

This Week in Terrorism

05/13/2019-05/19/2019

Total Attacks: 11 Total Killed: 60 Total Injured: 42

Compared to this time last year, attacks decreased by 48%, fatalities increased by 4%, and injuries decreased by 63%.

[Source](#)

Largest Attack

On Thursday, Islamic State West African Province (ISWAP) militants ambushed a military patrol in [Tongo-Tongo](#), Niger. ISWAP reported killing forty soldiers, but the Niger Army said only twenty-eight had died in the attack.

Attackers

Al-Shabaab claimed two attacks this week. On Tuesday, an attack killed four people in a bomb explosion in [Mogadishu](#), Somalia. The same day, the group carried out another suicide bombing that killed at least three people at the gate of a district headquarters in [Mogadishu](#), Somalia.

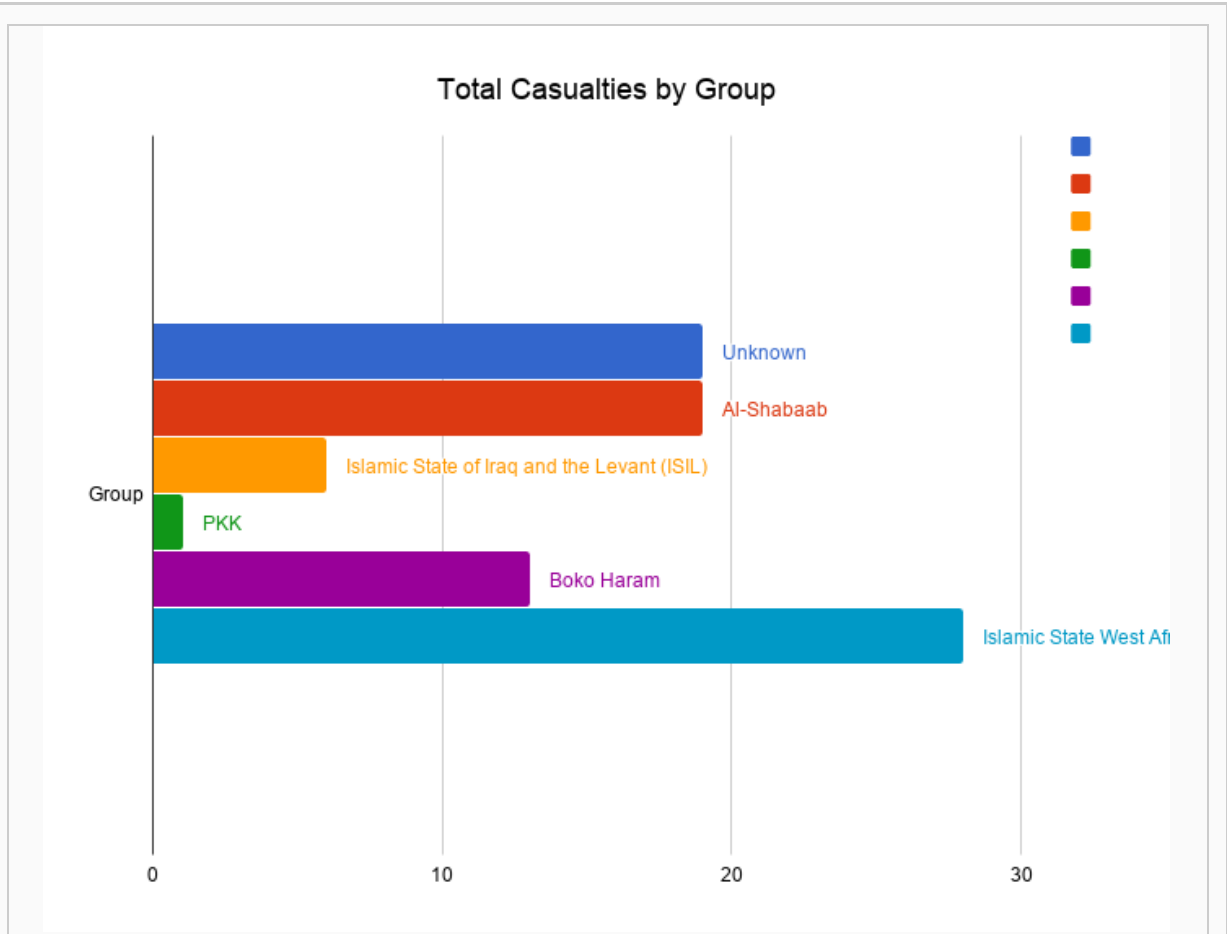
Boko Haram is suspected in one attack this week. The group killed thirteen villagers in eastern [Chad](#).

The Islamic State of Iraq and the Levant (ISIL) killed six Iraqi police officers in [Kirkuk](#), Iraq on Thursday.

The Islamic State West African Province (ISWAP) ambushed a military patrol in Tongo-Tongo, Niger, killing twenty-eight soldiers.

PKK terrorists tried to infiltrate a Turkish military outpost in Turkey's [Derecik](#) district.

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Regions

Middle East

Pakistan suffered one attack this week. Tehreek-e-Taliban Pakistan (TTP) claimed responsibility for a motorcycle bomb that killed four policemen guarding a mosque in [Quetta](#).

Iraq was hit by one attack this week. The Islamic State of Iraq and the Levant (ISIL) killed six Iraqi police officers in [Kirkuk](#), Iraq on Thursday.

Africa

Chad was also hit by one attack this week. Boko Haram killed thirteen villagers in eastern [Chad](#).

Somalia was hit by two attacks this week. Al-Shabaab claimed an attack that killed four people in a bomb explosion in [Mogadishu](#). The group claimed a second attack that killed at least three people at the gate of a district headquarters in [Mogadishu](#).

Syria suffered one attack this week. On Thursday, a large car bomb targeted a military convoy carrying a Syrian Defense Forces commander, in [Manbij](#), Syria, killing one and injuring four.

Asia Pacific

India was hit by two attacks this week. An unknown group is responsible for an IED blast that injured a soldier in [Malkangiri](#). On Wednesday, ten people were injured in a grenade attack in [Guwahati](#).

The Philippines suffered one attack this week. Three soldiers were injured on Thursday when they were attacked by gunmen in [Lamitan](#).

Western Europe and Others

Turkey was hit by one attack this week. PKK terrorists tried to infiltrate a Turkish military outpost in the [Derecik](#) district

Attacks Worldwide



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