













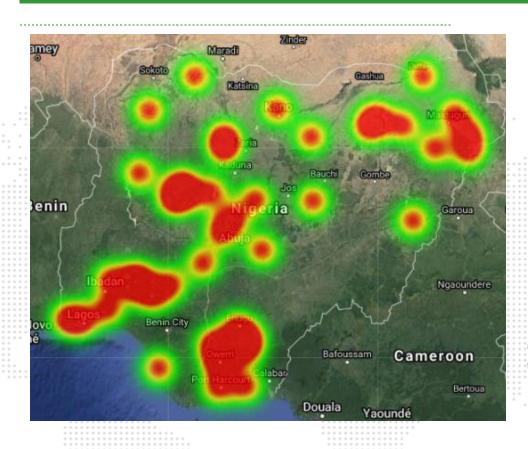
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DATE: 10 October 2021 **WEEKLY INCIDENT REPORT**

Covering period from 0000-hour 4 October to 1600 hours 10 October 2021

HIGHLIGHTS



Protest

Killings

Terrorist Activity

WEEKLY THREAT LEVEL ASSEMENT - Medium to High

	EVEL	SCORE	THREAT
High	Very High High	5 4	Red
Medium	Medium	3	Yellow
Wediam	Low	2	Tellow
Low	Low Very Low		Green

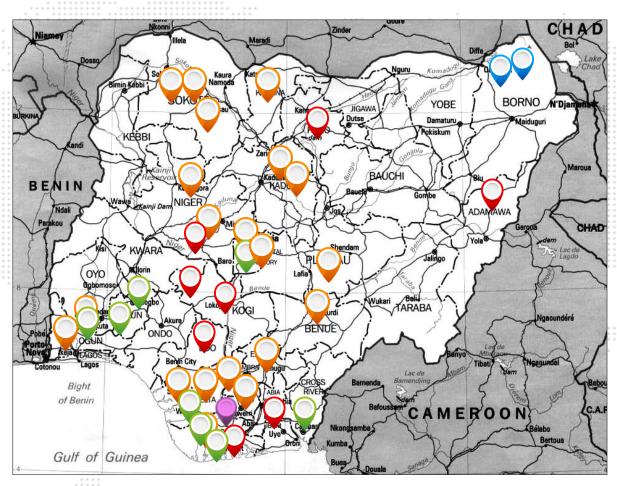
Kidnapping





OVERVIEW OF INCIDENTS FOR THE WEEK

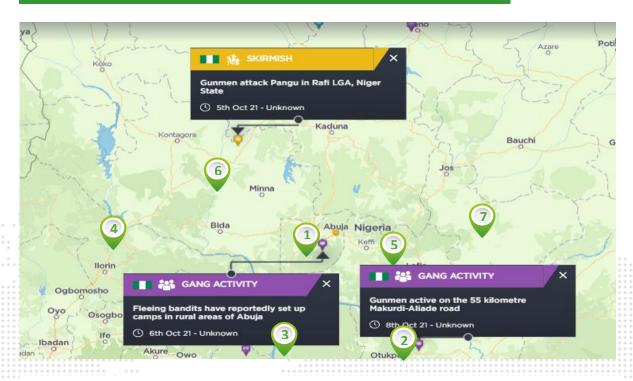
- **1.** Government threatens a state of emergency in SE region which might prevent elections from holding in Anambra State.
- 2. Reports of armed confrontation between ISWAP and Boko Haram terrorists in NE region.
- 3. Military Operation named Golden Dawn launched in some states in the country.
- **4.** SE region continues to record a surge in violence during the week.



THREAT	Code
Kidnapping	
Killing	
Civil unrest	
Armed conflict	
Arrest	
Robbery	
Terrorism	



OVERVIEW OF INCIDENTS IN NORTHCENTRAL (NC) REGION



Total Number Killed – 9
Total Number Injured – 2
Total Number Kidnapped – 5
Threat Level in NC during the
Week : Moderate

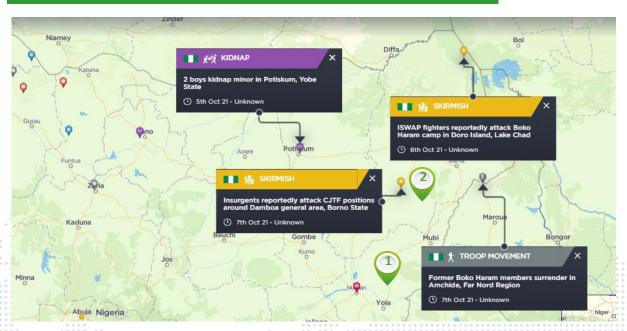


STATE	LGA	DATE	INCIDENT TYPE	NUMBER	NUMBER	NUMBER	THREAT
				KILLED	INJURED	KIDNAPPED	LEVEL
1. ABUJA	CBD	6 October	Fire	0	2	0	4
	Bwari	4 October	Robbery	1	0	0	3.5
2. BENUE	Makurdi	6 October	Protest	0	0	0	3.5
3. KOGI	Kabba	8 October	Kidnapping	0	0	3	3.5
	Lokoja			0	0	2	3.5
4. KWARA	Offa	6 October	Arson	0	0	0	3.5
5. NASARAWA	Eggon	9 October	Arson	0	0	0	3.5
6. NIGER	Rafi	7 October	Armed Attack	5	0	0	4
7. PLATEAU	Bassa	4 October	Armed Attack	3	0	0	3.5

Incidents of the week – Kogi State recorded a surge in kidnapping incidents during the week with five persons kidnapped from Kabba and Lokoja LGAs on 8 October. The incident recorded in Kabba was reported around 0830 hours and three high profile persons from the community were kidnapped. A ransom of NGN 30m has been demanded by the abductors to release the victims. Notably, Kabba is in proximity to Ekiti State which has witnessed an increase in kidnapping incidents. The recent surge in criminal activity has been attributed to the jail break recorded in September where at least 241 inmates were released following a jailbreak by armed men.



OVERVIEW OF INCIDENTS IN NORTHEAST (NE) REGION



Total Number Killed – 90
Total Number Injured – 0
Total Number Kidnapped – 2
Threat Level in NE during the
Week: High

STATE	LGA	DATE	INCIDENT TYPE	NUMBER KILLED	NUMBER INJURED		THREA T LEVEL
1. ADAMAWA	Yola	10 October	Kidnapping	2	0	0	3.5
2. BORNO	Damboa	7 October	Terrorist Activity	0	0	0	4
	Lake Chad	5 October	Terrorist Clash	87	0	0	4

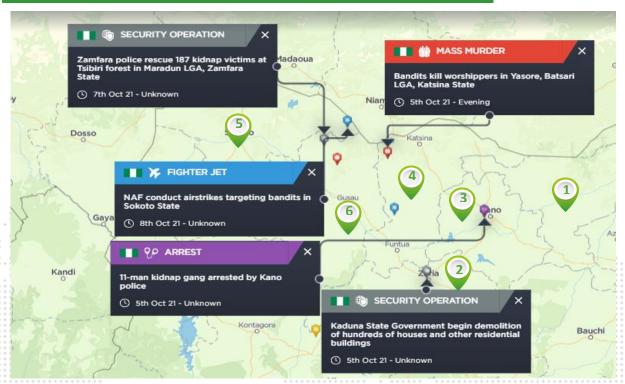


Incidents of the week – Number of reports on terrorist activities declined during the week. Nevertheless, a report emerged on 5 October about the clashes between ISWAP and Boko Haram terror groups resulted in the death of 87 Boko Haram terrorists residing along the Lake Chad axis of Borno State. Fighting have reportedly been ongoing between the two groups since June 2021 and in the incident, it was reported that five speed boats were used by ISWAP to invade the Boko Haram camp in the area last week. Two things can be deduced through this info. One, the Lake Chad area remains a major Boko Haram territory and two, the infighting between the terror groups continues despite the death of Boko Haram leader, Abubakar Shekau.

In Adamawa State, a mother and her baby were kidnapped by armed men who also attacked Ngurore Police Station in Yola to prevent any rescue mission from the police at about 0200 hours on 10 October.



OVERVIEW OF INCIDENTS IN NORTHWEST (NW) REGION



Total Number Killed – **81**Total Number Injured – **36**Total Number Kidnapped – **1**Threat Level in NW during the
Week: High



STATE	LGA	DATE	INCIDENT TYPE	NUMBER KILLED	NUMBER INJURED	NUMBER KIDNAPPED	THREAT LEVEL
1. JIGAWA	Dutse	6 October	Gas Explosion	1	0	0	4
2. KADUNA	Kaduna North	7 October	Protest	0	0	0	3.5
	Zaria	4 October	Protest	0	0	0	3.5
	Birnin Gwari	4 October	Robbery	0	0	0	3.5
3. KANO	Kano	6 October	Kidnapping	0	0	1	3.5
4. KATSINA	Mani	8 October	Shooting	0	1	0	3.5
	Batsari	5 October	Armed Attack	21	0	0	4
5. ѕокото	Sabon Birni	8 October	Armed Attack	19	0	0	4
	Gwadabawa	7 October		22	35	0	4
6. ZAMFARA	Kauran Namoda	5 October	Armed Attack	18	0	0	4

Incidents of the week— More activities were witnessed in Sokoto State during the week with at least 41 persons killed in attacks orchestrated by armed groups including a proscribed group known as Yan Sakai who killed at least 22 traders identified as Fulani during Mammande weekly market on 7 October. They reportedly invaded at about 1700 hours with at least 200 armed men who also stole food items. It was reported that they took advantage of the telecoms shutdown which prevented locals from calling security forces to salvage the situation. This is one of the disadvantages of the current decision on the shutdown of telecommunications.



OVERVIEW OF INCIDENTS IN SOUTHEAST (SE) REGION





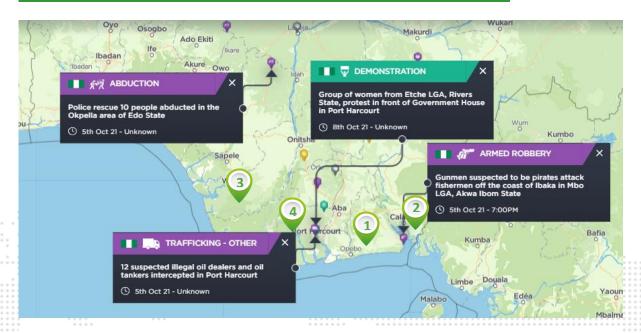


STATE	LGA	DATE	INCIDENT TYPE	NUMBER	NUMBER	NUMBER	THREAT
				KILLED	INJURED	KIDNAPPED	LEVEL
1. ABIA	Ikwuano	4 October	Protest	0	0	0	3
2. ANAMBRA	Awka	5 October	Cult Activity	3	0	0	4
	Okija - Onitsha Highway	7 October	Armed Attack/GSR	4	0	0	
	Awka	5 October	Shooting	3	0	0	
	Idemili North		Killing	8	0	0	
3. EBONYI	Onicha	7 October	Criminal Activity	10	0	0	4
	Ishielu		Armed Attack	10	0	0	4
	Ivo	6 October	Domestic Violence	2	6	0	3.5
4. ENUGU	Ezeagu	8 October	Attack on police	0	1	0	4
	Igbo Eze North	4 October	Armed Attack	4	0	0	4
	Enugu South	4 October	Shooting	0	0	0	4
5. IMO	Oguta	8 October	Attack by soldiers	3	0	0	4
	Owerri North	4 October	IPOB Activity	0	0	0	4

Incidents of the week — During the week, all the states in the SE region except Abia State recorded violent incidents either orchestrated by armed groups or by soldiers. Also, attacks on police officers and police stations have become a weekly activity in the region. There were reports of highhandedness by soldiers currently embarking on operation in the area specifically in Izombe community, Oguta LGA, Imo State. On 8 October, several houses were set ablaze by soldiers in a reprisal against youths in the community protesting the killing of a young man which reportedly led to the killing of two soldiers. The soldiers returned and set the community ablaze. Brutality by security personnel is common in Nigeria. A day prior to the abovementioned incident, at least ten persons including two lawyers and two police officers were killed by armed men in Isu and Onicha LGA, Ebonyi State. The indiscriminate violence fuelled by IPOB's agitation led to the threat by FG, to declare a state of emergency in the region which might hinder the organisation of the gubernatorial elections in Anambra state.



OVERVIEW OF INCIDENTS IN SOUTH (S) REGION







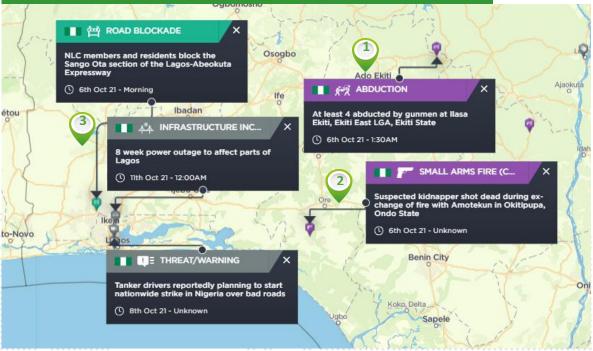
STATE	LGA	DATE	INCIDENT TYPE	NUMBER	NUMBER	NUMBER	THREAT
				KILLED	INJURED	KIDNAPPED	LEVEL
1. AKWA IBOM	Uyo	5 October	Robbery	0	0	0	3.5
	Mbo	4 October	Protest	0	0	0	3.5
2. CROSS RIVER	Calabar	4 October	Protest	0	0	0	3.5
3. DELTA	Oshimili South	5 October	GSR	4	0	0	3.5
4. RIVERS	Ahoada West	8 October	GSR	1	0	0	3
	Port Harcourt	6 October	Protest	0	0	0	3.5
	Etche	4 October	Assault	0	1	0	3.5

Incidents of the week –. The incident which highlighted the week was the assault on the leader of Etche Local Council Assembly, Cynthia Nwala at Etche LGA, Rivers State. Her clothing was torn by men attached to the Chief Security Officer for reportedly stealing the mace following a conflict amongst legislators on 4 October. She was physically prevented from leaving the premises and her vehicle was vandalised allegedly at the order of the Chairman off the Assembly, Obinna Anyawu which he denied vehemently.

Women took to the streets of Port Harcourt on 6 October to protest the assault on the council woman demanding an apology and investigation into the matter. Generally, legislators are commonly known to embark on disputes which degenerates into violence.



OVERVIEW OF INCIDENTS IN SOUTHWEST (SW) REGION





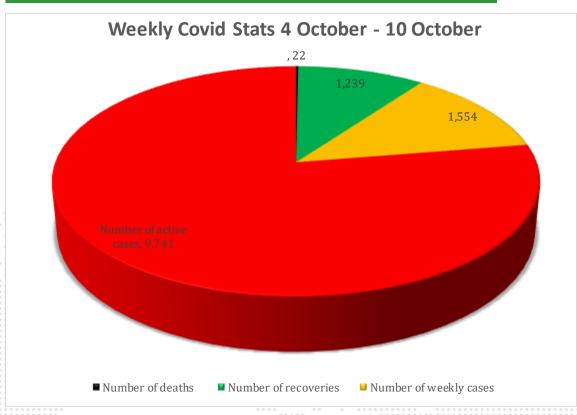


	STATE	LGA	DATE	INCIDENT TYPE	NUMBER KILLED	NUMBER INJURED	NUMBER KIDNAPPED	THREAT LEVEL
ı	1. EKITI	Ekiti East	6 October	Kidnapping	0	0	4	4
	2. OGUN	Sango Ota	6 October	Protest	0	0	0	3.5
		Abeokuta	5 October	Robbery/GSR	0	0	0	3.5
	3. ONDO	Okitipupa	6 October	Armed Clash	1	0	0	3.5

Incidents of the week – The week recorded a kidnapping incident in Ekiti State. Armed men attacked Eti-Ero farmstead in Ilasa-Ekiti at about 0130 hours and vandalized the area before kidnapping four persons including a boy. Kidnapping has become a common occurrence along routes and in towns in Ekiti. Most of the incidents have been attributed to Fulani armed herders. Their activities seem to have extended into Ondo State and in the last five weeks incidents have been recorded in border towns on Kogi State. Another kidnapping incident was reportedly foiled by Amotekun security men on 6 October in neighbouring Ondo State. One of the assailants was reportedly killed by a fellow assailant during the firefight which commenced in Okitipupa area of the state.

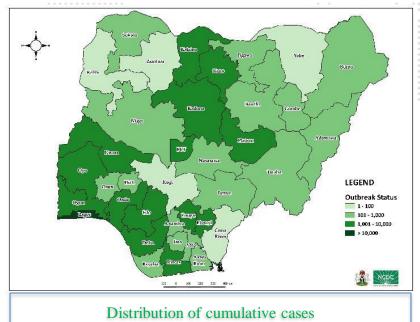


OVERVIEW OF WEEKLY COVID-19 NUMBERS



First case of COVID-19 was recorded in the country on 27 February after an Italian national returned from his trip to Milan. Other cases have been recorded in all parts of the country. As of 10 October 2021, total number of confirmed cases is at 207,618. There is a surge in COVID-19 cases as the NCDC announced that the third wave has begun in the country.

Confirmed cases for the week	1,554
Recoveries for the week	1,464
Deaths for the week	22
Total number of cases	207,618
Total Number of recoveries	195,132
Total number of deaths	2,745





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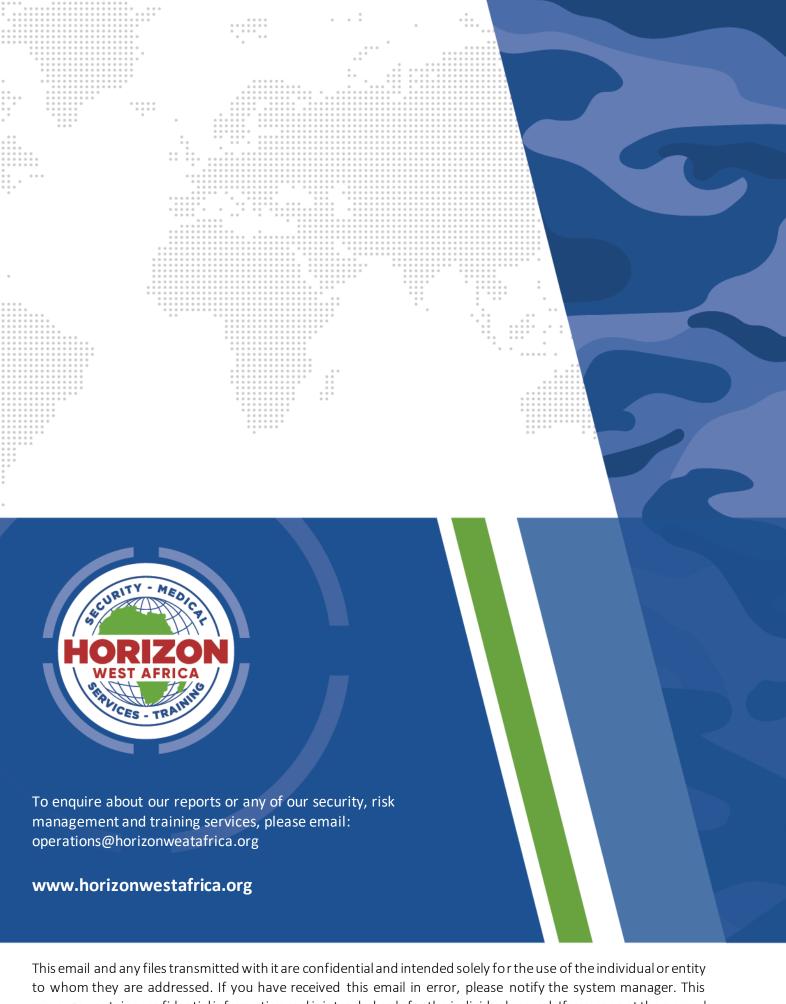
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