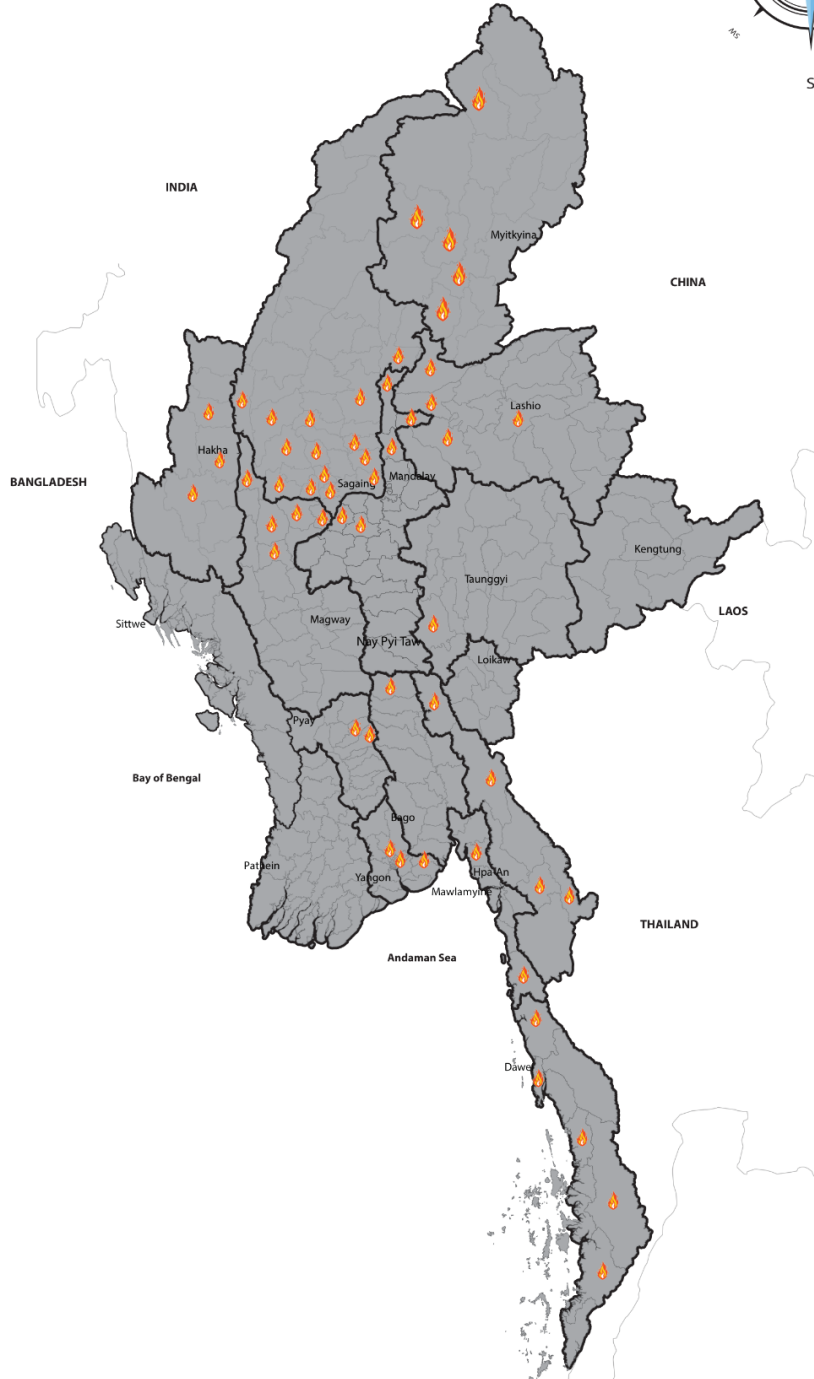
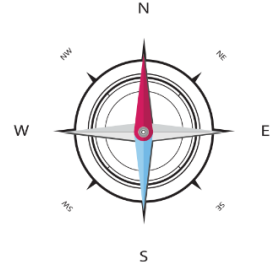

Week: April 1 to April 7, 2023

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Map of Myanmar Conflict (April 1-7, 2023)



Brief Overview

Bago

- 1 Clash between SAC and PDF/EAOs
- 1 SAC soldier killed
- 2 PDFs killed
- 7 Houses burned down

Chin

- 3 Clashes between SAC and PDF/EAOs
- 16 SAC soldiers killed
- 28 Houses burned down

Kachin

- 1 Clash between SAC and PDF/EAOs
- 8 SAC soldiers killed
- 1 Civilian killed
- 31 Civilians arrested
- 1 Village set on fire

Kayin

- 9 Clashes between SAC and PDF/EAOs
- 97 SAC soldiers killed
- 3 PDFs killed
- 1 Civilian killed
- 1 Civilian arrested
- 10 Houses burned down

Magway

- 6 Clashes between SAC and PDF/EAOs
- 105 SAC soldiers killed
- 9 PDFs killed
- 1 Civilian killed
- 1 Village set on fire
- 5 Houses burned down

Mandalay

- 3 Clashes between SAC and PDF/EAOs
- 28 SAC soldiers killed
- 11 Civilians killed
- 3 Houses burned down

Mon

- 1 Clash between SAC and PDF/EAOs

Sagaing

- 18 Clashes between SAC and PDF/EAOs
- 58 SAC soldiers killed
- 19 PDFs killed
- 2 Children killed
- 28 Civilians killed
- 5 Civilians arrested
- 131 Villages set on fire

- 604 Houses burned down

Shan (North)

- 3 Clashes between SAC and PDF/EAOs
- 11 SAC soldiers killed
- 2 Children killed
- 43 Houses burned down

Shan (South)

- 1 Clash between SAC and PDF/EAOs
- 1 PDF killed

Tanintharyi

- 1 Clash between SAC and PDF/EAOs
- 10 SAC soldiers killed
- 1 Civilian killed
- 16 Civilians arrested
- 12 Houses burned down

Yangon

- 11 Civilians arrested

Total:

- 47 Clashes between SAC and PDF/EAOs
- 334 SAC soldiers killed
- 34 PDFs killed
- 4 Children killed
- 43 Civilians killed
- 64 Civilians arrested
- 133 Villages set on fire
- 712 Houses burned down

April 1, 2023

Strikes

Locals organize boycotts of the SAC's 2023 elections. Places include the northside of Yinmarbin, Yinmarbin-Salingyi, Kale township, Taze township, and Yinmarbin township in the Sagaing region.

Election Updates

Nothing to report.

Military Clashes

Two police were injured when a checkpoint near the Aung Mingalar bus station was attacked in Mingaladon township, Yangon region.

One PDF soldier was killed and another two injured in a clash with SAC troops at the militia's camp in Min village, Yesagyo township, Magway region.

Two civilians were killed in a clash between PDFs and SAC soldiers on the highway road in Ye township, Mon state.

Two PDF soldiers were killed in a clash between PDFs and SAC forces in Yesagyo township, Magway region.

Human Rights Violations

Around 5,000 local residents of Yinmarbin and Salingyi fled when the military column came to the Sagaing region.

Two children and two civilians were killed by the military in Maung Htaung village, Sagaing region.

Political and International Events

Nothing to report.

April 2, 2023

Strikes

Locals hold boycotts against the PTT, demanding for the PTT to stop paying blood money to the Junta on Latpataung hill, Sagaing region.

Locals call for sanctions on MOGE in Yinmarbin township, Sagaing region.

Locals hold boycotts against the SAC's 2023 elections in the northside of Yinmarbin and Yinmarbin-Salingyi township, of the Sagaing region.

Election Updates

Nothing to report.

Military Clashes

Five SAC soldiers were killed in a mine attack organized by KIA forces on the west side of Min Tai Pin village, Pale township, Sagaing region.

Two SAC soldiers were killed when fighting escalated in the northern part of Kale city, of the Sagaing region. The army sends in helicopters, causing people to flee away from the attacks.

Four SAC soldiers were killed a clash with PDFs at the Myawady Bank and Myanmar Commercial Bank in Monywa township, Sagaing region.

Two SAC police members were killed in a clash with PDFs outside of the Sar Taung city police station, Sagaing township, Sagaing region.

12 SAC police members were killed in a clash with PDFs in Thantaunggyi township, Taungoo district, Bago region.

20 SAC police members were killed in a clash with PDFs between Nyaung Pin Thar village and Mal Za Li village, Tigyaing township, Sagaing region.

One SAC soldier and 2 PDF members were killed in a clash with PDFs in Nattalin township, Bago region.

Four SAC soldiers were killed in a clash with PDFs near Kyi village, De Pae Yin township, Ye-U district, Sagaing region.

Seven SAC soldiers were killed in a clash with CNF forces in Hakha township, Chin state.

Human Rights Violations

Two PDF members were arrested, killed, and burned by SAC soldiers in Salingyi township, Sagaing region.

The army attacked by helicopters, sending thousands of local civilians fleeing from the fire and destruction near Kyi village, De Pae Yin township, Ye-U district, Sagaing region.

One civilian was killed and more than 5,000 residents displaced when Shaw Phyu Kone and Nyan Inn villages were burned down by SAC forces in Kanbalu township, Sagaing region.

One civilian was killed by SAC forces in Kan Kone village, Salingyi township, Sagaing region.

Three civilians were arrested by SAC forces in Yar Han ward, Kale township, Sagaing region.

Political and International Events

Nothing to report.

April 3, 2023

Strikes

Locals held boycotts against the 2023 SAC elections in the Kani township, the northside of Yinmarbin, and Yinmarbin-Salingyi township of the Sagaing region.

Local people protested for sanctions on MOGE in Latpataung hill, Sagaing region.

Election Updates

Nothing to report.

Military Clashes

Five SAC soldiers were killed by a mine attack organized by PDFs at Min Tai Pin village, Pale township, Sagaing region.

45 SAC and two PDF soldiers were killed in a clash between PDFs and SAC troops outside of Kanywa police station, Gangaw township, Magway region.

24 SAC police forces were killed in a clash with PDFs outside of Ma Eu police station, Yesagyö township, Magway region.

6 SAC and 2 PDF soldiers were killed in a clash between PDF and SAC forces at Shwebo University in Shwebo Township, Sagaing region.

Three SAC police forces were injured by a mine attack organized by PDFs between Nat PAtte and Tayet Chin village, Paungde township, Bago region.

Human Rights Violations

Residents said that the 50th Infantry Battalion of the SAC in Gangaw Town, Magway Region fired heavy weapons at Lone Haw, Zar Haw, and Oak Hla on April 3rd at around 8:00 am, causing residents to flee.

In Launglon township in Tanintharyi region, 8 civilians, including a member of the NLD party, were arrested by the SAC's Forces

A woman's body was discovered in a canal outside of the village in Shwebo township, Sagaing region. She was believed to have been raped multiple times before being violently killed and cut into three pieces on 02 April.

Two civilians were arrested by SAC troops at the Taungphilaar block of Kalaymyo township, Sagaing region.

One civilian was killed and another two children and two civilians were injured when SAC troops fired mortar bombs into Phwe Htaw Yu village, Hpapun township, Kayin state.

One civilian was killed when SAC forces burned down two villages in Tigyaing township, Sagaing region, bombarding them with air strikes.

More than 120 houses were burned down when Hnaw Kan village was burned by SAC forces in Pale township, Sagaing region.

A woman was arrested and 10 houses were burned down when Kyaung Shar Kone village, in Kawkareik township, Kayin state was set on fire by SAC forces.

SAC forces burned down Inn Lal Gyi village in Kanbalu township, Sagaing region.

10 Civilians were arrested by SAC forces in Kayan township, Yangon region.

SAC forces burned down Wa Lan Tal village, Matupi township, Chin state.

Three civilians were injured when SAC forces fired mortar bombs into Chaung Saunt village, Thaton township, Mon state.

Political and International Events

Nothing to report.

April 4, 2023

Strikes

There were local protests against the PTT in Latpataung hill, Sagaing region.

Local people continue to hold boycotts against the SAC's 2023 elections in Yinmarbin-Salingyi township, Sagaing region and Longlon township, Tanintharyi region.

Election Updates

Nothing to report.

Military Clashes

There was a clash between PDFs and SAC forces in Myawady township, Kayin State.

Three SAC soldiers were killed and another 2 injured when the military had a conflict within itself in Seikphyu township, Magway region.

There was a clash between PDFs and SAC forces in the Mekanal area on the southern side of Myawady township, Kayin state.

PDFs fire mortar bombs at the SAC military gate 2 in Kayan township, Yangon region.

PDFs fire mortar bombs at the SAC's militia camp in Kan Gyi Kone village, Chang-U township, Sagaing region.

One SAC police and one SAC militia soldier were killed by a mine attack organized by PDFs in Zee Phyu Kone village, Shwebo township, Sagaing region.

Human Rights Violations

30 Civilians were arrested by SAC forces near Hmaw Si Sar village, Hpakan township, KACHIN state.

Two civilians were killed by SAC militias in Aungmyaytharzan township, Mandalay region.

SAC forces burned down Inn Lal Gyi village, Kabalu township, Sagaing region.

Political and International Events

The Office of Defense Services in Myanmar says the President of the Far Eastern Academic Institution has awarded the coup leader with an honorary doctorate. Colonel General Alexander Vasilievich Fomin, Deputy Minister of Russian Defence, received a patriotic award in return from Myanmar's coup leader.

April 5, 2023

Strikes

Locals held boycotts against the SAC's 2023 elections in the northside of Yinmarbin and Yinmarbin-Salingyi township in the Sagaing region. Additionally, boycotts happened in Longlon township, Tanintharyi region.

Election Updates

Nothing to report.

Military Clashes

Seven PDF soldiers were killed while rescuing five people arrested by SAC troops in Bone Bwae village, Wetlet township, Sagaing region.

Five SAC soldiers were killed in a mine attack organized by PDFs near a cemetery in Yesagyo township, Magway region.

One SAC soldier and one SAC militia member were killed by a mine attack organized by PDFs between Kyawl Twin and Wah Yin Chai villages, Myaing township, Magway region.

There was a clash between PDFs and SAC forces in Salingyi township, Sagaing region.

There was a clash between PDFs and SAC forces near Shwe Koke Ko Myoe Thit, Myawady township, Kayin state.

There was a clash between PDFs and SAC forces along Myawady-Kawkareik road, Kayin state.

SAC forces initiated airstrikes on two PDF camps in Pale township, Sagaing region.

10 SAC soldiers were killed in mine attacks organized by PDFs along Tanintharyi-Myeik road, Myeik township, Tanintharyi region.

Nine SAC soldiers were killed in a clash with CNDP forces along Falam-Hakha road, Falam township, Chin state.

Human Rights Violations

SAC troops brutally killed two mentally ill people in Lal Gyi village, Kanbalu township, Sagaing region.

Eight people, including three children, were injured by bullets fired by military troops in Wat Toe village, Palaw township, Tanintharyi region.

Htwe Mon, or better known as DJ Violet, was arrested by the SAC's Forces from Myintkyina township, Kachin state.

SAC's planes dropped more than 10 bombs near Hnaw Pin village, Yedashe township, Bago region.

Thailand's authorities arrested three comrades of People Defense Force in Mae Sot town and transferred them to the junta regime.

SAC forces fired mortar bombs in Dan Tai village, killing 1 civilian and injuring another two in Budalin township, Sagaing region.

Political and International Events

Nothing to report.

April 6, 2023

Strikes

Locals held boycotts against the SAC's 2023 elections. Places include Longlon township, Tanintharyi region; Yinmarbin-Salingyi township and the northside of Yinmarbin, Sagaing region; Yangon region.

Election Updates

Nothing to report.

Military Clashes

One SAC militia member was killed and another two SAC soldiers were injured in a clash with PDFs in Palaw Kone village, Palaw township, Tanintharyi region.

Two PDF soldiers were killed and another one arrested in a clash with SAC troops near Chaung Nar village, Pale township, Sagaing region.

20 SAC soldiers were killed in a clash with PDFs in Kanbalu township, Sagaing region.

More than 3,000 locals fled to Thailand when PDFs and SAC forces clashed near Shwe Koke Ko, Myawady township, Kayin state.

Soldiers and policemen were asking for money when they were attacked near Bo Chan bus stop, Mingalardon township, Yangon region. One SAC soldier was injured.

There was a clash between KIA/PDF fighters and SAC soldiers near Kho Tar village, Mabein township, Shan (north) state.

Five SAC soldiers were killed in a clash with PDFs at Min Ywar school, Natogyi township, Mandalay region.

Human Rights Violations

The junta regime sentenced three women, including a CDM teacher, to life imprisonment under the military court in Indaw town of northern Sagaing region yesterday in Myanmar.

Two children were killed when SAC forces fired mortar bombs into Ho Kho and Than Bo villages, Kyaukme township, Shan (north) state.

SAC forces initiated an airstrike, bombing Si Thar village in Shwegu township, Kachin state. More than 20 homes, including a school, were damaged.

SAC forces initiated an air strike near Nyaung village, Myaing township, Magway region.

Two PDF soldiers were killed when SAC forces raided Pauk Taw village, Mingin township, Sagaing region.

One civilian was injured when SAC forces fired mortar bombs at Ai Ma village, Myaing township, Magway region.

One civilian was killed by SAC forces near Ar Yone Oo village, Thabeikkyin township, Mandalay region.

One civilian, a PDF supporter, was killed by SAC forces in Pae Myint Taw village, Chaung-U township, Sagaing region.

Political and International Events

The military council announced plans to accept more than 700 Rohingya peoples back into Myanmar.

April 7, 2023

Strikes

Local people held boycotts against the SAC's 2023 elections. Places include Longlon township, Tanintharyi region; the northside of Yinmarbin and Yinmarbin-Salingyi township, Sagaing region; Myaing township, Magway region.

Election Updates

Nothing to report.

Military Clashes

PDFs fired mortar bombs at the Mingalardon Air Force Base, Yangon region.

There were clashes between KIA and SAC forces by Tan Jar village, Puta-O township, Kachin state.

Two SAC soldiers were injured in a clash with PDFs in No. 4 Phaung Taw Oo ward, Yesagyio township, Magway region.

There was a mine attack on SAC forces organized by PDFs between Kan Pyo and Pyine Pin village, Singu township, Mandalay region.

Four SAC soldiers were killed by a mine attack organized by PDFs near Lone Zee Phyu Kone Pyu village, Pale township, Sagaing region.

More than 85 SAC soldiers and BGF soldiers were killed in a clash with PDFs in Htee Kaw Htaw village, Myawaddy township, Kayin state.

Eight SAC militia soldiers were injured by a drone and mine attack organized by PDFs in Tayet Kan village, Myaing township, Magway region.

There was a clash between PDFs and SAC forces near Ah Lal Kyun village, Kani township, Sagaing region.

Five SAC soldiers were killed in a clash with PDFs at a school in Min village, Natogyi township, Magway region.

Four SAC soldiers were killed in a mine attack organized by PDFs in Myingyan township, Mandalay region.

Human Rights Violations

SAC forces launched an airstrike on Tone Kouk and Si Taung villages, Shwegu township, Kachin state.

One civilian was killed and another arrested by SAC forces near Maw Tone village, Tanintharyi township, Tanintharyi region.

Eight civilians were arrested by SAC forces at Kan Maw Gyi village, Bokpyin township, Tanintharyi region.

One child and two civilians were injured when SAC troops fired mortar bombs into Nar Ma Khaw village, Lashio township, Shan (north) state.

Political and International Events

Nothing to report.

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