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Sources consulted:

[WAFA: Palestinian News & Information Agency](#) (Palestinian official) | [OCHA oPt — Gaza impact snapshot](#) (UN/humanitarian) | [OCHA oPt — casualty data](#) (UN/humanitarian) | [UNRWA](#) (UN agency) | [OCHA — West Bank Snapshot](#) (UN/humanitarian) | [UNIFIL](#) (UN agency) | [U.S. Department of State](#) (Western government) | [OHCHR — Human Rights Monitoring Mission in Ukraine](#) (UN agency) | [RT](#) (Russian state) | [OCHA Sudan](#) (UN/humanitarian) | [ACLED](#) (conflict-data provider) | [WHO](#) (UN agency) | [UK Home Office](#) (Western government) | [OCHA Myanmar](#) (UN/humanitarian) | [UNHCR](#) (UN agency)

SUMMARY

See below for detail and source

- [OCHA oPt](#) (UN/humanitarian) reports 73,335 Palestinian fatalities and 174,052 injuries in Gaza as of 29 July, while explicitly attributing those figures to the Gaza Ministry of Health and Israeli authorities pending UN verification.
- For the West Bank, [UNRWA](#) (UN agency) cites OCHA's count of 1,122 Palestinians killed through 24 July; published OCHA injury components sum to 31,945 through 2 August and are presented as a calculation, not a single OCHA-published cumulative total.
- In Sudan, [OCHA Sudan](#) (UN/humanitarian) reports 33.7 million people needing assistance as conflict and explosive-ordnance risks persist, while [WHO](#) (UN agency) reports more than 40,000 injuries.
- [OHCHR](#) (UN agency) recorded 293 civilians killed and 1,990 injured in Ukraine during June, with almost all reported civilian casualties in Government-controlled territory.

- In Myanmar, [OCHA Myanmar](#) (*UN/humanitarian*) reports more than 16 million people needing assistance and nearly 3.8 million displaced amid conflict and access constraints.

MIDDLE EAST

Gaza Strip

[OCHA oPt](#) (*UN/humanitarian*) reports 73,335 Palestinian fatalities and 174,052 injuries in Gaza as of 29 July 2026. OCHA states that these casualty figures are supplied by the Gaza Ministry of Health and Israeli authorities and remain attributed pending UN verification. The same snapshot records 472 reported fatalities and 3,004 injuries since the 11 October 2025 ceasefire.

A dated update by [WAFA: Palestinian News & Information Agency](#) (*Palestinian official*) had previously reported 71,441 Palestinians killed and 171,329 injured, as well as 451 killed and 1,251 injured since the ceasefire. The difference reflects the dates and source-attribution context of the updates rather than a reconciliation by this report.

West Bank

[UNRWA](#) (*UN agency*), citing OCHA, reports that 1,122 Palestinians, including at least 246 children, were killed in the occupied West Bank, including East Jerusalem, from 7 October 2023 to 24 July 2026.

For injuries, the report uses a transparent component calculation from OCHA's published data. [OCHA — West Bank Snapshot](#) (*UN/humanitarian*) recorded 3,502 injuries from 7 October to 14 December 2023; [OCHA oPt — casualty data](#) (*UN/humanitarian*) records 10,342 in 2024, 13,342 in 2025, and 4,759 through 2 August 2026. Together these published components sum to 31,945; this is not presented as a single current OCHA cumulative statistic.

Lebanon

[UNIFIL](#) (*UN agency*) reports that violence in southern Lebanon has declined from mid-June, while violations of Security Council Resolution 1701, explosive hazards, and

humanitarian-access needs continue. It says peacekeepers are supporting aid delivery, infrastructure recovery, and returns in affected communities.

Iran–US diplomatic situation

On 29 July, the [U.S. Department of State](#) (*Western government*) announced designations of two Iranian entities and eight vessel-operating companies connected, in its stated assessment, to sanctions evasion and maritime activity in the Strait of Hormuz. These characterisations and policy rationale are attributed to the U.S. government.

EASTERN EUROPE

Russia–Ukraine Conflict

[OHCHR — Human Rights Monitoring Mission in Ukraine](#) (*UN agency*) verified at least 293 civilians killed and 1,990 injured in June 2026. It recorded 2,226 civilian casualties in territory controlled by the Government of Ukraine and 57 in territory occupied by the Russian Federation; its reporting notes the severe access limitation for Russian-occupied areas.

[RT](#) (*Russian state*) reports Russian regional officials' claim that a 25 July Ukrainian drone strike on tourist bases in Russian-controlled Zaporizhzhia killed 12 people, including four children, and injured 19. This is presented as a Russian official claim and has not been independently verified by this report.

AFRICA

Sudan

[OCHA Sudan](#) (*UN/humanitarian*) reports escalating violence in North Kordofan, civilian and infrastructure harm, and persistent explosive-ordnance risks for returning families. Its 2026 response planning figures identify 33.7 million people needing assistance, 20.4 million targeted for aid, and a US\$2.9 billion requirement.

[ACLED](#) (*conflict-data provider*) assesses that SAF gains at Bara, Um Sayala, and Gebrat al-Sheikh may strengthen a supply route and improve pressure around El Obeid; this is analytical assessment, not a forecast. [WHO](#) (*UN agency*) reports more than 40,000

conflict injuries, while nationwide death estimates remain highly uncertain because of insecurity and limited reporting.

ASIA

Myanmar

[OCHA Myanmar](#) (*UN/humanitarian*) reports that more than 16 million people need assistance amid intensifying conflict, displacement, protection risks, and access constraints. Nearly 3.8 million people are displaced; by the end of March, partners had reached 1.6 million people, while 43 per cent of the US\$890 million response requirement had been received.

[UNHCR](#) (*UN agency*) reports 5.3 million people forcibly displaced across the Myanmar situation at the end of March 2026, including 3.7 million internally displaced people in Myanmar and 1.6 million refugees and asylum-seekers. It also reports 1.85 million stateless Rohingya in the broader situation.

STATISTICS

Table 1 — Casualties (Killed / Wounded)

Conflict/ Crisis	Key Statistic	Source	Killed	Wounded
Gaza	Since 7 Oct 2023 (cumulative; reported 29 Jul 2026)	OCHA oPt — Gaza impact snapshot (<i>UN/humanitarian</i>)	73,335	174,052
	Since 11 Oct 2025 ceasefire (reported)	OCHA oPt — Gaza impact snapshot (<i>UN/humanitarian</i>)	472	3,004
West Bank	Since 7 Oct 2023 (killed to 24 Jul; injury component sum to 2 Aug 2026)	UNRWA (<i>UN agency</i>); OCHA oPt — casualty data (<i>UN/humanitarian</i>)	1,122	31,945 (component sum)

Conflict/ Crisis	Key Statistic	Source	Killed	Wounded
Sudan	Since Apr 2023 (estimated range)	UK Home Office (<i>Western government</i>) ; WHO (<i>UN agency</i>)	20,000– 150,000	40,000+ reported
Ukraine	Civilians, Government- controlled territory (June 2026)	OHCHR — Human Rights Monitoring Mission in Ukraine (<i>UN agency</i>)	279	1,947
	Civilians, Russian- occupied territory (June 2026; access constrained)	OHCHR — Human Rights Monitoring Mission in Ukraine (<i>UN agency</i>)	<i>Unverified*</i>	<i>Unverified*</i>
Russia	Civilians from Ukrainian strikes (RF government claim; 25 Jul 2026)	RT (<i>Russian state</i>)	12 (claimed)	19 (claimed)

* OHCHR access is denied to Russian-occupied areas of Ukraine; figures for civilians in occupied territory cannot be independently verified. The vast majority (96%) of verified civilian casualties occur in Government-controlled areas.

Table 2 — Numbers (non-casualty figures)

Conflict/ Crisis	Key Statistic	Figure	Source
Sudan	People needing humanitarian assistance (2026)	33.7 million	OCHA Sudan (<i>UN/humanitarian</i>)
	Humanitarian response funding requirement (2026)	US\$2.9 billion	OCHA Sudan (<i>UN/humanitarian</i>)
Myanmar	People needing assistance		

Conflict/ Crisis	Key Statistic	Figure	Source
		16 million+	OCHA Myanmar (UN/humanitarian)
	Forcibly displaced across the Myanmar situation (end-March 2026)	5.3 million	UNHCR (UN agency)

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