

Situation Update

STATISTICS OF INCIDENTS AND FATALITIES IN NIGERIA

September 16-30, 2023



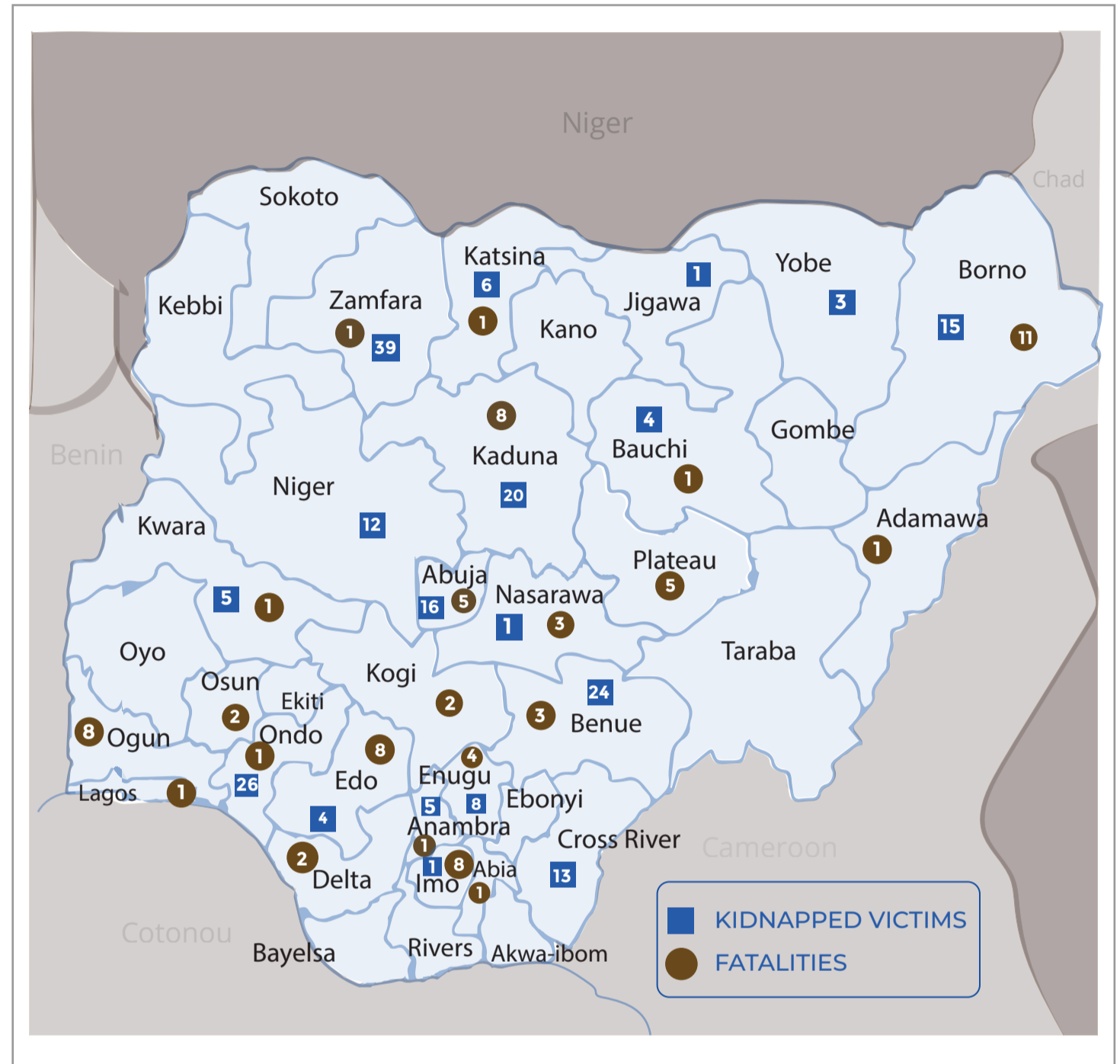
SUMMARY

The situation report, which provides a bi-weekly update on armed violence incidents and casualties in Nigeria, documented multiple security threats including terrorist-related attacks, banditry, kidnapping, cult violence, and communal clashes including community-herder clashes as well as Sexual and Gender-Based Violence (SGBV), particularly rape in the reporting period.

Within the reporting period, a total of 91 armed violence incidents were recorded with 37 injuries and 77 fatalities including 6 women, 5 children and 10 security personnel. The North-Central had the highest number of fatalities with 19, while the South-East and North-East recorded 14 and 12 deaths. The South-West, South-South and North-West accounted for the lowest fatalities of 12, 10 and 10 deaths in the reporting period. Non-state armed actors are not included in the statistics of recorded fatalities.

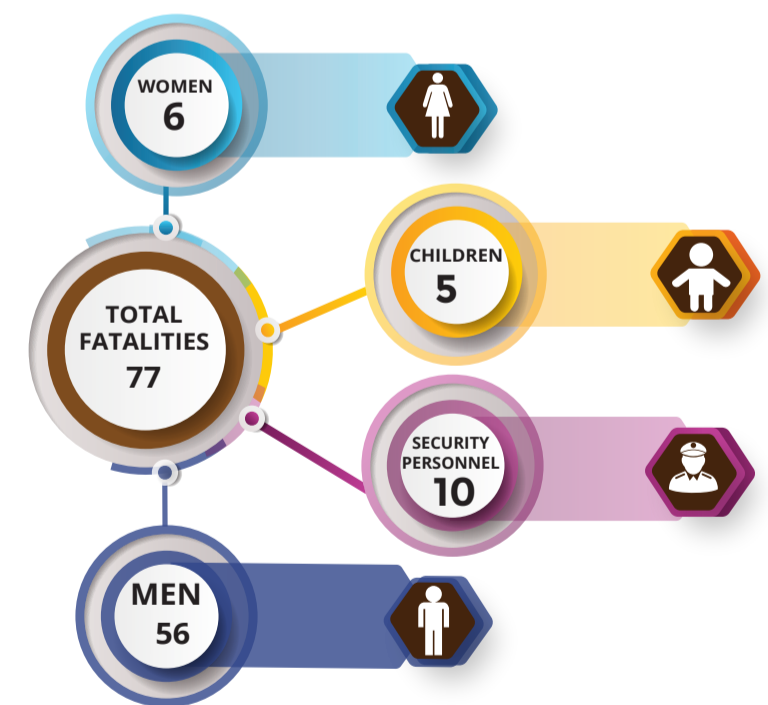
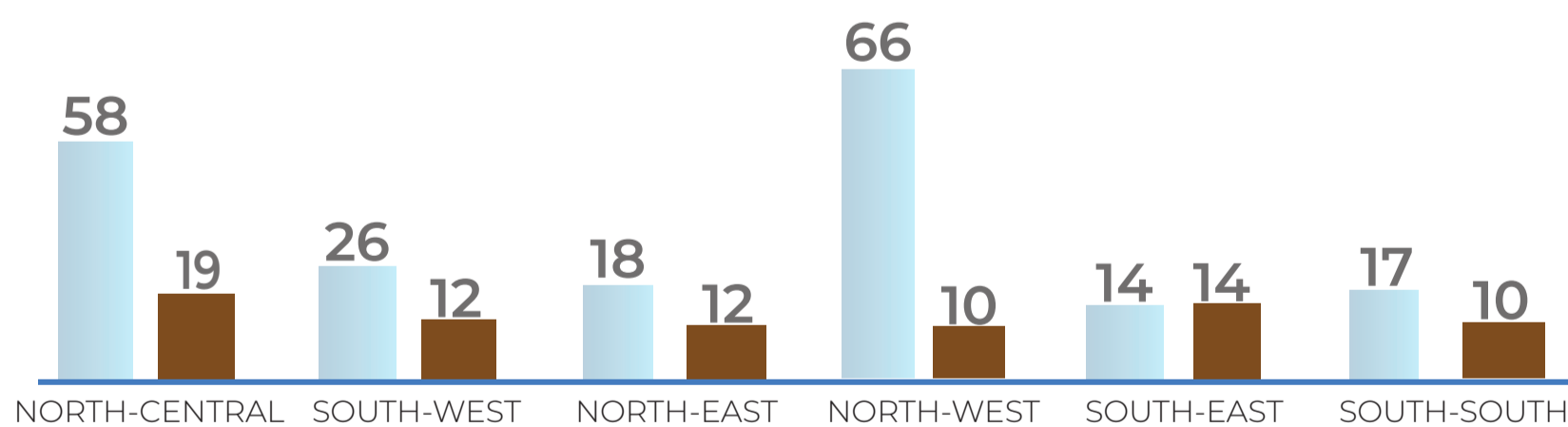
The WANEP NEWS also recorded 32 incidents of kidnapping across 17 States with 199 people abducted in the reporting period. Out of the 199 kidnapped victims, 62 were women, and 8 children. Further analysis reveals that the North-West accounted for the highest number with 66, while the North-Central and South-West recorded 58 and 26 respectively. Also, the North-East, South-South and South-East recorded, 18, 17 and 14 kidnapped victims in the reporting period.

AFFECTED LOCATIONS

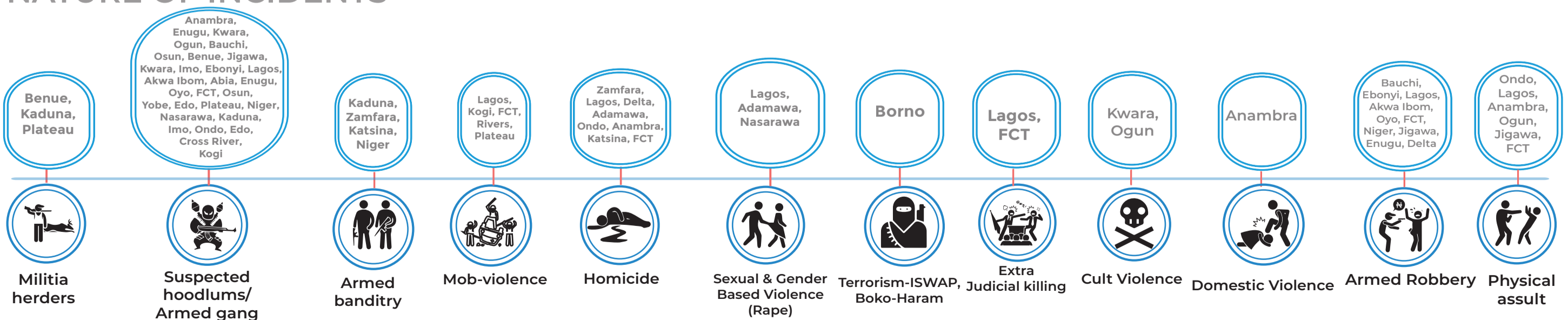


FATALITIES PER REGION (77)

KIDNAPPING PER REGION (193)



NATURE OF INCIDENTS



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