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WEEKLY COUP UPDATE BY THE KACHIN ALLIANCE

OCTOBER 1 - OCTOBER 7, 2022

This week, fighting between the Burma Army and the Kachin Independence Army (KIA) was reported in Shan State ([Manton](#), [Namtu](#), and [Hseinni](#)). Over the week, there were clashes between the BA and PDFs in Sagaing Region ([Kani](#), [Pinlebu](#), and [Banmauk](#)), and Magway Region ([Htilin](#), and [Pauk](#)). Additionally, the BA and its alliances clashed with the joint forces of the KNLA/KNDO/Cobra force in Karen State ([Myawaddy-Wawlay](#), [Kyaiseikgyi](#)); and with the Chin Defense Force (CDF) in Chin State ([Mindat](#)). Furthermore, the BA's aerial attacks were reported in Karen State ([Kyainseikgyi](#)), and Sagaing Region ([Banmauk and Inndaw](#)).

The ambush attacks on BA's troops, BA's checkpoints, BA's bases and military convoy/vehicles were reported in Sagaing Region ([Monywa](#), [Salingyi - police station](#), [Katha](#), and [Pale](#)), Magway Region ([Pauk](#) - Pyu Saw Htee's training camp), and Shan State ([Kutkai](#)). This week, violence against regime informants and collaborators, and around government offices and junta's assets was reported in Sagaing Region ([Salingyi - 4 police](#)), Mandalay Region ([Paleik - 2 officers](#)), and Shan State ([Man tong](#) - Police station).

Humanitarian Crisis and Human Rights Violations

- On September 30 in Kachin State, the [BA's court sentenced a CDM teacher](#) to 5 years in prison and 3 young men to 2 years each.
- On October 2 in Hpakant Township, Kachin State, [the BA shot and killed a young man](#) riding a motorbike.
- On October 2 and 3 in Nyaung U Township, Mandalay Region, [unknown groups killed 6 civilians affiliated with the NLD](#).
- On October 4 in Monywa, Sagaing Region, [the BA torched houses, and detained and torture about 300 villagers](#) at Monywa and Kyay Mon villages.
- On October 4 in Natogyi, Mandalay Region, [the BA and its ally group arrested and killed 5 residents](#).
- On October 5 in Katha, Sagaing Region, [a BA troop abducted 6 civilians and took them as hostages](#).
- On October 5 in Chaung U, Sagaing Region, [the BA raided Khin Mon village, detained hundreds of villagers and killed one on October 7](#).
- On October 5 in Monywar, Sagaing Region, [the BA arrested a NLD's MP candidate from Homalin with his family members including a 10-year-old daughter](#). Their whereabouts is unknown.
- This week in Wetlet, Sagaing Region, [the BA burned and killed at least 20 villagers from 7 villages](#).
- On October 6 in Kyar Inn Seik Gyi, Karen State, [the BA's aerial attacks burned down a monastery](#) injuring a monk and displaced many residents.
- On October 6 in Muse, Shan State, [an unknown group shot and killed a township judge](#).
- On October 6 in Myaung, Sagaing Region, [a landmine explosion](#) killed a 60 year-old civilian.
- On October 7 in Chaung-U, Sagaing Region, [the BA torched 16 houses, and detained and tortured over 400 villagers](#) at Khin Mon village.

Displacement & other updates

- In Myawaddy, Karen State, [around 1,400 displaced civilians from Thaw Baw Bo areas were in need of urgent assistance](#) of food, water, shelter and medicine.
- In Hpakant, Kachin State, [the displaced civilians from Sezin were in need of urgent food](#) and other assistance.
- On October 4 in Kanbalu, Sagaing Region, [the BA torched Zaw Chaung village and over 7000 villagers fled](#) for safety.
- On October 5 in Yangon, [the BA's court sentenced a Japanese documentary filmmaker](#) to 7 years in prison.
- On October 6, [the US imposed sanctions on three Burmese nationals](#) for their role in arms brokering for the junta.



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