

This Week in Terrorism

03/25/2019-03/31/2019

Total Attacks: 18 Total Killed: 61 Total Injured: 57

Compared to this time last year, attacks increased by 20%, fatalities increased by 60%, and injuries increased by 43%.

[Source](#)

Largest Attack

On Thursday, a vehicle rigged with explosives detonated outside a crowded restaurant in [Mogadishu](#). Sixteen people were killed and seventeen injured.

Attackers

Al-Shabaab claimed two attacks this week. On Monday night, the group murdered two people in [Mogadishu](#). On Thursday, also in [Mogadishu](#), a car bomb near a hotel, killing sixteen and injuring seventeen.

Boko Haram is suspected in on attack this week. Suicide bombers blew themselves up in eastern [Niger](#) on Tuesday. The attack also included gunmen who shot nearby civilians, killing ten.

Hamas is likely responsible for a firing a rocket that landed in [Mishmeret](#) Israel. The explosion injured seven.

Islamic State of Iraq and Levant (ISIL) claimed one attack and are suspected in three more. On Monday, suspected members of the group attacked the town [Ghadwa](#) in Libya, killing one man and kidnapping another. ISIL claimed an attack the next day in [Manbij](#), Syria, in which the militants killed seven U.S-backed fighters. The fighters were manning a checkpoint at the entrance to the city. On Friday, a car bomb in [Deir ez-Zor](#), Syria killed one SDF member. Finally, on Sunday, two people were killed and one injured in an attack on a security patrol in [Balad](#), Iraq.

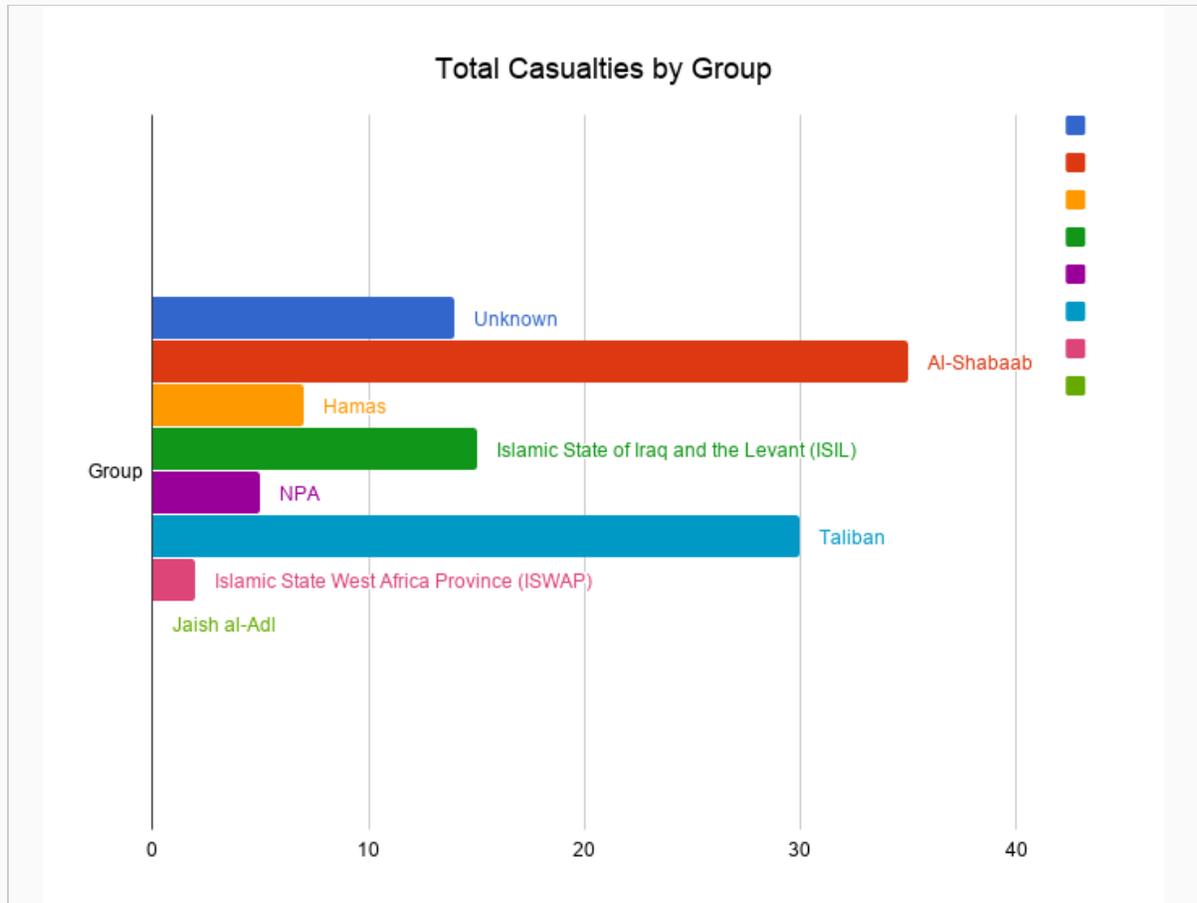
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The New People's Army (NPA) is also suspected in one attack this week. On Thursday, the group attacked a police station in [Victoria](#), Philippines, killing three and injuring two.

The Taliban is suspected in one attack as well. On Saturday, the group attacked a police checkpoint near a school

in [Andar](#), Afghanistan. Nine soldiers were killed along with four students who were caught in the crossfire. A rocket explosion hit the school during the attack, injuring seventeen people



Regions

Middle East

Afghanistan was hit by two attacks this week. On Monday, an unknown group planted an IED in [Jalalabad](#). The explosion injured six and damaged nearby shops. On Saturday, the Taliban a police checkpoint near a school in [Andar](#). Nine soldiers were killed along with four students who were caught in the crossfire. A rocket explosion hit the school during the attack, injuring seventeen people

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Africa

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Somalia was hit by three attacks this week. Al-Shabaab claimed responsibility for murdering two people in Mogadishu's [Karan](#) neighborhood on Monday night. The next day, nearby [Hodan](#) was attacked by an unknown group who planted a bomb in a car. The explosion killed the driver and injured a pedestrian nearby. Finally, on Thursday, a car bomb near a hotel in [Mogadishu](#) killed sixteen and injured seventeen. This was the week's largest attack.

Asia Pacific

India suffered three attacks this week. Naxals blew up the residence of Bharatiya Janata Party (BJP), Anuj Kumar with a dynamite in [Bihar](#) on Wednesday. On Saturday, unknown militants threw a grenade at a CPRF bunker in [Pulwama](#), injuring one. The same day, attackers shot and killed a civilian in [Baramulla](#).

Pakistan was hit by one attack on Sunday. Suspected militants opened fire in [Quetta](#), killing two and injuring two.

Philippines also suffered one attack on Thursday, the group attacked a police station in [Victoria](#), Philippines, killing three and injuring two.

Western Europe and Others

Northern Ireland was hit by an attack on Sunday when a pipe bomb exploded in front of a garden at a home in [Derry](#), but left no casualties.



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