



MEDIA MONITORING OF VIOLENT INCIDENTS IN GHANA

Supplementary Update

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Monthly Update-June 2026

A total of sixty-three (63) violent incidents were recorded across Ghana in June 2026. Of these, Physical violence contributed 26 incidents (41%). There were 18 (29%) cases of Economic violence while Gun related incidents comprised 11 incidents (17%). There were 4 (6%) incidents of Sexual Violence and 2 (3%) cases of Social Violence. Only (1) incident each of Psychological and Political violence was recorded during the period.

Regionally, the Greater Accra Region recorded the highest number of incidents, with 12 cases. This is closely followed by the Central Accra Region with 11 cases. Eastern Region recorded 7 cases. Ashanti and Upper East Regions recorded 6 cases each and Western Region recorded 4 cases. There were 3 cases each in the Upper West and Ahafo Regions while Savannah, Bono East, Volta and Oti regions recorded 2 cases each. Bono, Western North and Northern regions recorded 1 case each. The North East Region did not record an incident

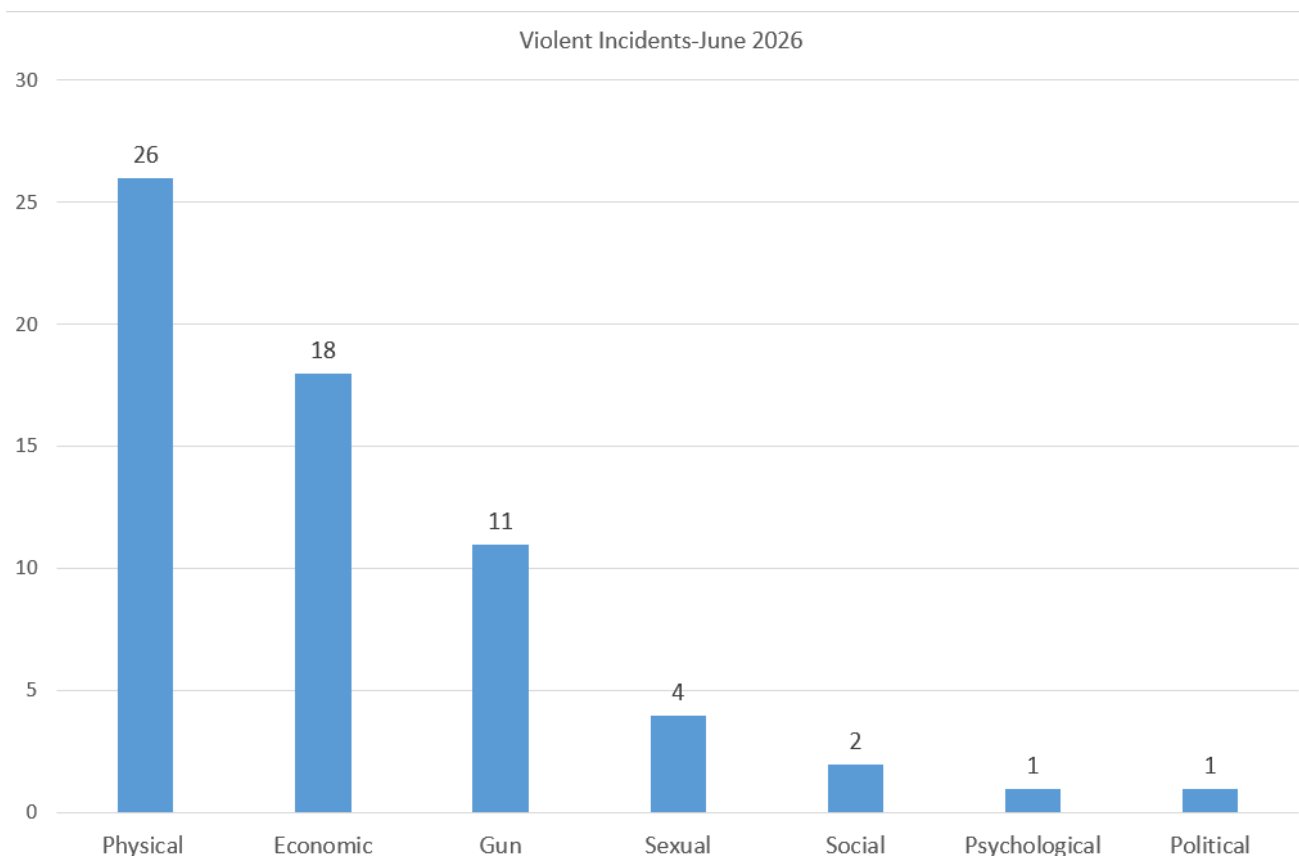
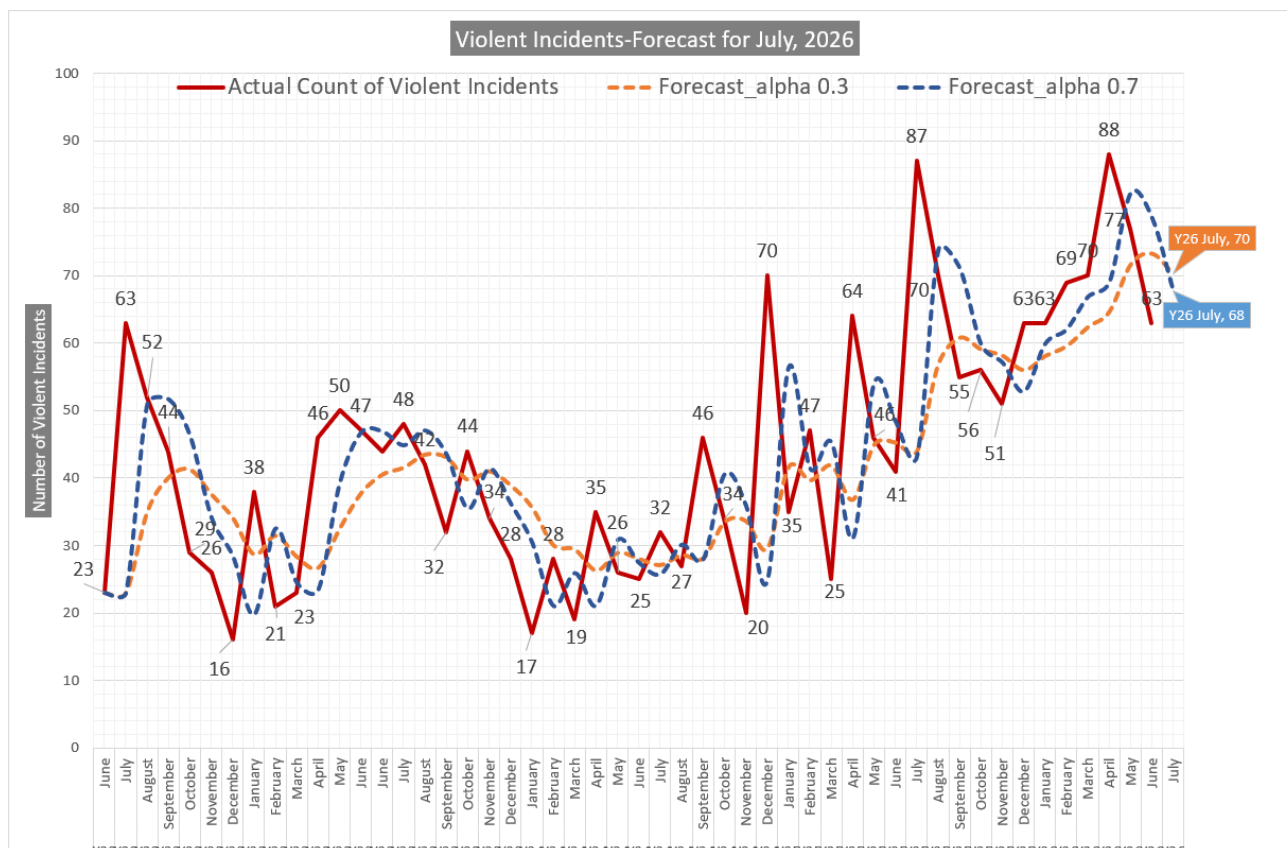


Figure 1: Violent Incidents for June 2026

The 63 violent incidents recorded in June 2026 fall short of FOSDA's projections of **73 to 79** incidents for the period by 10 incidents when compared to the lower and 16 incidents when compared to the upper projected range respectively. Based on actual 63 incidents recorded, the projected incident count for July 2026 is estimated to range between **68 to 70 cases**.



The June 2026 incidents i.e 63 in addition to the 165 recorded in the month of April and May 2026 brings to a cumulative 228 cases (*This is expected based on 66 average cases recorded in the last 12 months*). This is also an excess of 33 cases in comparison to the upper expected limit of 195 cases for the 2nd quarter. **Fig. 3** shows the predicted range for the 3rd quarter of 2026 is between **188 to 218**.

