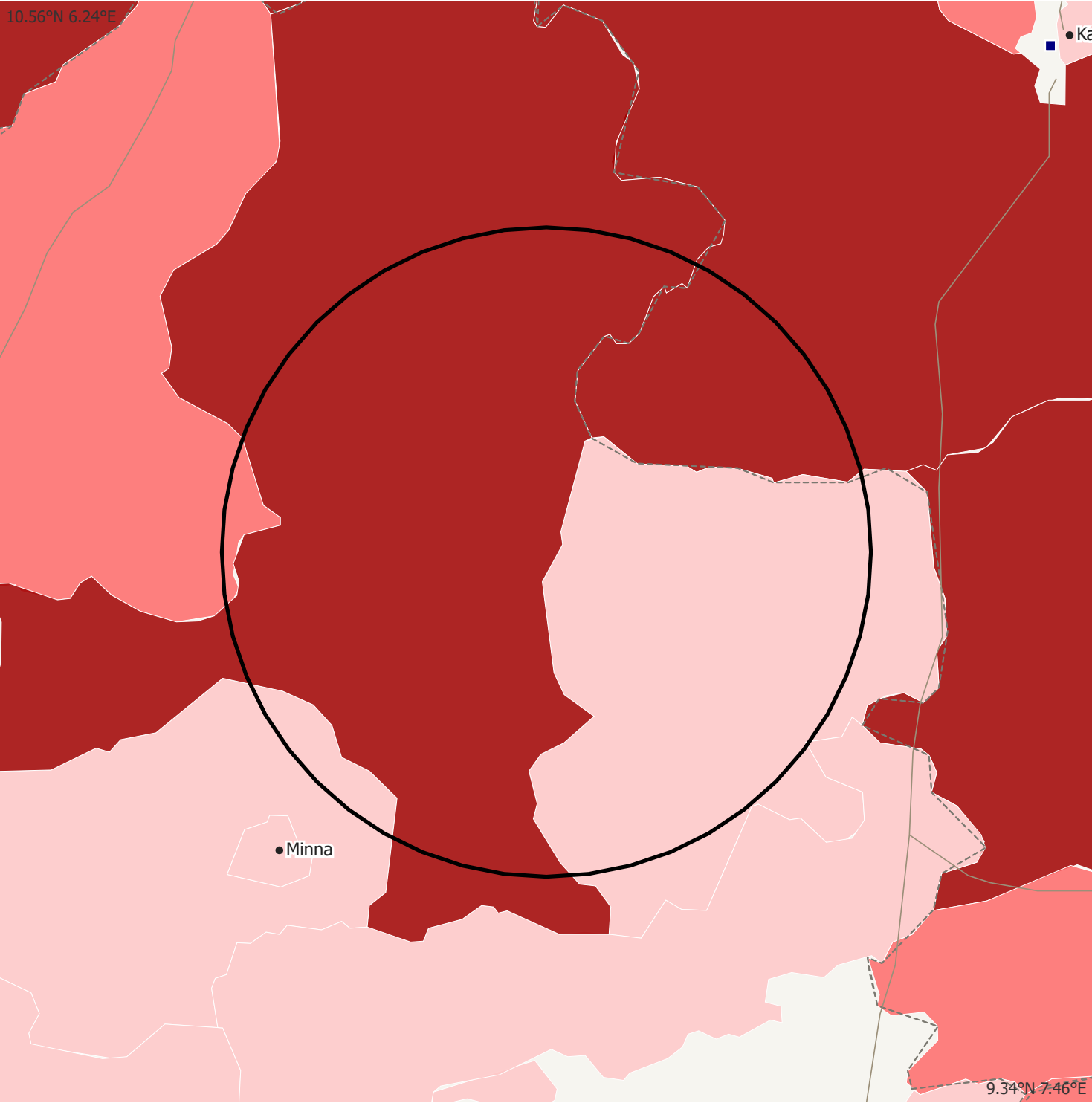


Situation report: Shiroro and Rafi (Niger State)

Named danger area.

Level	Coordinates	Covers	Report date
High	9°57'00"N 6°51'00"E 9.9500, 6.8500 radius ≈ 40 km	2 LGAs	2026-09-28

Mining and farming areas where armed groups have displaced whole communities and attacked security forces.



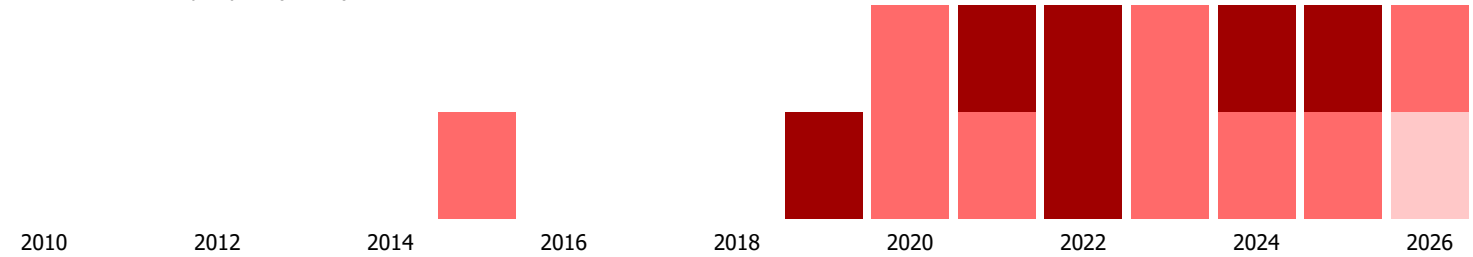
Map: LGAs shaded by twelve-month ACLED intensity (2025-10 to 2026-09); black outline = this named danger area; dashed = state lines; squares = military installations (town level).

Conflict intensity, last twelve months (ACLED)

Political-violence events	50
Deaths in those events	219
Attacks on civilians	25
Civilians killed	44
LGAs at extreme	1
LGAs at high	0
LGAs at elevated	1

How it developed

LGAs at each level, per year (max 2)



Archive record

9 incidents in the Dustline archive fall here, with 125 deaths recorded.

Date	Place	What happened
2026-09-17	Shiroro, Niger	Troops of 1 Division Nigerian Army rescue 22 kidnapped victims in Niger State counter-bandit raid
2026-06-21	Shiroro, Niger	NAF Super Tucano airstrike hits armed bandits crossing Kaduna River toward Shiroro
2026-03-25	Shiroro, Niger	Bandits engage Joint Security Task Force in Allawa mining belt in Shiroro
2026-01-24	Munya, Niger	Joint Security Task Force repels bandit raid on Sarkin Pawa in Munya LGA
2023-01-16	Shiroro, Niger	Nigerian security forces (against Boko Haram) — Kurebe, Shiroro, Niger (2023-01-16)
2022-08-13	Shiroro, Niger	Nigerian security forces (against Boko Haram) — Karebe, Shiroro, Niger (2022-08-13)
2022-02-25	Shiroro, Niger	Bandit groups — Galadima Kogo, Shiroro, Niger (2022-02-25)
2021-11-25	Shiroro, Niger	Bandit groups — Shiroro, Niger (2021-11-25)
2021-11-18	Shiroro, Niger	Bandit groups — Kurebe, Shiroro, Niger (2021-11-18)

Military installations within 150 km

1 Division	Kaduna	88 km
Nigerian Defence Academy	Kaduna	95 km
Air Training Command / NAF Base Kaduna	Kaduna	98 km
Army Headquarters	Abuja	119 km
Defence Headquarters	Abuja	122 km
Air Force Headquarters	Abuja	123 km
Naval Headquarters	Abuja	124 km

Advisories and named areas

No US Level 4 advisory state here.

Limits

- ACLED counts recorded events. Rural violence is under-reported everywhere, and more so where journalists cannot go.
- Levels summarise twelve months; a road can change within days. Current advisories and local security briefings outrank this report.
- Approximate extent drawn as a circle around a well-known location. It marks where danger is concentrated, not a line inside which it begins; the areas around it are not implied to be safe.

Sources: Armed Conflict Location & Event Data Project (ACLED), www.acleddata.com — aggregates via HDX, as of 25 September 2026. Boundaries: OCHA COD-AB Nigeria (CC BY-IGO). Map base: Natural Earth (public domain), naturalearthdata.com; state boundaries OCHA COD-AB Nigeria (CC BY-IGO). Archive: Dustline snapshot of grayzonemap.online, 22 September 2026. Advisory: US Department of State.

