

American Deaths in Terrorist Attacks, 1995 - 2016

The following table presents statistics on the total number of terrorist attacks that took place in the United States, the total number of fatalities due to terrorist attacks in the United States (including perpetrators), the total number of U.S. fatalities due to terrorist attacks in the United States (including perpetrators), and the total number of U.S. fatalities due to terrorist attacks worldwide (including perpetrators, and excluding deaths in Afghanistan and Iraq), from 1995 to 2016.

Effect of September 11, 2001 Attacks: 3,222 Americans have been killed in terrorist attacks from 9/11/2001 through 12/31/2016, including perpetrators and excluding deaths in Afghanistan and Iraq.

- 3,081 of these deaths occurred on American soil.
- 2,902 of these deaths occurred during the attacks on September 11, 2001.

Year	Total Attacks in the United States	Total Fatalities in the United States	U.S. Fatalities in the United States	U.S. Fatalities, Worldwide
1995	60	170	170	188
1996	35	2	2	36
1997	40	2	1	14
1998	30	4	3	135
1999	53	20	20	25
2000	32	0	0	36
2001	41	3005	2908	2910
2002	33	4	0	30
2003	32	0	0	17
2004	9	0	0	5
2005	20	0	0	3
2006	6	1	1	4
2007	9	0	0	1
2008	18	2	2	14
2009	10	18	18	19
2010	17	4	4	6
2011	10	0	0	3
2012	19	7	6	12
2013	20	23	21	29
2014	26	19	19	34
2015	39	44	43	58
2016	61	68	59	79
Total	620	3393	3277	3658

ABOUT THIS REPORT

The data presented here are drawn from the Global Terrorism Database (GTD). The GTD contains information on more than 170,000 terrorist attacks that have occurred around the world since 1970. For more information about the GTD, visit www.start.umd.edu/gtd. The GTD is a project of the National Consortium for the Study of Terrorism and Responses to Terrorism (START). START aims to provide timely guidance on how to reduce the incidence of terrorism and disrupt terrorism networks, as well as enhance the resilience of society in the face of terrorist threats at home and abroad.

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