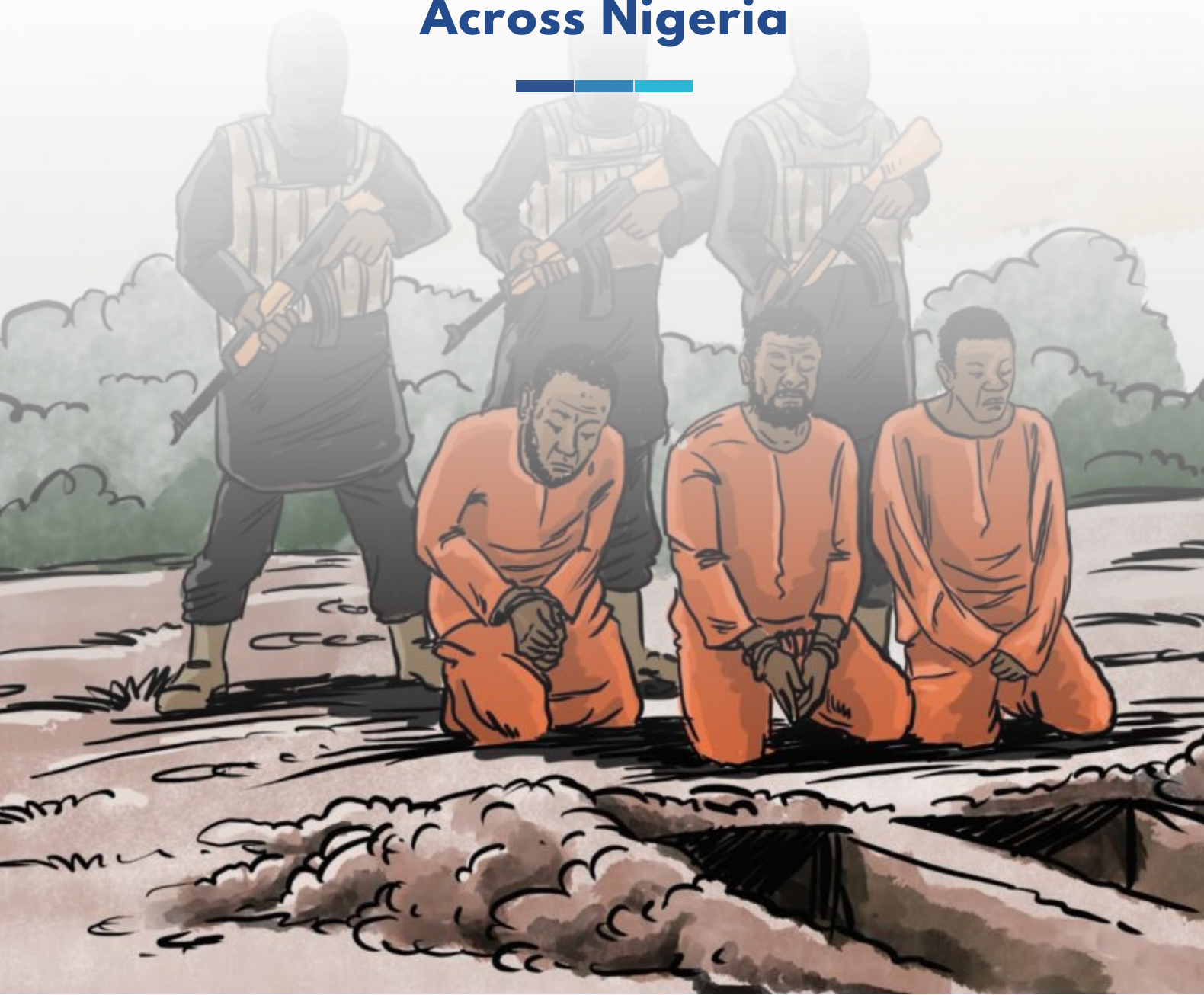




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**Documenting Conflict/Armed Violence
Across Nigeria**

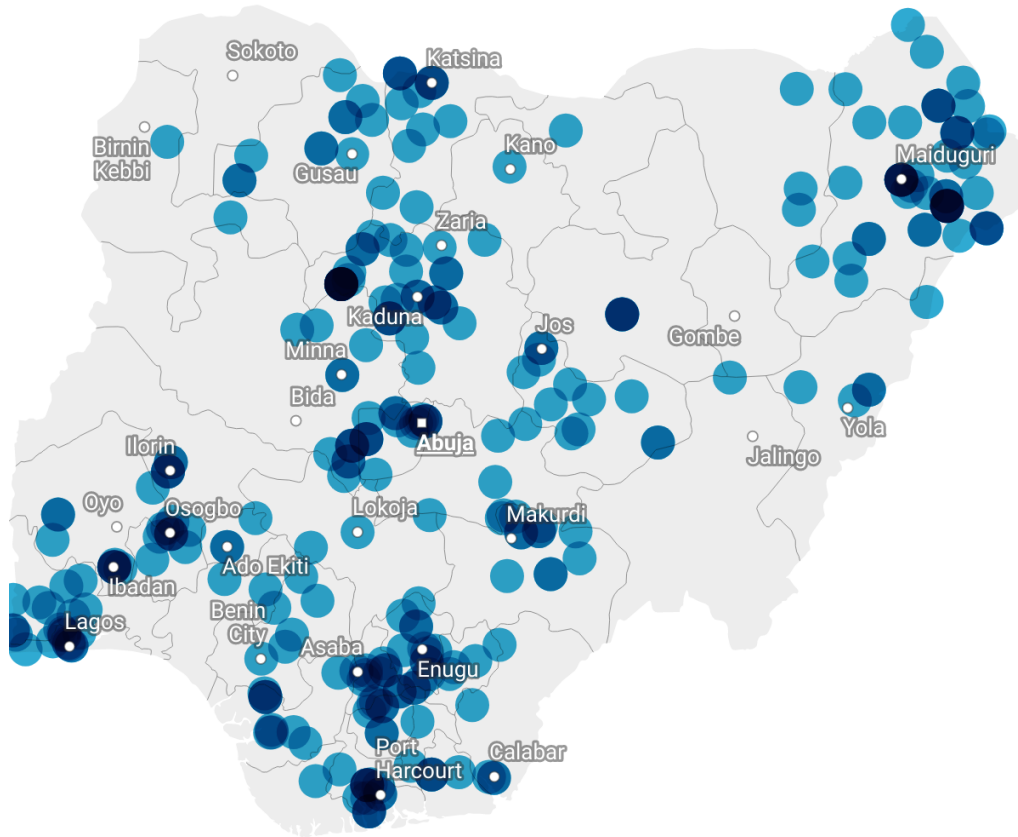


SUMMARY

- The Northwest and North-Central region experienced the highest number of incidents of insecurity in September. The Northwest also recorded the highest number of insecurity incidents in August.
- Borno state like in the month of August experienced the highest occurrence of insecurity.
- Borno state also had the highest number of fatalities in the month of September same as in August.
- One (1) attack in a school was recorded in the month while there were 23 recorded cases of abductions and kidnappings in the month.
- The total number of incidents in September (310) was less than what was reported in August (358).
- However, the number of fatalities in September (748) was more than in August (578).



Incidences of insecurity, September 2022



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Incidences of Insecurity in Nigeria in September 2022.

In the month of September, the North-Central and Northwest were the worst hit with 63 incidences of insecurity each across the month, followed by the Northeast region with 62 incidences.

The Southwest had the highest number of incidences in the South with 47 incidences in the month followed by the South-South and the Southwest with 39 and 36 respectively.

Borno (49) in the Northeast, Kaduna (34) and Katsina (14) in the Northwest were the worst hit with the highest number of insecurity incidents in the month; meanwhile, Sokoto and Taraba did not record any insecurity incidence.

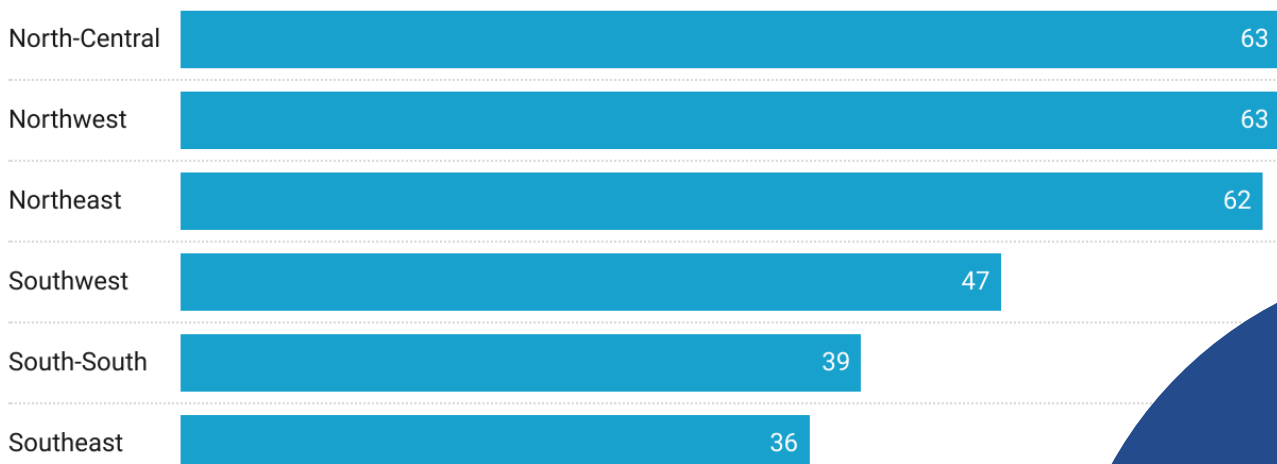
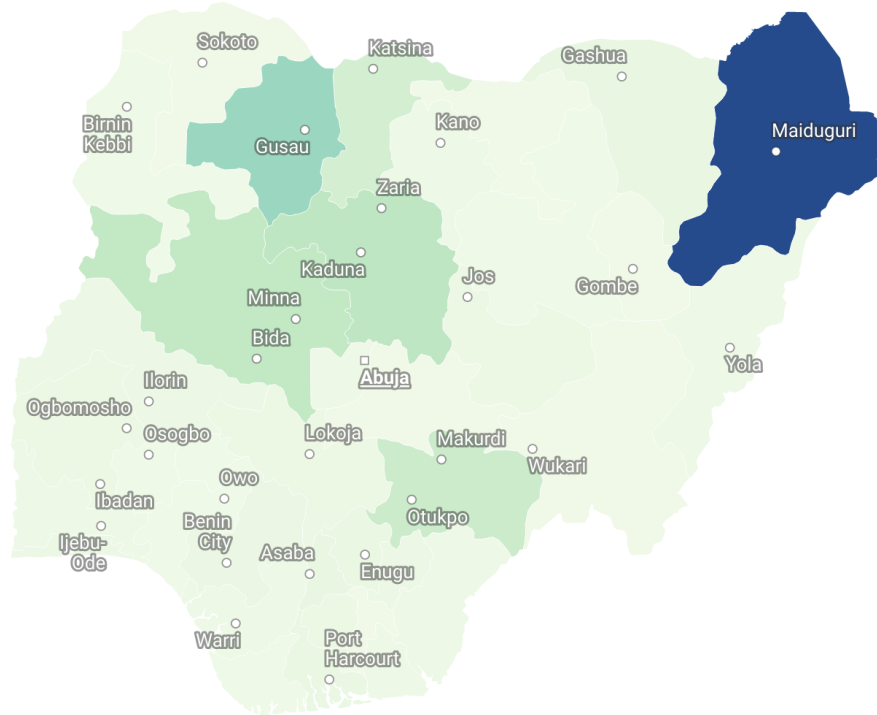


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Fatalities as a result of attacks across states, September 2022

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Fatalities recorded in September 2022.

Borno (384), Zamfara (92) and Kaduna (54) states recorded the highest number of fatalities as a result of insecurity in the month of September.

The North-east (396) had the highest number of fatalities as a result of attacks or incidents of insecurity. Borno (384) state had the highest number of fatalities.

The North-west reported 181 fatalities in the month with more than half of the casualties from Zamfara (92) and Kaduna (54) states. The North-central recorded the least number of fatalities from the zone.

Furthermore, the southern zone had the least number of fatalities as a result of attacks. The South-East (25), South-South (22), and South-West (15). Anambra (9), Enugu (7), and Rivers (7) states reported the highest number of fatalities from the South in the month of September.

Fatalities

Northeast

396

Northwest

181

North-Central

109

Southeast

25

South-South

22

Southwest

15

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Insecurity in schools, September 2022

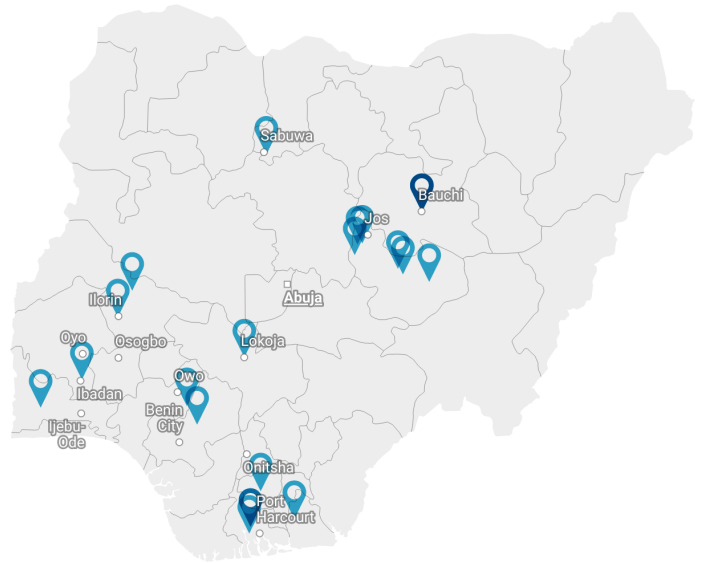


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In September 2022, there was 1 reported attack in a school

On the 15th of September in Akoka community of Lagos mainland, a final year student of Yaba College of Technology (YABATECH) was reportedly shot dead at about 8pm in front of the Art Complex in the school.

Kidnapping across Nigeria, September 2022



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Abductions and kidnapping cases in September.

According to the data collected for September, 23 cases of kidnapping and abductions were recorded. Plateau (5), Rivers (4) Edo (3) and Kwara (2) recorded the highest cases. States like Akwa Ibom, Bauchi, Delta, Imo, Katsina, Kogi, Ogun, Ondo, and Oyo states recorded 1 case each.

Abia, Adamawa, Anambra, Bayelsa, Benue, Borno, Cross River, Ebonyi, Ekiti, Enugu, Federal Capital Territory, Gombe, Jigawa, Kaduna, Kano, Kebbi, Lagos, Nassarawa, Niger, Osun, Sokoto, Taraba, Yobe and Zamfara recorded no case of abduction and kidnapping according to data collected.

Events of Insecurity - September, 2022

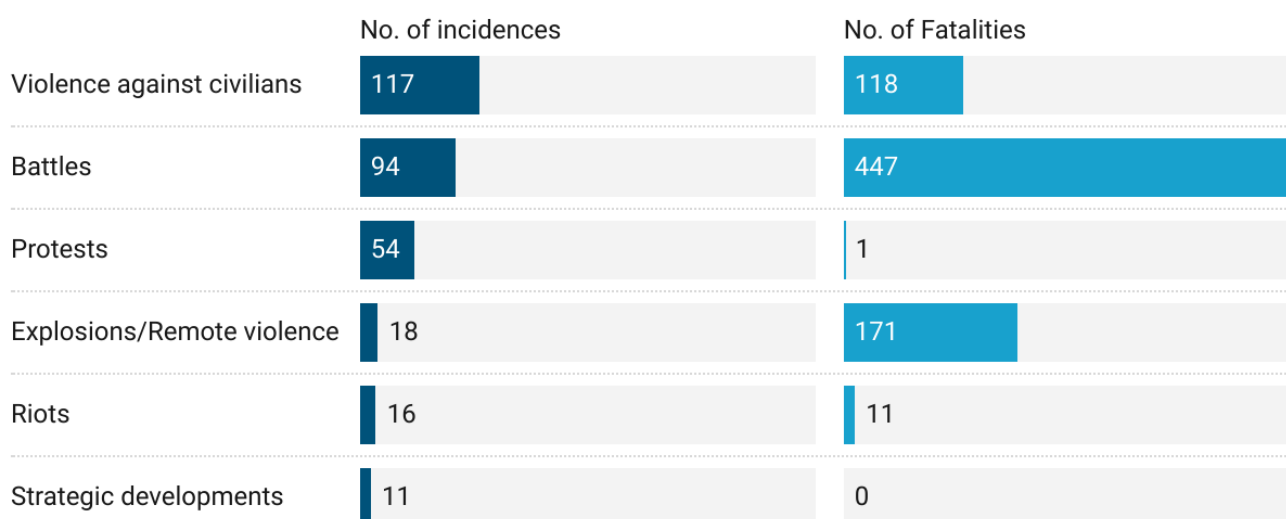


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Events and fatalities through the month of September 2022

Violence against civilians describes any action that inflicts harm on civilians involving violence and also describes when civilians are targeted with any violence by an organized armed actor. In the month of September, this constituted the highest number of insecurity events (117) which included attacks, Abduction/forced disappearance, sexual violence; and resulted to 118 fatalities.

Battle describes violent events where organized groups engage in a battle. These include armed clashes, as well as non-state actors, overtaking territory. There were 94 cases of this event through the month of September; this resulted to 447 fatalities.

Excessive force against protesters describes when individuals are engaged in a peaceful protest during which there is an attempt to disperse or suppress the protest without serious/lethal injuries being reported or the targeting of protesters with lethal weapons. There were 54 cases of this event in September with 1 fatality.

Explosions/remote violence describes remote explosive, landmine, artillery, or missile attacks as well as air strikes. These occurred 18 times through September, resulting to 171 fatalities.

Riots refer to mob violence and violent demonstration and describe when rioters violently interact with other rioters, another armed group, or civilians, outside of demonstrations. They occurred 16 times across the month of September with 11 fatalities.

Strategic developments involve disrupted weapons use, Looting/property destruction, and change in group/activity. These occurred 11 times through September with no fatalities.

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