



Myanmar Weekly Conflict Update (September 15 - 21, 2025)

Violence Against Civilians

33	Civilians Killed	24	Civilians Arrested
4	Womens Killed	7	Houses Burnt Down
9	Childrens Killed	47	Aerial Assaults

Civilian Casualties

Airstrikes and artillery attacks by the Military Commission in one state and four regions of Myanmar resulted in the deaths of 33 civilians, including 9 children and 4 women.

Civilian’s Houses Burnt Down

Seven houses were burned down due to actions by the Military Commission in two regions, with 5 houses in the Sagaing Region and 2 houses in the Magway Region.

Civilian Arrest

24 civilians were arrested in one state and four regions: 10 in Chin State, 7 in Magway Region, 6 in the Irrawaddy Region, 5 in Yangon Region, 4 in Tanintharyi Region, and 2 in Sagaing Region.

Civilian Killed

The total number of civilian fatalities recorded was 33, with 13 occurring in the Sagaing Region, 11 in the Mandalay Region, 5 in Kachin State, 3 in Tanintharyi Region, and 1 in the Magway Region.

Aerial Assaults Against Civilian Targets

The Military Commission conducted 47 airstrikes in two states and four regions, including 15 in the Tanintharyi Region, 12 in the Mandalay Region, 10 in Magway Region, 6 in Sagaing Region, 3 in Kachin State, and 1 in Karenni State.

Combatant Casualties

117	SAC's Soldiers Killed
22	PDF's Soldiers Killed
55	Military Engagements

Conflicts and Casualties of Combatants

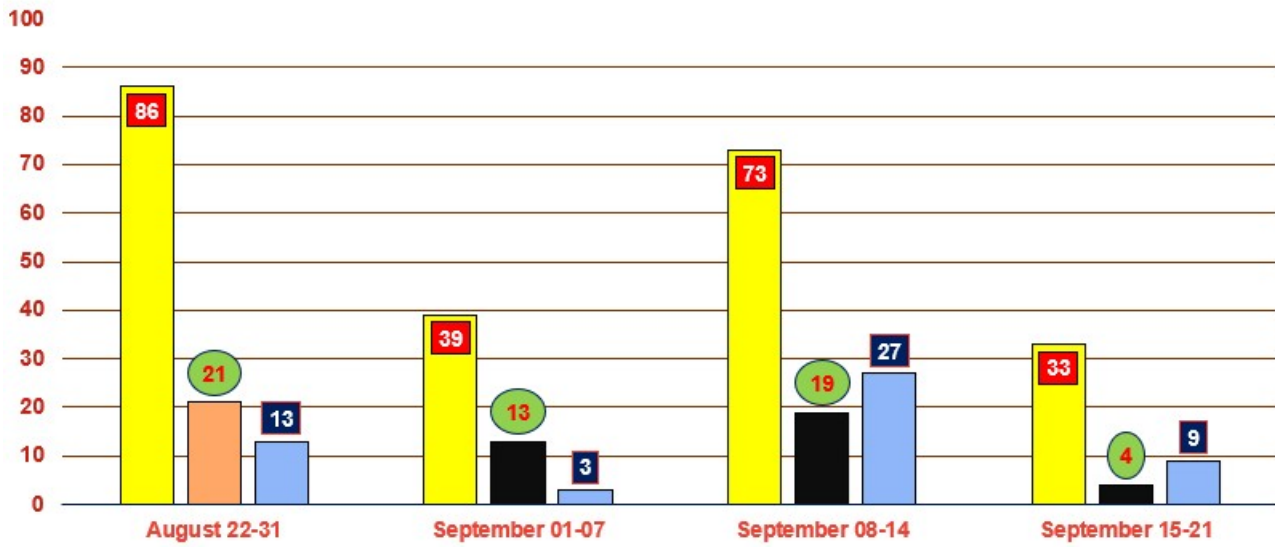
A total of 55 major and minor clashes occurred, which included drone strikes. The Sagaing Region experienced the highest number of clashes, with 28 incidents. Kachin State had 8 clashes, while both the Karen and Tanintharyi Regions had 7 each. Mon State recorded 4 clashes, and Rakhine State had 1. There were no clashes reported in Bago Region, Chin State, Irrawaddy Region, Karenni State, Magway Region, Mandalay Region, Northern Shan State, Southern Shan State, and Yangon Region.

Overall, 117 members of the Military Commission and 22 comrades from the Revolutionary Joint Force were reported killed during the fighting.

All information provided is based on local news reports published between September 15 and 21, 2025.

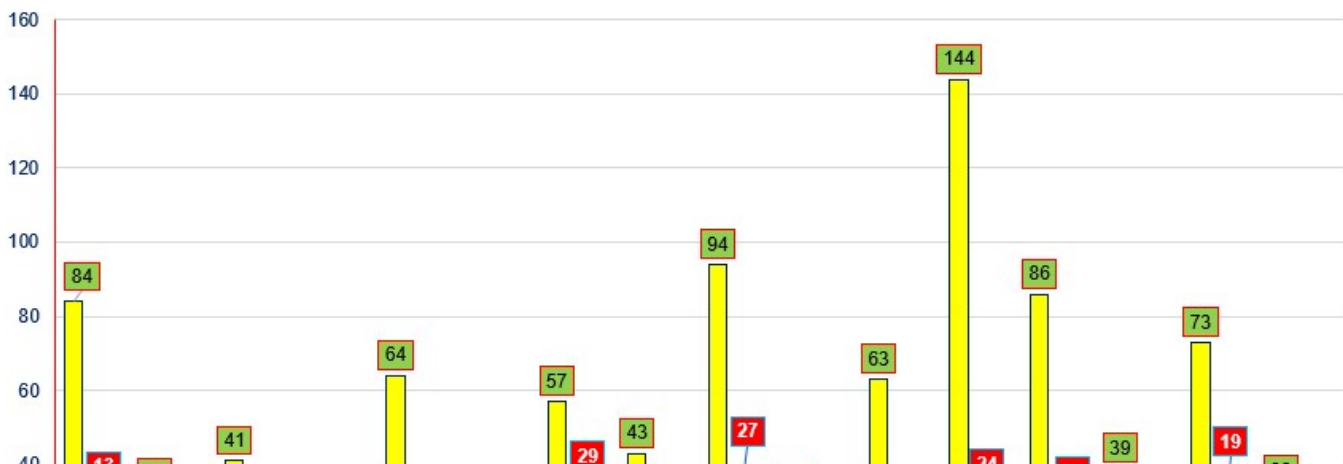
Civilian, Women, and Children Deaths (Last 4 Weekss)

■ Total
 ■ Women
 ■ Children



Civilian, Women, and Children Deaths (Last 4 Months)

■ Total
 ■ Women
 ■ Children



Political Developments

On September 14, the Military Commission stated through its propaganda media that elections would not be feasible in three townships in Karenni State.

The Pa-O National Organization (PNO), based in Shan State, will be contesting the entire southern Shan State in the upcoming elections scheduled for December, as confirmed by a party official.

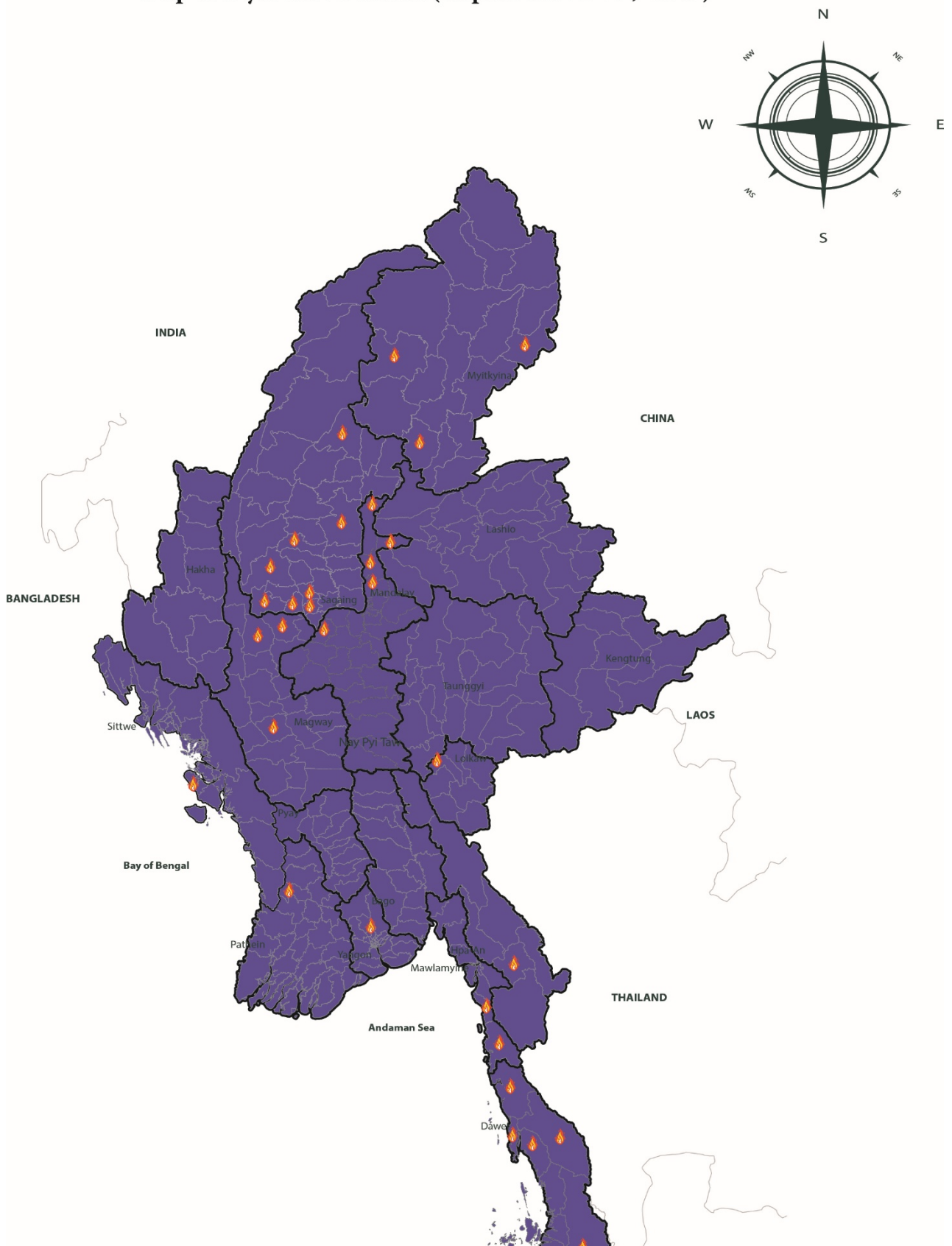
The Military Commission reported that Defense Minister General Maung Maung Aye met with representatives from Chinese military technology companies following a security forum in Beijing, China, on September 19. They discussed potential technical cooperation in drone production and air defense military equipment.

Conflict Data By Region

Data of Myanmar Conflict 15-21, September 2025								
States	Clashes between SAC and PDF/EOs	Air Strike	SAC's soldiers killed	PDF killed	Children killed	Civilians killed	Civilians arrested	Houses burned down
IRRAWADDY							6	
KACHIN	8	3		20	1	4		
KAREN	7							

KARENNI			1						
MAGWAY			10				1	7	2
MANDALAY			12			3	8		
MON		4		7					
RAKHINE		1		4					
SAGAING		28	6	80	2	5	8	2	5
TANINTHARYI		7	15	26			3	4	
YANGON								5	
TOTAL		55	47	117	22	9	24	24	7

Map of Myanmar Conflict (September 15-21, 2025)



Glossary

AAPP (Assistance Association for Political Prisoners)

A human rights organization tracking political prisoners in Myanmar and releasing updates on arrests and killings since the coup.

ABSFU (All Burma Federation of Student Unions)

An organization founded by Aung San at Rangoon University advocating for academic freedom, student rights, and democracy.

ACRP (Asian Conference of Religions for Peace)

A non-governmental organization promoting peace and disarmament issues, affiliated with the UN.

AA (Arakan Army)

An ethnic armed organization based in Rakhine State and the military wing of the United League of Arakan.

ARSA (Arakan Rohingya Salvation Army)

A Rohingya insurgent group active in northern Rakhine State, originally called Harakah al-Yaqin.

Aung San

The founder of Myanmar's Armed Forces, an independence hero, and the Father of the Nation of modern-day Myanmar.

Aung San Suu Kyi (ASSK)

A Nobel Laureate, democracy icon, and former leader of the National League for Democracy, currently imprisoned by the junta.

Burma Socialist Programme Party (BSPP)

The only legal party after the 1962 coup, dissolved in 1988, and a precursor to the National Unity Party.

CDM (Civil Disobedience Movement)

A movement initiated by healthcare workers and civil servants opposing the military regime after the 2021 coup.

CRPH (Committee Representing Pyidaungsu Hluttaw)

A body created by ousted parliament members and citizens rejecting the military government's legitimacy.

Gen Z Burma

A youth-led movement campaigning against the military junta.

GSCN (General Strike Committee of Nationalities)

A coalition coordinating anti-coup protests among opposition groups and ethnic forces.

Junta

A military or political group ruling a country after seizing power by force.

MEHL (Myanmar Economic Holdings Public Company Limited)

A conglomerate owned and operated by Myanmar's military.

MEC (Myanmar Economic Corporation)

Another conglomerate owned and managed by Myanmar's military was targeted by the CDM.

Min Aung Hlaing

The military commander-in-chief was internationally condemned for his role in military attacks on ethnic minorities.

Ministry of Communications, Posts, and Telegraphs

The junta-controlled ministry is responsible for restricting freedom of speech and press.

Myint Swe

A vice president who declared a state of emergency during the coup and transferred power to Min Aung Hlaing.

Myo Yan Naung Thein

A pro-democracy advocate, former NLD strategist, and ex-political prisoner.

NLD (National League for Democracy)

A liberal democratic political party was overthrown in the 2021 military coup after winning the 2020 elections.

NUG (National Unity Government)

An exiled government formed by the CRPH, composed of ousted MPs and ethnic leaders opposing the junta.

NUCC (National Unity Consultative Council)

A platform uniting forces for a federal democracy, including NLD members, CDM groups, and civil society organizations.

PDF (People's Defense Force)

The armed wing of the NUG defended civilians and was seen as a precursor to a Federal Union Army.

Rohingya

A stateless, persecuted ethnic group in Myanmar's Rakhine State, victims of genocide by the military.

SAC (State Administration Council)

The name of the military-appointed junta government.

SAC-M (Special Advisory Council for Myanmar)

An international group promoting human rights, democracy, and accountability in Myanmar.

Spring Revolution

A nationwide protest movement against the 2021 military coup.

Tatmadaw

The military forces of Myanmar, are regarded by many as a terrorist organization.

UEC (Union Election Commission)

The junta accused the government body overseeing elections of failing to prevent alleged voter fraud in 2020.

Union Solidarity and Development Party (USDP)

The military's proxy political party, which lost to the NLD in 2020.

UNHRC (United Nations Human Rights Council)

A global organization promoting and protecting human rights worldwide.

United Nations International Court of Justice (ICJ)

The judicial organ of the UN is tasked with preventing genocidal acts against the Rohingya.

22222

The massive general strike held on February 22, 2022, showed widespread discontent against the junta.

8888 (8/8/88)

The historic uprising on August 8, 1988, was organized against the military junta, inspiring later movements like the 22222 strike.

969 Movement

A Buddhist extremist nationalist movement opposing Islam in Myanmar and supporting the military.

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