

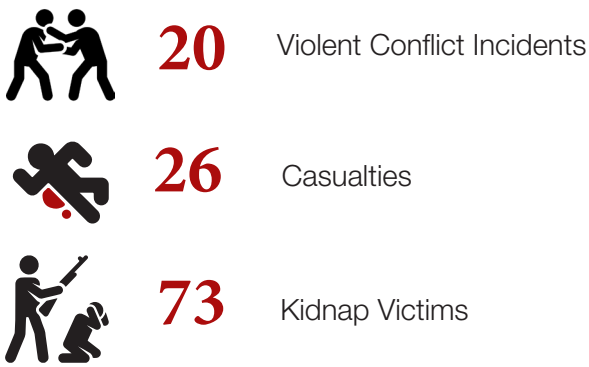
NIGERIA VIOLENT CONFLICT WEEKLY SPOTLIGHT

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High Level Summary

Violent Conflict Summary



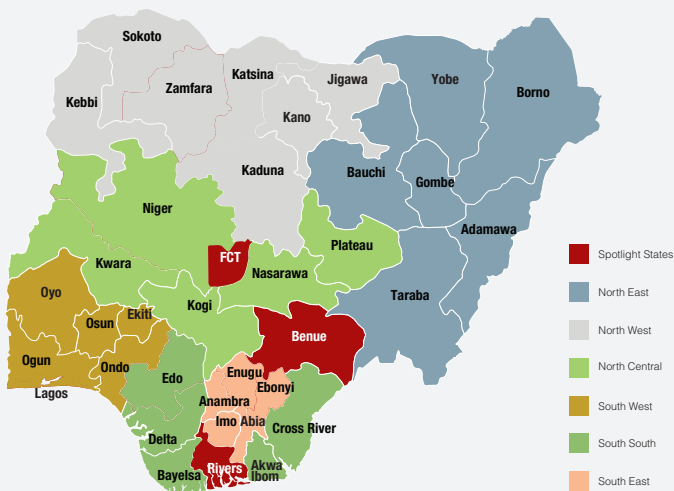
Predominant Conflict



Gunmen Attacks



This Week's Spotlight



Incident Count

Benue	3
Rivers	3

Casualties

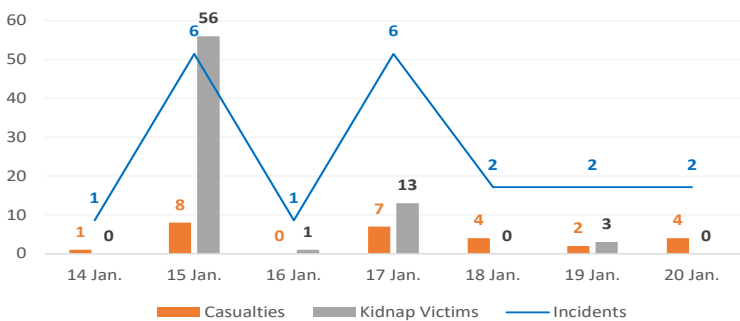
Benue	6
Rivers	5

Kidnap Count

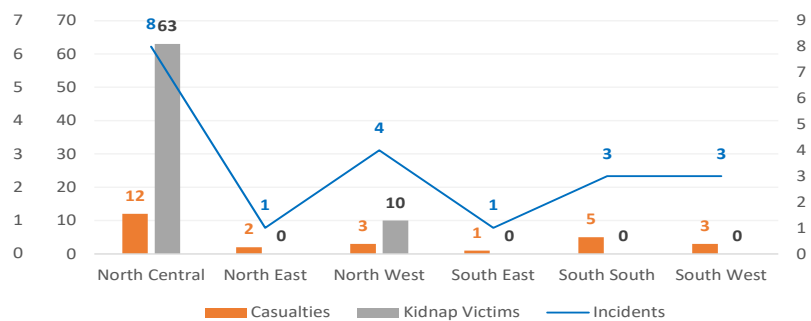
Benue	45
FCT	14

Weekly Data by Region, State, and Conflict Type

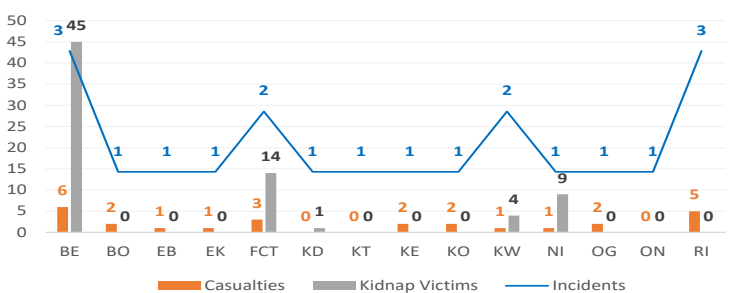
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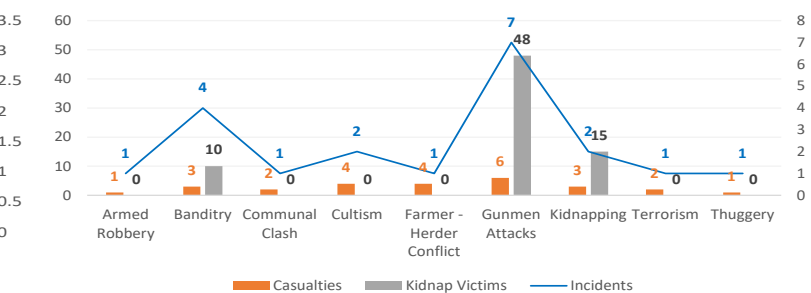
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Nextier Violent Conflict Data by State
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Nextier Violent Conflict Data by Conflict Types
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Between the 14th and 20th of January 2024, the Nextier Violent Conflict Database recorded 20 violent incidents that resulted in 26 casualties (22 fatalities and one injured victim) and 73 kidnap victims across 14 Nigerian states. Benue State ranked the highest in fatality count, recording six cases in the review week. The [attack by suspected armed herders](#) in Agatu Local Government Area (LGA) of the State contributed to the fatality tally. Forty-five people were abducted in the State within the same period. Rivers and Benue States recorded the highest incident tally, with three cases each involving farmer-herder conflicts, yet-to-be-identified gunmen, cultists, security personnel and civilians. Gunmen violence remains the most reoccurring conflict in this review week (14th - 20th January 2024), resulting in six fatalities and 48 kidnap victims from seven incidents. Banditry is a distant second, with four incidents recording three fatalities and ten kidnap victims. North Central Nigeria remains the most volatile region in the review period, recording eight incidents that resulted in 12 fatalities and 63 kidnap victims.

The data presented in this report are from Nextier's Nigeria Violent Conflict Database which collates violent conflict incidents across Nigeria from field sources and media-reported violent conflict incidents. Nextier is an Africa-focused multi-competency public sector advisory firm. For enquires, please contact the firm at info@thenextier.com or call +234 913 1303 903. To access other publications, please visit: www.thenextier.com/spd