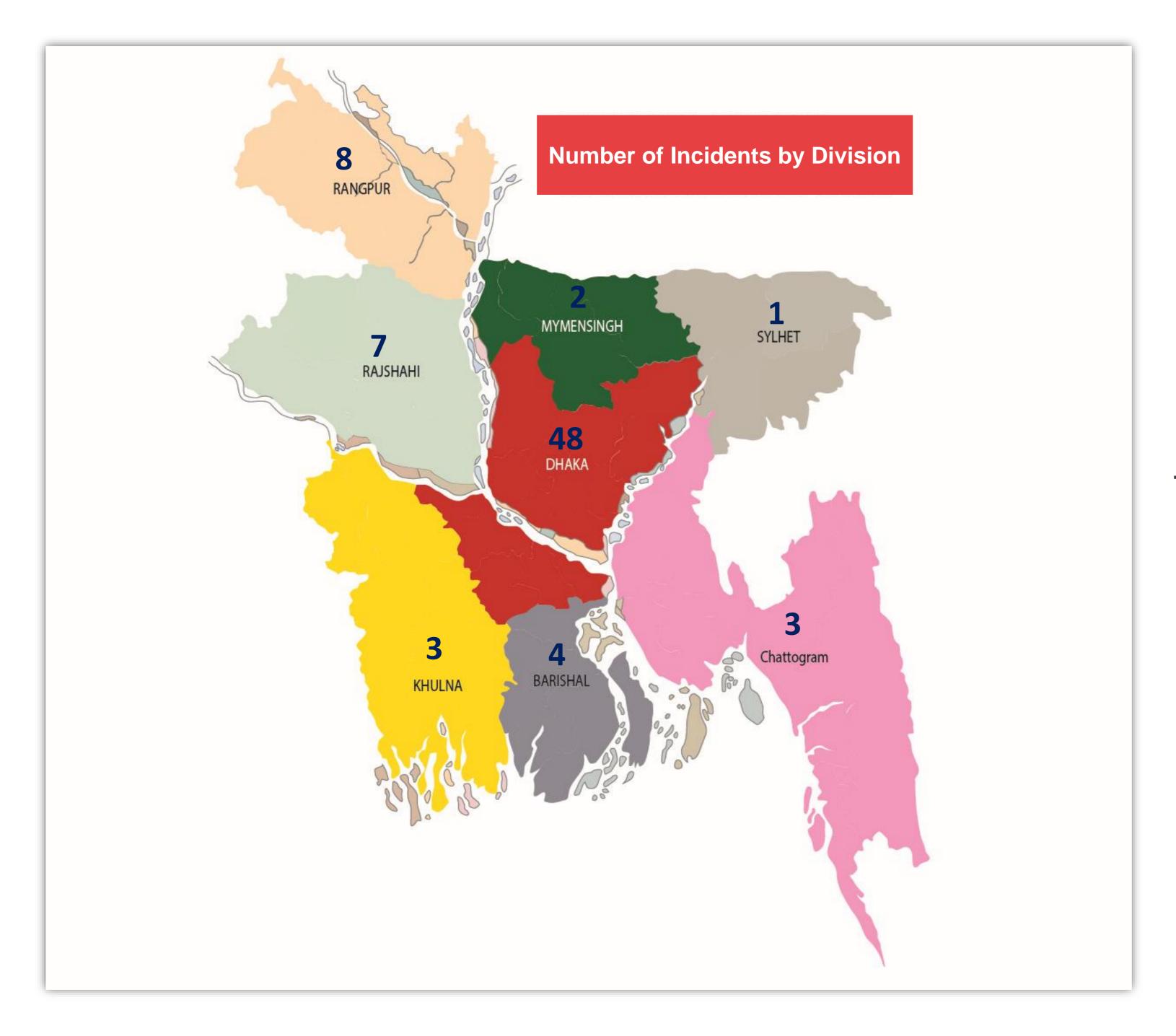


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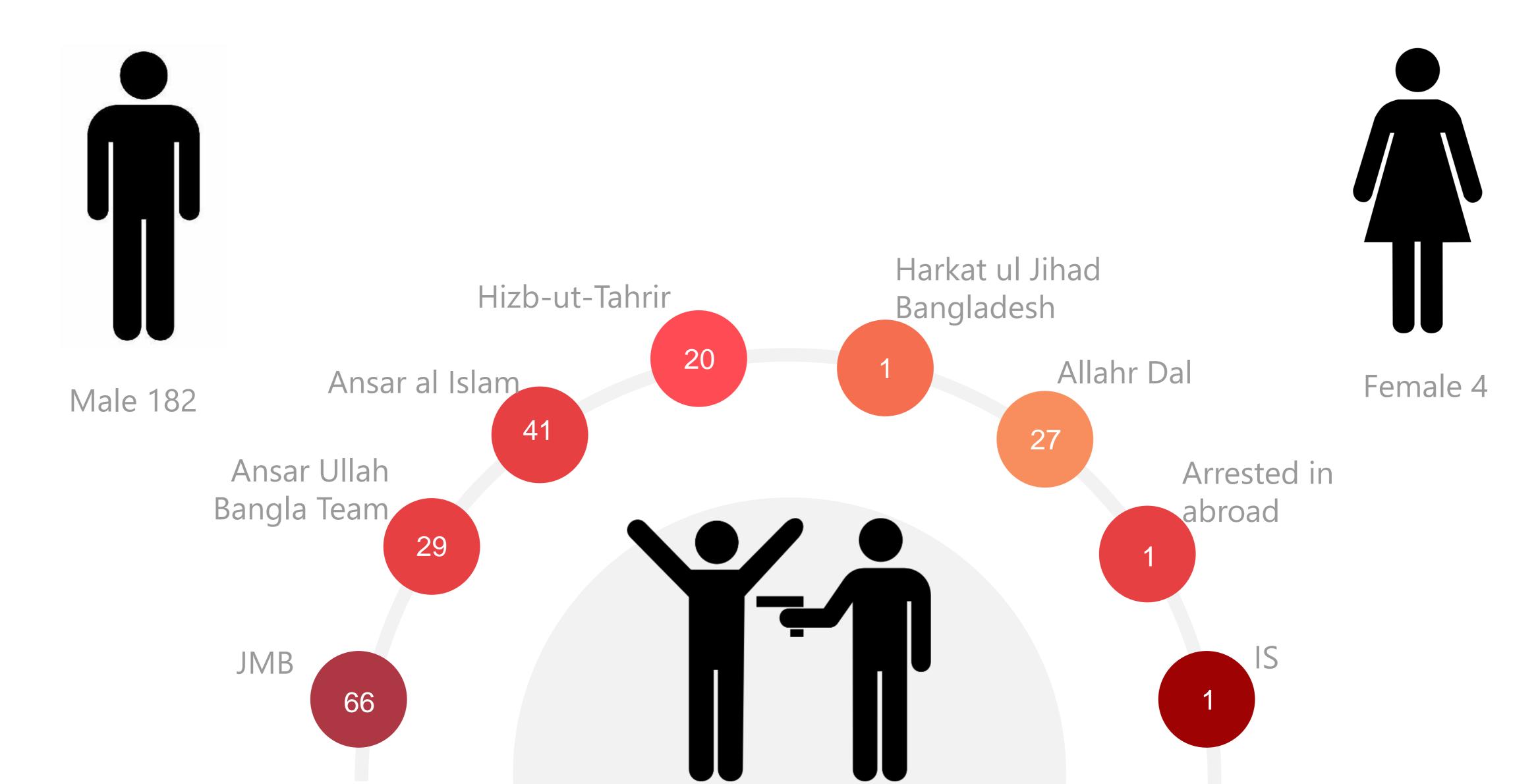


Number of Terrorist Incidents Took Place in Bangladesh by Division in Year 2019.

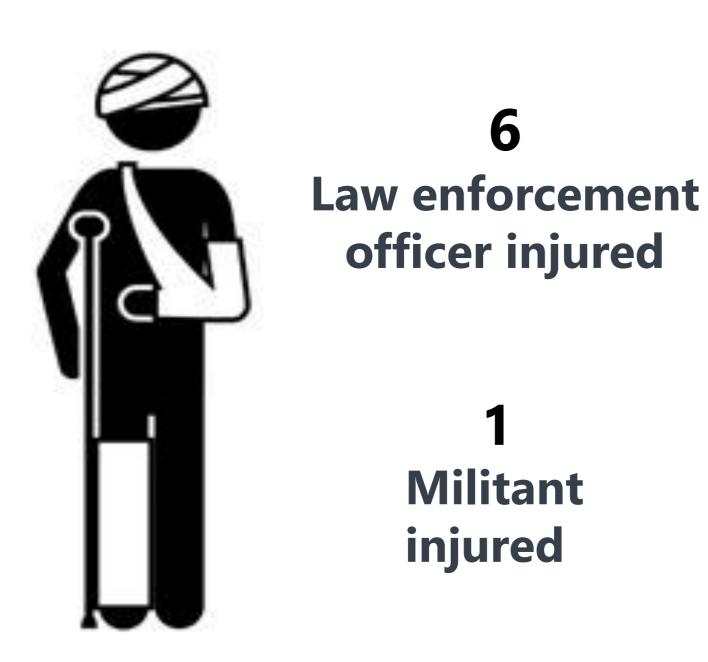
2019 in numbers



People Arrested by Different Category 2019



Number of people injured and killed by different category in 2019







Prosecution/Execution

A Chapainawabganj court on 16 June 2019 sentenced six members of banned militant outfit Jama'atul Mujahideen Bangladesh (JMB) to ten years' rigorous imprisonment in two separate cases. The convicts were Selim alias Harun, 26, Abdul Rakib alias Suman, 26, Rabiul Islam alias Rabi, 21, Ramjan Ali, 24, Abdul Mumin alias Abdullah, 28, and Hazrat Ali alias Firoj Kabir alias Ali, 23. The court also fined them Tk 10,000 each in default of which they would have to serve six more months in jail.

A Chapainawabganj court, 3 July 2019, sentenced three members of banned militant outfit Jama'atul Mujahideen Bangladesh (JMB) to 10 years' rigorous imprisonment in a case filed under Arms and Anti-Terrorism Act. The were convicts -- Selim alias Harun, 36 of Charmohanpur under Sadar municipality, Shahadat alias Nayan, 42, of Nimtala Kanthal village and Abdul Mumin, 34, of Koiladiar village in Gomostapur upazila of the district. The court fined the convicts Tk 10,000 each. In default, they are to suffer six months more in jail.



Prosecution/Execution

A court in Faridpur on 9 September 2019 sentenced four members of banned militant outfit Ansarullah Bangla Team (ABT) to 10 years in prison. The convicts-- Farid Mridha, Shahidul Islam, Mohsin Molla and Nahid Molla were sent to the district jail. Each of them was fined Tk 50,000 and must stay six more months behind bars, in default.

A Dhaka court on 20 September 2019 sentenced five Jamaat-ul-Mujahideen Bangladesh (JMB) men to 12 years rigorous imprisonment in a case filed over the series of bomb blasts across Bangladesh in 2005. The convicts were Abdullah Al Shuhail, Md Musa alias Mustafizur Rahman alias Samad, Md Abdur Rahman Masud, Habibur Rahman and Md Nurul Islam alias Uzzal. Of them, Habibur and Musa are absconding. The court also fined them Tk30,000 each, in default, they will have to serve an additional six months in jail.



Prosecution/Execution

On 30 October 2019, A Chapainawabganj court sentenced a member of the banned militant outfit Hizb ut-Tahrir to 10 years in prison. The convicted Omar Faruq, 33, was slapped a fine of Tk50,000. Inability to pay the fine will result in an additional six months in jail.

On 27 November 2019, Seven militants sentenced to death for their involvement in 2016 Holey Artisan attack that left 22 people, including 17 foreigners, dead. The seven death-row convicts -- Jahangir Hossain, Aslam Hossain Rash, Hadisur Rahman, Rakibul Hasan Regan, Md Abdus Sabur Khan, Shariful Islam Khaled and Mamunur Rashid Ripon – were also fined Tk 50,000 each.



"The situation is improving day by day due to the multifaced approaches to counter violence extremism. People are now more aware, and we are also very active. The government's zero tolerance policy against terrorism helps contain the situation,"

- Monirul Islam, chief of Counter Terrorism and Transnational Crime

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