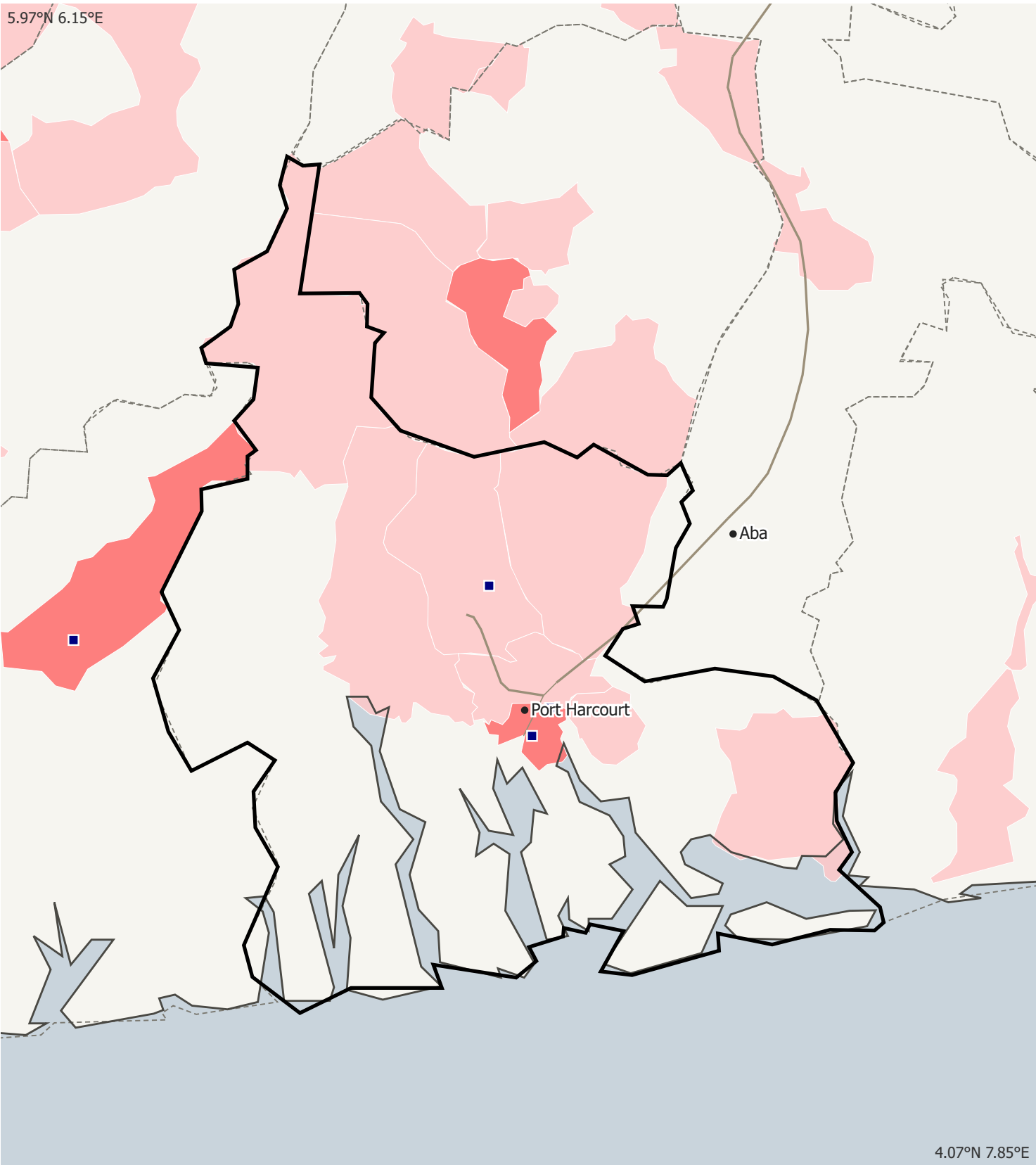


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State.

Level	Coordinates	Covers	Report date
High	5°01′23″N 6°50′10″E 5.0230, 6.8360	23 LGAs	2026-09-28

Under a US Level 4 advisory: Crime, kidnapping and armed gangs (the advisory excepts Port Harcourt).



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

Conflict intensity, last twelve months (ACLED)

Political-violence events	41
Deaths in those events	35
Attacks on civilians	28

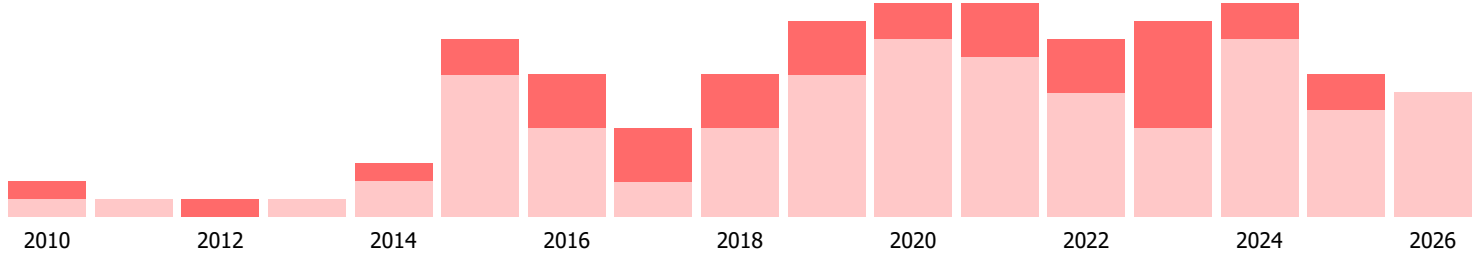
Where it concentrates

LGA	Level	Civ. killed	Trend
Port-Harcourt	High	3	falling
Ogba/Egbema/Ndoni	Elevated	8	new

Civilians killed	23	Khana	Elevated	4	rising
LGAs at extreme	0	Emohua	Elevated	2	falling
LGAs at high	1	Eleme	Elevated	1	rising
LGAs at elevated	7	Etche	Elevated	1	rising
		Obia/Akpor	Elevated	1	rising
		Ikwerre	Elevated	0	falling

How it developed

LGAs at each level, per year (max 12)



Archive record

No incident in the Dustline archive falls here — the archive is concentrated in the north-east, so this is a gap, not a finding.

Military installations within 150 km

NAF Base Port Harcourt	Port Harcourt	13 km
6 Division	Port Harcourt	33 km
NNS Pathfinder	Port Harcourt	35 km
Central Naval Command	Yenagoa	64 km

Advisories and named areas

US travel advisory: Rivers State — Crime, kidnapping and armed gangs (the advisory excepts Port Harcourt) (Level 4, do not travel).

Named danger areas: [Niger Delta creeks and riverine areas](#)

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.

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.