# **NIGERIA VIOLENT CONFLICT WEEKLY SPOTLIGHT**

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# High Level Summary

# **Violent Conflict Summary**

Violent Conflict Incidents



Casualties



Kidnap Victims

#### **Predominant Conflict**



### **Gunmen Attacks**



Incidents

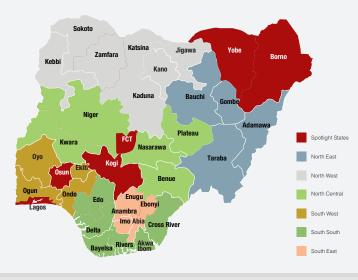


Casualties



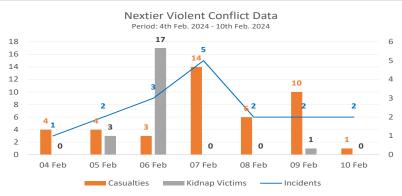
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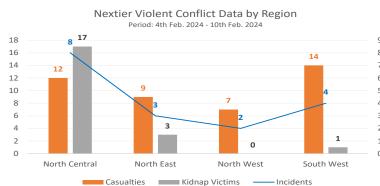
# This Week's Spotlight

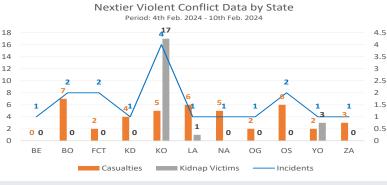


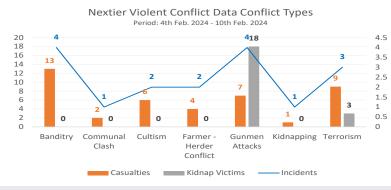
#### **Incident Count** Kogi 4 Borno 2 **FCT** 2 Osun 2 **Casualties** 7 Borno 6 Lagos **Kidnap Count** Kogi 17 Yobe 3

# Weekly Data by Region, State, and Conflict Type









Eleven Nigerian states recorded 17 violent incidents that resulted in 42 casualties (38 fatalities and four injured persons) and 21 kidnap victims between the 4th and 10th of February 2024. The casualty count increased by 10.52 per cent compared to the <u>previous week</u>. Borno State ranked the highest in fatality count, recording seven cases in the review week. The attack on a police station by the members of the Islamic States of West African Province in Nganzai Local Government Area (LGA) of the State contributed to the tally. Kogi State recorded the highest incident tally, with four cases involving yet-to-be-identified gunmen, suspected herders and civilians. The State also recorded the highest kidnap tally, with 17 victims within the period. Gunmen violence and banditry are the most common forms of conflict in this review week (February 4 - February 10, 2024). The latter recorded five incidents, 13 deaths and the former, with seven casualties (three fatalities and four injured persons) and 18 kidnap victims from four incidents. North Central Nigeria remains the most volatile region in the review period, recording eight incidents that resulted in 12 fatalities and 17 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