

Situation Update

STATISTICS OF INCIDENTS AND FATALITIES IN NIGERIA

SEPTEMBER 1 - 15, 2025



FATALITIES 217



INJURIES 128



KIDNAPPED VICTIMS
309

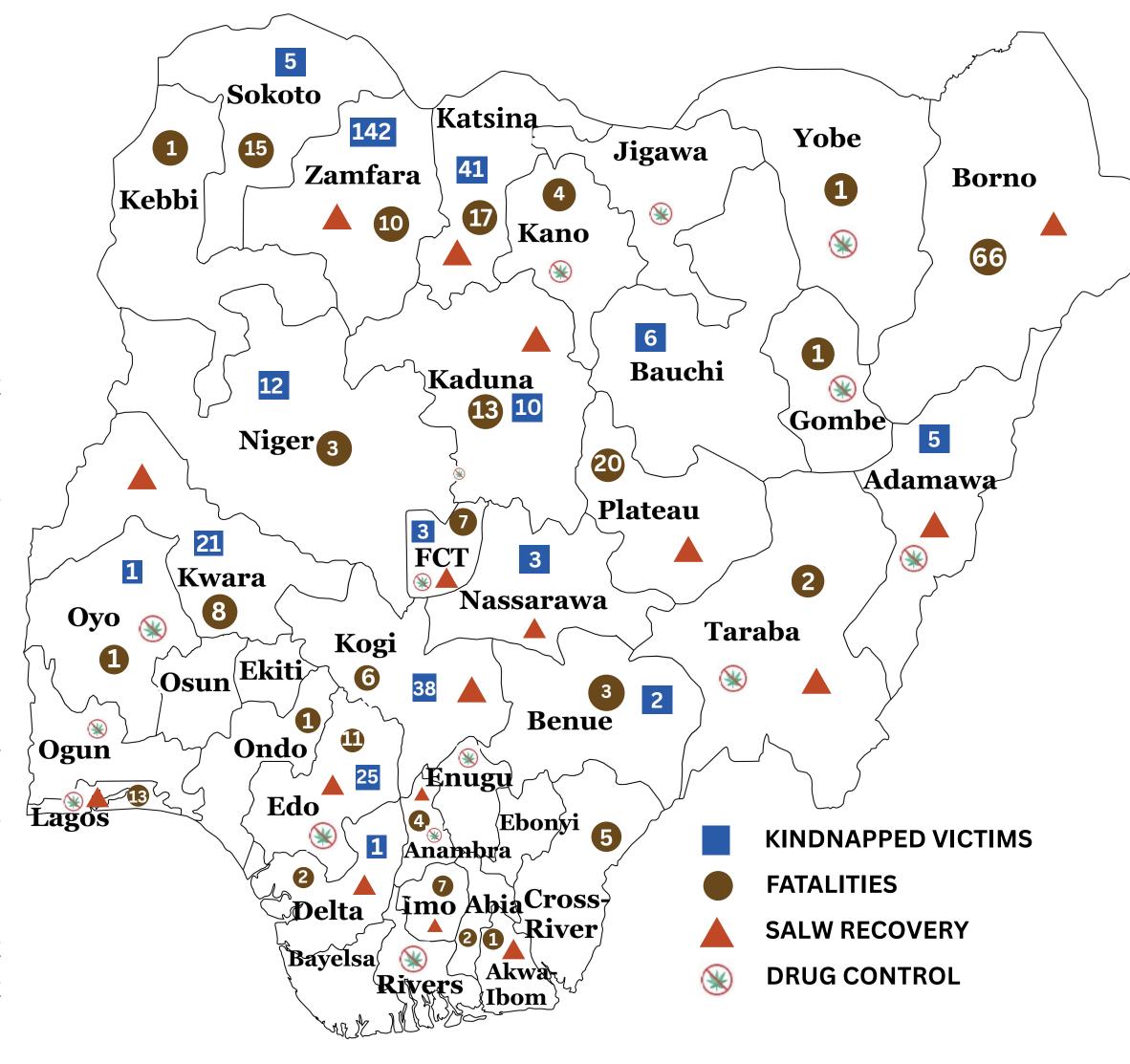
SUMMARY

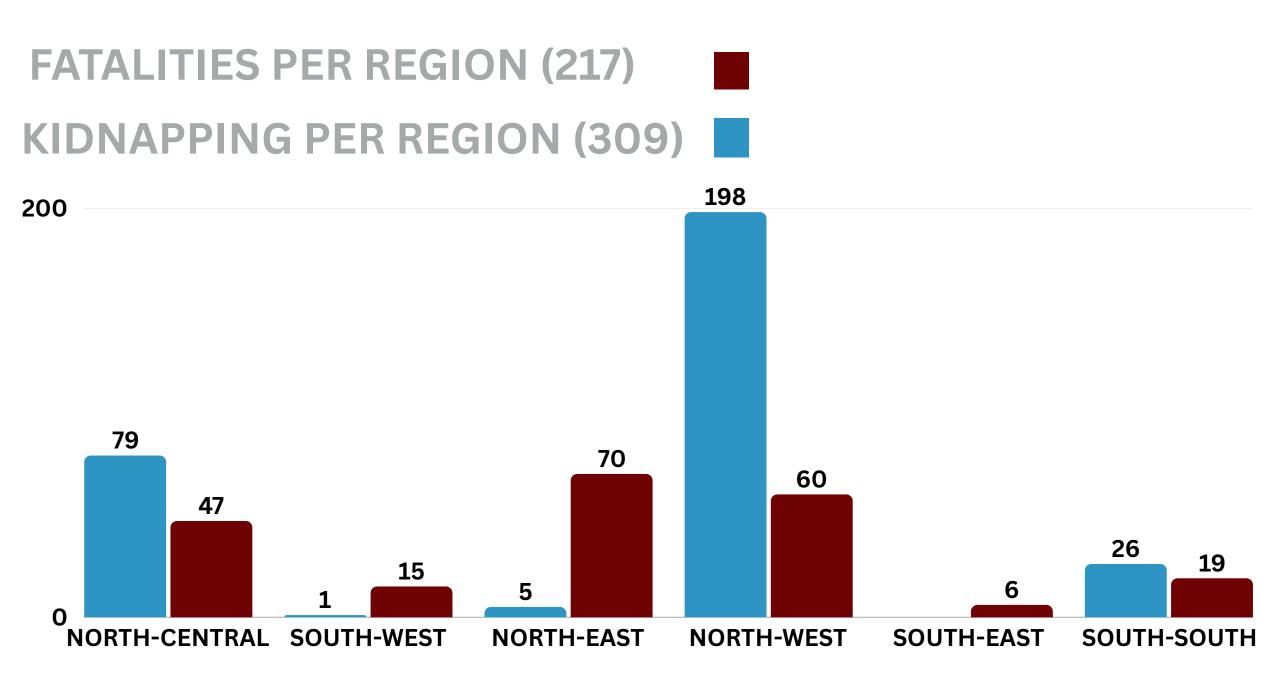
The situation report, which provides a bi-weekly update on armed violence incidents and casualties in Nigeria, documented multiple security threats including terrorist-related attacks, banditry, kidnapping, cult clashes, and communal clashes including community-herder clashes as well as Sexual and Gender-Based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

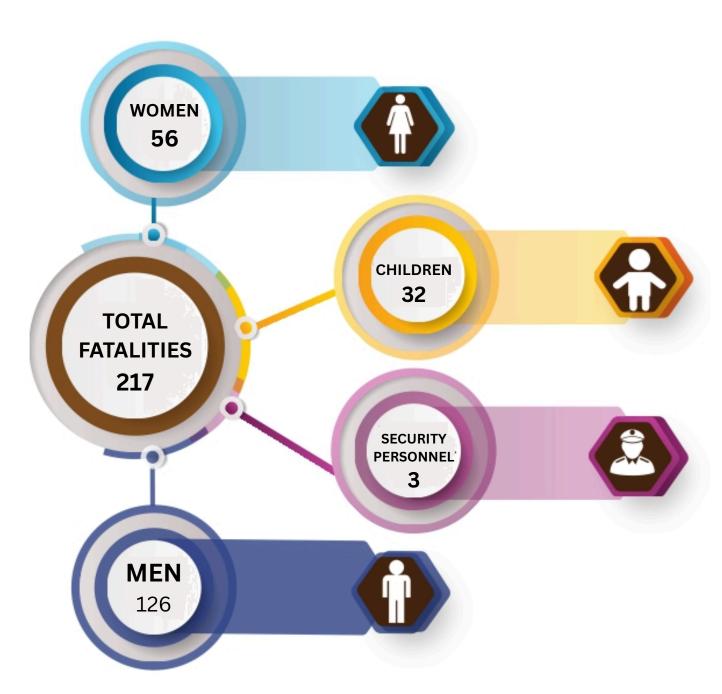
Within the reporting period, a total of 178 armed violence incidents were recorded with 128 injuries and 217 fatalities including 10 women, 5 children and 27 security personnel. The North-East and North-West recorded the highest number of fatalities with 70 and 60, while the North-Central and South-South accounted for 47 and 19 deaths. Also, the South-West and South-East recorded 15 and 6 deaths respectively in the reporting period. The period under review recorded an increase in fatalities (217) compared to the period of August 16-31 2025, with 201 recorded fatalities. Non-state armed actors are not included in the statistics of recorded fatalities.

The WANEP NEWS also recorded 48 incidents of kidnapping across 14 States with 309 people abducted in the reporting period. Out of the 92 kidnapped victims, 56 were women 32 children and 3 security personnel. Further analysis reveals that the North-West and North-Central both accounted for the highest numbers with 198 and 79 respectively. Also, the South-South, North-East and South-West recorded 26, 5 and 1 kidnapped victims respectively. The South-East had no recorded victim.

AFFECTED LOCATIONS







NATURE OF INCIDENTS

