

Situation Update

STATISTICS OF INCIDENTS AND FATALITIES IN NIGERIA

DECEMBER 1-15, 2022

FATALITIES
368

INJURIES
95

KIDNAPPED VICTIMS
529

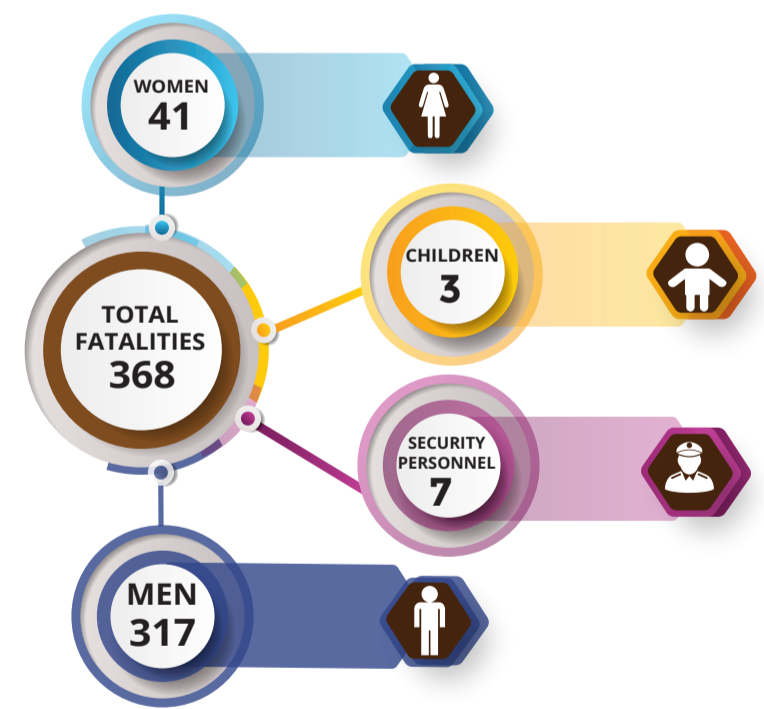
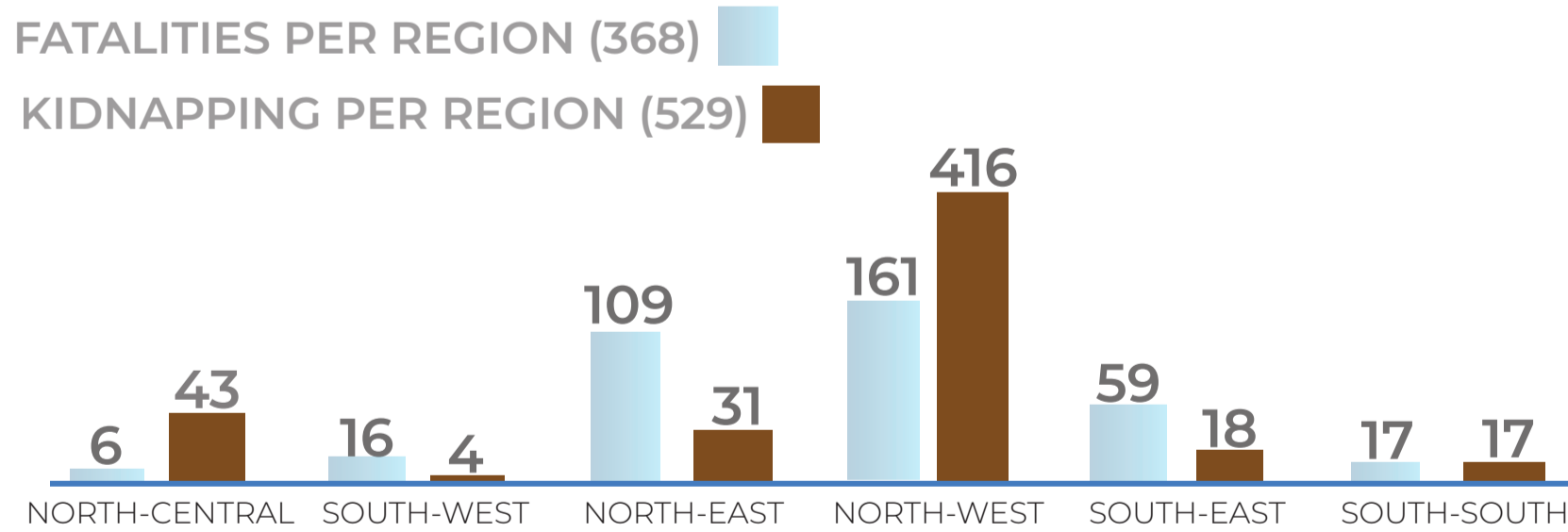
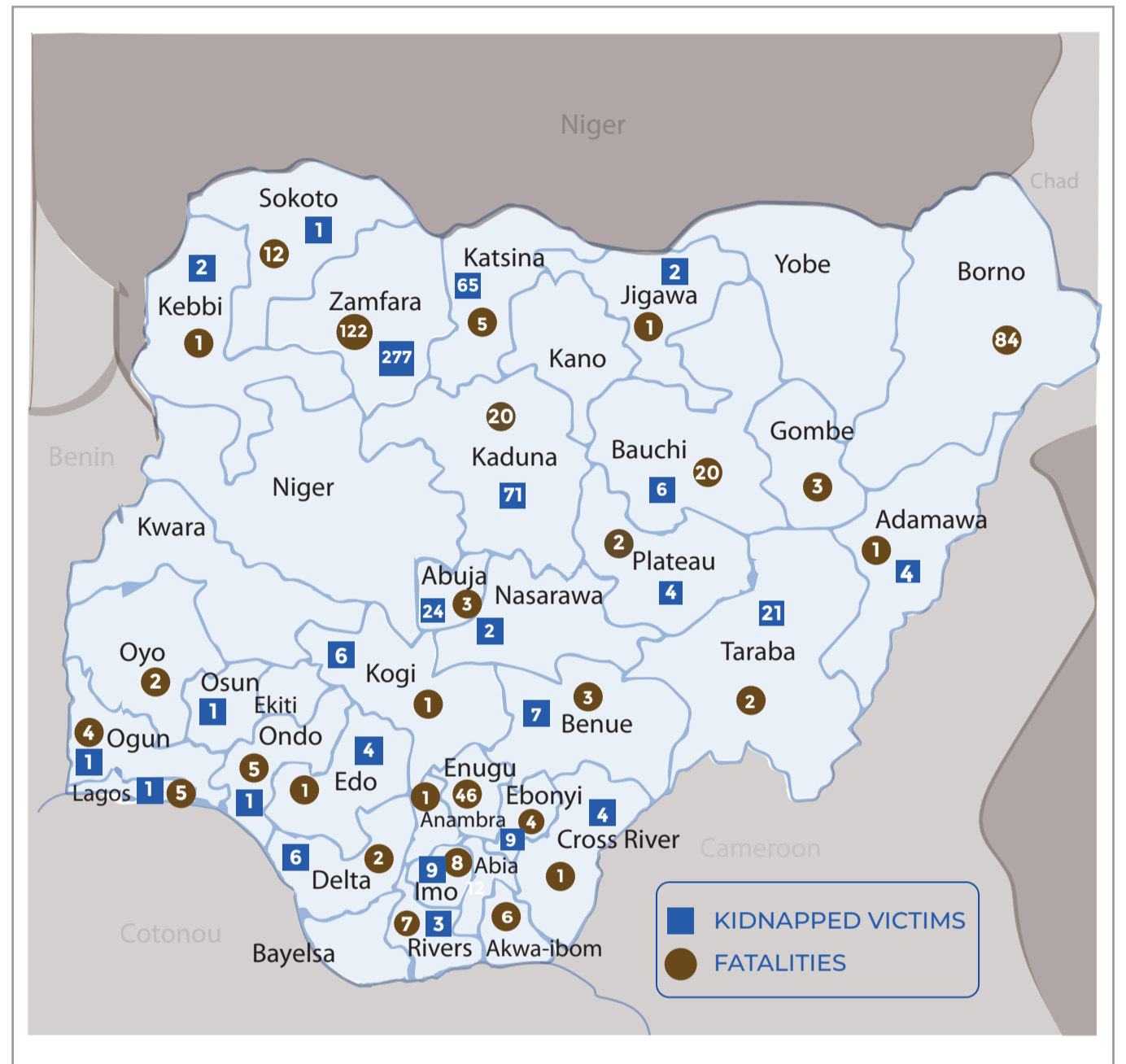
SUMMARY

The situation report, which provides a bi-weekly update on armed violence incidents and casualties in Nigeria, documented multiple security threats including terrorist-related clash, banditry, kidnapping, communal clashes including cult violence, farmer/herder clash and land-related disputes as well as sexual and gender-based violence (SGBV), particularly rape in the reporting period.

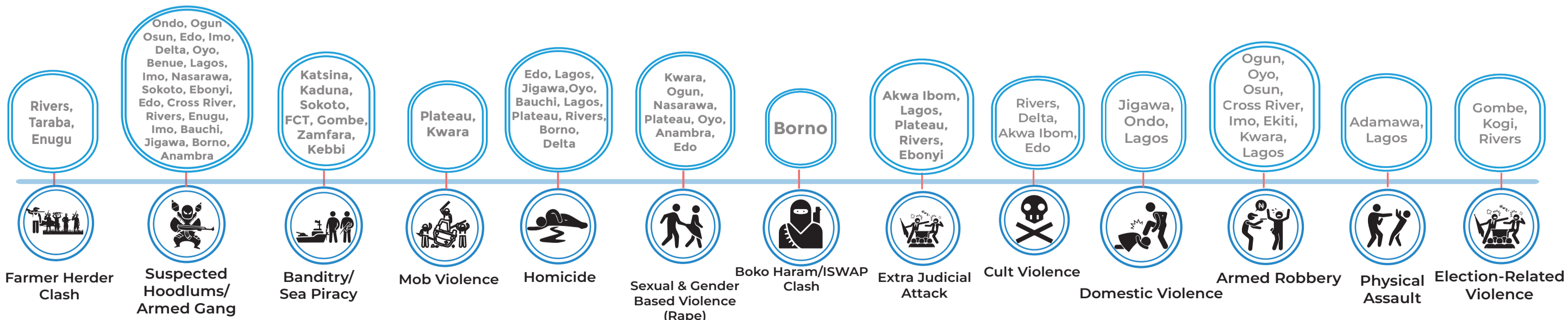
Within the reporting period, a total of 111 armed violence incidents were recorded with 95 injuries and 368 fatalities including 41 women, 3 children and 7 security personnel. The North-West and North-East had the highest number of fatalities with 161 and 109, followed by the South-East with 59 deaths. The South-South and South-West accounted for 17 and 16 fatalities, while the North-Central recorded the lowest fatality of 6. The period under review recorded a significant increase in fatalities (368) compared to the period of November 16-30, 2022, with 248 recorded fatalities. Non-state armed actors are not included in the statistics of recorded fatalities.

The WANEP NEWS also recorded 46 incidents of kidnapping across 23 States with 529 people abducted in the reporting period. Out of the 529 kidnapped victims, 40 were women and 13 children. Further analysis reveals that the North-West accounted for the highest number with 416 kidnapped victims followed by the North-Central and North-East with 43 and 31 kidnapped victims. The South-East and South-South accounted for 18 and 17 kidnapped victims respectively, while the South-West recorded the lowest figure of 4.

AFFECTED LOCATIONS



NATURE OF INCIDENTS



Data Sourced From: WANEP's National Early Warning System (NEWS).