

NIGERIA VIOLENT CONFLICT WEEKLY SPOTLIGHT

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High Level Summary

Violent Conflict Summary



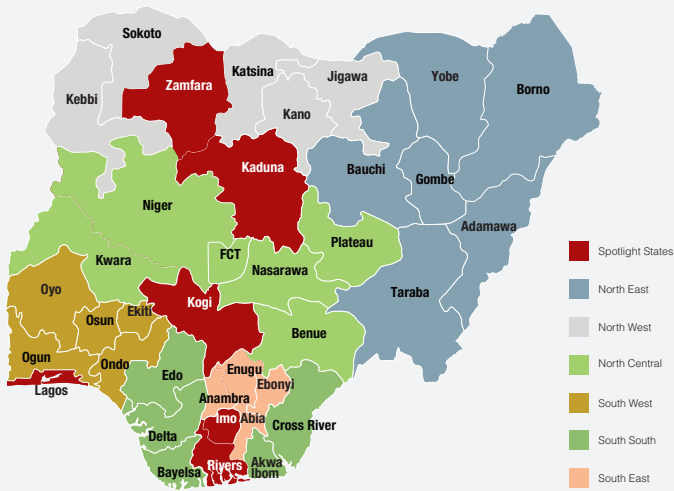
Predominant Conflict



Gunmen Attacks



This Week's Spotlight



Incident Count

Kaduna	5
Imo	3
Lagos	3

Casualties

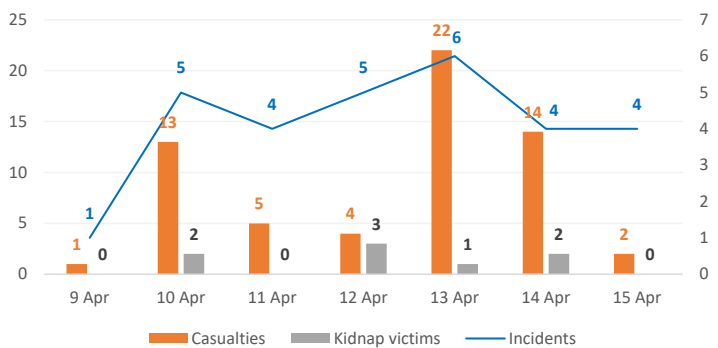
Kaduna	21
Zamfara	12

Kidnap Count

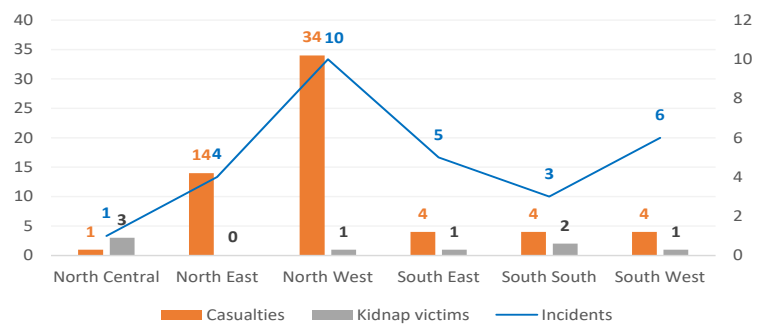
Kogi	3
Rivers	2

Weekly Data by Region, State, and Conflict Type

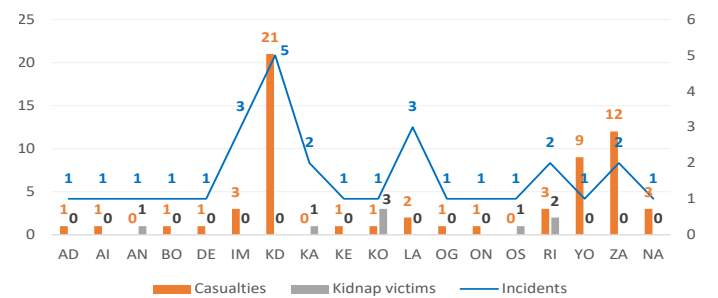
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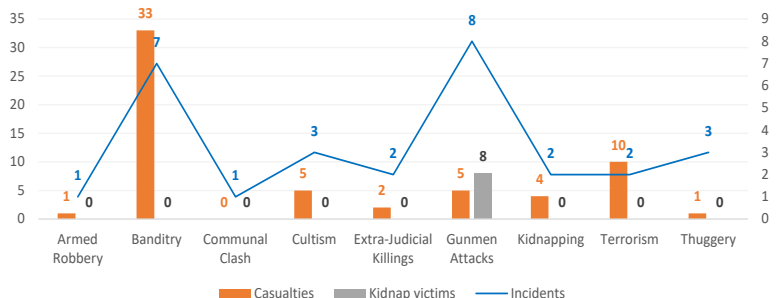
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Nextier Violent Conflict Data by State
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Nextier Violent Conflict Data by Conflict Types
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Eighteen Nigerian states recorded 29 violent incidents resulting in 61 casualties (deaths and injuries) and eight kidnap victims between the 9th and 15th of April, 2023. There was a significant reduction in casualty and kidnap counts compared to the [preceding week](#). With 21 recorded deaths, Kaduna is the focal state for the week. Separate attacks by bandits on civilians and informal security personnel in the state's [Zangon Kataf](#) and [Birnin Gwari](#) Local Government Areas contributed to the high figure. Kaduna also has the highest violent incident tally, with five cases involving bandits, security personnel, and civilians. While Kogi state has the highest kidnap count, with three victims from one incident. Gunmen violence has remained the week's focal violent conflict, with eight incidents resulting in five casualties and eight kidnap victims. Banditry comes second, with 33 deaths from seven incidents.