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WEEKLY COUP UPDATE BY THE KACHIN ALLIANCE

OCTOBER 15 – OCTOBER 21, 2022

This week, fighting between the Burma Army and the joint forces of the Kachin Independence Army (KIA) was reported in Shan State ([Mongton](#)) and Sagaing Region ([Taze](#)). Over the week, there were clashes between the BA and PDFs in Magway Region ([Natmauk](#)), Mon State ([Ye](#)), and Sagaing Region ([Yinmarbin](#), [Tigyaing](#), [Banmauk](#), [Wetlet](#), and [Taze](#)). Additionally, the BA and its alliances clashed with with TNLA in Shan State ([Muse](#)), with the joint forces of the KNLA/KNDO Karen State ([Myawaddy-Kawkareik Asia Highway](#), [Kawkareik](#), [Kyainseikgyi](#), and [Myawaddy-Wawlay](#)); with the joint forces of KA/KNDF in Karenni State ([Loikaw](#), and [Demoso](#)); and with the Chin Defense Force (CDF) in Chin State ([Kanpetlet](#)). The BA's aerial attacks were reported in Sagaing Region ([Yinmabin - Pale](#), [Wetlet](#), [Indaw](#), and [Taze](#)), Karen State ([Kawkareik](#)).

The ambush attacks on BA's troops, BA's checkpoints, BA's bases and military convoy/vehicles were reported in Sagaing Region ([Katha](#), [Monywa - Mandalay Highway](#) - Military trucks, [Indaw](#) - checkpoint, [Monywa](#) - Pyusawhti, [Yinmabin](#), and [Tigyaing](#)). Violence against regime informants and collaborators, and around government offices and junta's assets was reported in Mandalay Region ([Wundwin](#) - township administrator & assistance), Shan State ([Muse](#) - a BA commander and his follower), Kachin State ([Hpakant - arrested 2 police](#), and [Hpakant - tax officer](#)), and Chin State ([Hakha](#), and [Matupi](#)).

Humanitarian Crisis and Human Rights Violations

- On October 14, bomb explosion by unknown groups were reported in Karen State ([Myawaddy](#)).
- On October 14 at around 9 pm in Shwegu, Kachin State, [the BA arrested a former staff in the General Administration Department](#) for unknown reason.
- On October 15 in Hpakant, Kachin State, [the BA raided 3 jade mining blocks at Lone Khin and arrested about 20 people](#).
- On October 15 in Mogaung, Kachin State, [a landmine explosion killed a man](#).
- On October 15 in Pauk, Magway Region, [the BA killed and beheaded a teacher who participated in CDM](#) from Taung Myint village.
- On October 16 in Mogaung, Kachin State, an [unknown armed assailant shot and killed the monk](#) of 4-mile village.
- On October 13 in Tilin, Magway Region, [four charred bodies were found in a village](#) where the BA troops camped for three days in the previous week.
- On October 17 in Ngazun, Mandalay Region, [the BA killed 4 men and a woman, and dumped the bodies](#) the next day near Kula Ywar Gyi village.
- On October 17 in Demoso, Karenni State, [the farmers harvested their crops despite the danger posed by the BA's motor shelling in the area](#).
- On October 19 in Shwegu, Kachin State, [a mine explosion killed a young man](#) and seriously injured one other.

Violence in Sagaing Region

- On October 15 in Indaw, the BA detained a man for allegedly transporting bullets in rice bags. The man was later [killed at a detention center](#) in Katha.
- On October 15 in Homalin, [the BA and its alliance killed a husband and wife](#) from Shwe Pyi Aye village for allegedly supporting the PDF.
- On October 16 in Chaung-U, [the BA attacked two villages, killing 4 civilians and destroying more than 200 houses](#).
- On October 16 in Banmauk, [the BA torched houses in Kawta village](#).
- On October 16 in Taze, the BA troops in plainclothes approached a civilian living on a farm and told him to go with him. The next day, [they shot him dead](#) in Chaung-U. Once in Chaung-U (on October 17), the BA troops detained 11 villagers and a monk for allegedly supporting the PDF. They were [tortured while in detention overnight](#), and were released the next day when the troops left the village.

- On October 19 in Rathedaung, Rakhine State, [the BA's artillery shell hit several villages, killing a girl and injuring a boy.](#)
- On October 19 in Hakha, Chin State, [the BA's artillery shell killed two young boys and seriously injured a 6-year-old girl.](#)
- On October 19 in Insein, Yangon Region, [two explosions and shooting near the main entrance killed at least 8 people and injured 15.](#)
- On October 19 in Kyaikto, Mon State, [the BA raided villages and torched 6 houses, and over 8000 villagers](#) fled for safety.
- On October 20 in Launglon, Tanintharyi Region, [the BA killed 4 civilians \(3 men and a woman\)](#) near Maung Makan beach.
- On October 21 in Kawkareik, Karen State, the BA's artillery shell dropped near downtown, [killing one civilian and injuring two.](#)

- On October 17 in Kawlin, [the BA shot randomly and injured four](#) civilians.
- On October 17 in Chaung-U, [the BA killed a civilian driving a car and stole the victim's car.](#)
- On October 19 on the border of Yinmabin and Pale, [the BA's airstrikes and land raids killed a pregnant woman and her mother-in-law.](#)
- On October 19 in Indaw, [the BA raided and torched dozens of houses](#) at Aung Gone and Inpyin villages.
- On October 19 in Tamu, [unknown groups killed two women - mother and daughter.](#)
- On October 20 in Monywa, the BA's court sentenced [Wai Moe Naing, a protest leader, to 4 more years in prison.](#)
- On October 21 in Banmauk, [the BA's aerial attack at Manyugyi village killed one civilian and injured](#) at least 15.

Other updates

- On October 15 in Nay Pyi Taw, [some of the signatories of the Nationwide Ceasefire Agreement attended the NCA 7th anniversary celebration.](#)
- On October 19, [the BA suspended the delivery of packages and other mails to inmates nationwide.](#)



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