	Number of incidents with at least one fatality	Number of fatalities
Violence against civilians	514	251	757
Battles	334	241	1604
Protests	110	0	0
Riots	82	34	71
Strategic developments	55	0	0
Explosions / Remote violence	42	33	328
Total	1137	559	2760

This table is based on data from ACLED (datasets used: [ACLED](#), 1st August 2025).

Development of conflict incidents from March 2023 to March 2025



This graph is based on data from ACLED (datasets used: [ACLED](#), 1st August 2025).

Methodology

The data used in this report was collected by the Armed Conflict Location & Event Data (ACLED). Based on a variety of sources, ACLED collects data on reported conflict events around the world and provides publicly available event-based datasets. ACLED data contains information on the event type, the date, location, involved actors, and other characteristics of the incident. Most of the data collected by ACLED is gathered based on publicly available reports. As information on fatalities is subject to bias and can vary between sources for the same event, ACLED employs “the most conservative and reliable fatality estimate available”. ACLED uses the reports’ context to estimate fatalities for events with reported fatalities for which the exact number is unknown (“3” or “10” for plural fatalities, depending on the context; “100” if “hundreds” are mentioned, etc.). For further details on ACLED and for the full data, see www.acleddata.com and [ACLED, 2023](#).

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.

Please see ACLED’s additional methodological paper on Boko Haram: [ACLED, March 2021](#)

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 occurred, 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, violence against civilians, remote violence, riots/protests, non-violent strategic activities. For details on these categories, please see

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<https://acleddata.com/resources/quick-guide-to-acled-data/>

Conflict incidents per province

Province	Number of incidents	Number of incidents with fatalities	Number of fatalities
Abia	14	6	16
Adamawa	11	3	3
Akwa Ibom	13	3	3
Anambra	37	16	70
Bauchi	4	2	3
Bayelsa	14	7	9
Benue	32	24	103
Borno	109	71	849
Cross River	5	3	5
Delta	36	14	21
Ebonyi	18	10	34
Edo	41	13	55
Ekiti	4	0	0
Enugu	21	8	13
Federal Capital Territory	35	10	18
Gombe	2	0	0
Imo	25	15	39
Jigawa	8	5	25

Province	Number of incidents	Number of incidents with fatalities	Number of fatalities
Kaduna	77	35	58
Kano	13	4	8
Katsina	112	60	322
Kebbi	20	14	41
Kogi	23	8	17
Kwara	11	4	6
Lagos	29	15	17
Nassarawa	15	11	27
Niger	52	22	92
Ogun	20	10	17
Ondo	33	10	38
Osun	24	8	12
Oyo	19	4	4
Plateau	31	18	46
Rivers	27	11	33
Sokoto	33	15	55
Taraba	13	6	11
Yobe	20	12	28
Zamfara	136	82	662

Province	Number of incidents	Number of incidents with fatalities	Number of fatalities
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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 unknown. In the following list, the names of event locations are taken from ACLED, while the administrative region names are taken from GADM data (with the exception of Iraq) which serves as the basis for the maps above.

In **Abia**, 14 incidents killing 16 people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: **Aba, Azumini, Lokpanta, Okayi, Osokwa, Umuahia, Umuokahia, Uturu.**

In **Adamawa**, 11 incidents killing 3 people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: **Dabna, Gombi, Gulak, Guyuk, Kilange, Kopre, Kwambula, Mayo Kila, Ngureore, Numan.**

In **Akwa Ibom**, 13 incidents killing 3 people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: **Eket, Ikot Abasi, Ikot Ekpene, Ikot Osurua, Ikpe Anang, Mkpato Enin, Obio Offot, Oron, Udung Uko, Uyo.**

In **Anambra**, 37 incidents killing 70 people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: **Aguata, Aguleri, Aku, Awka, Enugwu Agidi, Ichida, Ihiala, Isiagu, Lilo, Nise, Nkpor, Nkwelle Ezunaka, Nnewi, Nneyi Umuleri, Nnobi, Oba, Obosi, Ogidi, Onitsha, Orsumoghu, Ufuma, Uli, Umuoji, Uruagu,**

Urum.

In **Bauchi**, 4 incidents killing 3 people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: **Bauchi, Mansur, Yankari National Park.**

In **Bayelsa**, 14 incidents killing 9 people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: **Agudama, Amarata, Ayakoro, Fununu, Igbomoturu, Lasukugbene, Ogbia, Swali, Torugbene, Yenagoa.**

In **Benue**, 32 incidents killing 103 people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: **Adankari, Agwabi, Anwase, Asa, Ayilamo, Dikpo Hill, Ichama, Imande, Jato Aka, Kav, Kumakwagh, Makurdi, Makurdi-Wadata, Mbadura, Naka, North Bank, Okpamaju, Okpoga, Tombo, Tse-tor, Uchi Mbakor, Ugbaam, Utange, Vande Ikya.**

In **Borno**, 109 incidents killing 849 people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: **Abbaganaram, Ajigin, Askira, Baga, Bama, Bamzur, Banki, Bantini, Bitta, Buk, Chikide, Chinine, Chiralia, Dalori, Damasak, Damboa, Dar el Jamal, Degbaywa, Dikwa, Doron Baga, Gajiram, Gardiri, Garin Kuturu, Gubio, Gwoza, Hambagda, Issga, Izge-Unore, Jimimi, Jokka, Kachalla Kellori, Kamuya, Kawuri, Khaddamari, Konduga, Kukawa, Kwajaffa Babur, Lokodisa Adamu, Lumburam, Mafa, Maiduguri, Mainok, Malam Fatori, Malari, Marte, Mayinti, Molai, Monguno, Ngala, Njilang, Pulka, Sabon Gari Gana, Shikarkir, Tumbun Gini, Waijroko, Wala, Wara Wara, Warabe, Wovi, Wolgo, Yamtaji, Zari.**

In **Cross River**, 5 incidents killing 5 people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: **Calabar, Obudu, Odukpani, Ukwa.**

In **Delta**, 36 incidents killing 21 people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: **Abbi, Abedei, Abigborodo, Agbarho, Amai, Asaba, Emu-Ebendo, Ibusa, Issele-Azagba, Jeddo, Kiagbodo, Mbiri, Mosogar,**

Oduophori, Ogor, Ogwashi-Uku, Okwe, Ole, Otuwodo, Owhelogbo, Sapele, Ubulu-Uku, Ughelli, Umunede.

In **Ebonyi**, 18 incidents killing 34 people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: Abakaliki, Afikpo, Akparata, Enohia Itim, Ezamgbo, Ezillo, Ishiagu, Isieke, Izzi, Ndiagu Amagu, Nkalaha, Onueke.

In **Edo**, 41 incidents killing 55 people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: Auchi, Aviele, Benin City, Egor, Ehor, Ekpoma, Erha, Eware, Gbelemotin, Igarra, Igukpe, Irrua, Iviukwe, Obayantor, Obazagbon, Okpekpe, Ubijaja, Udakpa, Udo, Ukhun, Ukpaja, Uromi.

In **Ekiti**, 4 incidents killing 0 people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: Ado-Ekiti, Oye.

In **Enugu**, 21 incidents killing 13 people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: 9th Mile, Abakpa Nike, Awgu, Coal Camp, Egede, Eha Amufu, Enugu, Enugu-Ezike, Ikem, Neke, Oji River Settlement, Opanda, Ozalla, Uwani.

In **Federal Capital Territory**, 35 incidents killing 18 people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: Abaji, Abuja, Bwari, Byazhin, Chikakore, Dei-Dei, Durumi, Gurdi, Guzape, Gwagwalada, Gwombe, Kpako, Kuchibuyi, Kuje, Kurudu, Lugbe, Mpape, Nyanya, Orozo, River Dnako, Wuse.

In **Gombe**, 2 incidents killing 0 people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: Dukku, Kumo.

In **Imo**, 25 incidents killing 39 people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: Amakohia, Amakohia-Akwakuma, Amankwo, Ejemekwuru, Eziamu Obiato, Eziawa, Ihitte Nansa, Ihube, Mbieri, Mgbidi, Ndegwu, Okigwe, Olokwu, Orsu, Owerri, Ubachima, Umu-Okanne, Umuahu Okabia, Umuaka.

In **Jigawa**, 8 incidents killing 25 people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: Agufa, Dutse, Gululu, Jahun, Maje, Ringim.

In **Kaduna**, 77 incidents killing 58 people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: Afana Daji, Anchuna, Ankwa, Arak, Awon, Badoko, Barakallahu, Birnin Gwari, Bishini, Chikun, Doguwa, Doka, Fadan Chawai, Fadan Ikulu, Fadan Kaje, Gadan Gayan, Galadimawa, Geshere, Gidan Kwasau, Gwagwada, Idu, Janjala, Jemaa, Kachia, Kajuru, Kallah, Kargi, Katari, Kauru, Kawo, Kenyi, Kuchimi, Kufana, Kujama, Kuyeri, Kwassam, Libere, Mai Ido, Makyali, Maraban Kajuru, Maro, Nassarawa, Rido, Rigasa, Rimau, Sanga, Tachira, Unguwan Ate, Unguwan Rimi, Ungwa Barde, Zakada, Zaria, Zonkwa, Zurubu Hill.

In **Kano**, 13 incidents killing 8 people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: Bunkure, Fagge, Garo, Kano, Rimin Auzinawa, Tokarawa, Unguwan Dabai, Zakirai.

In **Katsina**, 112 incidents killing 322 people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: Babban Duhu A, Bakori, Bangori, Batsari, Baure, Daddara, Dan Musa, Dandume, Dantankari, Darawa, Dutsin Ma, Faskari, Funtua, Gamji, Garo, Gidan Sule, Gobirawa, Guga, Hayin Gada, Jibia, Kafur, Kafutu, Kakumi, Kandarawa, Kankara, Kankia, Kanon Haki, Karfi, Kofa, Kuki, Kuringafa, Kusada, Kwana Doka, Magaji Wando, Mahuta B, Mai Gora, Maibakko, Maidabino, Mairua, Makera, Malumfashi, Masari, Matsiga, Musawa, Na-Alma, Pauwa, Rimate, Ruwan Godiya, Safana, Sheme, Tafoki, Tsiga, Unguwan Dogo, Unguwar Mai Kanwa, Ungwar Ali, Walawa, Yan Shuni, Yan Tumaki, Yargoje, Yasore, Zakka, Zango.

In **Kebbi**, 20 incidents killing 41 people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: Bachaka, Birnin Debi, Birnin Kebbi, Dogon Daji, Fana, Gayi, Gobirage, Gulma, Gumke-Gari, Jantulu, Kamba, Matankari, Nachini, Rosa Kaide, Tambo, Tundifai.

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In **Kogi**, 23 incidents killing 17 people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: **Ayangba, Budon, Bunu, Ejule, Kabba, Koton Karifi, Lokoja, Obajana, Odo-Ape, Ogbe, Okene, Okengwe.**

In **Kwara**, 11 incidents killing 6 people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: **Ajasse Ipo, Babanla, Bala, Bode Saadu, Ilorin, Ilorin-Tanke, Odo-Eku, Oke-Ose.**

In **Lagos**, 29 incidents killing 17 people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: **Abule Ijesha, Agege, Aja, Alausa, Badagry, Idi Araba, Igando, Igbe, Ijede, Ijegun Egba, Iju, Ikeja, Ikorodu, Ikota, Ikotun, Isheri-Olofin, Ojo, Okota Ward, Sangotedo, Surulere.**

In **Nassarawa**, 15 incidents killing 27 people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: **Agyaragu, Akwanga, Farin Dutse, Imon, Lafia, Laminga, Mararaba, Mararaba Udege, Moroa, New Nyanya, Ombi, Tataru, Uke.**

In **Niger**, 52 incidents killing 92 people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: **Ajami, Akerre, Alawa, Babanna, Bassa, Chimbi, Chukuba, Dabaya, Dekala, Epa, Galadima Kogo, Garam, Garun Gabas, Hana Wanka, Irina, Jiwawa, Kadaga, Kango Hill, Kontagora, Kuchi, Kumbashi, Kundu, Kuta, Kwaki, Manigi, Minna, Nasko, Pan Dongari, Rijau, Sarkin Pawa, Shiroro, Suleja, Uran Ringa, Wushishi.**

In **Ogun**, 20 incidents killing 17 people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: **Abeokuta, Arepo, Awowo, Idiroko, Ilishan-Remo, Mowe, Obantoko, Odeda, Ogigo, Oja Odan, Osuke, Sapaade.**

In **Ondo**, 33 incidents killing 38 people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: **Ajgunle, Ajowa-Akoko, Akure, Alagbaka, Ayede-Ogbese, Elegbeka, Gbalegi, Ifira, Ifon, Iju, Ilu-Abo, Ipele, Iwaro Oka,**

Oba-Ile, Ore, Osi, Owo, Ugbonla.

In **Osun**, 24 incidents killing 12 people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: **Ada, Bode Osi, Ede, Egbedi, Erin-Osun, Esa Oke, Ido-Osun, Ife-Ife, Ifon, Ikire, Ikoyi, Ilesa, Ilobu, Iragbiji, Isida-Adeti.**

In **Oyo**, 19 incidents killing 4 people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: **Ibadan, Ibadan - Agodi, Ibadan - Orita Aperin, Ibadan-Ring Road, Ilora, Iseyin, Itasa, Onidundu, Oretu, Orile Igbon, University of Ibadan.**

In **Plateau**, 31 incidents killing 46 people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: **Attakar, Barkin Ladi, Bashar, Batura, Bokkos, Bungba, Ganawuri Hills, Gindiri, Jol, Jos, Kassa, Kuru, Kwal, Mangu, Mararaban Jama'a, Namu, New Zurak, Pankshin, Rayfield, Shimankar, Tangu, Wase.**

In **Rivers**, 27 incidents killing 33 people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: **Abalama, Bodo, Bori, Degema, Diobu, Egbema, Elele, Elem Bekenkiri, Eleme, Igwuruta, Isaka, Isiokpo, Obelle, Ogali, Okporowo, Omagwa, Omoku, Onne, Opuadakiri, Port Harcourt, Rumuekpe.**

In **Sokoto**, 33 incidents killing 55 people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: **Alia, Baidi, Balle, Doba, Garin Idi, Gatawa, Gebe, Gidan Bawa, Gidan Ruga, Goronyo, Isa, Kaie, Kalgo, Kurawa, Laina, Munki, Rarah, Sabon Birni, Tambagarka, Tidibali, Tozai, Tulu, Unguwar Lalle, Yar Abba.**

In **Taraba**, 13 incidents killing 11 people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: **Andami, Ibi, Jalingo, Jimleri, Kambari, Karim Lamido, Minda, Muji, Muri, Tapga, Wukari, Yelwa.**

In **Yobe**, 20 incidents killing 28 people were reported. The following locations

were among the affected: Buni Gari, Buni Yadi, Damaturu, Fika, Geidam, Goniri, Gujba, Jaba, Kanama, Kolere.

In **Zamfara**, 136 incidents killing 662 people were reported. The following locations were among the affected: Adabka, Anka, Badarawa, Bagega, Bakura, Banga, Bilbis, Birnin Yero, Boko, Bukuyum, Chediya, Dan Sadau, Danbaza, Danjibga, Dumburum, Fakai, Faru Magami, Gana, Gando, Gangara, Geba, Gidan Goga, Gummi, Gusau, Gwashi, Jangeru, Kagara, Kairu, Karazau, Kaura Namoda, Keta, Koran Ganawa, Kunchin Kalgo, Kware, Kwashebawa, Kyaram, Mada, Magami, Magamin-Diddi, Magazu, Makera, Maradun, Maru, Mashema, Munhayе, Nasarawa, Nasarawa Mailayi, Rakyabu, Rijjiya, Ruwan Bore, Ruwan Doruwa, Shanawa, Shinkafi, Sububu, Sunke, Takoki, Takulawa, Talata Mafara, Tsafe, Tsibiri, Tunfa, Wanke, Wonaka, Zurmi.

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