

Subject Aftermath of Nigeria's #EndSARS
Protests

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The #EndSARS protests in Nigeria have come and gone but its impact remains. Recent statements from the Federal Government of Nigeria and international bodies such as the ICC are flashing more lights on the protests.

Meanwhile, atrocities by Fulani militias and Boko Haram insurgents have continued in local villages across Northern Nigeria.

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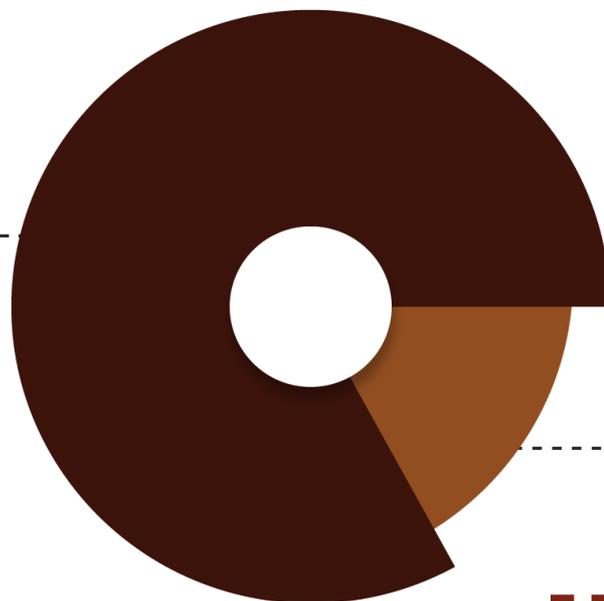


PRIMARY ACTORS

Fulani militias are the leading perpetrators of violent killings in Nigeria today, as data showed. Boko Haram insurgents have also escalated their attacks in recent weeks killing civilians and military personnel.

83%

**FULANI
MILITIA**



17%

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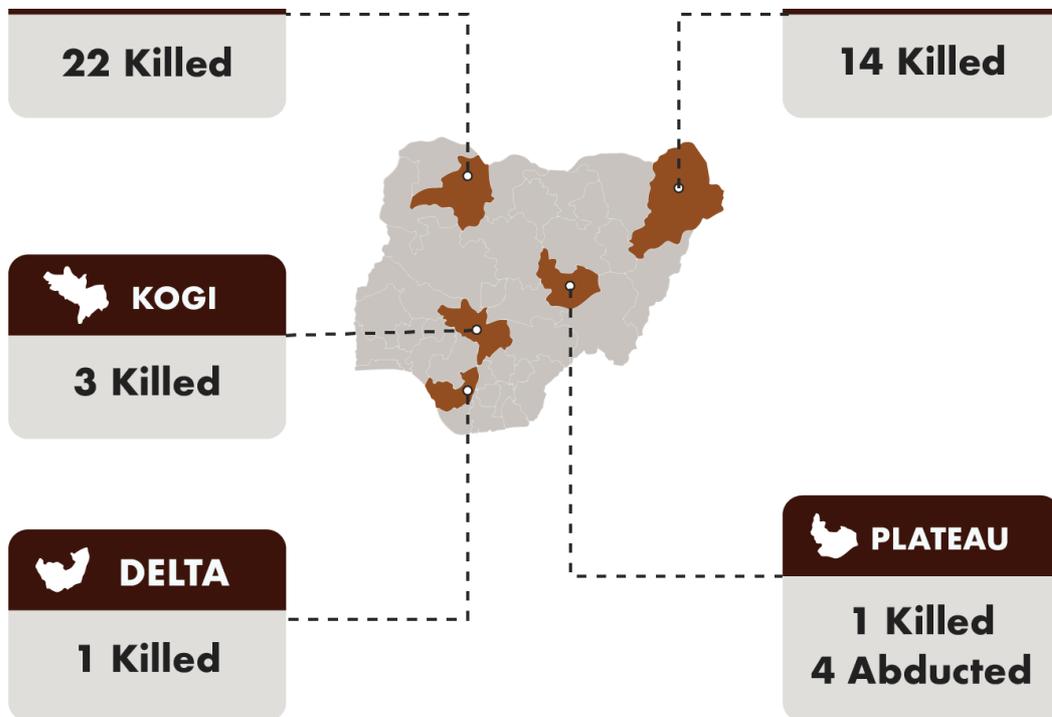
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Our field researchers are working round the clock to capture accurate and verified data on the daily atrocities been perpetrated by religious extremists, local militias and insurgents.

41 KILLED

0 INJURED

4 ABDUCTED

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Weekly Stories Update



#EndSARS Protests

We Are Monitoring Nigeria - ICC

The prosecutor at the International Criminal Court (ICC), Fatou Bensouda has spoken on the Tuesday shooting of #EndSARS protesters at Lekki Toll Gate, Lagos, by soldiers, saying the body is monitoring development in the country.

In a statement posted on Twitter @IntlCrimCourt on Thursday, October 22, 2020, Bensouda said her office has been closely following the events around the current protests in Nigeria and the reaction of Nigeria's law enforcement and security agencies."

"Any loss of life or injury is concerning. We have received information alleging crimes and are keeping a close eye on developments, in case violence escalates and any indications arise on that Rome Statute crimes may have been committed," she added while calling for restraint.



Fulani Militias

Fulani Gunmen Kills 20 in Zamfara Village.

Fulani Gunmen have killed 20 people in Tungar Kwana village in Talata Mafara Local Government Area of Zamfara State.

The late evening attack which happened on Tuesday, 20th October 2020 started when the gunmen entered the village on dozens of motorcycles and then blocked all the entry and exit points in the village. They then set about shooting the villagers.

Survivors further disclosed that the gunmen stole livestock after the killing which they took back into the bush with them. They alleged that the attack was in retaliation for the massive ongoing onslaught by Nigerian security forces against the armed bandits in their forest enclave.

The Emir of Talata Mafara, Bello Muhammed, led the funeral prayer for the victims on Wednesday morning. Many residents have reportedly deserted the community in fear, with those left behind appealing for the deployment of more security personnel to the area.



#EndSARS Protests

#EndSARS Protest: 56 killed so far says Amnesty International

Amnesty International which has been monitoring developments across Nigeria since the #EndSars protest began on 8 October 2020 says at least 56 people have died across the country, with about 38 killed on Tuesday 20th October alone.

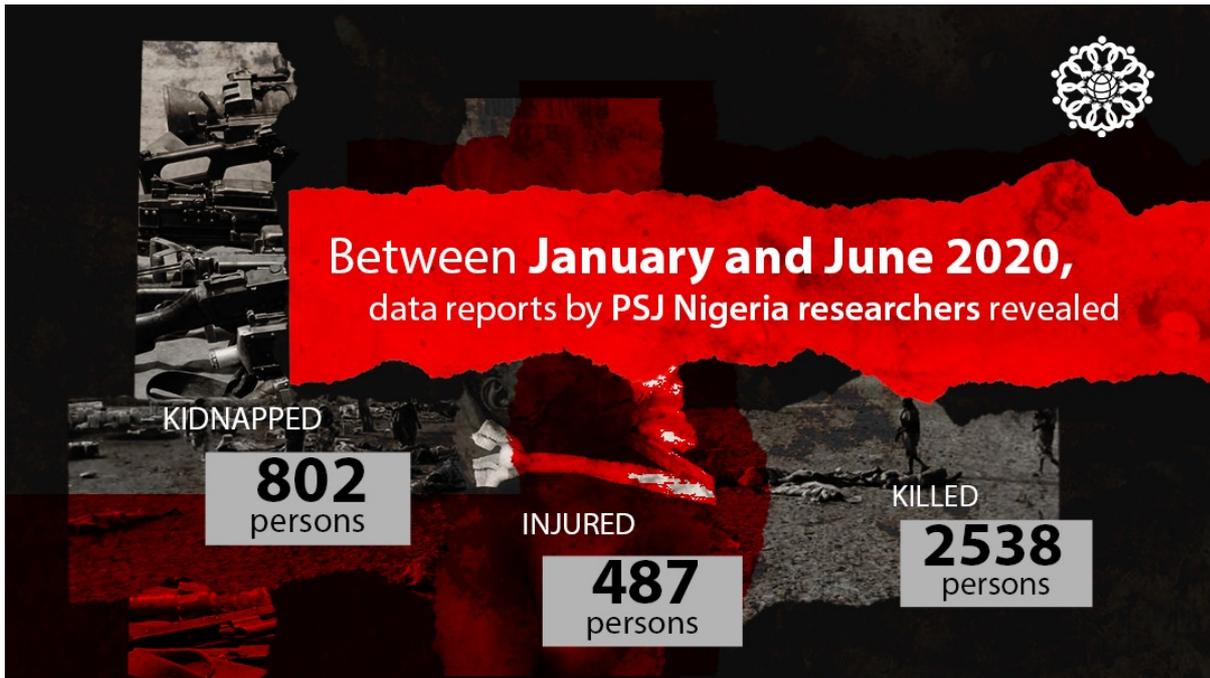
“Victims include protesters and thugs who were allegedly hired by the authorities to confront the protesters. Most times the security forces had used excessive force to control or stop the protests.”

A report released by Amnesty on 21, October added that “an on-the-ground investigation by Amnesty International has confirmed that the Nigerian army and police killed at least 12 peaceful protesters yesterday (Wednesday 21) at two locations in Lagos. The killings took place in Lekki and Alausa, where thousands were protesting police brutality as part of the #EndSars movement.”

“Evidence gathered from eyewitnesses, video footage and hospital reports confirm that between 6:45 pm and 9:00 pm on Tuesday 20 October, the Nigerian military opened fire on thousands of people who were peacefully

calling for good governance and an end to police brutality.

“Witnesses at the Lekki protest grounds told Amnesty International that soldiers arrived at about 6:45 pm local time on Tuesday evening and opened fire on #EndSars protesters without warning. Eyewitnesses at Alausa protest ground said a team of soldiers and police officers from the Rapid Response Squad (RRS) Unit at about 8:00 pm attacked them, leaving at least two people dead and one critically injured,” the report said.



Atrocities Report

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PSJ Nigeria's [Mid Year Report on the Atrocities](#) in Nigeria is ready. It is a compilation of data captured by its field researchers from January to June 2020.

All data in the report are independently verified accounts of killings, abductions, and other forms of atrocities by state actors including Fulani Militia, Boko Haram & ISWAP insurgents, Bandits, and gunmen. It is free for download.

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