

Afghanistan dataset (CSV) - events, per-region risk, cyber & sources

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Threat Trajectory

Threat Breakdown

Each category 0-100, scored from live conflict, insurgency, crime, protest & Cloudflare Radar cyber feeds. See the full threat matrix

Cyber & Internet Disruption

Layer-7 DDoS attack intensity (0-100, normalized) & internet outages over the last 28 days - Source: Cloudflare Radar.

Situation Summary

Afghanistan remains under Taliban control with an overall composite threat score of 74 (rank #17 globally), driven primarily by ongoing insurgent and terrorist activity. Late August saw a marked uptick in claimed anti-Taliban operations by opposition groups including the Afghanistan United Front and NIF across multiple provinces, paired with internal Taliban armed clashes in Badakhshan. Taliban authorities have responded with tightened security postures in high-threat areas-notably Kandahar-and expanded detention and protest-suppression powers nationwide. The security environment remains volatile, with attribution challenges and unverified casualty claims complicating threat assessment.

Key Developments

- Kandahar province - Security posture escalation (Sept 1, 2026): Taliban governor Mullah Shirin ordered police commanders across 11 Kandahar districts to implement round-the-clock patrols and heightened checkpoint security, signaling official concern over opposition activity in the region during late August.
- Badakhshan province - Intra-Taliban armed friction (August, ongoing): Armed clashes between dissident Taliban members and central Taliban forces in Baharak and Nusay districts resulted in multiple fatalities; internal friction over control and resource allocation remains unresolved and poses instability risk within the Taliban apparatus itself.
- Nationwide - Detention and assembly restrictions (Aug 27, 2026): Taliban authorities extended maximum detention without charge from 3 days to 10 days and issued a nationwide ban on

demonstrations, tightening legal tools for suppressing dissent and reducing transparency in custody practices.

- Multiple provinces - Anti-Taliban operational claims (aggregated late August): Opposition groups claimed 43 operations against Taliban targets across 14 provinces in August, including alleged strikes on Taliban army corps in Kandahar and bases in Helmand; most claims remain unverified by independent sources.

- Kabul - Checkpoint attack (Aug 27, 2026): Three Taliban members were killed in a checkpoint assault in Kabul; attribution and motive remain unclear, though consistent with broader opposition activity pattern.

- Mehtarlam - Infrastructure incident (Aug 30, 2026): A gas-cylinder explosion in a rickshaw at Rahmani Square injured 14 civilians; authorities characterized it as accidental, though context of heightened tensions warrants monitoring.

Highest-Risk Areas

Sub-national risk ranking data is unavailable in current GEOBIT reporting; however, event clustering and Taliban security responses point to Kandahar province as the highest-risk focal area, driven by concentrated anti-Taliban operational claims and the Taliban's own escalated patrol directives. Baghlan, Helmand, and Badakhshan also show elevated threat signatures linked to opposition activity and internal Taliban friction. Kabul remains under baseline elevated risk due to its status as the administrative center and periodic checkpoint incidents. Risk drivers include opposition group operational capability, Taliban internal cohesion challenges, and civilian exposure in volatile districts.

How GeoBit Would Assist

Security teams monitoring Afghanistan should employ AOI Monitoring & Early Warning on Kandahar, Baghlan, and Badakhshan to detect emerging incidents and attack patterns in near-real time. Multi-language OSINT fusion (including X/Telegram monitoring and Afghan-language outlet aggregation) is essential to corroborate opposition claims and distinguish verified incidents from propaganda. Network & Actor Analysis would map Taliban command structures and opposition group hierarchies to anticipate fragmentation risks and targeting patterns, while Intel Sweep and conflict-specific search provide broad horizon-scanning on regime stability and insurgent capability trends.

7-Day Outlook

Opposition groups are likely to maintain operational tempo in Kandahar and surrounding provinces over the coming week, while Taliban security responses will remain elevated and reactive. Risk of miscalculation at checkpoints and civilian harm remains elevated. Monitor for any Taliban leadership statements or further security decrees that may signal escalating internal alarm or policy shifts toward opposition groups.

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