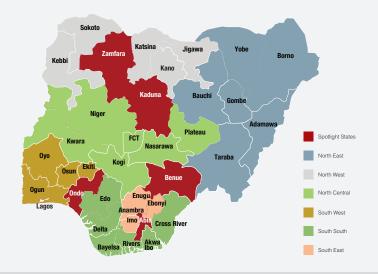
## **NIGERIA VIOLENT CONFLICT WEEKLY SPOTLIGHT**

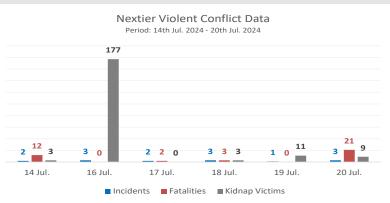


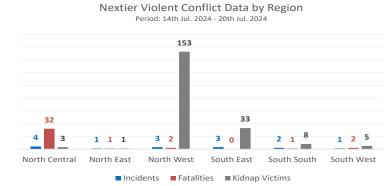
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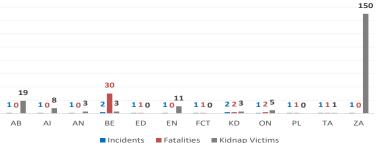
## **Incident Count** Benue 2 Kaduna 2 **Fatalities** Benue 30 Kaduna 2 2 Ondo Kidnap Count Zamfara 150 Abia 19



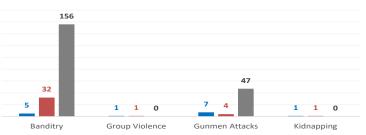




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Incidents Fatalities Kidnap Victims

Between the 14th and 20th of July 2024, twelve Nigerian states recorded 14 violent incidents that resulted in 38 fatalities and 203 kidnap victims. All three indicators (violent incidents, fatalities and kidnap victims) increased compared to the previous week. Benue State recorded the most fatalities even in this review week, with 30 cases. The bandit attack on Mbacher community of Katsina-Ala Local Government Area (LGA) contributed to the high tally in the state. Kaduna and Benue States recorded the highest number of violent conflict incidents, with two each involving kidnappers, security personnel, bandits and civilians. Zamfara State recorded the highest number of kidnap victims (150) within the same period (July 14 - 20, 2024). Gunmen violence remains the prevalent violent conflict, with seven incidents that led to four fatalities and 47 kidnap victims. North Central is the most troubled region in this review period, with four incidents that resulted in 32 deaths and three kidnap victims.

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