

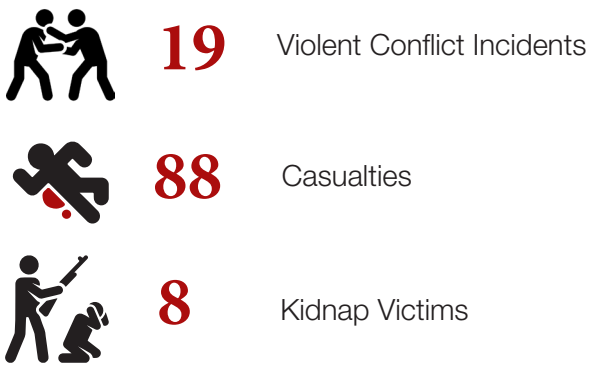
# NIGERIA VIOLENT CONFLICT WEEKLY SPOTLIGHT

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## High Level Summary

### Violent Conflict Summary



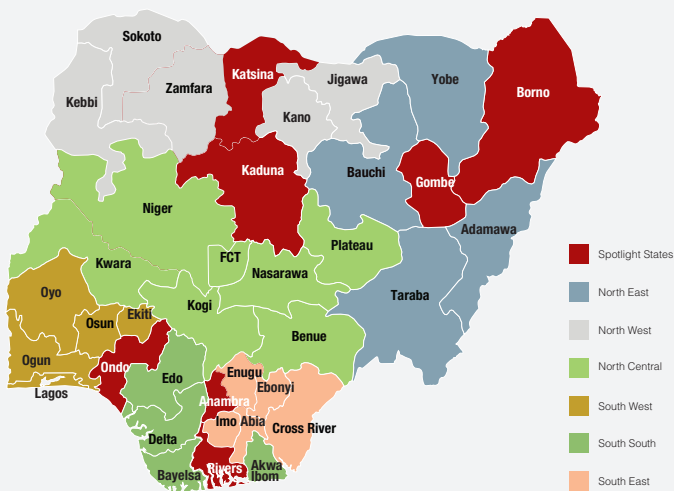
### Predominant Conflict



#### Gunmen Attacks



## This Week's Spotlight



### Incident Count

Ondo	3
Rivers	2
Anambra	2
Kaduna	2
Gombe	2

### Casualties

Katsina	41
Borno	15

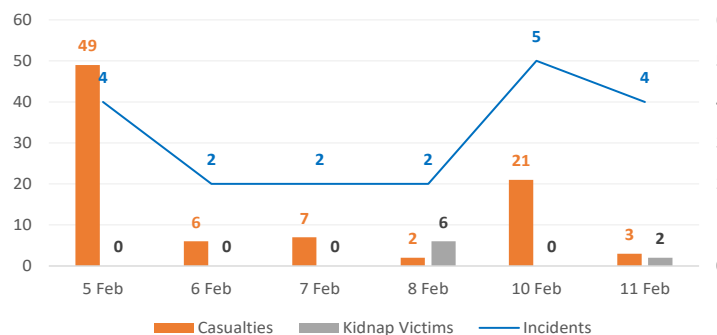
### Kidnap Count

Kaduna	8
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## Weekly Data by Region, State, and Conflict Type

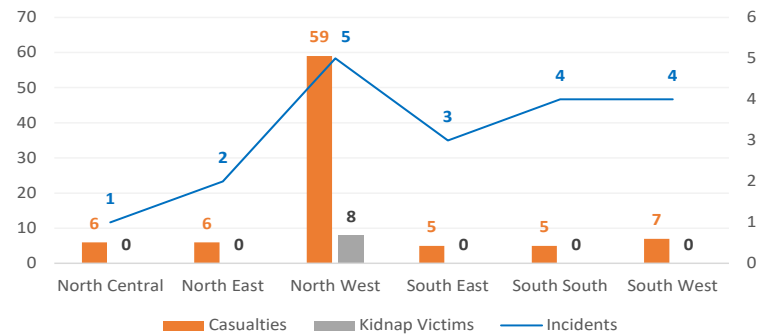
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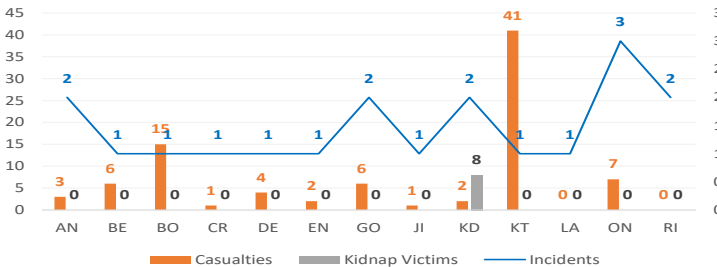
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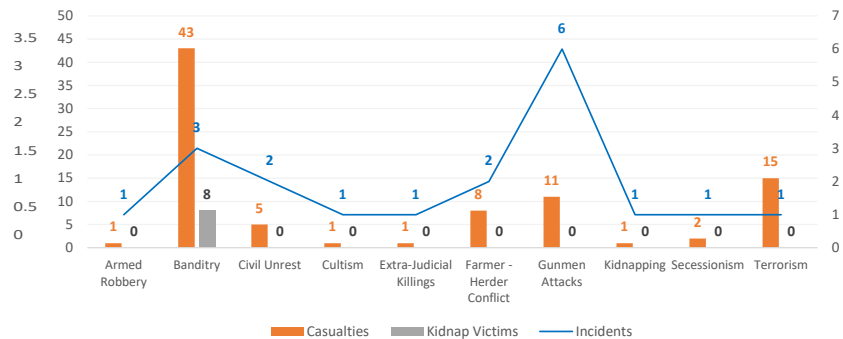
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Nextier Violent Conflict Data by Conflict Types

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The week under review, 5th – 11th February 2023, saw 19 violent conflict incidents that led to 88 casualties (deaths and incidents) and eight kidnap victims across 13 Nigerian states. There is a 31.3 per cent decrease in casualty figure compared to the [previous week](#). Katsina is the focal state for the week in terms of casualties, with 41 deaths recorded in the state due to an [ambush](#) by bandits on vigilantes and civilians in Kankara Local Government Area of the state, which resulted in the high death count. The only kidnap incident for the week was in Kaduna, with eight kidnap victims. Ondo state ranked highest in the violent incident tally, with three cases involving unknown gunmen, civilians, and kidnappers. Gunmen violence is the focal violent conflict for the week, with six incidents leading to 11 casualties. Banditry comes second as the most violent conflict, with 43 deaths from three incidents. Nigerians count down on the 2023 general elections amidst the recurrent violent cases, especially in the hotspots.

The data presented in this report are from the Nextier's Nigeria Violent Conflict Database that collates media-reported violent conflict incidents across Nigeria. Nextier is an Africa-focused multicompetency public sector advisory firm. For enquires, please contact the firm at [info@nextierspd.com](mailto:info@nextierspd.com) or call +234 913 1303 903. To access other publications, please visit: [www.thenextier.com/spd](http://www.thenextier.com/spd)