

This Week in Terrorism

04/01/2019-04/07/2019

Total Attacks: 10 Total Killed: 16 Total Injured: 109

Compared to this time last year, attacks decreased by 50%, fatalities decreased by 73%, and injuries decreased by 33%.

[Source](#)

Largest Attack

On Sunday, two female suicide bombers targeted a crowd in [Maiduguri](#), killing five people and injuring forty-five.

Attackers

Al-Shabaab claimed one attack and is suspected in one more, both in Somalia. On Wednesday, two traders transporting goods in [Merca](#) were killed by suspected Al-Shabaab militants. The next day, a car bomb in [Mogadishu](#) injured seven.

Bangsamoro Islamic Freedom Fighters (BIFF) is suspected in one attack on Wednesday. A bomb in a crowded restaurant in [Isulan](#), Philippines injured eighteen people.

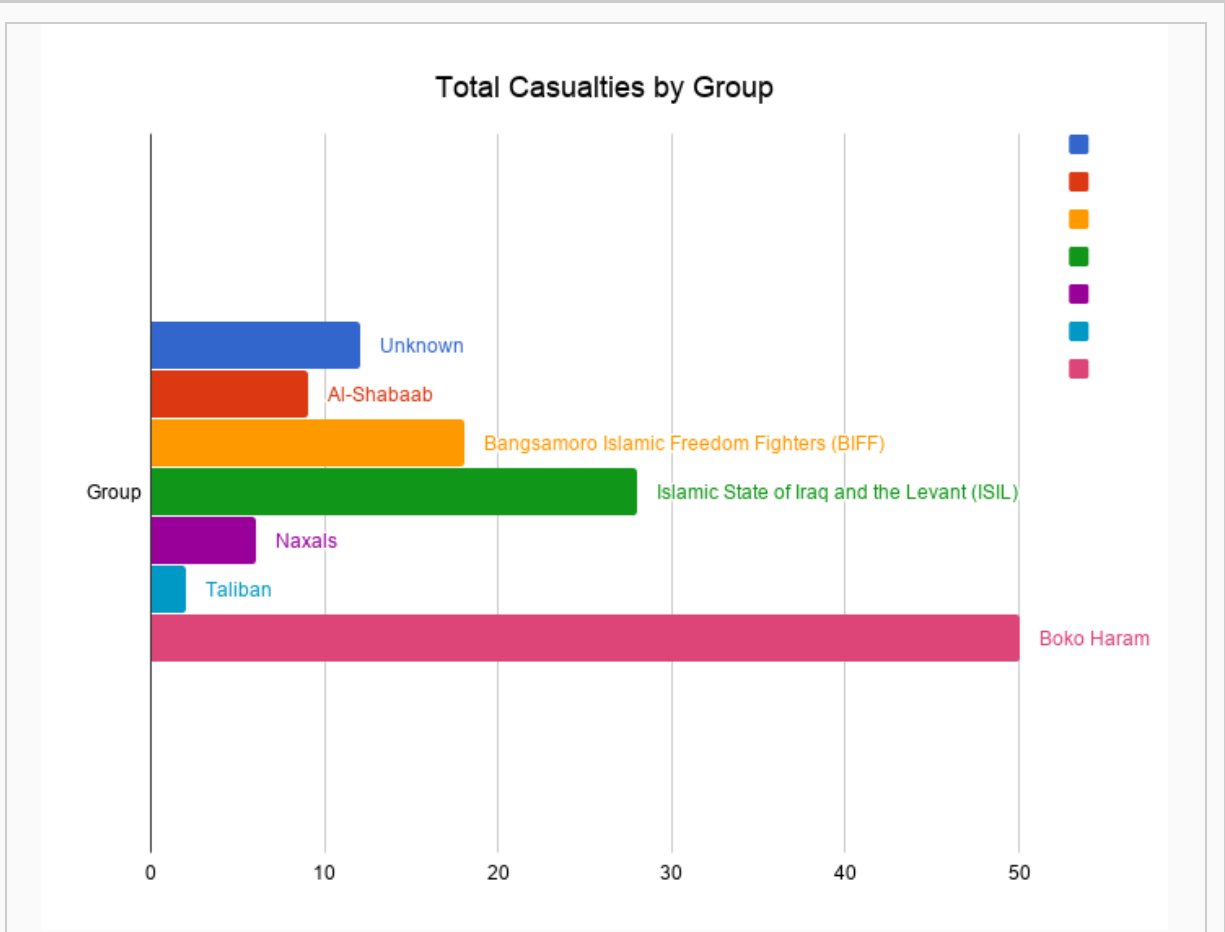
Boko Haram is also suspected in one attack this week. Twin suicide attacks in [Maiduguri](#), Nigeria killed five people and injured forty-five on Sunday.

The **Islamic State of Iraq and the Levant (ISIL)** are suspected in three attacks this week. On Tuesday, a bomb attack in [Al-Mansoura](#), Iraq, killed two people. A car bomb in [Ar-Rutba](#), Iraq killed three and injured one on Thursday.

Finally, on Saturday twin explosions hit [Jalalabad](#), Afghanistan, killing three and injuring nineteen.

Naxals are suspected in one attack this week. Four Border Security Forces (BSF) personnel were killed when their patrol was overrun by Naxals in [Pakhanjur](#), India, on Thursday.

The **Taliban** is also suspected in one attack. On Friday, two people were injured by a suspected-Taliban landmine in [Zhari](#), Afghanistan.



Regions

Middle East

Afghanistan was hit by two attacks this week. On Friday, two people were injured by a suspected-Taliban landmine in [Zhari](#). The next day, twin explosions hit [Jalalabad](#), killing three and injuring nineteen.

Iraq suffered two attacks this week, both suspected to be the work of ISIL. On Tuesday, a bomb attack in [Al-Mansoura](#) killed two people. A car bomb in [Ar-Rutba](#) killed three and injured one on Thursday.

Syria suffered one attack this week. Rockets hit a residential area in [Masyaf](#), killing three and injuring nine.

Africa

Nigeria suffered one attack this week. Twin suicide attacks in [Maiduguri](#) killed five people and injured forty-five on Sunday.

Somalia was hit by two attacks this week. On Wednesday, two traders transporting goods in [Merca](#) were killed by suspected Al-Shabaab militants. The next day, a car bomb claimed by Al-Shabaab in [Mogadishu](#) injured seven.

Asia Pacific

India suffered one attack this week. Four Border Security Forces (BSF) personnel were killed when their patrol was overrun by suspected Naxals in [Pakhanjur](#), India, on Thursday.

Philippines also suffered one attack this week. A bomb in a crowded restaurant in [Isulan](#) injured eighteen people. Bangsamoro Islamic Freedom Fighters (BIFF) are suspected.

Attacks Worldwide



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