

**Appendix 4. Daily Casualty Count of Afghan Civilians Killed by U.S
Bombing and Special Forces Attacks, October 7 until present day**

*I dedicate this file to the memory of the countless Afghans just engaged in simple acts of everyday living across the vast and beautiful land of Afghanistan, who became the innocent victims of the horrific U.S. air and ground onslaught begun at 9 PM on October 7, 2001. Were they only able to ride a bicycle in the rain - or tears - of Kabul.
Marc Herold, 03/15/2003.*



A.P. photo by Kamran Jembreili, March 14, 2003

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The number of Afghan civilian "impact deaths"¹ is estimated to be 3,100 - 3,600. The breakdown by month is:

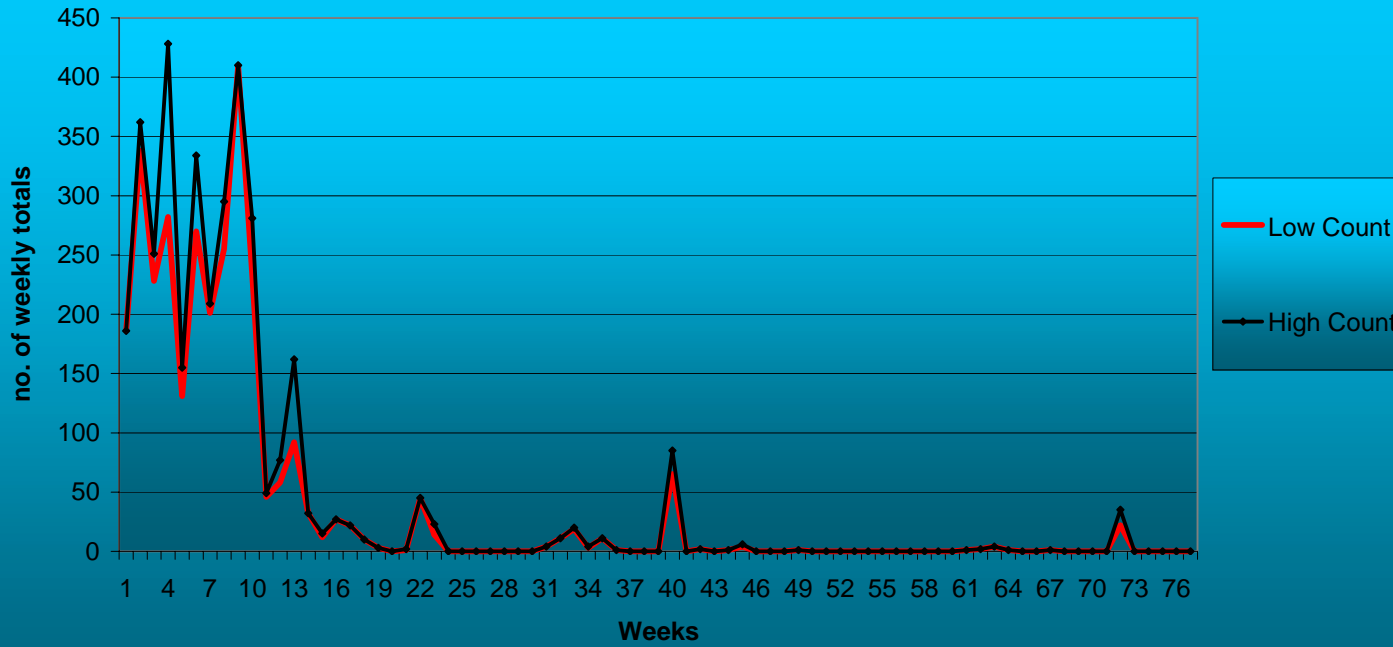
DATES	LOW COUNT	HIGH COUNT
October/2001	931	1,148
No date available/2001	186	186
November/2001	961	1,073
December/2001-Current	995	1,190
(only Oct, 7 - Dec, 10 - 2001)	(2,567)	(2,947)
(only Dec, 20/2001-Current)	(489)	(633)
TOTAL	3,073	3,597

Data in [] is deemed unreliable because either questionable sources or military casualties

¹An 'impact death' is defined as one caused at the immediate point of explosion or shooting. Because it ignores the injured who die later, it represents a minimum number.

Many people have inquired whether the data released publicly on December 10th has been up-dated. As the weeks have gone by, more information has emerged from Afghanistan which has allowed three revisions: [1]. some counts in reported incidents earlier have been revised; [2]. incidents which had erroneously reported as being separate have been combined [e.g., Kama Ado and Madoo]; and [3]. additional bombing attacks which occurred between December 20th and date above have been added.

Number of Afghan Civilian killed by WEEK, 2001-Current - Updated on 03/19/03



Day:

Oct. 7/8

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Qasba Khan neighborhood near airport and Radio Shariat station at Bibi Mahru hill	Kabul	[1-8-20]	0	0	at least two cruise missiles	Bombs hit close to Qasba Khan housing complex and also Bibi Mahru neighborhoods; 10 killed at each site	India Express 10/9/01 OTN 10/8/01 Chic Trib 10/8/01 LAT 10/9/01 T of I 19/08/01 Irish Times 10/8/01 Guardian 10/8/01 MayKuth's article 11/20/01 T of I 2/13/02 Observer 10/14/01 FP 10/10/01
Mullah Omar's compound	Kandahar	2	2	2	missiles dropped in 3rd raid on city	Kandahar hit in 3 waves of attacks. Missile hits Omar's 10 acre compound at 8:55 pm; two people injured on Sunday night attack on Kandahar, died on Monday in Kandahar's general hospital. Mullah Sarangzai said a neighbor died in blast at Omar's house. When bombs started falling on Kandahar, about 20 cars left Omar's compound. Seconds later, three missiles hit a compound. Pentagon said Omar's residence was a "command and control facility," hit in the 3rd wave of attacks; the 2nd hit downtown Taliban military headquarters of 2nd Army Corps; the first airport area including 300 houses built in 1996 for Al Qaeda	The Age 10/8/01 citing AP ITAR-TASS 10/8/01 Guardian 10/8/01 and 10/9/01 - Harding and Kalso Ahmed 11/01 BBC News 10/9/01 FP 10/14/01 T of I 1/21/02 AFP 10/14/01 Islam Online 10/9/01 LAT 12/13/01 - Daniszewski WSJ 1/14/02 - ND Smith Indep. 12/13/01 - Huggler HT 12/12/01 - Otton Reuters 10/9/01 at 07:01 AM ET - Salahuddin

residence	Kandahar	2	2	2	bomb	Bomb aimed at arms depot misses and kills family of Abdul Baqi. Baqi's 2 brothers died from exploding projectiles of a near-by bombed ammunition dump.	PNS 10/9/01 mentions 4 die in Kandahar Asheville Global Report News 11/5-21/01
Herat	Herat	[9]	0	0	bombs		Pak. Obs 10/9/01 PNS 10/09/01
Spin Ghar area	Nangarhar		0	0	bombed	Tora Bora area	OTN 10/8/01
400-bed women's hospital, Wazir Akbar Khan	Kabul	[13-19]	0	0	bomb falls near hospital	Reportedly 13-19 women die in gynecology ward on top 3 floors, were killed. Definitely false reporting	India Express 10/9/01 Chic Trib 10/8/01 Seattle Post Intell. 10/9/01 sg. news 10/12/01 IAC Factsheet Times 10/13/01 - S. Farrell
Mazar-i-Sharif	Balkh	8-20	8	20	bombed	bombed Taliban regimental 18th Army Division headquarters including troops, tanks, armed and support vehicles as well as others facilities on Oct. 7/8 and 9	AIP data; UN source 10/12/01 FP 10/11/01 WP 10/12/01 - Graham and Loeb
neighborhood near Kabul airport	Kabul	2	2	2	bombs	Haziza's mother and brother buried in rubble of home	Dawn 11/4/01 Age 10/22/01 NYT 10/30/01 - Bearak

radio station	Kabul	7-10	7	10	bomb	bomb aimed at 5,000 kw Soviet-made transmitter radio station, missed hit house, killed all family members. Family of Noor Muhammed. Bomb caves in roof of adobe home at foot of hill. Wounds 3 children and Din Muhammed, 70	WP 10/24/01 - Constable China Daily 10/8/01 - AIP Irish Times 10/8/01 Balt.Sun 10/14/01 T of I 10/8/01 - AFP personnal communication of D. Zucchini 5/31/02 Bangor Daily News 5/22/02
airports hit	Kunduz and Balkh		0	0	bombs and missiles	overnight attacks on airports of Mazar and Kunduz; air defenses in Kabul, Kandahar, Jalalabad	BBC News 10/8/01
bombs fell close to villages of Moqor and Gilan	Ghazni		0	0	bombs	targeted Taliban radar station and garrison near Moqor, but missed	P. Bouckaert RCA n. 93, 10/9/01

Residences near Jalalabad airport	Nangarhar	2-6	2	6	3 missiles	Only one missile hit airport; other 2 astray; injured 2 teenagers and Ice-cream vendor returning from work. A farmer injured by missile with fell in a field, Mohammad Raza had shrapnel in neck. The villagers of Gush Ghombad hearing US warplanes, rushed for shelter outside. A huge explosion then occurred - killing Mohammed Raza and severely wounding Yasmin, 10, daughter of Gul Sher. Yasmin was crippled.	PNS 10/9/01 Pak. Obs 10/9/01 Guardian 10/11/01- McCarthy and 10/11/01 - Harding mentions 6 killed Observer 10/6/02 - J. Burke
Shindand air base	Farah		0	0	missile and bombing attack	hit the large old Soviet airport, setting a large oil depot ablaze, killing at least 5 Taliban	OTN 10/8/01 citing A.I.P.
bin Laden's new home under construction at Kandahar airport	Kandahar		0	0	U.S. cruise missiles	struck Kandahar airport and its Afghan Airforce Colony where bin Laden was having a large new home built. Bin Laden had, however, left the Colony around September 20th , fearing U.S. attacks.	Dawn 10/8/01 - I. Khan [Peshawar]; Telegraph 12/16/01 - D. Harrison; NYT 9/22/01 - J.F. Burns citing Dawn

Day

Oct-9

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Homes near TV Mountain in center of city	Kabul		0	0	B-1 and B-2 bombers fire missiles and drop bombs	At 16:09 GMT bombing of airport area and TV Mtn. Atop of which are radio and TV antennae; flames and debris rise from foot of mountain	FP 10/10/01 Radio Netherlands reports 10/11/01
UN's Afghan Technical Consultancy [ATC] building, one mile to w. of city center	Kabul	4	4	4	4 Tomahawk cruise missiles; 1 misses	At 4:50 a.m. a missile obliterates the U.N contracting firm, located near a defunct radio tower 50 meters away; kills 4 and injures two. Fired at radio tower.	AFP 10/9/01 FP 10/10/01 WP 10/10/01 LAT 10/9/01 Indep.10/14/01 Guardian 10/10/01 Miami Herald 10/10/01 sg.news 10/8/01 citing AIP BBC News 10/9/01 with photo of ruined ATC building
Deh Sabz village on a pass 32 kms no. of Kabul, on a pass	Kabul		0	0	stray missile	Tuesday night, missile destroys houses, injures 2 families of Nazim and Ullah Khan; village not close to any military facility	Guardian 10/10/01 T of I 10/10/01 detnews.com 10/10/01 BBC 10/10/01

Town of Maiwand, 70 kms west of Kandahar, Omar's home district	Kandahar	1	1	1	bomb	early morning bombing of site believed to be Al Qaeda camp, but was actually an old Soviet garrison. US brought Bin Laden might have been there. Village hit; target was an Al Qaeda camp in the area on an old Soviet base. Maiwand is site of Omar's 1994 rescue of 3 abducted local girls	Fp 10/10/01 sg. News 10/8/01 citing AIP OTN 10/9/01 jang.news 10/10/01 DPA 10/9/01 BBC News 10/10/01 at 16:33 GMT Japan Today 10/10/01 at 09:30 JST @ AIP
Shindhand air base	Farah	[5-7]	0	0	bombed	Major military air base bombed and 5 die, unclear whether civilians	Herat governor cited in jang. news 10/10/01 OTN 10/8/01
Shakar Dara district, area 15 mi. no. of Kabul	Parwan		0	0	bombing	on Tuesday night, front-line Taliban positions. NO. Alliance sad area had a training camp. Shakar Dara is a mostly Pastun village supportive of Taliban. Shakar heavily bombed again on Oct/21. An Arab training base located in Usankot and Band-e-Asiyab hills near Shakar Dara	detnews.com 10/10/01 citing K. Gannon of A.P. BBC News 10/10/01 at 16:33 GMT
Herat	Herat		0	0	heavy bombing	CNN reported Herat under heavy attack Tue. Night. Bombing targets on city edge, airport, 3 cruise missiles went astray	FP 10/10/01 PNS 10/9/01

airport in city	Logar	?	0	0	bombs	on night of 8/9 three Ariana civilian planes damaged	S. Bunker report in UN Press Briefing 10/13/01 Dawn 10/14/01
Al Qaeda camp in Garmawak Ghar	Kandahar		0	0	B-2 missiles and bombs	night-time attack on camp	" "
Start of 24 hour strikes, Kandahar city	Kandahar		0	0	bombs	started round-the-clock bombing and first using GBU-37B 5'000 lb bunker buster bombs upon underground bunkers by B-2s. Each bomb cost \$231,000 mn.	The Herald 10/12/01 BBC 10/10/01 AP 10/10/01 - Bums BBC 10/11/01

Day

Oct-10

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
bombed mosques incl. Sultanpur and Khier Abad in the Surkh Rod village, 10 kms. west of Jalalabad	Nangarhar	15-[17-70]	15	15	bomb	4 houses and mosque bombed during prayer. Surkh Rod village bombed; the mosque was hit and dozens killed.	FP 10/12/01 PNS 10/15/01 BBC News 10/11/01 WP 10/12/01 : A23 - Cody
bombed mosques incl. Sultanpur and Khier Abad in the Surkh Rod village, 10 kms. west of Jalalabad	Nangarhar	[120- 150]	0	0	bombed	bombed again as rescuers at work. This report is highly dubious and most likely represents a confusion with Karam.	Indep. 10/13/01 - Parry W for Ch 10/22/01 AFP 10/11/01
a house in e. Kabul, 4 kms. East of city center in suburb of Pul-e-Charki	Kabul	10	10	10	missile	early AM missile attack, 2.4 miles e. of kabul, hits close to Custom's House, kills 10 civilians, according to Taliban's Education Minister (Mutaqqi) and destroys a house. Dead include a 6 mo. old baby	BBC News 10/11/01 PNS 10/12/01 OTN 10/11/01 citing AIP and 10/11/01 HT 10/11/01 Deccan Herald 10/12/01 Islam Online 10/12/01
Mazar-i-Sharif	Balkh	[25-40]	0	0	bombs	nigh time bombing of Mazar, kills Taliban Air Force chief, Akhtar Mukhamad Mansur and 40 associates. US planes hit garrison near Mazar twice, on Oct. 9 and 11, which allegedly housed Arabs and Chechans	NYT 10/11/01 - Gordon Interfax 10/10/01 AP 10/10/01 - Gannon and Shah www.wsws.org

residential areas near a bridge, Gardez	Paktia	[20]	0	0	Bomb	Gardez has military air strip, but bomb fell on residential area. Tried to hit bridge on main road near Gardez to cut off route Kabul to Khost, but missed	WP 10/14/01: A19 P. Bouckaert RCA n. 93, 10/9/01
Villages of Darunta, Torghar, Farmada, nw. of Jalalabad, semi-desert area	Nangarhar	28-[100] "heavy civilian casualties"	28	28	heavy overnight cluster bombing	Darunta hit, where 3 killed and many injured-one women and 2 girls killed; at least 28 died in Farmada (a kochi mtn. Village) next to an abandoned Al Qaeda camp in Darunta. The Farmada complex, 10 kms. outside Jalalabad, belonged to Hekmatyar's Hezb-e-Islami. Abdul Qadir invited Bin Laden there in 1996. Mullah Yunus Khalis, Muslim cleric and former mujahideen backed by the U.S. in the 80s, owned a farm in Farmada, a farm village ~15 kms. south of Jalalabad. The farm's former owner, a guerrilla leader called Engineer Mahmood, was the person who invited Bin Laden to settle there in 1996. Bin Laden arrived with his 3 wives and 180 fighters. The farm was transformed into a fortified compound and became a major Al Qaeda training camp, home to ~1'000 Arab fighters. It was abandoned before 9/11.	Indep. 10/13/01 RL Parry Ahmed, 11/01 AFP 10/17/01 Guardian 10/17/01- Campbell sg.news 10/11/01 - AFP Dawn 4/4/02 - M. Lines Parrish 10/24/01Times 11/8/00 - Z. Hussain AP 11/24/01 DPA 10/12/01 at 10:16 CET

<p>Tapai Muhaimat munitions dump at a huge military base, 9 kms s.e. of Kandahar. Loya Wala village</p>	<p>Kandahar</p>	<p>2</p>	<p>2</p>	<p>2</p>	<p>2 bombs</p>	<p>9:00 AM attack hits munitions dump half mile away setting off secondary explosions, killing 5-yr old Taj Muhammed, and other resident. heavy US attack on large dump which sets off huge secondary explosions. 3 days of attacks. Kills 5 yr. Old Taj Mohammed, when rocket destroys family home. The huge ammunition dump of Tapai Muhaimat is located there</p>	<p>NYT 10/14/01 - Frantz Balochistan Post 10/13/01 WP 10/18/01 - Pomfret WP 3/16/02 - Anderson CNN.com 10/11/01 - Hyder AP 10/12/01 - Gannon and Shah</p>
<p>Kabul and Kandahar</p>	<p>Kabul and Kandahar</p>		<p>0</p>	<p>0</p>	<p>B-1 and B-52 5000lb GBU-28 bunkers busting bomb</p>	<p>first dropped on a collection of Taliban troops and vehicles. Also hit cave complexes on Oct. 10 and 11</p>	<p>Tribune 10/11/01 Bangkok Post 11/4/01 WP 10/12/01 - Graham and Loeb</p>
<p>disused fort in Dehyaya village, 8mi. e. of Kabul</p>	<p>Kabul</p>		<p>0</p>	<p>0</p>	<p>bomb</p>	<p>hits home, injuries 3 family members (mother, 2 daughters)</p>	<p>SkyNews 10/10/01</p>

Shamshaad, 6 kms. from border	Nangarhar		0	0	5-6 bombs	jet and missile attack upon Taliban base in area, 6 kms from border, 5-6 explosions heard	CoxNews 10/11/01 Guardian 10/10/01
military academy in e. Kabul	Kabul		0	0	B-52 bombs	hit with 6 bombs on 10:10; also hit on Oct. 14th and 21st	Guardian 10/10/01 The Hindu 10/14/01 Manilu Times 10/15/01 - AP
Omar's Chevrolet suburban minivan	Kandahar		0	0	bombed	On Wed. night hits vehicle which was occupied at the time	Telegraph 10/13/01 - Fenton WP 10/12/01 - Graham and Loeb
provincial capital, Tarin Kot	Uruzgan		0	0	missiles	hit because Omar is from there	jang.news 10/11/01 - Yusufzai
districts of Maiwand and Khakrez	Kandahar	13	13	13	US warplanes	13 civilians killed @ AIP, bringing total in Kandahar province to 28 by 10/10	DPA 10/10/01 at 19:03 CET

Day

Oct-11

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Karam village, 30 kms. w. of Jalalabad, in Torghar hills	Nangarhar	100-200 160 est	160	160	bombs	during early evening prayers, small shepherd, mud mountain village destroyed. Dozens collapsed houses. Japanese filmmaker Shinomiya who is filming [early 2003] in Karam, cites 150 civilians being killed, mostly women.	Reuters 10/14/01 - Z. Haider FP 10/17/01 and 10/14/01 AFP 10/14/01 AFP 10/24/01 Telegraph 10/13/01 smh 10/15/01 Observer 10/14/01 Indep. 10/13/01, 10/15/01 Asheville Global Report no 144 10/18-24/01 Times 10/13/01 - Farrell and Hussain R. Yusufzai report 2002 Daily Yomiuri 1/25/03 - I. Kakuya
Qala-e-Chaman, a village one mile away from airport	Kabul	3 children - 6	6	6	bomb	kills 12 yr old when bomb lands near her house, causing it to collapse and destroyed several houses. Bomb meant for airport, hits playground, killing 3 youngsters, witnessed by Rasmir	BBC News 10/29/01 Ahmed, 11/01 sg.news 10/28/01 SF Chonicle 12/6/01 - Hendrix AP 10/26/01 HT 10/11/01 citing AFP DPA 10/12/01 at 10:16 CET
Arghandab town, 8 kms. nw. of Kandahar	Kandahar	10	10	10	bomb	several houses destroyed	Indep. 10/13/01 - RL. Parry Ahmed 11/01

Gach khana, Loya Wala, and Koyai Morcha districts, in e. and no. of Kandahar	Kandahar	18	18	18	bombs	30 injured. The huge ammunition dump of Tapai Muhaimat is located there	PNS 10/12/01, OTN 10/11/01 AIP in The Scotsman 10/22/01
Majpoorbal village near Jalalabad	Nangarhar	"many"	0	0	bomb	AP photo exists	The Tribune (India) 10/16/01
Kandahar	Kandahar		0	0	bomb		AFP 10/11/02
munitions dump in so. of Kabul	Kabul		0	0	bomb	huge fire-ball in night sky in eastern part of city near abandoned Al Qaeda Rishkhor base. Rishkhor was the old Afghan 7th army base, located 15 kms. southwest of Kabul's center in dusty rolling hills. In September 1998, the Taliban turned it over to Al Qaeda and it became Bin Laden's largest base in Afghanistan. It quickly came to house 2 - 3'000 mostly foreign troops, including ~1'000 belonging to Bin Laden's Brigade 055. At Rishkhor, Pakistanis [belonging to Lashkar-e-Toiba and Harakat-ul-Mujahideen], Arabs, Chechans, and Uzbeks were trained. Mullah Akhtar Mohammad Usmani oversaw Rishkhor. In June 2000, the base was closed down, though apparently the American proxy, Abdul Haq was executed there by the Taliban in October 2001. S. Bunker says a mosque, a fuel store, 2 vehicles, 4 weapon stores, and 4 city blocks were destroyed	BBC News 10/11/01, photo exists Guardian 10/12/01 Reuters 10/12/01 at 10:30 AM IST BBC News 10/12/01 Indian Express 12/26/01 - R. Sinha; Reuters 6/14/00 - S. Salahuddin; BBC News 6/23/00 - K. Clark UN Press Briefing, Islamabad 1/7/02 by S. Bunker

Mazar-i-Sharif	Balkh	[20]	0	0	bomb		UN sources Ahmed 11/01 Randall 10/13/01
Kandahar	Kandahar	10	10	10	bomb	father buries son	Telegraph 10/15/01 and UN sources
Kunduz mosque	Kunduz	[23]	0	0	bomb	mosque bombed during prayer time	Pak. Obs. 10/13/01
Qargha area residences, 8 kms. nw. of Kabul	Kabul	6	6	6	bombs	6 killed in house near a Taliban army, closed in 2000, which once was home to 1000+ Pakistani Jihadis, but also an anti-aircraft battery on a hill. Destroyed homes. Emergency Italia lists many injured on Oct. 12th. The Qargha base of the 8th Division, north of Kabul, goes back to the monarchy. During Taliban times, it was run by Obeidullah, a deputy to Taliban Intelligence chief, Qari Ahmadullah, when it was a base, a training camp, and Rocket Site 8. Qargha was heavily bombed by the U.S. Kargha [Qargha, Kargah] located 8 kms. northwest of Kabul, was the old Afghan 8th army garrison and site of an Al Qaeda training facility. The deputy commander of Kargha was the Taliban, Saifur Rahman, who later led Taliban forces in the battle at Shah-i-Kot	Guardian 10/12/01 citing AIP and 10/13/01 Indep. 10/13/01 WP 12/02/01 - P. Baker Xinhuanet 10/12/01 citing AIP

house near Kabul airport	Kabul	1	1	1	bomb	bomb destroys home, 4 injured and one killed (6 months old baby). Faiz Mohammad talks about his neighbors daughter	Pak. Obs. 10/15/01 Guardian 10/12/01 - Salahuddin shia-network 10/14/01 - Tayseer Allouni photo at www.tribuneindia.com/2001/20011014/photos/pages/14photo06.htm
	Afghanistan		0	0	B-52's	B-52s and B1's are deployed for first time, dropping deadly cluster bombs. The 1000 lb GBU-87 Gator bomb	Guardian 10/12/01
Sangesar village in Maiwand district	Kandahar	1	1	1	missile	kills Omar's stepfather and 10 years old son. Mullah Omar got out of a yellow taxi three minutes before a U.S. missile hit it. Omar's son, 10, was hit in Omar's car and died of his wounds. Omar got into another car and drove away	Islam Online 10/9/01 Guardian 8/30/02 Independent 10/23/01 - R. Fisk

towns of Maroof and Arghisan, near Kandahar	Kandahar	10-15 " at least 10 civilians"	10	15	3 cruise missiles and bombs	hit suburban ditricts of Arghisan and Maroof. Injured 30. Heavy explosions in Maroof, 10 kms from city, around a Taliban military academy	BBC News 11/11/01 cites UN officials Islam Online.net 10/11/01
bombed home near Jalalabad	Nangarhar	[1]	0	0	US bomb	kills (?) an Osama lieutenant, Egyptian Abu Baseer Al-Masri, a veteran among Arab fighters in Afghanistan. He had worked for many years in Al Qaeda camps. Al-Masri died when a comrade throw away a bomb piece and it exploded, died in hospital on 10/13	Dawn 10/19/01 Herald Sun 10/20/01 T of I 10/18/01 Daily Telegraph 10/19/01

<p>Pakistan lets US use bases in Pasni and Jacobabad [Shahbaz air base]</p>	<p>Pakistan</p>		<p>0</p>	<p>0</p>	<p>US aircraft and personnel deployed</p>	<p>the Musharref regime allows US to use two existing air bases for its attacks upon Afghanistan. Soon afterwards, 2 more bases in Balochistan were handed over to the US--the Dalbandin base and the small Shamsi airport on the Iran-Pakistan-Afghanistan border triangle - an airstrip built for wealthy Saudi sheikhs who indulged in falconry. The US bases would be used : to ferry in and out the Afghan puppet, Karzai, during Oct-November 2001; launch special operations attacks in Afghanistan; and serve as home for spy planes [e.g., Predators].</p>	<p>Telegraph 10/12/01--T. Butcher; Asia Times 1/30/02--N. Malik</p>
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Oct-13

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Qila Meer Abas hamlet, 2 Kms. so. of airport	Kabul	4	4	4	F-18 drops 2000 lb. JDAM	at 3:00am pre-dawn raid, destroys 4 homes, injured 8, bomb fell one mile off target a military helicopter. Bomb off course due to technical error, target was a military helicopter in Kabul airport about 1 mile away. 4 deaths and 8 injured. Kills 14 years old girl. Injures Nagina (12) and 3 others. Also destroys a WFP bakery where Razia worked	Guardian 10/15/01 LAT 10/14/01 FP 10/14/01 BBC News 10/29/01 jang.newsp 10/14/01 AFP 10/24/01 Space.com 10/14/01 PNS 10/15/01 WP 10/14/01:A19 including photos AP 10/16/01 published in CommomDreams with photo of Nagina
Jalalabad and Kandahar	Nangarhar and Kandahar	13	13	13		huge number of fatalities in these two heavily bombed regions. Bombs dropped on bldg near No. 1 Corps in Jalalabad	PNS 10/14/01 FP 10/15/01
Kandahar	Kandahar	2	2	2	severely bombed'	attacks on Qishla Jadeed military base 4 kms. ne. from Kandahar center. AIP says severed missiles fell on civilian areas. 2 killed and 4 injured	FP 10/15/01 Kaumudi Online 10/14/01 Nation Online 10/14/01
Int'l telephone exchange	Kabul	[12]	0	0	bombed	destroyed Chinese-built tel. exch. cutting off all int'l calls, injures 32	BBC News 10/15/01 and 10/24/01, citing Taliban AFP 10/16/01 at 1:37PM Manila time

Khushkam Bhat, a residence resid. district between Jalalabad airport and military base	Nangarhar	"many died"	0	0	2000 lb bomb	trying to hit a single helicopter and hits resid. area between Jalalabad airport and a military area of 1st Army Corps. 100 houses destroyed, 160 people hospitalized. Pentagon admits error	Indep. 10/16/01 - Popham Ahmed 11/2001 N. Dixon 10/26/01 OTN 10/16/01 reporting from AIP
Kandahar	Kandahar		0	0	rockets	bombing Qishla Jadeed army garrison. Rockets fell in civilian areas	OTN 10/13/01 citing AIP
airport	Herat	?	0	0	7 attacks by US planes	evening attacks during 3 hours, hit airport and surrounding areas	OTN 10/13/01
Herat city	Herat	1	1	1	bombed	afternoon attack hit radar communication center in city. Herat airport hit at least 7 times on Saturday night @ AIP	HT 10/13/01 - AFP DPA 10/13/01 at 18:05 CET
Meymaneh (Maymana) (Faryab) and Taloqan (Takhar)	Faryab and Takhar		0	0	heavily bombed	first time these two areas, hit air bases and camps of Taliban. US rockets hit Maymana airport and control tower Meymaneh fell to North Alliance on Nov. 11th	jang.news 10/14/01 IRNA radio 10/14/01 at 03:00 GMT
Dorahi highway junction in Kandahar city	Kandahar		0	0	bombs	2 large explosions at junction which connects roads to Kabul, the airport, and Chaman, reported by witnesses to CNN	USA Today 10/14/01 CNN.com 10/14/01 at 3:35 AM EDT

Pul-e-Khumri airport	Baghlan		0	0	missiles	destroyed Taliban radar network	DPA 10/13/01 at 18:05 CET IRNA radio 10/14/01 at 03:00 GMT
empty army camp, west of Kandahar	Kandahar		0	0	missile		DPA 10/13/01 at 18:05 CET

Day

Oct-14

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Qala-e-Wakil (Wakel) poor residential area of Kabul near airport	Kabul	1-4	1	4	F18 drops 500 lb. JDAM	midnight bombing kills a girl from Dadkhuda family is killed. Missile missed airport by 1 mile and hit 7 houses and damages 15 more. Qand Agha resident of Qala e-Wakil, reports bombs fell on house killing 12 yr old girl and 6 houses flattening in shock waves, 4 injured	BBC News 10/14/01 SMH 10/15/01 FP 10/15/01 Rawa Letter 10/21/01 and Rawa photos exist Pravda.ru 10/13/01 Daily Star 10/14/01 Photo exists BBC News 10/15/01 and 10/24/01, citing Taliban
High-tension power lines	Kandahar	-	0	0	bombs	heavy bombing in Kandahar for several hours, hitting Taliban base, power lines and other targets	PNS 10/16/01 cnn.com 10/14/01
Bala Hissar 6th century fortress in S.W district	Kabul	-	0	0	bombs	reduced to rubble as bombers targeted Taliban positions on top of rocky hill. Part of bomb careend a mile away. Two feet of a front section came to rest against a house. Children played with gray, putty-like explosive material in the casing	Seattle PI.com 10/15/01 MayKuth 11/20/01

many targets in and around the city	Kandahar		0	0	heavy bombing	during night of 13/14 bombs hit Qishla Jadeed military base and airport. At 5:30 AM renewed attack on Qishla Jadeed, 4 kms. from city center	T of I 10/14/01 DPA 10/15/01 at 08:07 CET
Khair Khana area	Kabul		0	0	bombing	hit 16th Army Division base and killed 3 Talibans	DPA 10/15/01 at 08:07 CET
airport and Qishla Jadeed Army base	Kandahar	2	2	2	bombs and rockets	AIP reports rockets fall in to civilian areas, killing two and wounding 4	DPA 10/15/01 at 08:07 CET

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Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Qala-i-Nau (Qala-e-Nau, or Qal'eh-Ye-Nau) capital of province	Badghis	12	12	12	bombs	overnight attack on airport and bareachs; injures 32. Hit center of city after midnight (14/15) according to Himat, told to Reuters. No. Alliance captured city on Nov. 11. Bombing of city caused hundreds to flee to villages. Area littered with UXOs	Pak. Obs. 10/16/01, AIP cited in Arab News 10/16/01 BBC News 10/15/01 and 10/16/01 AP 10/15/01, citing Taliban data Guardian 5/20/02 - Steele T of I 10/15/01
Main power station Naghlu in n.e. Kabul	Kabul	[12]	0	0	bombed	cut electricity to Kabul for 2 days	T of I 10/19/01 BBC News 10/23/01 FP 10/17/01 rte.ie/news 10/16/01 HT 10/16/01
Hospital in Daman area	Kandahar	at least 5	5	5	stafed by AC 130S	11:30 pm attack, 5 killed whom seeking treatment	PNS 10/17/01 BBC News 10/16/01 Arab News 10/16/01 FP 10/17/01 AFP 10/16/01 at 10:58 IST
Agam and Garekhil villages in Tora Bora area	Nangarhar	1+	1	1	bombs	jet drops 3 large bombs. 6 injured	Pak. Obs. 10/16/01 OTN 10/15/01 Arab News 10/16/01
Spin Ghar hills of Parachinar	Pakistan	-	0	0	missile	cruise missile lands in shepherd village, killing sheep and goats	Arab News 10/16/01 Dawn 10/15/01

Kabul	Kabul		0	0	bombs	first daytime raids on kabul, 10 large explosions	Chinadaily 10/15/01 sg news 10/15/01
Afsotar, outside Kabul on northern edge	Kabul	none	0	0	missile	hits WFP warehouse, shrapnel injured one casual worker. Missile struck as trucks were beng loaded for an Oxfam convoy two Hazarajart region. Loading was halted. Missile aimed at parked military jeeps and broken down vehicles 500 meters away	WP 10/18/01 K. Gannon for AP 10/16/01 Indian Express 10/18/01 S. Bunker, press breefing 10/15/01
ammunition depot.	Kandahar		0	0	missile	depot. Set ablaze says refugee in Chaman	K. Gannon for AP 10/16/01
Kabul outskirts and Jalalabad	Kabul and Nangarhar	[12]	0	0	11 bombs	Kabul hit at 6:15 am, Jalalabad at 8:30 am; 12 killed and 32 injured	Dawn 10/15/01 citing AFP
eastern edge of Jalalabad	Nangarhar		0	0	10 bombs	starting at 8:30 AM explosions in area already heavily bombed during past week	AP 10/15/01 at 01:41 EDT Gannon T of I 10/15/01
nw. area of Kabul	Kabul		0	0	4 bombs	Monday 6:45 AM 4 bombs dropped	T of I 10/15/01

Kandahar	Kandahar		0	0	bombing	Oct. 15 night and morning heavy attacks. Hit vacant Kul-e-Urdu military compound. 10:30 PM - morning bombing	Ahmer 11/4/01
no. district of Mazar-i-Sharif	Balkh	5	5	5	bombs	hit homes during marriage ceremony. A bomb fell on a marriage ceremony in northern parts of the city, leaving one woman and four men dead, according to the A.I.P. Airport area hit 4 times until 5 AM	PNS 10/17/01, OTN 10/16/01 reporting from AIP AP 10/16/01 Reuters 10/16/01 at 2:42 AM EST

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Oct-16

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Red Cross compound of 7 warehouses in Khair Khana district	Kabul	1	1	1	F-18 drops two 1000 lb. JDAM bombs	Hit Red Cross warehouse, injuring two and killing 40 yr. old woman. Aimed at Talib vehicles. 35% of stored food is destroyed. Mistook Red cross trucks for military vehicles. Security guard is injured. Khair Lhana is home to Taliban's 16th Army Division	AFP 10/24/01 Rawa.org file FP 10/18/01 AP 10/16/01 Newsday.com 10/17/01
Qala-e-Mohammed District of Mazar	Balkh	2	2	2	bombs	attacks city outskirts. Bombs fall near houses in neighborhood of Qala-e-Qul Mohammad, near to Taliban military installations there. Killed two civilians	OTN 10/16/01 citing AIP S. Bunker of the U.N. Dixon 10/26/01 jang.news 10/15/01
Qishla Jadeed district	Kandahar	3-5	3	5	bombs	5 waves of attacks; bombs fell on Gach Khana and other places near Qishla Jadeed military base, east of city	OTN 10/16/01 citing AIP Xinhuanet 10/16/01

Bagh-e-Pul, western neighborhood of the city	Kandahar	13	13	13	cluster bombing	several houses destroyed, near a former Taliban tank regiment and weapons depot. The area was covered with unexploded cluster bomblets. Cluster bombing wounds two teenagers (13 yr. old Mohammed Raffia and 16 yr. old Niaz Mohammed) on weekend of 5/25/02	AP 10/17/01 citing Hemat, Taliban Info. Ministry AP 5/31/02
Kandahar	Kandahar	[15]	0	0	Ac130s and Navy jets	Mo/Tues night very heavy attacks on city. 10:30 pm-morning AC-130s first used. 2 AC-130s attacked military barracks, troop complex, headquarters compound, killing 9-13 civilians on Tuesday. Raids on road to Mullah Omar's home, kills 15 on bridge, damaged clinic and mosque	Indep. 10/17/01 FP 10/17/01 Albalagh 11/4/01 AP 10/16/01 - Gannon Reuters 10/17/01 - Salahuddin IslamOnline 10/16/01 NYT 11/1/01 - Nickelsberg and Bearak Christian Aid 11/8/01 - Davison
Lal Mohammed village, 31 kms. n.w. of Kandahar	Kandahar	4	4	4	AC-130 and bomb	target was nearby Talkib military base, 8 injured	FP 10/17/01
Panjwae district	Kandahar	8-9	8	9	AC-130 and bombs	house collapsed on family	FP 10/17/01 jang.news 10/18/01

Badam Bagh area of Kabul	Kabul		0	0	bombs	bombed and rocket regiments, platoon 410, of the Arabs and Pakistanis located at Badam Bagh, former National Guard headquarters. Injures 3 farmers	AP 10/16/01 BBC Monitoring voice of Islamic Republic of Iran, Mashhad 10/17/01 at 03:00 GMT
village in province	Uruzgan	2	2	2	bombs or missile	farming village hit; kills 2 children of Saed Mohammad, 34	AFP 11/3/01 - S. Khan
truck n.w. of Kandahar	Kandahar	3	3	3	cruise missile	truck carrying cooking oil break down outside of Kandahar. Drivers sleep in truck attacked at 4:00 am on 17th	Report of Suleman Ahmer 11/4/01 . Ahmer is an experienced int'l relief worker, formerly with Benevolence Int'l Foundation. His report from Kandahar is widely cited, e.g., on New Zealand's The Scoop. at : http://www.scoop.nz/stories/HL0111/S00023.htm Albalagh 11/4/01
antenna on mountain, 35 mi. east of Kabul	Kabul	-	0	0	bomb	knocks out critical telephone antenna	WP 12/2/01 - P. Baker

north of Kabul	Kabul		0	0	bombs	after sunset bombs destroyed power cables to a power main substation	AP 10/15/01 at 10:09 PM ET - Salahuddin
Charasyab village, so. of Kabul	Kabul		0	0	US bombs	hit houses in Charasyab. Taliban ousted Hekmatyar from his camp and headquarters at Charasyab in Feb. 1995.	HRW report [2002] on Afghan refugees
Nahrin village	Baghlan		0	0	bombed	village hit on night of 16/17	BBC monitoring of voice of Islamic Republic of Iran, Mashhad 10/17/01 at 03:00 GMT

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Oct-17

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
2 fleeing refugee vehicles hit	Kandahar	"all those in trucks had been killed" 20-25	20	25	bombed	afternoon bomb hit truck carrying refugees on road between Kandahar and Chaman, kills family of six, injures others. 12 killed in Chunai and Low Wala areas of Kandahar	AFP 10/24/2001 T of I 10/19/01 HT 10/18/01 Dawn 10/27/01 Guardian 10/17/01 jang.news 10/18/01 AP 10/17/01 AIP data IOL correspondent, Islamonline 10/19/01 and AFP Arab News 10/18/01 LAT 10/18/01 - Paddock et al. Reuters 10/18/01 at 9:11 AM EST - Salahuddin
hit regiment at Baba Jan, Bala Hissar, and the Qargha area in Kabul	Kabul	-	0	0	AC-130S	first deployed in Kabul	Pak obs. 10/18/01 PNS 10/18/01
boy's school	Kabul	-	0	0	2000 lb bomb	direct hit on boys's school in Kabul center; did not explode	PNS 10/18/01 UN spokesman Hasan Ferdous confirms

ammun. depot near Madad Chowk resid. area	Kandahar	7 - [17]	7	7	bomb	depot explodes destroying 2 homes and shops, and kills 7 passersby according to AIP, cited in Guardian	PNS 10/18/01 Pak obs. 10/18/01 HT 10/18/01 Guardian 10/17/01 WP 10/18/01
Mirza Ahmed Khan village, Kunduz	Kunduz	8	8	8	bomb	shops, houses, and completely destroyed 2 clinics near Kunduz Army Corps area. Passenger van hit in the area; injuring 20	OTN 10/17/01 OTN 10/18/01
Mirzan Burj fuel depot in Khair Khana area, largest in Kabul, no. of Kabul	Kabul	4-5-7	4	7	three bombs	bombs hit depot and houses near barracks of 16th Army Corps and Al Qaeda 55th Brigade. Set off huge fire forcing firefighters to flee. Reuters photo exists	Indep. 10/17/01 Chic.Trib 11/21/01 Canadapress news citing the A.P. 10/17/01 Guardian 10/17/01 www.tribuneindia.com/2001/20011018/photos/pages/18photo08.htm

Gov't bldg. but hit stores and residences	Kandahar	4+1+5=10	10	10	bombs, rockets	at busy 4:30 pm time center Kandahar hit by rockets. Madad Chowk intersection area, bazaar near Kepten intersection in city center, flattened near vice and virtue Ministry bldg and houses. Killed 4 in pharmacy and 6 in tailorshop. Reuters reports bomb hits house and kills at least 7	Indep. 10/17/01 Albalagh 11/4/01 Fulleuton 10/20/10 Dawn 10/19/01 Reuters 10/20/01 and 10/22/01 FPO 10/19/01 NYT 11/1/01 - Bearak, AP
Macroyan apartment complex	Kabul	1	1	1	a bomb	kills 5 year-old Nazila, daughter of Abdul and Shakila Amiri. Nazila was playing with her younger brother and sister close to their home when an American bomb landed 20 yards away from it.	Chic Tribune 11/21/01 and 12/19/01 www.afsc.org/pwork/0202/020221.htm
TV or radio tower in Jalalabad	Nangarhar		0	0	2 f-15E's drop 500 lb GBU-12s	F-15E's first flight over Afghanistan, from base in Kuwait	cnn.com/2001 , 10/17/01 Atlantic Monthly 11/02: 76-77
2 buses near Arghandab, 8 kms. northwest of Kandahar	Kandahar	8 est.	8	8	bomb	15-20 people killed or injured, according to Taliban when bus was hit; 8 killed Al-J. Bus hits by air raid near Kotali Murcha of Kandahar city	CNN.com 10/17/01 9:44 pm EDT T of I 10/19/01 - AFP

Shar -I-Nau (Shari-Nau) district in central Kabul	Kabul		0	0	bomb	detroyed middle-class home of Mohammad Sha Kir Pardis, 38, a teacher. House bombed, pregnant wife buried, hallucinating. Neighbor Hashmat's house was also damaged.	MayKuth's article 11/20/01 Chic. Trib. 11/21/01 Reuters photo at www.tribuneindia.com/2001/20011018/photos/pages/18photo15.htm
Sangesar village, 40 kms we. of Kandahar	Kandahar		0	0	single missile	destroyed mosque and koranic school in this mud-walled village, where Mullah Omar started his movement in 1995	Time Asia 10/22/01
Charasyab, Rishkhor, Ghundi-Talimi areas so. of Kabul	Kabul		0	0	bombed	The Charasyab camp was an old, anti-Soviet camp used by Hekmatyar, where later Al Qaeda foreigners [incl. Filipinos and Chinese Uighurs] received training. The Rishkhor facility is the old Afghan Army 7th division garrison, which became Al Qaeda's main camp in Afghanistan. The Talimi camp had instructors from Libya, Tunisia, and Egypt.	jang.news 10/8/01

city areas	Kandahar	[20]	0	0	bombing	a total of 20 civilians killed on Wednesday including a whole family	T of I 10/17/01
western Kabul	Kabul		0	0	bomb	morning bomb hits derelict site opposite office of Halo Trust, leaving a 20 ft crater. Bomb might have been aimed at HT's vehicles or office radio antenna	Telegraph 11/23/01 - M. Warren

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Oct-18

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Qalaye Zaman Khan suburb, 5 kms east of Kabul	Kabul	5-8-[10]	5	8	F-18 1000 lb bomb	4 bombs dropped mid-day on eastern Kabul. At 12:00 o' clock a bomb kills 5 family members (wife, sister, brother, sister-in-law, mother) of Nazirullah home and 1 passerby. 4 children killed. 6 houses destroyed; targeted Taliban garrison a few 100 meters away. Bomb hit at 12 O'clock. Family deaths (@5) confirmed in Jan. 2002 visit by Global Exch. Delegation (see The Mirror 1/18/02). Mahtab's house hit and her mother in law killed by shrapnel (Bearak)	FP 10/19/01 Dawn 10/19/01 OTN 10/18/01 T of I 10/19/01 and 10/18/01 Guardian 10/19/01 Rawa Letter 10/21/01 AP 10/19/01 - Gannon FP 10/20/01 AFP photo exists Salahuddin (Reuters) photo exists NYT 10/30/01 - Bearak Reuters 10/18/01 at 9:11 AM EST - Salahuddin
Macroyan housing complex in east Kabul	Kabul	2	2	2	2 bombs	at 11 am bomb hits housing complex kills 14 yr. old girl, injures 4 others. Another bomb a street, kills 2nd girl	FP 10/19/01 Dawn 10/19/01 OTN 10/18/01 T of I 10/19/02 Rawa photo Rawa Letter 10/21/01

Truck carrying refugees e. of Jalalabad, in Chperagam [Chaprahar] district	Nangarhar	12-18	12	18	missile	destroys whole family on refugee truck	Dawn 10/19/01 T of I 10/19/01 FP 10/19/01 IOL correspondent, Islamonline 10/19/01 and AFP Reuters 10/18/01 at 9:11 AM EST - Salahuddin
small CNN and Al Jazeera office	Kandahar	-	0	0	bombed	at night. Employees had sought cover outside. Bldg. Heavily damaged. Target was a vehicle parked nearby	agr.news.org/issues/145 CNN 10/18/01
Arghandab town, 8 kms. n.w. of Kandahar's suburbs	Kandahar	(10)	0	0	bomb	possibly october 11	Herald Sun 10/19/01
power supply system Jalalabad	Nangarhar	-	0	0	bomb		OTN 10/18/01 AP 10/19/01-Gannon
residential area	Kunduz	5	5	5	bombs	hit airport area, Army Corps areas. Injured 12	OTN 10/18/02
Kabul area	Kabul	[40]	0	0	bombs	overnight bombing, 18/19	T of I 10/19/01

Khogiani,40 kms s.w of Jalalabad	Nangarhar	10	10	10	bomb	village hit	T of I 10/19/01 AFP 10/19/01 citing Mutaqqi
Badam Bagh area of Kabul	Kabul	7	7	7	13 bombs from B-52s	2 bombs hit Badam Bagh residential area where Taliban 37th commando unit located; hit 2 storey Taliban bldg and ammun, dump north of Kabul which kills 7 passersby. Also hit chemical-vaccine lab run by Qari Abudallah. Also hit 10/14 and 10/16	Guardian 10/19/01-Norton-Taylor, citing Reuters Rawa photo exists China Daily 10/19/01 CTVNEWS 10/18/01 - video exists South China Morning Post 10/19/01 Mirror 11/19/01 - G. Jones Rawa photo of 10/18/01 bombing AP 11/21/01 - K. Gannon describes chemical lab CSM 10/30/01 - P. Smucker Reuters 10/18/01 at 9:11 AM EST - Salahuddin
Kandahar	Kandahar	5	5	5	bombs	heavy bombing injured 12, bombs hit Taliban guesthouse, main prison, a highschool, and destroyed 4 houses	OTN 10/18/01 citing Zaeef FP 10/19/01 DPA 10/17/01 at 17:21 CET Reuters 10/18/01 at 9:11 AM EST - Salahuddin
crossroad of Shahidi in Shari-Nau (Shari-Nau), upscale downtown district	Kabul	1	1	1	bomb	three houses destroyed, injured one and killed a woman	<u>AFP Photo Exists</u> home.earthlink.net/~stanko/afghan.htm

telephone lines	Kabul		0	0	bomb	tel. Lines destroyed in e. Kabul after a bomb fall close to a residential area	iafrica.com 10/19/01
Baghlan city	Baghlan	4	4	4	bombs	Strategic town on main road to Kabul	iafrica.com 10/19/01
home in Kandahar	Kandahar		0	0	bomb	10 AM bomb falls, injures a dozen including 10 yr. old Abdul Wasaj who had been playing football outside his home	Guardian 10/27/01 - R. Carroll
Kabul	Kabul		0	0	bombs	hit areas in Shash Tarak district near old US embassy, home to a Taliban tank unit and close to Defense Ministry	AP 10/18/01 - Gannon and Shah
Lawa-e-Nau, 9 km s. of Jalalabad and road to Chperagam [Chaprahar]	Nangarhar		0	0	bombs	day time raid hit two empty bases-at Lawa-e-Nau area and Brigade No. 81; hit a road so. of city	OTN 10/17/01 T of I 10/17/01 DPA 10/17/01 at 17:21 CET

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Oct-19

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Qala e Wakil district near Kabul airport	Kabul	10	10	10	bomb	3 waves of night attacks on Kabul; on Friday powerful blasts in city center. 9 PM attack kills 2 of Zia's neighbors	Times 10/20/01 China Daily 10/19/01 HRW Report 2002
Civilian homes and a bus	Kandahar	"numbers of civilians"	0	0	bomb		Znet letter of Joel Lee
Sarai Shamali informal market in no. Kabul	Kabul	12	12	12	bombs	Friday night, bomb hits an informal market, killing 12 and wounding scores, including Abdul Mobeen, 36, hit by shrapnel who spends a month in Wazir Akbar Khan hospital	Philadelphia Inquirer 11/21/01 - A. Maykuth
hit gov't bldg.near shopping area in central Madad district of Kandahar	Kandahar	[7-] 20 est	20	20	bombs	bombs again hit Kepten shopping bazaars in city's old center, also hitting homes and shops, killing shoppers; as US planes attacked gov't bldg. Refugee in Chaman describe destruction of the bazaar. 5,000 flee Kandahar on Saturday (10/20) alone	BBC News 10/19/01 Reuters 10/20/01 Ahmed 11/01 citing Reuters 10/22/01 FP 10/22/01 L'Humanite 10/22/01

bdlg in downtown	Kandahar		0	0	2 F-15E's fromn Kuwait	hit bldg of Ministry for Prevention of Vice	Atlantic Monthly 11/02:78 and Herold essay at http://www.cursor.org/stories/bombingkandahar.htm
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Oct-20

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
2 villages- Nawabad, Bagh-e-Desht	Herat	7	7	7	bombs		PNS 10/22/0, citing Herat governor
Herat area	Herat	[50-60]	0	0	bombs	Fri-Sund. Deaths around Herat in three days	Deccan Herald 10/21/01 citing Hemat
2 clinics and shops in Tarin Kot	Uruzgan	[18]	0	0	bombs	5 bombing attacks hit 2 clinics, injured 25-35. Survivors in Quetta tell how 11 members of Ullah family died. Wounded two daughters of Dery Gul. Probably the same as the tractor attack on the following day	India Express 10/23/01 OTN 10/22/01 Indu-Asian News Service 10/23/01 - Muhammad Najeeb, in rediff.com 10/23/01 wsws.org 10/23/01 Guardian 10/27/01 - R. Carroll
Ishaq Sulaiman village, 10 kms. from Herat	Herat	8	8	8	bombs	bombed night of OCT 10/21, injuring 15-20	Deccan Herald 10/21/01 citing Hemat
Herat WFP warehouse	Herat		0	0	bomb	UN's WFP warehouse bombed	Dawn 10/24/01

Taliban positions	Samangan		0	0	heavy bombing	weekend bombing	AFP 10/22/01 at 7:45 PM
Kabul	Kabul		0	0	8 bombs	areas north and east of city, near airport and Taliban military garrison. Repeat bombings	AP 10/20/01 - Gannon and Shah

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Oct-21

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Tractor and trailer near Tarin Kot on rural road, also called Thori or Torai or Doori	Uruzgan	21-32	21	32	2 US laser guided bombs	7:30 pm bombs hit 3 houses. Injured Hameed Ullaha and 12 months old and others. Village hit in 3 raids (10:00 pm to 1:00 am), led residents to flee; 20 people incl. 9 children killed when tractor and trailer they were using to flee was hit. No Taliban base within 3 kms. Accounts of survivor in Pakistan. 21 people from 2 families including 17 children and 3 women	AFP 10/24/01 dispatch from Quetta sg.news 10/28/01 arabia.com 10/29/01 citing AFP 10/29 Indep. 10/25/01 R.L. Parry Dawn 10/26/01 BBC News 10/29/01 Irish Times 10/27/01 China Daily 10/24/01 Times 10/25/01- C. Philip (for details) HRW 10/26/01 Times 11/01/01 The Age 10/28/01 AFP 10/25/01 - L. Hunt mediajunkies.net/archives/0001097.html Telegraph 10/25/01 OTN 10/25/01

military hospital and mosque near Shakar Qala (Qalae Shaker)	Herat	25 [11 - 100]	25	25	F18 drops 18 1000 lb cluster bombs	<p>at 9:05, destroys 100-bed hospital and nearby mosque. Hospital had been converted to military use. Miss target by 300 feet. Hospital had been evacuated. Herat governor said 15 people killed. SAPA - AFP confirms 25 dead. Early am attack on mosque and residences, injuring 25 in houses and a mosque. OTN reports 11 killed @ Zaeff</p>	<p>Dawn 10/28/01 PNS 10/23/01 T of I 10/25/01 OTN 10/22/01 Guardian 10/24/01 AP 10/22/01 HT 10/22/01 and 10/29/01 Parisa Hafezi jang news 10/23/01 Irish Times 10/24/01 SAPA - AFP 10/22/01 The Herold 10/22/01 Dawn 11/02/01 Pak. Obs 10/24/01 AFP 10/24/01 all citing Taliban report, also cited in BBC News 10/23/01 Tribune 10/24/01 National Catholic Reporter, 8/2/02 - C. Schaeffer - Duffy</p>
Kandahar city	Kandahar	3	3	3	bombs	<p>3 killed and 8 injured. This attck is probably that reported with no date when an US plane dropped a bomb aimed at tanks hidden under trees in Kandahar, but bomb missed and upended trees and killed 3 people driving on nearby road</p>	<p>FP 10/22/01 citing AIP</p>

Darra-e-Sof enclave, 96 kms so. of Mazar	Samangan		0	0	bombed	village on a pass to Mazar. Heavily bombed on Oct 26th, site of battles Oct 24th - Nov. 08th. On Nov. 8 at Darae Nour in Darra-e-Sof valley, US bombs killed 85 Pakistani Jihadis (@ AFP)	BBC News 10/21/01 and 10/22/01 FP 10/22/01
Shakar Dara village, 25 kms. no. of Kabul	Parwan	1	1	1	bombed	bombed village in Shomali plan. Sardar Mohammad, 20, died of fractured skull	Emerg. Italia report

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Oct-22

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Khair Khana District	Kabul	[4]	0	0	bomb	Taliban oil depot there, bombed in early AM	Dawn 10/24/01
two fuel trucks convoy, 8 kms. out of Kandahar on highway to Herat	Kandahar	3+ drivers; 13 to 15	13	15	bombs	10 other crew members hurt. Bring fuel oil from Iran via Heart. Tribune says 5 drivers burned to death, 10 wounded	Pak. Obs 10/24/01 Guardian 10/23/01 Al Jaz. Video in BBC News 10/23/01 The Tribune 10/24/01 Daily Star 10/25/01 citing AFP, Kabul
Shakar Qala Village near Heart, 2 mi. n.e. of Heart (also called Qali-e-Shater village)	Herat	9-12	9	12	cluster bombs	Monday night cluster bomb attack on village near military camp kills 8, 9th dies from cluster bomb; bombed village mosque and hospital in a military compound on Monday night attacks, according to UN's S. Bunker. On same night a village was hit between the military camp and Herat. 30+ wounded and 20 of 45 houses in village damaged	Guardian 10/23/01 sg.news 10/25/01 citing UN demining team CNN.com 10/24/01 HT 11/21/01 NYT 11/23/01 T of I 10/25/01
Daman area, 15 kms. so. of Kandahar	Kandahar	4-25	4	25	bomb	bomb village, hit houses, also injuring 10	Guardian 10/23/01 Pak. Obs. 10/24/01 Dawn 10/26/01 BBC news 10/23/01

Home in, Darul Aman, south of Kabul	Kabul	1	1	1	bomb	bombed meeting of indep. Afghans	Indep. 10/30/01 - Fisk
homes and shops	Uruzgan	[80-90]	0	0	bombs		Pak. Obs 10/23/01
Herat and Kandahar doctors	Herat	-	0	0	-	report poisoned patients (DU?)	Tomachick 11/7/01 Reuters 10/29/01 - Salahuddin
Mazar-i-Sharif	Balkh	5	5	5	bomb		Pak. Obs. 10/23/01
Clinic and mosque in Zazi village	Paktia	"unspecified no. of civilians"; 1	1	1	bombs	hit the Gora Tangi public hospital and mosque next door; person injured in hospital and dies Tuesday. Some bombs fall into Pakistan. Abdul Rosool Sayyaf's mujahideen group had maintained a hospital and arms depot in this isolated mountain village. Bin Laden had a house there too. Residents said 3 missiles hit the Gora Tangi hospital, completely destroying it. They also said 2 Pakistanu militia were killed in the attack.	Znet letter, Joel Lee Xinhuanet 10/24/01 : 13:21

home of Rahim Pangsheeri in Karte Parwan area	Kabul		0	0	bomb	9:30 AM attacked because a house used by Arabs	home.earthlink.net/~stankeo/afghan.htm
Darul Aman area so. of Kabul	Kabul	[25-35]	0	0	5 US Bombs	35 members of the Pakistani jihad group, Harakat-ul-Mujahideen, were killed in Darul Aman when house was bombed. A nearby Taliban base was also hit on Oct. 22nd and 23rd. Bodies later sent back to Pakistan. 22 of the men came from Karachi. The Darul Aman area was home to the Taliban Defence Ministry and to a large jihadi training camp for foreigners, which served as a staging point for new arrivals, who afterwards were sent for more specialised training to advanced camps like in Khost. The jihadi camp was completely destroyed by five U.S. bombs.	Pak. Obs 10/24/01 all citing Taliban report BBC News 10/23/01 Dawn 10/24/01 Peoples Daily 10/24/01AFP 10/24/01 at 6:00 AM Manila, Newsline.com Pakistan 11/01 - N. syed Ali and M. Ansari The Hindu 12/15/01 - A. Aneja
near Qalai Nasro, 45 kms no. of Kabul, near Bagran	Parwan		0	0	2 F-16s drop 3 bombs	at 4:20 PM hit area near Qalai Nasro	T of I 10/22/01
eastern face of Shamshad mountain, south of Torkham	Nangarhar		0	0	US helicopter	helicopter strafed Shamshad hill near border	Arab News 10/23/01 - M. Sadik

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Oct-23

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
small farming village of Chowkar Kariz	Kandahar	52-90-93 , "at least 60"	52	93	AC 130 gun ship attack	obliterates village in night of 22/23. Pentagon said was community was supporting terrorists and deserved its fate. Kills 19 members of one family who had fled Kandahar. 4-5 dead nomads brought to Kandahar hospital according to CNN according to AFP (11/1/01)	AFP 10/24/01 and 11/1/01 Dawn 10/26/01, 11/2/01 Indep. 11/04/01 Al Jazeera sg.news 10/28/01 Daily Dawn 11/1/01 Dawn 10/24/01 Telegraph 10/24/01 BBC News 11/1/01 and 11/2/01 - S. Ingram Ali Abunimah translation of Al Jazaeera 10/23/01 at 17:44 GMT NYT 11/2/01- Nickelsberg Altaf Hussein at IslamOnline 11/1/01The Times 11/2/01 - C. Philip BG 2/17/02 - Donnelly and Shadid Pak. Obs 10/24/01 WP 12/13/01 - Ponfret Conetta, 2002 The Hindu 11/1/01
oil depot and asphalt plant	Kandahar	5	5	5	Bombs	oil depots set ablaze as well as several trucks, injuring 10. Hit asphalt plant to prevent repair of runway	Daily News 10/24/01 Pak. Obs 10/24/01
Sarpoza and Daman districts of Kandahar	Kandahar		0	0	Bombs		Pak. Obs 10/24/01
factories and residences	Kabul	-	0	0	Bombs	Says UN	PNS 10/24/01

Daman, 15 kms. so. of Kandahar	Kandahar	4	4	4	Bomb	bombed homes, injuring 10	HT 10/23/01 citing Bakhtar
Kabul	Kabul		0	0	9 bombs	overnight raids, 8:50 pm to 4:45 am on 24th	Dawn 10/24/01 citing AFP report
suburbs of Jalalabad	Nangarhar	[11]	0	0	bombs	according to Taliban is Islamabad	Indu-Asian News Service 10/23/01 - Muhammad Najeeb, in rediff.com 10/23/01

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Oct-24

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Ishaq Suleiman Zai village and mosque, 16 kms of Herat	Herat	9-20+ " at least 20"	9	20	8-9 cluster bombs	village located 500-1000 meters from target. Overnight attack. In early November, one civilian killed another injured by exploding bomblet. 20 killed and 8 injured as leaving a mosque. Nov. 1st hit again.	Herald 10/26/01 SABC 10/28/01 citing UN T of I 10/25/01 AFP 10/25/01 Reuters 10/25/01 UN Integrated Regional Info. Network 11/7/01 AFP 10/25/01 Telegraph 10/25/01 citing Iranian journalist in Herat MER Spr. 2002 - Shadid
Gor Way Tangi area	Paktia	2	2	2	bombed by 2 planes	past 4 days bombing of mtn. areas. So heavy could be heard in Pakistan. The area of Gor Way, Spina Shaga and Gaey in the Aryub Jaji area had old ammunition depots. Bombed on 10-24, 11/1 and 11/4	Dawn 10/26/01 The Tribune(India) 10/25/01
Kandahar	Kandahar	8	8	8	bomb	8 nomads die	Dawn 10/26/01 Reuters cited by Afghan News net 10/25/01
ammun. dump	Kandahar		0	0	bomb	explodes, destroying homes, injuring many	time.com 11/01/01

mountain village west of Tarin Kot called Deh Raud	Uruzgan	12	12	12	bombs	early am bombing. Village mistaken for training camp	The Age 10/25/01 AFP in Daily Star 10/25/01 jang.news 10/15/01
3 villages	Laghman	29	29	29	bombs	one village hit 11:-11:30 PM. Houses demolished. Military base is 2 hrs. away	HRW report 2002

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Oct-25

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Kandahar bus station	Kandahar	10-20-40	10	40	bomb	hit bus full of people in station, near Kabuli gate. Hits red Mercedes bus burning at least 10 civilians. Survivors moved to Chaman hospital. Another bomb hits city's bus station. Testimony of resident, Jalal Khan	Guardian 10/26/01 Dawn 10/26/01 uk.news.yahoo 10/25/01 Reuters cited by Afghan News net 10/25/01 HT 10/26/01 Sunday Times 10/28/01 AP 10/25/01 - Reported at least 10 died Pravda.RU 10/26/01 AP 10/25/01
Shakar Qala in Herat area	Herat	8+1=9	9	9	cluster bombed	hit residential areas of Herat, injuring 14	PNS 10/26/01 T of I 10/26/01 Herald Sun 10/27/01 UN says 9 die smh 10/26/01 BBC 10/31/01
Takhatul Aman village in Koshar area	Herat	16 +	16	16	bomb	village bombed twice: 16 killed and 25 wounded	PNS 10/26/01 FP 10/26/01 HT 10/25/01
	Balkh, Parwan and Samangan		0	0	cluster bombing	US initiates cluster bomb attacks overnight on Bagram, Keshendeh, Darra-e-Sof areas	AFP 10/25/01

mobile Radio Shariat transmitter	Kabul	2	2	2	bombed	hit mobile radio unit which Taliban had in Kabul after radio tower destroyed on first night	Reporteurs Sans Frontiers, 11/9/01
	Samangan		0	0	26 separate raids	on Taliban positions in Darra-e-Sof region	AP 10/25/01
UN center housing dogs	Kabul	0	0	0	a bomb	11:30 PM attack hits German-funded Afghan Mine Dog Center with mine-sniffing dogs. Kills 2 Belgium shepherd dogs, destroys 2 vehicles and bldgs.	BBC News 10/27/01 Dawn 10/28/01 LAT 10/28/01 CNN.com 10/27/01 at 17:15 ET HT 10/27/01

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Oct-26

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Wazir Abad village, 3 kms west of airport. Possibly Wazir Akbar Khan residential area	Kabul	4 (including two young girls)	4	4	jets drop 2 bombs	night-time bombing - 3 children, 1 adult die -2 sisters aged 6 and 11- and destroyed 3 mud brick homes. A 3rd child was killed in Yakatoot neighborhood in the east of the city. Possibly targeting Taliban base in vicinity. FP reports 7 killed in Kabul on 10/26	Guardian 10/27/01 PNS 10/27/01 BBC News 10/29/01 Indep. 10/26/01 sg.news 10/28/01 AFP 10/26/01 AP 10/27/01 - Gannon HT 10/26/01 Dawn 10/27/01 T of I 10/26/01 FP 10/27/01
Red Cross bldg. Hit 2nd time	Kabul	-	0	0	Navy fighters and B-52 drop 8 tons of bombs	8 tons of bombs dropped, which set 3 warehouses (food, blankets, oil) ablaze	Indep. 10/27/01 AFP 10/26/01 FP 10/29/01 jang.news 10/27/01 CNN 10/27/01 at 19:52 AM EDT
comm. training center in e. Kabul	Kabul	1-2	1	2	cruise missile	night and dawn raids. A civilian, Shafi Ahmad, 30, died	PNS 10/27/01 FP 10/27/01 Arabia.com 10/29/01 citing AFP jang.news 10/27/01

various	Kabul	1	1	1	20 bombs dropped in the day	<p>heaviest raids so far on Kabul, 11 hours of bombing, hits ammunition dump. The Qali-Urdu Taliban military abandoned compound in Kabul is hit. Smucker reports a young boy killed when bomb hit ammunition dump on outskirts of Kabul (Date uncertain)</p>	<p>The Age 10/28/01 - S.M. Azam and AFP BBC 10/27/01 at 5:10 GMT CSM 10/30/01 - P. Smucker</p>
Taloqan	Takhar		0	0	bombed	<p>first US attack on capital city, injures 2. Area bombed constantly afterwards during Oct. Taliban garison is at Kala Kata hills. Heavy B-52 bombing near Taloqan on Nov. 8th.</p>	<p>HT 10/28/01 citing AIP HT 11/8/01 - AFP</p>

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Oct-27

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Shokhi, Khan Agaha, Sang-e-Breel villages in Kapisa valley, n.e of Kabul. Khan Agaha 80 kms. from Kabul, at entrance of Kapisa valley	Kapisa	10-16	10	16	B-52 bombs and F-18 bombs	35 bombs dropped at mouth of Kapisa valley. One bomb hit mud timber house, killing family of 10, 15 injured too, 4:30 pm bomb kills 25 yr. Old woman. Missile hits village held by NA	Irish Times 10/27/01 SABC 10/28/01 Sky News TV Emergency Italian cites 18 dead SABC 10/28/01 AIP cited in Arizona Republic 10/28/01 HT 10/28/01 The Statesman (India) 10/19/01 AFP photo exists AFP 10/17/01
3 villages no. of Kabul, Ghanikhel, Raqi and Nickhahil	Kabul	7-15	7	15	bombed, F-18 drops 500 lb bombs	village in no. Alliance territory, 3 front-line villages hit, wounded 9-10 Reports from italian medics say 16 died. Story of Koko Gol. Koko and Zarif killed while sewing at home in Raqi, 2 miles from Taliban base. Nikhail - 2; Ghanikheil - 3-10; Raqi 2-3	Indep. 10/29/01 Dawn 10/28/01 PNS 10/28/01 - 10/28/01 FP 10/29/01 - 10/30/01 LAT 10/29/01 Reuters 10/28/01 AP 10/28/01-Gannon Cox News 10/30/01
villages of Najrab and Tagab, 30 mi. n.e. of Kabul	Kapisa	6 - 9	6	9	bombs	12 injured, 15 houses destroyed	FP 10/29/01 Guardian 10/27/01

Darya Khanah village on Bagram front	Parwan		0	0	bombs	front-line Taliban village destroyed	Photo exists FP 10/29/01
Kabul	Kabul	1	1	1	bombing	overnight raid kills two civilians according to hospital doctor. One from shrapnel	Guardain 10/27/01
Lungar area, 2 kms from city center	Kandahar	1	1	1	AC-130	uncle of Maji Mohammad killed. Residences hit and mosque damaged	Pravda.RU 11/2/01 Dawn 11/1/01

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Oct-28

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Kabul neighborhood of Qala-e Khater(Qali Hotair) in Char Qala district, poor area in northern Kabul	central Kabul	(13) 8-10-15	8	15	a F-16 dropped four Mark 82 500 lb bombs	7:00 am strike flattened 3 mud-brick house as wife, 7 children + dad (Gol Ahmad) having breakfast and destroyed neighborhouse killing 2 children. Early am raid, one bomb, hits three houses near a hill an which there was an ant-aircraft gun. Harifa Ahmad lost 8 memebrs of family from stray bomb. Killed Gul Ahmed, a carpet weaver, his 5 daughters one of his second wife, a son and also demolished home of Ahib Dad killing his 2 children, Al Jazeera reported 15 dead (including 9 children). AIP reported 13 per WP 10/29/01, including 4 children. Bomb aimed at radar on hill. In March 2003, the UK gov't admitted publicly that it had failed in getting the US gov't to compensate Harifa [Harafa, Orfa] for the bombing of her home ;	Dawn 10/29/01 The Hindu 10/29/01 SABC 10/28/01 AP photo exists Bus Day Thailand 10/28/01 AFP 10/28/01 photo Emerg. Italia Report BBC News 10/28/01 citing Reuters sg.news 10/28/01 AFP 10/28/01 - SM. Azam BBC News 10/29/01 AP 10/29/01 - Gannon Guardian 10/29/01 T of I 1/22/01 citing AFP AFP 1/22/01 Guardian 11/24/01 - Rupert PNS 10/18/01 HT 10/28/01 Guardian 12/1/01 - McCarthy photo of Harifa at AP 10/6/02 - L. Sladky Guardian 10/7/02 - McCarthy IRNA 3/18/03
Kabul highway	Kabul	2	2	2	bombs	hit minibus with fleeing family	SABC 10/28/01 BBC News 10/30/01

Macroyan eastern housing complex	Kabul	3	3	3	bombs	Macroyan neighborhood hit by bombs. Bodies recovered, including 2 sisters	BBC News 10/28/01 FP 10/29/01 WP 10/28/01 High Times 11/10/01 Al Jazeera 10/28/01 Guardian 10/29/01 - Gannon
n. and e. districts of Kabul city	Kabul	[13]	0	0		residents report 13 killed on Sunday in Qali Hotair and Macroyan	FP 10/30/01 Guardian 10/29/01
Kala Kata, Chaghatai, Puza Pol-e-Khumri	Takhar		0	0	bombed	area near Kukcha River. 4 bombs dropped Sunday, and heavy bombing Oct. 30th, killed 70 Taliban	Report by Julius Strauss in Julum Khar, 10/31/01
Darunta camp	Nangarhar	0	0	0	heavily bombed	bombed empty camp	USA Today 11/26/01

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Oct-29

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
house in Kabul	Kabul	[8]	0	0	bomb	Kills family of 8. Might be an previous day	Mirror 11/13/01
Jebrael village in Injil district of western Herat	Herat	12+1=13	13	13	cluster bombing	pre-dawn raid village bombed, littering cluster bomblets widely; 12 die, 1 child injured died later. Various journalist visited Herat in late Oct. and reported seing 20 badly injured civilians from bombs in cities main hospital	T of I 10/31/01 Indep. 10/31/01 Guardian 10/31/01 citing K. Gannon (AP) BBC News 11/6/01 AFP report sg.news 11/1/01 jang.news 11/2/01
Kandahar area	Kandahar	-	0	0	heavy bombing renewed		PNS 10/29/01
Gor Way Tangi near Pak. border	Paktia	2	2	2	bombing	area of cave camps in Gor Way Tangi	Telegraph 10/30/01 Reuters 10/29/01 - Salahuddin
hit Taliban lines near Tajikistan border, on Kokcha River at Dasht-e-Qala	Takhar		0	0	U.S. planes dropped 10 bombs	first time US warplanes hit this area, in support of NA troops. Aimed at a Taliban garrison on the Kokcha River, near Dasht-e Qala.	CNN.com 10/29/01 at 6:22 PM EST - S. Bindra Dawn 11/5/01

Zard Kamar village, 100 kms. due west of Pol-i-Khomri	Samangan		0	0	heavy B-52 bombing	hit and annihilated Taliban positions in Zard Kamar. Special Forces spoters directed the bombing for the B-52s which dropped sticks of 2'000 lb bombs	USA Today 1/6/02 - K. Spitzer; Telegraph 1/8/02 - D. Fenton
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Oct-30

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Raqi village, no. of Kabul	Kabul	2+	2	2	bombs	home bombed	SMH 10/30/01
Qalai Nasro and Shakar Dara, 25 kms no. of Kabul	Parwan	12	12	12	bombs	2 villages	Herald Sun 10/30/01
Qalai Uzebashi village	Parwan		0	0	bombed	hit Taliban headquarters there, including Arabs, Chechans, Pakistanis	abclocal 10/31/01 T of I 10/31/01
refugee camp in Sholgara and Kishindi district, 20 kms w. of Mazar	Balkh	8	8	8	bombs	one-hour long midnight attack of Mahajerqhilak refugee camp, 14-15 bombs on camp and 9 injured (including 1 yr old Sakina)	nation.online 10/30/01 Bari and Nessam article for AP 12/27/01 Star Tribune 12/31/01 AP 12/28/01 - Nessman

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Oct-31

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Red Crescent dispensary in Dand district of w. Kandahar, the Wazir clinic	Kandahar	11-13-25	11	25	2000 lb bomb dropped by F-18	4:30am pre-dawn attack on Red Crescent clinic, flattens clinic and two civilian residences destroyed. 25 badly hurt vehicles crushed by masonry bombs fell 600-1000 ft. off-target, 6 wounded (including 5 doctors). 13 killed including 5 women and children.	FP 11/1/01 AP 10/31/01- Gannon AP photo exists. Dawn 11/01/01 Indep. 10/31/01 Times 11/01/01 The Hindu 11/01/01 The Tribune(India) 10/31/01 OTN 11/01/01 jang.news 11/1/01- B. Khan WP 10/31/01 - B. Hatoum of AP Pravda.RU 11/2/01 New York Times 11/1/01- Bearak, AP Reuters 10/31/01 at 8:52 EST - Tahir Khan
Kajakai dam, 90 kms n.w. of Kandahar	Helmand	5-6	5	6	bombed	7 U.S. raids on power station of the hydro electric dam; bombs hit nearby cars, killing 5-6, burning Hizbullah. The dam itself was not hit, but power transmission was cut. Diplomatic sources in Pakistan said the US raids also struck a military post which had been used by Arab militants of Al Qaeda.	FP 11/02/01 AFP 11/3/01 - S. Khan jang.news 11/1/01 - B. Khan The Star 11/7/01 - RL Parry Independent 11/8/01 - RL Parry

Areas in 4 provinces	Paktika, Nangarhar, Kandahar, Balkh	[21]	0	0	bombed	Zaeef reports	OTN 11/01/01 CNN.com 11/1/01 at 4:33 PM EST
Baloch Kaley and Barina villages, 40 kms. west of Jalalabad	Nangarhar	12+	12	12	bombs	9:30 am GMT. Whole village razed; 21 injured; Flatters 40 of 50 houses	OTN 11/1/01 Arabnews.com 11/1/01 jang.news 11/1/01 - B. Khan www.therevival.co.uk 11/1/01 - M. Sadik
power station at Lashkargah	Helmand		0	0	bombs	hit hydro electric station which supplies power to Lashkargah	NYT 11/1/01
Kandahar	Kandahar		0	0	bombs	5 am. attack injuries 8 from one family	T of I 10/31/01

Zardkamar village, 10 kms from Tajik-Afgh. border, north of Kunduz	Kunduz		0	0	bombed	heavy bombing of Taliban position	AP 11/1/01 - Gannon Russian border guards press service
wealthy owner's house	Kandahar		0	0	hit by bomb	injures caretaker and his two daughters	Tribune 11/1/01 with Reuters photo
mobile medical team office in Shahr-i-Nau district	Kandahar	["over a dozen"]	0	0	bombs	2 bangalows hit	R. Yusifzai report 2002
Khair Khana district	Kabul		0	0	bombed heavily		jang.news 11/2/01
new and old roads leading out of Kabul	Kabul		0	0	bombed		jang.news 11/2/01 citing Muttaqi
villages of Qari Muheb and Qalai Nasro	Parwan		0	0	4+2= 6 bombs	4 bombs hit Taliban village of Qari Muheb; 2 hit Qalai Nasro and columns of black, gray smoke rise	abclocal 10/31/01 T of I 10/31/01

Lewa Sarhadi, where Bin Laden established the Tarnak Farm camp, in the Sapora region	Kandahar		0	0	3 large bombs	early Wed., US planes hit old Al Qaeda camp, Tarnak Farms, 90 kms so. of Kandahar, and 5 kms. east of US base. AL Qaeda abandoned the camp in November. Tarnak Farm was a compound of about 100 acres on a desert stretch about 3 miles from Kandahar airport. Tatnak's main compound was encircled by a mud brick wall about 10 feet high. Inside were ca. 80 modest one- and two-story structures. Al Qaeda fighters and families lived there. Between 1996-99, Bin Laden built up the base and lived there intermittently. A CIA raid was planned to penetrate Tarnak, kidnap bin Laden in 1998, fly him out by US Special Forces.	AP 10/31/01 - Gutkind LAT 12/20/01 - Arkin WP 2/22/04:AO1 - S. Coll
Veni Hihar village, 8 kms from center of Kabul	Kabul		0	0	US bomb	hits and destroys a water reservoir center there, according to Bakhtar's Mr. Omari	The Tribune/Press Trust of India 10/30/01
Kabul	Kabul	3	3	3	US bomb	bomb falls after midnight and kills 3 according to A.I.P.	The Tribune/Press Trust of India 10/30/01; Agence France-Presse 10/30/01 at 5:24 PM Manila Time

Sharana town, capital of Paktika	Paktika		0	0	US bombs	hit Taliban tanks in Sharana, injuring 1 Taliban soldier	The Tribune/Press Trust of India 10/30/01; Agence France-Presse 10/30/01 at 5:24 Manila Time
Khoajagardab village, 5 kms from Tajik border. Taliban frontlines at Ai-Khanum	Takhar		0	0	12 bombs dropped by 6 jets bomb	US planes bomb Talib. frontlines at Ai-Khanum, site of a 2'300 year old fortress built by Alexander the Great	T of I 10/31/01 The Tribune/Press Trust of India 10/30/01
bombed Bagh-i-Pul area in nw. Kandahar	Kandahar	2-4	2	4	bombed	US planes bombed Taliban armory in Bagh-i-Pul district [already hit on Oct. 18th] in heavy overnight [29/30] bombing. The A.I.P. says 4 civilians killed when bombs destroyed houses too.	Dawn 10/31/01 Telegraph 10/30/01 The Tribune/Press Trust of India 10/30/01

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Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Ghra village near Kandahar	Kandahar		0	0	bombs	village destroyed in a US bombing raid	AP photos and text 7/21/02 at 12:35 PM ET

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Oct no date available

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Kabul road	Kabul	4	4	4	bomb	hit bus	
Phatak, no. of Kabul	Kabul	1	1	1	bomb	hit madrassa, killing 17 yr. Old student, detroyed small pickup truck	
Magroian mosque near Kabul	Kabul		0	0	bomb	hit small mosque, leaving crater 16 ft. deep	
on Herat to Kandahar highway	Helmand	28	28	28	bombs	Hamal, refugee in Chaman, recounts seeing dead civilians near burnt-out trucks in two locations-13 at one, 15 at other. Hamal fled his village, Badgiz, outside Herat	Dawn 10/26/01 The Age 10/25/01 AFP 10/25/01

Vilayat village near Kandahar	Kandahar	1	1	1	bombed in late Oct.	5 injured brought to Chaman's military hospital. Names given. Father, Baz Muhammad, 65, died in ambulance on way to Chaman	jang.news 10/27/01 citing Edhi Foundation. Reported in www.shuhada.org/news/october01/27.htm
ammuntion dump in dusty village north of Kabul	Kabul	1	1	1	bomb	US hits dump and kills a young boy in the explosion	csm 10/30/01 - Smucker Guardian 11/1/01
home in Kabul	Kabul		0	0		2:45 AM bomb destroys haouse, 3 injured	shia-network 10/14/01 - Tayseer Allouni
Balooch (Baluch) village, 45 kms. we. of Darra-e-Sof	Balkh	45	45	45	heavy bombing	village flatenned us a part of NA-US campagn	WP 3/26/02 - Gettelman Dawn 10/24/01 citing AFP
Zaranj suburb	Nimruz		0	0	bombs	US hit Taliban radar unit. NA over-ran Zaranj on Nov. 12th	Photo at: www.canoe.ca/CNEWSAttack0112/photo.35.html
Sahiban Okilli village in city	Kandahar	12	12	12	bombed	compound in village hit, destroyed home were 4 families lived. Killed 12 including 5 children according to Hajji Wali Jan, relative	NYT 11/1/01 - Bearak, AP

bakery and houses	Kabul	2	2	2	a bomb	destroyed 3 houses, collapsed Zmari's bakery, killed 2 children, 10 wounded	AP 4/27/02 - N-Price
Karghi village	Laghman	4	4	4	bombs	Kills Ramazan, 42, a barber's 4 children (ages 1,4,6,7). Estimated for October.	Star Tribune 3/14/02, at www.startribune.com/images/24/index1.html
no. of Herat	Badghis	1	1	1	bombing	Bibi Kwer lost her husband and house to a US bombing. Heavy fighting in Qadis district of Badghis around Oct. 12th.	HT 10/13/01 Mannonite News Service 4/5/02 - Rick Fast
military positions in and around the city	Herat		0	0	heavy US bombing, esp cluster-bombing	hit military compounds around Herat, Taliban's 17th mechanized infantry brigade and 40th armed brigade, Arab bases in city. US bombs killed 3 Iranian Revolutionary Guard officers when hit Taliban's 17th brigade	HT 10/28/01 citing Reuters's Parisa Hafezi Insightmag.com 11/1/02 - M. Arostegui

Barikab bridge to no. of Kabul	Kabul		0	0	bombed	destroyed bridge over Barikab river, a few kms. south of Bagram base. Village of Barikab hit by bombs on 11/5/01	jang.news 11/2/01
sewerage project hit	Kabul		0	0	bomb	circa Oct. 19 US bombs falls on sewerage project in Kabul of the NGO, Action opn Hunger	T of I 10/25/01
house near Kabul airport	Kabul	2	2	2	bomb	at midnight bomb hits home, intended target (airport) 100s of yards away. Two killed and 25 injured, bomb left 8ft deep crater where Mirza Mohammed's mud brick house had stood. Five brithers and their families lived in separate rooms of dwelling built by their father	Philadelphia Inquirer 11/21/01 - A. Maykuth

tomb of Khwaja Abdullah Ansari, near Herat	Herat		0	0	US food pallet drops	hit tomb of a famous poet and Islamic schola, smashing the roof and canopy on one side. Another pallet crashed on to royal graves nearby breaking tombstones carved with alaboreate Persian inscription. US boxes broke open upon impact, dispersing bright yellow food packets made in Georgia	The Age 12/21/01
homes	Kabul	3	3	3	bombs	killed 3 staffers of Help Afghan Children Inc. Clinic in Kabul - chief pediatrician, internist and registered nurse	AFSC News Release 10/31/01
bombed streets in Jalalabad	Nangarhar	4	4	4	bombs	killed 4 of Help Afghan Children Inc. students	AFSC News Release 10/31/01
Kandahar	Kandahar		0	0	U.S. bombs	US planes hit the Zabar bridge south of Kandahar city and the main prison in Kandahar, based upon information relayed by sat-phone carrying spies	LAT 2/24/03 - E. Slater

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Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
near Kandahar	Kandahar	5	5	5	bomb		Fox News 11/05/01
a farm	so. Afgh.	8	8	8	helicopter gunship	kills family of 8	LAT 11/5/01
Jalalabad area	Nangarhar	"countless civilians"	0	0	cluster bombs		Pak Obs. 11/12/01
Dali Ban village, near Kabul	Kabul	[69]	0	0	bombs	Shahab-Uddin's wife and 8 children and 60 others killed	PNS 11/13/01 ?
Spin Boldak border town	Kandahar		0	0	daily bombings		W P 11/18/01:AI

Sakhsalmun village near Herat	Herat	4	4	4	cluster bombs	village hit when bombs missed Taliban camp. Later, cluster bomb killed boy	smh 12/17/01
Choleh Madad road	Kandahar	10	10	10	bombs	2 AM attacks hits home and kills 10 family members	IRNA 11/7/01
fuel tanker trucks, Herat to Qalat	Helmand, Kandahar, Zabol	20 est	20	20	bombed and strafed by AC-130	UN study cities 210 cars hit 160 fuel tanker in two days in Nov.	BG 2/19/02 - Donnelly
village near Kandahar	Kandahar	8+15=23	23	23	cruise missile and bomb	reported by Abdullah in Makaki refugee camp: 8 of 9 people die in collapsed house and another 15 on a bridge hit by a bomb	Christian Aid UK 11/8/01
World Food Program bakery	Kabul	1	1	1	a bomb	Hit bakery, killed a young women, destroyed house, left 20 foot crater where bakery had been	Denver Post 12/1/01
petrol station in Baraki neighborhood	Kabul	1	1	1	helicopter gunship	3rd week of Nov. Anwar reports 2:00 PM attack on gas station, exploding, pulverising a man	HRW report 2002, ftn. 39.

Shengay (Shinkay) district	Zabol		0	0	intensive bombing	report by Oxfam partners	Relief Web/ Oxfam 11/30/01
bazaar in Qalat	Zabol		0	0	bombing	intense American bombing decimated bazaar and 18th century fortres	CSM 12/31/01 - E. Rubin
Qargha district in w. Kabul	Kabul	4	4	4	bombs, helicopter rockets	early Nov. attacks. Homes bombed, shrapnel, projecties from exploding ammunition dump. Target was a hill-top Taliban anti-aircraft position. Killed Ghlam Hazat's 4 children in Qargha area	WP 12/2/01 - P. Baker WP 2/9/02 - P. Baker
mud brick compound in Kabul	Kabul	2	2	2	US bomb	errant bomb kills the newly wed uncle and wife (Said and Sawila Akbar) of Saib Bilal, 10. Bilal picked up pices of bodies	Guardian 10/7/02 - R. McCarthy

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Nov-1

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Gor Way Tangi area in sw. corner of Paktia	Paktia	2	2	2	5000 lb bombs	5 heavy explosions in border area; probably aimed at collapsing tunnels	Kashmir Times 11/2/01
Keshنده	Balkh	6	6	6	bombs	in one house	Middle East News online 11/05/01
Taliban garrison in no. Takhar	Takhar		0	0	bombs	hit mount Kala Kata on road to Taloqan, in rugged mountains	Guardian 11/1/01 AP 11/2/01 - Gannon photo exists
Dasht-e Qal'eh (or Qala or Qaleh) town, north of Taloqan, near Tajik border	Takhar		0	0	B-52 carpet bombs Taliban front lines in Dasht-e Qal'eh and Khoja-e-Ghar	pre-dawn strike on mud-walled town, once of 50,000; bombed front line and riges of the Chaghatai hills	Telegraph 11/2/01 - D. Rennie Daily Mail 11/2/01 - D. Willians New Yorker 10/22/01 - J. L. Anderson
Rozgan district of Kandahar city	Kandahar	" many died"	0	0	bombs	US planes drop bomb on children in playground injuring Mohd Family's children and others, possibly killing some	Arabia.com 11/4/01 jang.news 11/17/01

villages of Qalai Nasro (Nasru) and Qalai Gulai, 45 kms. no. of Kabul and west of Bagram air base	Parwan		0	0	B-52 bombing	early Th. AM bombing of these two Taliban control villages, 2 kms. apart	Irish Times 11/1/01 citing AP and Reuters
Khair Khana district	Kabul		0	0	3 bombs	attack before midnight, Khair Khana area has air defense and weapons storage sites	AP 11/2/01 - Gannon
Qarabagh market town, 40 kms. north of Kabul on the Old Road	Parwan		0	0	B-52s and B-1s	bomb area north of Kabul between 3:30GMT - 23:00 GMT.	BBC Monitoring Iranian radio from Mashad 11/2/01 at 13:30 GMT

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Nov-2

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Esferghich village in west Shomali plain, 50 kms. no. of Kabul	Parwan	40	40	40	two Navy jets drop 16 bombs in a 3 hr. high altitude raid	hit "some houses", kills 40 civilians and 25 Taliban or Al Qaeda	news.yahoo.com 11/3/01 smh 11/5/01 LAT 6/2/02 - Zucchini AP Marco de Lauro photo of Esferghich, 11/3/01
Qara Muheb village near Jabal Saraj	Parwan	none	0	0	B-52's huge bomb blast	a huge bombed obliterated abandoned village, hit heavily day before by B-52 bombings	AP 11/2/01-Gutkin Guardian 11/2/01

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Nov-3

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
southern Afghanistan	Afghanistan		0	0	four Harrier jets	first use of the US Marine Harrier jets, flying from the amphibious assault ship, USS Peleliu. Four jets loaded with 500 lb. bombs flew to so. Afghanistan, returning with all bombs having been dropped. A returning pilot said, "the targets were great."	AP 11/3/01 at 08:06 AM ET

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Nov-4

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
area n.e.of Herat	Herat	1	1	1	bomb	25 of 45 houses destroyed, according to Dan Kelly of UN' MAPA	Dawn 11/5/01
Aryub Jaji area, near Pakistan border	Paktia		0	0	intense bombing	US planes hitting 3 ammun. Dumps in caves-Spina Shaga, Gora Tanday and Gaey. Villages of Gora Tanday (400 feet from Teri Mengal) and of Gacy were hit. Serious injuries two elderly. Area once had bases of Rasool Sayyaf and Hekmatyar	Dawn 11/5/01
near Mazar-i-Sharif	Balkh		0	0	dropped 2 BLU-82 daisy cutter bombs	huge explosions as bombs dropped on Taliban front-line positions	Mercury 11/7/01 AWST 11/12/01: 42 Flanders, L. no date T of I 11/6/01
house in small village in Helmand province	Helmand		0	0	bomb	U.S. plane drops bomb at 8:00 PM caused wall collapse and fire, injures Permia, 20 yrs. old	HRW report, dated Feb. 2002

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Nov-5

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Keshendeh village, 70 kms so. of Mazar	Balkh	6-11 (5+6=11)	6	11	missile	hits houses, kills all, who were Shia Hazaras. Kills family of 6. NA captures 3 villagers near Mazar - Zari, Keshendeh, Aq Kupruk - 70 kms so. of Mazar, Taliban losses at 200 killed	Xinhua News Agency 11/5/01 citing AIP T of India 11/5/01 AFP 11/05/01 Dawn 11/6/01 citing AIP Dawn 11/5/01 Nation Online 11/6/01 Pak Obs 11/6/01
Old Road of Kabul	Kabul	2-3 and "several Taliban fighters killed"; [8]	2	3	a missile from helicopter gunship	helicopter gunships attacked Rishkhor base (closed in May 2000, 5 kms. sw. of Kabul center); pre-dawn attack on hotel said resident, hotel allegedly used as Taliban base - destroyed Baghi Bala hotel in n.w. Kabul. 15 injured. Targeted Taliban vehicle	T of India 11/5/01 Xinhua News 11/5/01 BBC News 11/5/01 HT 11/5/01 Daily Telegraph 11/7/01 - Smucker Cox News 11/6/01 - Shepard RTE News 11/5/01 at 10:21 PM Dawn 11/6/01
hit neighborhood	Herat	2-4; "at least 2"	2	4	bombing	attacked Taliban 11th batallion base, near airport, killed at least 2 civilians	T of India 11/5/01; Pat Obs 11/6/01 AFP 11/5/01 Dawn 11/6/01 citing AIP

Mazar-i-Sharif residential area	Balkh	[10-15]	0	0	bombing	15 injured in village so. of Mazar. Balkh's Kisham district	T of I 11/05/01 jang.news 11/6/01 Pak Obs 11/6/01 Guardian 11/5/01
Aq-kupruk village, 70 kms. so. of Mazar (also spelled Aq Kupruk)	Balkh	10-18	10	18	bombing	heavy bombing as Northern Alliance seized Aq-kupruk 11/6. Bombed 10 killed and 15 injured says Taliban	T of I 11/05/01 AFP 11/05/01 Nation Online 11/6/01 CNN.com 11/5/01 Guardian 11/5/01
airport area	Kabul	3	3	3	helicopter gun ships	and injuring 6	Pak Obs 11/6/01 Dawn 11/6/01 Nation Online 11/6/01 Guardian 11/5/01
no. highway	Kabul		0	0	missiles	hit fleeing cars	Pak Obs 11/6/01
Daman district, s.e. of Kandahar	Kandahar	2-[5-15]	2	2	bombs	4 - [22] injured. 5 dead and 7 wounded in a raid near Kandahar	AFP 11/05/01 Middle East News online 11/05/01 Pravda.Ru 11/5/01 Nation Online 11/6/01 Guardian 11/5/01 T of I 11/5/01 Dawn 11/5/01
Kunduz	Kunduz	3	3	3	bombs	3 civilians killed while attending a funeral	Balochistan Post 11/5/01 jang.news 11/6/01

Afgh-Pak. Border area near Alizai, Kurram Tribal Agency	Paktia		0	0	heavy bombing	residence of Alizai reported heavy explosions	jang.news 11/6/01
villages of Khan Agha and Barikab	Kabul		0	0	at least 6 bombs	fell upon two Taliban held villages	AP 11/6/01 - Gutkind
Esferghich village	Parwan		0	0	B-52s drop 20 bombs	huge clouds of black smoke raise after raid	
a village	Balkh		0	0	U.S. bombs	struck mourners at a village in Balkh, according to the A.I.P.	Kyodo News Service 11/5/01

DayNov-6

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
provinces hit	Kandahar Samangan Herat Balkh Takkar Kabul	"dozens killed"	0	0	bombs		Pak Obs 11/7/01
Paktia center	Paktia		0	0	bombs		Pak Obs 11/7/01
Afsaran village on road, Kabul to Bagram, 50 kms. no. of Kabul	Parwan	5	5	5	bombed	12 injured and 9 houses destroyed	HT 11/7/01 Dawn 11/8/01
in province	Herat	1-5-7	1	7	bombs	after dropping food US planes bombing, injuring another 12, according to Bakhtar. UN reports one person killed and three injured by cluster bombs	Dawn 11/8/01citing Bakhtar AFP 11/7/01 at 20:15 IST Kyodo News 11/7/01
Zari Bazar, Baluch and Wayemar villages in northern Balkh	Balkh	5	5	5	bombs	fierce battle and non-stop US bombing, N.A. captures these 3 villages on Tuesday. NA seized zari keshendeh- Aq-kupruk	Reuters 11/6/01 8:27 AM EST PBS.org 11/6/01 HT 11/7/01
village 15 kms west of Jalalabad	Nangarhar	-	0	0	cluster bombs	dropping of cluster bombs injures 8 people	Kyodo News 11/7/01

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7-Nov

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Lejah area of Kharan district of Balochistan	Pakistan		0	0	bombs	isolated montain area, 30-48 cluster bombs found, injures shepherd	Dawn 11/8/01 Balochistan Post 11/6/01 jang.news 11/8/01 T of I 11/14/01 AFP 11/8/01 HT 11/8/01
Karte Parvan neighborhood in nw. Kabul	Kabul	2-10	2	10	missile	missile tears thru roof, heavy nighttime bombing kills young married couple (Saydigbal and his wife Zarlachat) in their sleep	Pak Obs 11/8/01 BBC News 11/10/01 - R. Omaar msnbc.com citing AP 2/11/02 Detroit News 2/12/02 - citing L. King's AP article
Toremuz area, 40 kms from Jalalabad	Nangarhar		0	0	bombs		Pak Obs 11/8/01
-	Paktia, Herat, Kabul, Logar, Balkh	[35-40]	0	0	bombs	US bombing front-line positions, dropped bombs on villages killing 35 (B. khan) on Wednesday	Pak Obs 11/8/01 jang.news 11/8/01

Khan Agha village, 34 mi. no. of Kabul, and Barikab village	Parwan		0	0	B-52 bombs	walled Taliban held villages in plains obliterated	AP photo 11/7/01 by Marco de Lauro BBC 11/6/01 at 17:15 GMT
Azra and Baulai districts of Logar	Logar	2+	2	2	cluster and napalm bombs	Logar districts and pickup vehicles in Chawatan (Chawatra) district hit by bomb on Tuesday night	jang.news 11/8/01 Kyodo News 11/7/01
2 buses on Hajigak highway	Bamiyan	killed all passengers (10 est)	10	10	fight jet		Dawn 11/10/01

Day8-Nov

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
3 villages of Qazi, Sarghich, Khoshab, north of Kabul	Parwan	20	20	20	bombs	villages struck on 11/7 and 11/8 @ Himat	Dawn 11/8/01 citing Bakhtar
Surkh Rod, 7kms e. of Jalalabad	Nangarhar	6	6	6	cluster bombs	villages hit and 7 injured. The Surkh Rod district has 19 villages in it	Dawn 11/8/01 citing Bakhtar HT 11/7/01 Taipei Times 11/8/01 Kyodo News 11/7/01
4 civilian cars and buses fleeing Mazar-i-Sharif on Hajigak highway	Balkh	"kill all" est 8	8	8	bombs	bombs hit fleeing cars and two buses, killing all an the Hajigak highway	Pak Obs 11/10/01 Dawn 11/10/01 citing Bakhter News Agency
Karte Parwan area of w. Kabul	Kabul	2-3	2	3	bombs	probaly targeted a military compound of the "arabs"	Jang newsp. 11/9/01 BBC News 11/10/01 Le Monde 12/13/01 Tariq Saeed 11/09/01
Konar region	Konar	3	3	3	bombs	killed 3 and injured 6; flattened empty school; bombed border area near Pakistan, according to Bakhtar	Jang newsp. 11/9/01 AP 11/8/01 - Gutkind
Darayi-Nur town on border of Balkh and Samangan	Balkh	[85]	0	0	B52 bombing	kills 85 Pakistanis of Harakat-Jihal-e-Islam group	Pravda.RU 11/9/01 T of I 11/9/01

front lines, 30 kms. n. of Kabul	Parwan	[71]	0	0	heavy bombing	all day long bombing kills 71 civilians	Iranian State TV report from Kabul 11/8/01
n, e. and w. outskirts of city	Kandahar		0	0	bombs and AC-130 gunships	day and night attacks. TV photo shows huge dust cloud	Abu Dhabi TV photo on TribuneIndia 11/9/01 CNN.com 11/8/01 - Kamal Hyder
near Kunduz	Kunduz	[259]	0	0	B-52 heavy bombing	destroys command center, artillery, armored vehicles and kills 259 soldiers	LAT 1/21/02 - Hendren
Herat region	Herat	1	1	1	cluster bombs	UN reports one killed and three injured by bomblets	Kyodo News 11/7/01

<p>villages north of Kabul - Qarabagh, Estargeh [sp?], Rahesh, Qari Muheb and Qarabagh</p>	<p>Parwan</p>	<p>[12]</p>	<p>0</p>	<p>0</p>	<p>US planes bomb</p>	<p>US warplanes hit Taliban frontlines. In the afternoon of 11/8, a US bomber strikes the market town of Qarabagh and "enormous explosions followed." Earlier attacks had been made upon Estageh, Rahesh and Qari Muheb. The bombing involved heavy use of cluster bombs, leading later to future deaths and injuries [Reuters] around Qarabagh. The Deutsche Presse-Agentur reported 7 bombs falling on QWarabagh and Istalif, which killed 16 people [incl. 4 Taliban soldiers] according to a Taliban official in Kabul. The bombing also destroyed a mosque in Qarabagh [NYT]. Two bombs hit Rahesh, four upon Qari Muheb. Early Fri. morning attacks.</p>	<p>AP/Press Trust of India 11/8/01;DPA 11/9/01; Reuters 12/4/01; NYT 2/4/03 - Wakin; Nation.online.com 11/10/01 Deutsche Presse Agentur 11/9/01 AP photo of Rahesh Daily Excelsior 11/9/01 Reuters photo of Rahesh at Tribune India 11/10/01 AP photo by Marco de Lauro 11/9/01</p>
<p>Herat City</p>	<p>Herat</p>		<p>0</p>	<p>0</p>	<p>US airstrikes</p>	<p>A.I.P. reports 27 air strikes in the Herat region upon the airport, army division headquarters and some residential areas. The attacks upon the airport probably destroyed Ariana Airlines' fleet of four Boeing 727's which had been put into hangars there by the Taliban recently. An Afghan civil air official said mid-Nov., "The [Herat] airport is now flattened."</p>	<p>Kyodo News 11/9/01; LAT 11/8/01 - S. Braun & J. Pasternak</p>

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9-Nov

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Qila-i -Nusro and Talaf villages, 25 mi. no. of Kabul	Kabul	[3]-6-15	6	15	bombs	village hit 15 killed; 7 injured in Talaf	Pak Obs 11/10/01 FP 11/13/01 IRNA 11/12/01
Istalif village	Kabul	4-7	4	7	bombs	village hit	Pak Obs 11/10/01 PNS 11/01/01
Kabul city	Kabul		0	0	bombing	heavy night bombing on 11/9	
Kabul suburbs	Kabul		0	0	missiles		PNS 11/10/01
Mir Wais hospital and surrounding area	Kandahar	12-15	12	15	bombs	bombs hit hospital in Kandahar. Injures 25, report of survivor, Khan Aqa	PNS 11/10/01 FP 11/10/01 Reuters 11/9/01 - Chisholm T of I 11/9/01
route on Haji Gak pass, n.w. of Kabul	Kabul	"several people", "more than 2 dozen"	0	0	bombs	people killed traveling thru the pass in a 3 car convoy	FP 11/10/01 PNS 11/10/01 Reuters 11/9/01 - Chisholm

no. of Kabul	Kabul	9-10	9	10	bombs	according to Bakhtar	Tariq Saeed 11/09/01 T of I 11/9/01
Qarabagh town	Parwan		0	0	B-52s	again hit Qarabagh and 3 other Taliban-controlled villages. Huge plumes billowed above Qarabagh	Irish Examiner 11/9/01

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10-Nov

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
2 villages in Khakriz area, include. Khakriz and Asmanzai, 70 kms n.w. of Kandahar	Kandahar	[133-300], 125est; 70 only in Khakriz/Shah Aga	125	125	bombs	hits close to shrine where villagers hoping to give birth to a son gather. 9-19 injured and Dawn reports 12 died. Th. night and Fri. morning bombing; villages flattened - Khakriz and Asmanzai. 70 one storey mud brick houses in Khakriz destroyed. Villagers say 122 killed in one night alone. destroyed Shah Aga Sufi shrine. Asmanzai bombed for 5 nights. In June US Special Forces discovered a cave complex near Khakrez village outside Kandahar and destroyed ammunition	AP 11/11/01 - Gannon Pak Obs 11/12/01 Dawn 11/11/01 and 6/22/02 Herald Sun 11/11/01 AFP report FP 11/13/01 Al Jazeera 11/11/01 Jewish Peace News 11/11/01 IRNA 11/12/01 Abunimah 11/11/01 Al Jazeera photos exist Indep. 11/9/01 PNS 11/10/01 Pak Obs 11/10/01 Dawn 11/9/01 and 11/10/01 WP 2/20/02: A01-Glasser
bus fleeing on Old Road, no. of Kabul	Kabul	18-35	18	35	bombs	bus bombed - Photo available	FP 11/13/01 Al Jazeera 11/11/01 IRNA 11/12/01 Abunimah 11/11/01

Bibi Hisar village, 10 kms. so. of Kabul	Kabul	1	1	1	2 large bombs	8 AM raid on water reservoir near the village; a 23 yr. old man, Freidun, killed in his nearby field. 4 more night-time bombing attacks on area over next month	Christian Peacemaker Team (CPT) visit report dated 1/17/02
two WFP trucks near Shashpul, 20 kms. from Bamyan	Bamyan	none	0	0	bombed	22 UN WFP trucks carrying 330 tonnes of food aid; two trucks out of 22 destroyed, others damaged and 80% of the food was rendered unusable	WFP, Humanitarian Update No. 24 NYT 4/11/02
military installations n. of Kabul, in Khair Khana	Kabul	1	1	1	planes attacked	killed 1 civilian and injured 3, according to AIP	Kyodo News 11/11/01 Deccan Herald 11/11/01 citing AIP

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11-Nov

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Kabul	Kabul		0	0	10 bombs	pre-dawn strike on targets in Kabul itself	AFP 11/11/01 at 18:51 IST
Kabul center	Kabul		0	0	bombs	10 huge explosions	FP 11/12/01
Meymaneh, capital city	Faryab		0	0		heavy US bombardments of the city	FP 11/13/01
marble tile factory on eastern edge of Kabul	Kabul	2 civilian security guards	2	2	bomb	bomb aimed at nearby Taliban military compound, completely destroyed factory; 2 missing feared dead.	BBC News 11/11/01 citing Bakhtar news agency AP 11/11/01 - Gannon AFP 11/11/01 at 18:51 IST nation-online 11/12/01
Kandahar	Kandahar	3	3	3	bomb	Sunday night bombing, also injured 8	OTN 11/12/01 citing AIP

Taloqan city [65 kms. east of Kunduz] and areas to the west	Takhar	[many]	0	0	heavily bombed, incl. cluster bombs	<p>the capital of Takhar province. The Taliban under commander Dadullah captured the city on 9/5/00 and held it until 11/11/01. The Kala Kata garrison is 40 kms. no. of Taloqan. On 11/11, the Taliban under heavy U.S.bombing withdrew westward towards Kunduz. U.S planes cluster bombed the retreating troops, littering villages [like Deh Wairan, Menhchuqur] with deadly bomblets. 84 persons have subsequently died from the bomblets just around Deh Wairan [C. Gall].</p>	<p>Telegraph 11/12/01 - A. Rashid NYT 10/9/02 - C. Gall BG 10/6/02 - D. Filipov Dawn 9/7/00 Time 11/11/01 - T. McCarthy</p>
Sultan Razia girls' highschool	Mazar,Balkh	[570]	0	0	US Navy jets bomb	<p>a group of foreign Taliban - Pakistanis and Arabs - hid out, surrounded, in the Sultan Razia school in center of Mazar. They were abandoned by fleeing Afghan Taliban. The Northern Alliance attacked the school and US jets bombed it on Nov. 11th . For 2 days, General Mohaqeq's [a Hazara Shia] tanks and armor pounded the building, ultimately bulldozing it, leaving no survivors. The Red Cross collected 570 bodies. Another massacre by the Northern Alliance.</p>	<p>Guardian 11/13/01 - L. Harding; Guardian 11/16/01 - D. Ward; BBC News 3/25/02 - C. Davis</p>

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12-Nov

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Ghazni and Jalalabad	Nangarhar		0	0	bombs	heavy bombing	FP 11/12/01
Kandahar and Dush Qilla district of Kabul	Kandahar and Kabul	15	15	15	bombs		Pak Obs 11/13/01
Macroyan housing district	Kabul	6	6	6	four 500 lb. Bombs, only one hits target	four 500 lb dropped, aimed at garrison. One kills 6 yr. old girl, a second lands in a road, and a third hits 2 houses killing 15 yr. old girl	Guardian 12/1/01 - McCarthy
house of Kabul's Taliban policy chief in Wazir Akbar Khan district	Kabul		0	0	2 bombs	hit house of Mullah Mohammad Yunus, destroying it and damaging adjacent houses just before Taliban fled Kabul. On Monday a missile slammed into neighborhood setting of a large explosion	Telegraph 11/23/01 - M. Warren AP 11/12/01
Taliban's division no. 14	Ghazni	[5]	0	0	bombed	US aircraft for first time bombed Ghazni, targeting Taliban's 14th Infantry division, killing 5 @ AIP. Taliban abandoned Ghazni on November 14.	BBC Monitoring 11/13/01

Wazir Akbar Khan district	Kabul	1	1	1	bombs and helicopters rockets	7 pm attack near to Jalaluddin Haqqani's house. Destroyed guard house and neighboring civilian house. Killed Ayesha, 30	Guardian 12/1/01 - McCarthy
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13-Nov

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
2 houses in Kabul	Kabul		0	0	two 500 lb. bombs	3:00AM strike hits offices of Al Jazeera and house nearby (including BBC office). An Al Jazeera cameraman was captured and sent to Guantanamo. This US attack upon Al Jazeera's Kabul office was the beginning of a series of further such U.S. actions, including bombing [Basra], killing [Baghdad] and arrssting [Spain].	Indep. 11/13/01 - Malik BBC News 11/13/01 Guardian 10/4/03 - Dima Tareq Tahboub
house in Gardez	Paktia	2-3	2	3	bombed	US planes hit a house in which they believed Haqqani was staying, killing brother- in-law and servant	Pak Obs 11/15/01 FP 11/15/01 Herold Essay on Haqqani at cursor.org Kyodo News 11/16/01
Taliban base	Ghazni		0	0	Bombed	US planes hit base, killing five and wounding others. First time Ghazni was hit by US planes	AFP 11/13/01 at 11:57 IST
Shamshad town	Nangarhar		0	0	Bombed	US planes bombed base, 8 kms. From Torkham border post	AFP 11/13/01 at 11:57 IST

Jalalabad	Nangarhar		0	0	Bombed	heavy night-time (13-14) attacks upon military installations of Taliban's 81st Brigade located 4 kms south of Jalalabad, six attacks, bomb fell upon city in western Jalalabad	AFP 11/14/01 at 02:56 IST DPA 10/12/01 at 10:16 CET
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14-Nov

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Khost	Paktia	2	2	2	bombs	bombed military base	Pak Obs 11/15/01 FP 11/15/01
Baloch Kaley mud-brick village (also called Kakrak), area in Torghar mtns, 20 kms from Tora Bora	Nangarhar	1	1	1	B-52 bombs	6 afternoon and night bomb runs. US bombs cave area above Baloch Kaley village. Kills 18 mo. old boy, Imran, and injures his sister Bahema, 12. Destroyed mud-brick houses. 60 families flee the village. U.S. planes bombed caves on mountain next to village	Pak Obs 11/15/01 Denver Post 11/17/01 Irish Times 11/24/01
canal in western Jalalabad	Nangarhar	-	0	0	bomb	bombs falls in canal floods part of city, but repaired by government workers	Pak Obs 11/15/01 AFP 11/14/01 citing AIP smh 11/14/01 DPA 11/14/01 at 7:20 GMT
Jalalabad area and Khost	Nangarhar and Khost		0	0	"heavy bombing"	US planes hit W. and S. Jalalabad where airport, Taliban's 1st Army Corps and its 81st Brigade were located. Also bombed Zhawar camp s. of Khost, heavy bombardment visible from Miran Shah in Pakistan	PNS 11/14/01 FP 11/15/01 AFP 11/14/01 citing AIP smh 11/14/01 DPA 11/14/01 at 7:20 GMT HT 11/15/01 citing AFP

farmers in field	Helmand	2	2	2	bombs	Jamad Zai Hazara farmer, at working in fields with 2 young cousins, 8 and 10. Bombs kill children. No military target nearby.	HRW report 2002
military garrison in Jalalabad	Nangarhar	[15]	0	0	bombed	heavy US bombing; mosque destroyed in a Taliban-Al Qaeda garrison. Locals say 15 soldiers killed in mosque	Reuters photo of hit mosque by Aziz Haidari www.ummah.com/inewletter/massacres/afghanistan/index10.htm Arab News 11/14/01 - M. Sadik
a building south of Kabul	Kabul	[1+7=8]	0	0	3 F-15Es each dropped a GBU-15 bomb on hotel and a CIA RQ-1 Predator fires 2 Hellfire missiles at vehicles outside	missile fired at house in Kabul suburb where SUVs had gathered; airstrike killed senior Al Qaeda military chief, Mohammed Atef, 57, and close to 100 other members	Guardian 11/19/01 - Dawoud www.global-defence.com/surv-afghan.html NYT 11/23/01 Times 11/18/01 - S. Grey

Day

15-Nov

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Kandahar area	Kandahar	11-12+ [18]. "at least 11 killed"	11	12	bombs	killing 8 and injuring 22; hit foreign ministry bldg. and a mosque in e. part of city on Th/Fr night wounding 22 who were taken to hospital. heavy raids night and early morning raids; worst bombing yet of city; hit mosque in eastern part of city and foreign ministry; injured 25 and killed 11 @ AIP . Also hit locality of Merwais Mena to the West	Indep 11/15/01 AP 11/16/02 -Gannon citing AIP FP 11/17/01 PNS 11/16/01 AFP 11/15/01 at 13:55 IST Dawn 11/17/01 rediff.com 11/16/01 ABC.net.au 11/16/01 BBC News 11/16/01 AL. J. Photo exists of mosque bombing
Maiwand village of Haji Mohammad Khan Kacha, in district of Maiwand	Kandahar	6	6	6	cluster bombed	3 farm tractors convoy hit by airstrick, killing 6 and injuring 4 (including son of Haji Sattar). Area littered with BLU-97 bomblets	dailynews.yahoo.com 1/1/02 + numerous AP photos
border towns of Spina Shaga and Shahdal villages in Pakistan, Gor Way Tangi village in Afghanistan	Paktia and Pakistan	"many die" 6 est	6	6	bombs	heavy bombing of Heckmatyar's former area with arms caches. Destroyed bldgs. and homes	Pak Obs 11/17/01 Dawn 11/17/01
Khurram Agency tribal area	Pakistan		0	0	4 bombs	4 bombs land in Pakistan two of which exploded close to a border observation post	Dawn 11/16/01 Jang.news 11/6/01

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16-Nov

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Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Kandahar city	Kandahar	-	0	0	bomb	hit UN de-mining agency (DAFA). Loss of \$2 mn.	Dawn 11/17/01
oil tanker trucks near Tungi, 10 mi. from Pakistan	Kandahar	-	0	0	helicopters destroyed them	US special forces attack resting truckers at night	Times 11/24/01
Khost religious school - Jalaladin-and Light of Koran mosque	Paktia	34-[65]	34	34	GBU-12 500 lb bomb	bomb hits mosque and seminary, killing 34 students, at 10 am ET Friday. Us planes drop 3 GBU-12 500 lb bombs. 2 hit Al Qaeda facility, but third hits mosque, precisely day Ramadan begin. Madrassa hit in Matta Cheena district. Bomb aimed at Jalaluddin Haqqani who probably was wounded	T of I 11/19/01 Pak. Obs. 11/18/01 Jang newsp. 11/19/01 LAT 12/27/01 smh 1/26/02 - Nelson Reuters 11/16/01 cnn.com 11/16/01 PNS 11/18/01

Zani Khel village, 10 kms w. of Khost	Paktia	19	19	19	bomb	AIP says 28 people killed, incl. 19 members of one family. US bombs hit walled compound of 4 bldgs. of Abdul Ajub Gul, killing his mother, six brothers and sisters. Sirajuddin's family lost 12 members; 8 - 10 Haqqani guards killed	T of I 11/19/01 citing AFP PNS 11/19/01 Dawn 11/19/01 smh 1/24/02 LAT 2/26/02 FP 3/10/02 SABC 11/18/01 at 03:19 PM
World Food Program complex in Kandahar city	Kandahar		0	0	bomb	damaged WFP warehouse in city which had 1,600 tons of food, 10 trucks	WFP ReliefWeb 11/16/01
houses in village of Dorai (Durai) in hills, 8 kms w. of center Kandahar	Kandahar	[16]	0	0	bombed	3:30 AM attack on Ramadan night (16/17), hit Al Qaeda offices at edge of Dorai village of 200 or so houses. Bomb left 15 ft. crater, killed "Arabs" who had rented the two storey house in 1997	USA Today 12/20/01 - V. Walt The Age 12/22/01 Telegraph 12/21/01 - B. Dutter

house in Khost	Paktia	10est [15]	10	10	U.S. guided bomb	hit house where Egyptian Islamists were staying, killing 15 persons, including two Al Qaeda leaders: Tariq Anwar al-Sayyid Ahmad [alias Mohammad Salah] and Nasr Fahmi [alias Fathmi]. Killed their families [incl. women and children estimated at 10]. Fathmi was Al-Jihad's financial officer and Salah an official in charge of special operations. Both were members of the Egyption organization, al-Jihad, of Ayman al-Zawahri.	AFP 11/24/01 at 16:40 IST ; Time 12/10/01 - J. McGeary; Al-Ahram Weekly [11/29 - 12/5] on Arab Afghans.
Garikhil [Garikhel] village, south of Jalalabad at foothills of caves in Tora Bora mountains	Nangarhar	1 + ; ['many']	1	1	US bombs and missiles	hit village which is near caves to where Taliban and Al Qaeda fled after leaving Jalalabad on November 14th. Bomb killed 16 year old Wahid Ullah.	CSM 3/4/02 - P. Smucker ; Jihad Unspun [no date] - "How Bin Laden Got Away}
Kandahar city	Kandahar		0	0	US jets	bombed the Taliban foreign ministry [again] and a mosque	Independent 11/17/01 - J. Menge

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17-Nov

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Charykari, a town in the lowlands near Khanabad	Kunduz	30+	30	30	B-52s and cluster bombs	U.S. planes bombed Taliban positions on ridges above the lowlands for days, but many bombs missed, landing in rice fields and on village homes. Sat. night bombing killed off 2 entire families in same home (one on 16 and one on 14)	LAT 11/19/01 NYT 12/15/01: B4 - CJ Chivers
Maiwand, 70 kms w. of Kandahar	Kandahar	42 - 46	42	46	bombs	kill nomads @ AIP. Maiwand had an Al Qaeda camp	T of I 11/19/01, citing AFP Pakistani Newswire 11/18/01 SABC 11/18/01 at 03:19 PM
Khoga and Katway villages	Paktia	4	4	4	bomb		Pak. Obs 11/18/01
Kandahar	Kandahar	4-6	4	6	bombing	also injured 15 others during Fri/Sat. night bombing	Dawn 11/18/01 citing AIP The Star 11/18/01 Pakistani Newswire 11/18/01

Day

18-Nov

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
villages near Khanabad, 10 mi from Kunduz	Kunduz	100 -[150]	100	100	carpet bombing	doctor reports 100 civilians casualties. Carpet bombing areas since Thurs. Nov. 15th.	Indep 11/19/01-Huggler LAT 11/19/01 Balt Sun 11/20/01 Chic Trib 11/21/01
Khanabad	Kunduz	[14] (included above)	0	0	bombs	refugee, Abdullah sais whole family of 14 killed when bomb fell on houses. Strikes begin on Sat. Nov. 17th	Newsday 11/22/01 LAT 11/19/01 Dawn 11/22/01
Kunduz area	Kunduz	(800)	0	0	carpet bombing		Hindustan Times 11/19/01
village	Konar	"killing scores of gypsies" 10 est	10	10	bomb		Pak. Obs. 11/19/01
Khanabad village	Kunduz		0	0	heavy bombing		Pak. Obs 11/18/01
	Kandahar, Nangarhar, and Paktia	[140]	0	0	bombs	AIP reported 138 killed during Nov. 17/18	Pakistan Newswire 11/18/01 SABC 11/18/01 at 03:19 PM

battle for Tarin Kot	Uruzgan		0	0	heavy U.S. bombing directed by spotters, 2,000 lb JDAM bombs	A.M. battle between Taliban and U.S. Special Forces' 5th group [@ 11 members], who directed heavy U.S. bombing [using 2'000 lb JDAM bombs] upon vehicles, etc., near capital city of Tarin Kot. Killed ~ 300 Taliban and destroyed 35 vehicles.	WP 12/11/01 - P. Finn AP 3/28/02 at 2:44 AM - M. Kelley
road leading out of Gardez	Paktia	6	6	6	U.S. bombs	US warplanes attacked persons fleeing the bombing of Gardez on foot - killing 6 and wounding 8 [incl. 27 year-old Sabara whose right leg was mangled and had to be amputated].	AP 7/30/02 at 2:50 AM
the Panjwaee, Takteh Pol, Baba Sahib districts of Kandahar province	Kandahar	5	5	5	US bombing	US planes searched for and attacked moving vehicles. Hit 2 vehicles with missiles in the Panjwaee district, killing 12, later identified as Arab mujahideen. Last Thursday, November 15th , US planes hit a cave-like house in Baba Sahib, killing 32 men, women and children, identified as Arabs. US helicopters attacked 5 fuel oil tankers carrying oil from Iran, in the Tangi area of Takteh Pol, killing five.	Dawn 11/19/01

<p>Shamshad village [variously also called Gluco, Garikee Koh] near the Khyber Pass, 8 kms from the Pak. border</p>	<p>Nangarhar</p>	<p>11 - 31 [=30 + 1]</p>	<p>11</p>	<p>31</p>	<p>avy and repeated US cluster bombing</p>	<p>numerous bombing attacks upon this inhabited village on a barren mountainside. Hit at 2:30 AM and then later. Target was possibly an abandoned mujahideen base [@ Sayyaf]. 7 injured taken to Torkham hospital; where 1 died. Smucker mentions 4 killed on the 18th and another 7 on the 19th. Others mention 9 members of the new gov't being killed on the 19th and 3 being injured.</p>	<p>smh 11/19/01 Theage.com.au 11/19/01 Daily Telegraph 11/21/01 - Smucker Pak Obs 11/20/01, citing AIP and Pak Obs 11/19/01 OTN 11/20/01 T of I 11/19/01 citing AFP FP 11/19/01 Dawn 11/19/01, 11/20/01 AFP report The Star 11/18/01 Reuters 11/18/01 06:26 GMT</p>
<p>road south of Tarin Kot coming from Kandahar</p>	<p>Uruzgan</p>		<p>0</p>	<p>0</p>	<p>12 members of 5th US Special Forces Group spotter team and US aircraft (F-14s and F18s)</p>	<p>early AM ambush which decimated a convoy of 100 pickup trucks carrying 500 Taliban, Pakistani and Al Qaeda fighters who left Kandahar to retake Tarin Kot from Karzai who occupied it on November/16. The convoy was led by senior Taliban commander, Mullah Berader, a native of Tarin Kot. A year and some later, by early 2003, Berader was leading the Taliban opposition in Afghanistan.</p>	<p>WP 12/31/01 - K. Vick CSM 5/8/03 - S. Baldauf and Owais Tohid</p>

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19-Nov

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Gardez city	Paktia	6-12; 6+5=11	6	12	US jets bomb	kills refugee family of 6 and later another 5 when bomb landed on UN mine clearing bldg. 2nd bombing in Gardez in 24 hrs. Area devastated	BBC News 11/19/01 at 07:27 GMT - K. Clark PNS 11/19/01 Pak. Obs 11/20/01
Kunduz	Kunduz		0	0	carpet bombing	day and night	Pak Obs 11/20/01
Gudara village in Tora Bora area	Nangarhar		0	0	air raids	on Nov. 19,21, and 24, US air raids. Village elderly says injured 17, killed 60 animals and polluted village's only water supply	NewsDay.com 11/30/01 Irish Times 12/1/01
Choge Nawabad village	Kunduz	at least 12 civilians, "killing whole families"	12	12	B-52 bombs	destroyed whole Taliban controlled village. Crated waves of refugees. Village in no man's land hit. List of names given	Phillip Robertson report, dated 11/27/01
Basol village in towns in Laghman	Laghman and Jalalabad		0	0		many injured, names given	Dawn 11/21/01

Day

20-Nov

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Kandahar	Kandahar		0	0	bomb	day and night	Guardian 11/21/01
Kandahar	Kandahar	2	2	2	bomb		T of I 11/21/01, 11/22/01

Day

21-Nov

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Kandahar city	Kandahar	2	2	2		2 killed and 8 injured Tues. night @ AP. Heavy bombing Tuesday night	FP 11/22/01 Indep. 11/26/01 - Fisk PNS 11/22/01 citing AIP T of I 11/21/01 citing AFP
Herat	Herat	1	1	1	cluster bomb	bomblet explodes kills 15 old, Sayyid Ahmad Sanef. He picked up yellow cannister and it blew off his head. Herat area hit in 3 cluster bomb attacks	BBC News 11/22/01
Jalalabad and Ghazni areas	Nangarhar and Ghazni		0	0		75 US airstrikes in these areas	Chic Trib. 11/23/01
Kandahar, so.	Kandahar		0	0	dropped a 3rd daisy cutter	near Kandahar	msnbc news 11/21/01 FP 11/25/01
Khanabad area	Kunduz	kill dozens 12 est	12	12	B-52 bombing		Indep. 11/23/01
Herat	Herat	2	2	2	bomb	unexploded bomblet as 5 children run over a field to retrieve food packages; 3 injured and 2 die	Hindustan Times 11/29/01 Dawn 11/30/01

Day

22-Nov

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Khanabad	Kunduz	14-15	14	15	bombs		Pak. Obs. 11/24/01 Dawn 11/22/01
Jalalabad	Nangarhar		0	0	bombed	city bombed	Chic. Trib. 11/23/01
highways	Kandahar	2	2	2	helicopter gunship	destroy 2 fuel trucks on highway	FP 11/23/01
Kunduz	Kunduz	7	7	7	bomb	wounded 3	Pak. Obs. 11/23/01 Reuters 11/22/01 at 02:59
Kandahar suburbs	Kandahar	2-3	2	3	bomb	wounding 8	Pak. Obs. 11/23/01 Dawn 11/22/01
Paktia, Helmand, Neemoze provinces	various	" killing scores"	0	0	bombs		Pak. Obs. 11/23/01
Asman Zai district	Paktia		0	0	bombed	hit area which is a stronghold of Jalaluddin Haqqani	Reuters 11/22/01 at 02:59

Day23-Nov

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
5 WFP trucks	Kandahar		0	0	bombs	damaged by bombing	S. Bunker reported in Dawn 11/23/01
Kandahar	Kandahar		0	0	bomb	city	Indep. 11/26/01 - Fisk
Lashkargah and Kandahar	Helmand and Kandahar	17 - 24+	17	24	bomb		FP 11/23/01 Pak Obs. 11/24/01
Kunduz area	Kunduz	"dozens of civilians"	0	0	bombs		sg. news 11/23/01
Kunduz area	Kunduz	"dozens killed", 40, my est. 30	30	30	bombs	front-line mud villages	sg.news 11/23/01 T of I 11/24/01 PNS 11/24/01 FP 11/25/01 Middle East Times 11/23/01 citing AFP
Katway village	Khost	2	2	2	bomb	Friday morning bomb hits house, kills mother+child	PNS 11/24/01 citing AIP
hit house in Chagoti village, 20 kms south of Khost	Paktia	2	2	2	bomb	US targeted residence of local Taliban leader, Haji Naeem Kochi. Bomb hits adjacent house and killed a 8 yr. old child and a woman	Jang news 11/24/01 AIP, Peshawar, 11/23/01 at 11:49 GMT monitored by BBC Monitoring Central Asia unit

-	Paktia, Helmand, Kunduz, Kandahar		0	0	bombs		Pak. Obs. 11/24/01
Darunta village, 6 mi. from Jalalabad	Nangarhar	2	2	2	3 1000 lb bombs	Pre-dawn attack area attacked again, Darunta camp. 2 children (ages 3 and 8) - Aymal and Ajmad-die from blast	R. Ehrlich from Bangkok at zolatimes/V5.49/afghan_darunta.html AP 11/21/01
Khogai, Khost	Paktia		0	0	US bombing	US jets make a pre-dawn raid upon bunkers in Khogai near Pakistan border area, Shahidan Dand in lower Kurram Agency. Vacant now, the area had been the second major Arab nationals camp in Khost area [after the Zhawar camp]. Eyewitnesses said Arabs had left the camp before the US attacks.	Dawn 11/24/01

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24-Nov

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Upper Kurram agency, Jaji district area, Teri Mengal village	Paktia	8 - <u>13</u>	8	13	bombs	6:30 am raid bombs border area of Pakistan/Paktia. Injured 5 others. Also bombed, rocketed area around Teri Mengal, all according to Pakistani border guards. Targets were bunkers and tunnels near Jaji area. Bin Laden set up his first camp in Afghanistan in 1986 in the high mountains northeast of Gardez, to train Arabs for the jihad. The camp, Masadad Al-Ansar [or Al Masada] was located in Jaji, Paktia, near the Pakistan border.	Hindustan Times 11/24/01 Dawn 11/25/01 Pak Obs 11/25/01 Muslim News 11/25/01
Pakistan and Paktia	Paktia		0	0	B-52 drop cluster bombs		AP 11/25/01 Pak Obs 11/25/01

Day

25-Nov

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Kandahar city	Kandahar	"killing civilians"	0	0	AC-130s and jets		Jang newsp. 11/26/01
Kandahar city area	Kandahar	[92]	0	0	bombs	Seven were children and 18 women. 92 people were killed in fighting and by bombing	Dawn 11/26/01
Pul-e-Thakhta and Arghisan areas of Kandahar	Kandahar	25+	25	25	bombs	92 killed in bombing and shooting, incl. 18 women, 7 children	Dawn 11/26/01 - S. Shahid The Age 11/27/01
Takhta-Pol area	Kandahar		0	0	AC-130s	bombed city center+highways	Indep 11/26/01 - Fisk
Kunduz area	Kunduz	70	70	70	B-52 cluster bombing	weekend bombing, residents said 70 civilians died over weekend (24/25)	PNS 11/28/01 Hindustan Times 11/27/01
Adha village, some 25 kms. n.e. of Chaman	Kandahar	[6]	0	0	bombing	6 tribesmen of former Asmat militia (siding with Gul Agha) were killed in early AM bombing."Four of them were burried in Chaman and two bodies were sent to Jungle Pir Alizai."	Dawn 11/26/01

Day

26-Nov

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Spin Boldak and Takteh Paol	Kandahar		0	0	bombed		
Kandahar city	Kandahar		0	0	marine jets and AC-130s	all night and morning attacks, hit pick-up trucks, office buildings and the Islamic school	Hindustan Times 11/26/01
Gorko village, 8 kms. From border, near Shamshad	Nangarhar	3	3	3	unexploded bomb goes off	kills 3 children who were gathering scrap metal from prior bombing. Also injures 7 children (including 4 girls)	FP 11/27/01
village, 190 kms no. of Mazar on Uzbekistan border	Takhar	2	2	2	food aid pallet	a 1,200-1,800 lb food container hits house, kills mother and child	AFP 11/29/01 Reuters 11/29/01 PNS 11/29/01

Day

27-Nov

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Zar Karez village, east of Kandahar-Pak. highway	Kandahar	10 est	10	10	cluster bombs	bombs rain down on village	LAT 12/1/01
a hamlet near Kandahar, bombed a jeep	Kandahar	15	15	15	bombs	at 1 a.m. hit hamlet between airport and city. All 5 houses destroyed. Mohammed Khan's family killed	T of I 12/3/01 FP 12/3/01 Dawn 12/2/01 SABC 12/02/02 AFP 12/2/01 reprinted at Common.Dreams
Lashkargah, Shorawek, Baba Sahib, Dehellah	Helmand and Kandahar		0	0	bombs	heavy bombing	Dawn 11/28/01
vicinity of Kandahar	Kandahar		0	0	10 fighter jets	attacked a bldg. complex, aqueduct, and tunnels where Taliban were allegedly hiding	Age 3/12/02 HT 11/28/01 citing AFP
Dand area, 1 mile in western Kandahar on main road	Kandahar		0	0	bombed	US planes hit a house of a local Taliban leader. ICRC operated clinic in Dand area destroyed on 10/31, killing 10-15	USA Today 11/28/01 PeopleDaily 11/1/01 Guardian 11/28/01

Day

28-Nov

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
n. and e. of Kandahar	Kandahar		0	0	B-52 bombing		Jang newsp. 11/29/01
Takteh Pol and Spin Boldak	Kandahar	20 est	20	20	bomb	destroy 15 buses	Jang newsp. 11/29/01
Kazikarez village	Kandahar	6	6	6	hit by B-52 bomb	village destroyed. Hit home of Mahmut, kills his 5 children. wounds Mahmat's wife Rukia, 25, and kills family's 6 children: Nourali, Jaber [10], Janara [8], Salamo [6], Tawayr [4], and their only girl, Palwasha [2].	Indep 12/4/01-Fisk

Day

29-Nov

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Sanjiri, 14 kms. w. of Kandahar	Kandahar	2+10=12	12	12	bombing	hit village at night after a party for some local officials. First bombs killed 2 people asleep. Planes returned and killed Sadiq's family - his wife, daughter, son, daughter in law, nephew, 5 grandchildren (ages 2 months to 10 years)	Hindustan Times 11/30/01 WP 2/20/02: A01 - Glasser smh 2/23/02
village of Sanjiri [Sangaray], 25 kms. west of Kandahar	Kandahar		0	0	bombing raid	early night raid killed the one-legged Taliban ex-governor of Kandahar [1995 present], Mullah Mohammad Hassan Akhund Rehmani, a confidant of Omar and co-founder of the Taliban. He was meeting local Taliban commanders. The report is somewhat questionable. On Sunday, May 4, 2003, Mullah Mohammad Hassan spoke with Reuters by phone from an undisclosed location, about the continuing jihad against Karzai and the U.S.. Rehmani was a founding member of the Taliban, served as governor of Kandahar and as deputy chief of the Taliban's Council of Ministers.	Telegraph 12/3/01 - A. Spillius ; The Age [12/3/01] - J. Pomfret Reuters 5/4/03 - S. Ali Achakzai

Day

30-Nov

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Kandahar	Kandahar	"dozens of people" killed, 20 est.	20	20	bombs		Pak. Obs. 12/1/01
residences and a textile factory and ammunition depot in Kandahar suburbs	Kandahar	" more than two dozen villagers"	0	0	bombed	homes hit which were close to homes used by Taliban	Cox News 12/4/01 - Kaplow
Kandahar, Spin Boldak, Helmand, Lashkargah, Tora Bora	various		0	0	bomb		Pak. Obs. 12/1/01
fuel tanker trucks	Herat highway	4+	4	4	bombs	hit 2 tanker trucks on highway to Herat	Pak. Obs. 12/1/01
Tora Bora area	Nangarhar	0	0	0	bombing starts	US air assault begins on night of Nov. 30. Many villages hit, including Kama Ado. US forces meet with their favorite mercenary commander, Haji Zaman Ghamsharik, to plan the assault	Debkafile 4/17/02 at 9:38AM Telegraph 11/30/01- Smucker LAT 6/22/02 - Zucchini

Day

1-Dec

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
village, Kama Ado (or Madoo), 30 mi. so. of Jalalabad	Nangarhar	82 [55-85-115] "well over 100"	82	82	B-52 drop 25 bombs in 4 passes	heavily bombed early Sat. a.m.; 30 houses destroyed	T of I 12/2/01, 12/1/01 Indep 12/2/01 - Parry, Indep. 12/4/01- Parry Jang newsp. 12/2/01 AP 12/1/01 Newsday 12/2/01 LAT 12/2/01 Hindu 12/10/01 smh 12/30/01 - AFP report Chic Tribune 12/31/01 LAT 12/3/01 CSM 4/28/03 - S. Baldauf
Kandahar city, Spin Boldak	Kandahar		0	0	B-52	day and night bombing	Reuters 12/1/01
Chperagam [Chaprahar] village, 50 kms. so. of Jalalabad	Nangarhar	[28]	0	0	bombs	village hit, 20 injured according to Jalalabad city council leader. Village is 20 kms. from Tora Bora caves	BBC News 12/1/01 and 12/2/01
3 refugee vehicles in Arghisan	Kandahar	15	15	15	bomb	near Maji Hotel	Dawn 12/2/01
Jada area	Herat	[30+]	0	0	bombs		Dawn 12/2/01

vehicles between Kanhahar and Spin Boldak	Kandahar	30+	30	30	bombed	5 buses, 1 car, 4 tractors as road was bombed several times during the day; Kandahar resident said 14 persons killed when US planes hit 2 vehicles close to Kandahar	muthamil.com 12/1/01 citing AIP Reuters 12/1/01 SABC 12/02/02
3 villages in Pachir-Agam district, 25 mi. s.w. of Jalalabad: Balut, Akal Khan and Gudara	Nangarhar	" killing dozens of civilians" 70-200. 88 est	88	88	4 raids by B-52 bombers	3 villages hit, according to local Afghan officials and a few survivors. Balut, 45 die; Akal Khan: 5 die; Gudara: 20-38 die	NYT 12/3/01 Indep 12/2/01 cnn.com 12/1/01 Indep 12/3/01- RL Parry PNS 12/3/01 smh 12/3/01 NYT 12/02/01 - Weiner Newsday 12/3/01 - Taylor BG 12/5/01 LAT 12/3/01
attacked tractor on desert road, near village called Haji Mohammed Khan Kalacha, 20 kms s.w. of Kandahar	Kandahar	8	8	8	a black US plane fires missiles	attacking village all night; villagers fled in A.M. on tractor and trailer with 20 people in family of Noor Mohammed	WP 3/22/02 - Anderson

<p>Baba Sahib area around Kandahar city</p>	<p>Kandahar</p>	<p>[45]</p>	<p>0</p>	<p>0</p>	<p>US bombing</p>	<p>heavy non-stop bombing Nov. 30/Dec. 1st around Kandahar, including mountainous area of Baba Sahib. The Baba Sahib village and mountains about 8 kms from center of Kandahar, were never conquered by the Soviets. Omar built a residence there, protected by a small Taliban garrison. 15 Afghans killed in vehicles near Maji hotel in Arghisan, incl. women and children and another 30 people killed early Sat. morning in the Jada area [?]</p>	<p>Dawn 12/2/01 - S. Shahid</p>
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house on outskirts of Kandahar	Kandahar		0	0	US Bombs	pulverised bin Laden's home located close to that of Mullah Omar. Apparently ~60 Saudi families lived in the fortress-like dwelling, coming and going in about 30 Toyota Landcruisers. Foreigners trained at the Al Qaeda camp near the airport, called Lewa Saradi [Wolf's Frontier] and also called Tarnak Farms. This base near the airport was a main Al Qaeda base. Bin Laden's son's wedding to Mohamed Atef's daughter is said to have taken place in this house. On November 26th all the Arabs packed-up and left. On December 1st US bombs rained down, smashing the fortress but also damaging neighbors' houses [incl. that of a Ahmad Shah].	Middle East Times No.51 [2001] - Jeremy Page; The Observer 9/23/01 - J. Burke; Dawn 12/25/01.
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Day

2-Dec

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Khazi Kariz, 13 kms so. of Kandahar	Kandahar	5+10=15	15	15	bombs	hit village	BBC News 12/2/01 FP 12/4/01 WP 2/20/02: A01- Glasser
Kili Sarnad kamlet near Tora Bora	Nangarhar		0	0	bomb	an entire hamlet destroyed by B-52's	Indep 12/4/01 - Fisk

Lashkargah	Helmand	46	46	46	bomb		Indep 12/4/01 - Fisk
Bibi Mahru	Kabul	12	12	12	bomb		Indep 12/4/01 - Fisk
Landi Khiel village, district office of Pachir - Agam, guest house flattened	Nangarhar	3 - 4	3	4	2 cruise missiles and bombing	first attack on Dec. 1/2 at 1:30 AM wounds 18; 2nd attack at 6:30 AM on Dec 2/3 kills 7 Mujahedeen fighters and 3-4 civilians in family house - Karim, Ghulab and Ullah	PNS 12/4/01 and 12/6/01 LAT 12/3/01 Indep 12/4/01 - Parry BG 12/5/01 Chic Trib. 12/28/01 and 12/31/01 Newsday 12/3/01 and 12/4/01 Islamonline 12/14/01
airport area	Kandahar		0	0	15.000 lb/7.5 tn bomb	bomb dropped near Kandahar airport	Dawn 12/9/01 AWST 12/3/01: 24
Agam, 30 kms so. of Jalalabad	Nangarhar	5-14	5	14	bombs	targeted suspected Al Qaeda member, but killed civilians	Chic Tribune 12/31/01 LAT 12/2/01 Times 12/7/01 - diGiovani
Zarner Khel village	Nangarhar	"scores killed"	0	0	bombing	many killed as US planes attacked home of a low-ranking Taliban official	LAT 12/2/01 BG 2/10/02 - Donnally
Arghandab town	Kandahar	[1]	0	0	bombing	US bombing possibly killed Mullah Ameer Hasan Rehmani, Governor of Kandahar, and founding member of the Taliban	Tribune 12/5/01

Day

3-Dec

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
White Mtns, so. of Jalalabad, Tora Bora	Nangarhar	[58]	0	0	B-52	58 die, Sund-Monday	T of India 12/6/01 Telegraph 12/4/01
White Mtns, so. of Jalalabad, Tora Bora	Nangarhar	[115]	0	0	B-52	115 die, last 5 days (Dec 2-6)	T of India 12/6/01
Kandahar city	Kandahar	6-20	6	20	B-52	heavy bombing e. of city near airport. Reports of civilian casualties. Early morning through afternoon bombing, killed over 20, injured many	Dawn 12/4/01 Pak Obs 12/4/01 cnn.com 12/3/01
two bridges in city	Kandahar	-	0	0		heavy bombing east of city. US planes bombed two bridges leading out of city in effort to cut-off the Taliban	FP 12/4/01 Al-Ahram Dec. 6-12, 2001 - A. Durrani
Dahla bridge, 16 kms no. of Kandahar	Kandahar	"number of casualties is unknown"	0	0	American missiles	bridge close to Dahla Dam. One of last intact bridges on Highway 1A between Kandahar and Kabul. A Taliban anti-aircraft unit and 400 soldiers allegedly hiding under it. Many killed. Battle around bridge between Taliban and Karzai forces	Guardian, 12/7/01 - Steele LAT 12/3/01 - Marshall Toronto Globe & Mail 5/1/02 - Mackinnon

bombing vehicles on highways	Kandahar	12-30	12	30	bomb	6 vehicles bombed including 2 tralers towed by tractors on road to Chaman. 4 vehiccles in flame outside Spin Baldak	Pak. Obs. 12/3/01 Z. Haider for Reuters 12/4/01
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Day4-Dec

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Tora Bora and Mawal villages	Nangarhar		0	0	B-52 bombs	-	LAT 12/5/01
Tora Bora villages	Nangarhar	[42]	0	0	B-52 bombs	-	Pak. Obs. 12/5/01
Kandahar	Kandahar	4	4	4	B-52 bombs	bomb hit clinic	Pak Obs 12/5/01
Khost	Paktia		0	0	B-52 bombs	heavy bombing	Pak Obs 12/5/01
Armat Khiel (Khel) village	Nangarhar		0	0	bombs	destroyed many houses, many bodies	PNS 12/6/01
ambulance in the city	Kandahar	4	4	4	bombs	hits ambulance in Kandahar	HT 12/4/01 news.yahoo.com 12/4/01
Gardez	Paktia		0	0	bombs		HT 12/4/01
Kandahar area	Kandahar		0	0	bombs	heavy bombing	HT 12/4/01
taxi hit on road to Chaman	Kandahar	2	2	2	jet drops 3 bombs	hits taxi, kills 2 passengers, reported by Burjan Khan who survived	AFP 12/8/01 at 1:00 AM

airport area or vehicles	Kandahar	4	4	4	bombs	AIP reported two vehicles killing four; bomb killing four near airport also mentioned	AFP 12/8/01 at 1:00 AM
Shahwali Kot village, 30 kms. no. of Kandahar	Kandahar	8	8	8	bombs	5 PM attack on small bus carrying 4 passengers; first bomb hits 15 ft. from bus; all jumped from bus and watched a second bomb destroy the bus. Killed 8 people according to Abdul Hakim, transportation company manager in Kandahar	BG 2/19/02 - Donnelly WP 2/20/02 - Glasser

Day

5-Dec

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Tora Bora area	Nangarhar	[80]	0	0	B-52 bombing	reported deaths during last few days by Medecins Sans Frontiers	BBC News Online 12/6/01
hamlets of Nadaf, Zaly Baba Ghaly Khel, Musa Khel, Armat Khel	Nangarhar	20 est	20	20	bombs	refugees from hamlets tell of bombs hitting	PNS 12/6/01 citing UN sources Indep. 12/5/01 - Parry
Arghandab village, 8 kms. n.w. of kandahar	Kandahar	13-19	13	19	heavy bombing	Taliban governor of Kandahar possible killed, 18 others killed as roof of bombed house collapses	SAMW Online 12/6/01- Syedur Rahim Wali T of I 12/4/01 BG 2/20/02 - Donnelly
Shahwali Kot village, 30 kms. no. of Kandahar	Kandahar	19	19	19	bombs	killed two families of 12 nomads, and 4 in another village and three in another	BG 2/20/02 - Donnelly FP 12/5/01
Sokhchola village	Kandahar	5+1=6	6	6	missile	missile and bombs hit villages between front-lines	WP 2/20/02: A01 - Glasser

Day

6-Dec

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
highway Kandahar to Spin Boldak, Malliat area	Kandahar	1 and "scores" "dozens of casualties". Est. 12	12	12	bombs	car hit and minibus by bombs; car 1 died and 4 injured; 8 injured civilians brought to Chaman, witnesses report	BBC News Online 12/6/01 Salahuddin and Haider, Reuters 12/6/01 Telegraph 12/6/01
Kandahar and White Mtns	Kandahar, Nangarhar	"80 more people, mostly civilians" 20 est	20	20		continuing bombing of mountain villages near Tora Bora bombed	Pak. Obs. 12/7/01
highway Kandahar to Spin Boldak	Kandahar		0	0	bombs	3 Pakistani trucks carrying fresh fruits hit and drivers seriously injured	Dawn 12/9/01
Tazai village near Spin Boldak	Kandahar		0	0	heavily bombed	10 am. Thur, planes hit Noorzai tribal village, killing civilians	Islam News, no date

Day

7-Dec

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Tora Bora and Melawa, 45kms so. of Jalalabad	Nangarhar		0	0	continuing F18 and B-52 bombing	heavy bombing	Jang newsp. 12/7/01
remote villages of so. Kandahar	Kandahar	"heavy casualties"	0	0	bombs		Dawn 12/9/01
Teri Mengal and Speena Shaga area in Afgh.	Pakistan	est 12 including above line	12	12	8 bombs	injured some. Bombs aimed at old Hekmatyar camp. US bombing for over 1 week	NewsMax.com 12/7/01
road between Kandahar and Spin Boldak/Chaman	Kandahar	2+4+4=10	10	10	US planes	3 incidents: 3-4 bombs hit a taxi of 4, killing 2; bombs hit area near Kandahar airport, killing 4; AIP reported 2 vehicles hit on road between Kandahar and Spin Boldak, killing 4	Agence France - Presse 12/07/01 at 20:37 IST

Day

8-Dec

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Tora Bora area	Nangarhar		0	0	B-52 drop 2000 lb bomb	many injured...."had left children with blood oozing out of their ears"	Jang newsp. 12/9/01
ammunition dump at Qila Jadid	Kandahar	"killing unspecified number of people"	0	0	bomb	hit ammunition dump inside a madrassah which fleeing Taliban had stored. Explosions followed US bombing and there was a huge fire	Dawn 12/9/01 WP 12/12/01
Tora Bora	Nangarhar		0	0	B-52s and jets	raids every 30 minutes	T of I 12/9/01

Day

9-Dec

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Tora Bora	Nangarhar		0	0	B-52s and F16	causing huge rockslides in mountains, killing people in villages	Dawn 12/9/01 CSM 12/11/01
Killi Madad near Mir Pul area	Kandahar	8	8	8	bomb	8 of family of Mohammed Karim. Village houses destroyed	Dawn 12/10/01
mountains of Tora Bora	Nangarhar	military	0	0	7.5 ton [15'000 lb.] BLU-82B Daisy Cutter bomb, bunker busters, and AGM-142 3'000 lb TV-guided missiles. The latter two employ depleted uranium [DU].	15'000 lb dropped on Sunday, December 9th, upon cave entrance above Melawa Valley, where senior Al Qaeda leadership thought to be, after a week of heavy US bombing. The 4th such Daisy Cutter used so far	T of I 12/11/01 Jang Newsp 12/11/01 Times 11/11/01 AFP 12/12/01 at 8:07 Mamila time Guardian 12/11/01 - R. McCarthy in Tora Bora
caves in mountains no. of Kandahar	Kandahar		0	0	157 sorties on Sunday	intense bombing of mtns. no. of Kandahar and so. of Jalalabad	Jang newsp. 12/11/01

Mowshkeyl village, n.e. Paktika	Paktika	13-16	13	16	2 jets' cluster bombed	4 am raid just during pre- down Ramadan meal. Injures 40, kills Ghulam Shah, wife and 4 children. 3 air strikes left 16 dead (Traynor)	NYT 12/12/01 - Rhode Guardian 2/12/01 - Traynor
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10-Dec

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Mashikhel village in Jaji district	Paktia	10+	10	10	jet bombs	injured 12, damaged residences and 2 mosques in noon attack. eyewitness report 2 weeks ago 45 bombs killed 4. Target was abandoned Taliban base	Jang Newsp. 12/12/01
Tora Bora	Nangarhar		0	0	80-85 strikes by F18s, B-52s, carpet bombing of B-52s and jets	bombing stopped in pm as NA faces moved up mtns.	Guardian 12/10/01 HT 12/11/01

Day

11-Dec

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Pol-e-Khomri [Pul-e-Khumri]	Baghlan	15	15	15	U.S. bombing	US bombed town killing battling warlord's troops [Rabbani's NA and Ismaila group linked to Dostum] and also 15 innocent civilians, in this strategic town just north of the Hindu Kush. U.S. Special Forces called-in the air attack based upon info. from one of the factions.	The Age 12/15/01; BG 12/24/01 - D. Filipov

Day

14-Dec

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
nomads	Helmand		0	0	cluster bombing	attack upon vehicle coming to area. 2 days later 3 children of Ghulan Mohammad pick up shiny (BLU-97) bomblets which exploded, injuring them severly	Reuters 12/16/01 - J. page

Day

17-Dec

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
fuel trucks hit near Qalat	Zabol	2+	2	2	bombs and AC-130 strafing	Abdul Kareen, 25, driver's account who was in a 3 truck convoy	BG 2/19/02 - Donnelly Revolutionary Worker 1141 (Jan-Mar 3, 2002)

Day

20-Dec

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Asmani Kilai and Sato Kandaw, 25 kms. so. of Gardez	Paktia	56-75	56	75	Navy jets and AC 130's	3:00 AM attack on convoy kills 12; latter Bekhere village in a river bad in valley, 10 kms from convoy attack. Kills 50 in villages says haji Saifullah, elder of Paktia shura. Attack and destroy convoy of 14 vehicles, destroys 10 houses, mosque, injured 40	Reuters 12/22/01 T of I 12/12/01 Dawn 12/22/01 Indep. 12/27/01 (2x) Guardian 12/28/01 and 1/28/02 BG 2/17/02 - Donnelly & Shadid MER Spr. 2002 - Shadid LAT 4/14/02 - Zucchini

Day

24-Dec

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
munition depot. no. of Kandahar	Kandahar		0	0	B-52 bombers using JDAM bombs	many secondary explosions	Reuters.com 12/24/01
city of Moqor	Ghazni		0	0	US Special Forces by helicopter	raid leads to arrest of a Taliban deputy intelligence chief, Abdul Haq Wasiq, and brought to Kandahar for interrogation	Pravda.RU 12/25/01 at 10:57

Day

26-27 Dec

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Tori Khel close to Naka village, 90 mi. so. of Kabul, in Zadrans district	Paktika	25-40-[50]	25	40	B-52's dropped 2,000 lb and 500 lb bombs a AC-130 raked the compound	night time(4:30 pm est) targeted house of Mullah Towha, killed Mullah Qari Ahmadullah, 40, and 2 of Towha's sons, and 2 of Qari's lieutenants. 15 houses destroyed. On Nov 16, Mullah Mohammed Towha, former security chief of Nangarhar's Taliban governor, fled Jalalabad with ~2,500 men. Qari was Taliban intelligence chief. Later found he is alive and well (According to IRNA report and CSM 12/28/01). Local villagers sad as many as 40 civilians were killed	IRNA 5/10/02 sg.news 1/2/02 CNN.com 1/2/02 at 2:02 PM EST Telegraph 1/3/02 Reuters 12/28/01- Wolf Wash.times 12/27/01 BBC News 1/3/02 Irish Times 1/2/02 Guardian 1/3/02 and 1/2/02 CSM 12/28/01 BBC News 12/28/01 Indep. 12/31/01 Guardian 8/28/02 AP 3/19/02 - Gannon NYT 12/28/01 - A. Waldman and E. Schmitt Dawn 1/3/02

Day

28/29 -Dec

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Shekhan village, 20 kms. w. of Gardez	Paktia	"at least 15"	15	15	waves of bombs	Friday - Saturday night-time raid destroys 3 houses. Refugees account. Most killed were woman and children	T of I 12/31/01 FP 12/31/01 Herald (Glasgow) 12/31/01 AFP 12/29/01 at 20:16 IST

Day

29-Dec

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
village of Niazi Qalaye, 20 kms. no. of Gardez, near Terah Pass, on Kabul-Gardez highway	Paktia	52-92-107 " at least 100"	52	107	B-52 and two B-1's	early morning attack upon village, huge craters, 10 more injured many (12) houses destroyed. Kills all 24 members in family of Janat Gul. The dead include 25 children. Those killed were attending a wedding; destroyed ammunition depot . Kochis territory	Guardian 12/31/01 and Reuters BBC News 12/31/01 Indep. 12/31/01 M. Bashir for Reuters 12/31/01 Guardian 1/7/01 Reuters 1/4/02 - Macartney Guardian 1/28/02 smh 1/28/02 - Nelson WP 1/10/02 - E. Lody FAIR Action Alert, 1/9/02 MER Spr. 2002 - Shadid

Day

30-Dec

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
various places	Afghanistan	[1'300]	0	0	US Special Forces A-team [Tiger 03]	team commander brags about killing over 1'300 Taliban and Al Qaeda by guiding bombers to strike them, beginning on October 28th in the north. Likely dubious bravado	Telegraph 1/8/02 - T. Fenton

Day

Jan- no date

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Chapman air field near Khost	Paktia		0	0		Est. in Jan, 100 US troops. By Feb. some 200 US soldiers there training 400 Afghan troops. In July, about 50 US Special Forces there. Base frequently attacked. In Sep. a company of 82nd Airborne troops arrived there and a new base, Camp Stormy, were built nearby. A total of 650-800 troops are in Khost	Globalsecurity.org Bal. Post 9/14/02
Ariana Hotel, a squat yellow building on a traffic roundabout in central Kabul	Kabul		0	0	CIA and U.S. Special Forces	took over the Ariana Hotel making it their headquarters. The hotel outside was fortified and is now [Sept. 2003] protected by U.S. Special Forces and mercenaries from the US security firm, Blackwater USA. The Ariana serves as CIA headquarters in Kabul.	Scotsman 9/12/03 - J. Ledgard; LAT 2/15/02 - V. Reitman; Why-War.com 5/13/02 - M. Massing

Day

1-Jan

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Al Farrooq camp near Maiwand village, 70 kms w. of Kandahar	Kandahar		0	0	Bombs	US planes destroyed this large Al Qaeda camp in the Rod Para mountains. Special Forces raided camp on Jan. 5th. Also attacked on 10/9/01 by B-2s. Al Farooq was run by Egyptian, Abu Mohammed al-Masri. Camp built by Arabs in 1999, trained mostly foreigners. Up to 700 Al Qaeda soldiers there, camp had its own electricity, water, and a school in cave	BBC news 10/10/01 smh 10/11/01 - McGeough MSNBC 1/27/02 and 1/30/02 - Mendenhall

Day

2-Jan

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
an isolated, primitive Al Qaeda camp, called Rut Para (Rod Para) near village of Garmawak, 2hrs west of Kandahar or about 90 kms	Helmand		0	0	20 vehicles U.S. Marines 26th Expeditionary unit	Rut Para camp was located at base of Garmawak montains and consisted of some caves, 14 buildings, an obstacle course, shooting range. Discovered the abandoned Al Qaeda camp in a deep ravine near a paved road. Camp was mercilessly bombed in December 2001. All Arabs left then.	Detroit News 1/3/02 - K. Vick Guardian 1/5/02 - Gillan AP 1/4/02 in Holland Sentinel AFP 1/8/02 Milw. Journal Sentinel 1/2/02 USMC.mil/marinelink/by26t hMEU 1/5/02
Lashkar Gah area, 85 kms sw. of Kandahar airport	Helmand		0	0	US MEU marines and helicopters, and Australian SAS	search, seize, and detain four persons who were brought to Kandahar	USMC 26th MEU (03/2/02)

Day

3-Jan

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Zhawar Kili area, 8 kms. from Pakistan border. Destroyed 2 small villages	Paktia	32, " around 30"	32	32	B-1 and F-18 planes, AC-130's	bombed old Al Qaeda camp in a gorge of Sodyaki Ghar mtns. 11 injured. Camp bombed by Clinton in August 1998 with 80 cruise missiles. Bombs hit nearby villages, killing 32, quoting witnesses as saying the bombing was so intense that residents had no chance to remove bodies. Relentless bombing many days which destroyed some 60 buildings and sealed about 50 caves. Zhawar camp had been used by Haqqani	Irish Times 1/3/02 jang.news 1/4/02 HT 1/4/01 Dawn 1/5/02 T of I 1/4/02 T of I 1/7/02 BBC News 1/5/02 at 15:09 GMT CSM 1/16/02 - P. Smucker Reuters 1/7/02 at 4:43 PM EST - K. Kelland

Day

5-6 Jan

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Spin Ghar area, 45 kms.so. of Jalalabad, on Pakistan border	Nangarhar		0	0	planes bombing	at least 6 heavy night-time raids on mountainous area; previously bombed heavily early December. Caves of the Soviet era	BBC News 1/6/02 BBC News 12/11/01 HT 1/6/02 Pak. Obs. 1/7/02

Day

6-7 Jan

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Khost	Paktia		0	0	heavy overnight bombing raids	bombed regions once headquarters of Haqqani	T of I 1/7/02

Day

6-7 Jan and 7 Jan

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Zhawar and Khost areas	Paktia		0	0		heavy bombing by fighter jets of provinces and helicopter landing	BBC News 1/7/02 Guardian 1/8/02

Day

8-Jan

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Zhawar Kili region south of Khost	Paktia		0	0	heavy US bombing and ground forces	allegedly killed Al Qaeda fighters [incl. Abu Hafs, the Mauritanian [also known as Abu Salah al-Yemeni] and captured some 14 others [incl. Abd al-Hadi al-Iraqi, an Al Qaeda trainer]. Eight months later, Abu Hafs was reported to be alive and well, living in the Iranian border area with Afghanistan - an example of yet another unfounded American claim of having killed a senior Al Qaeda member.	USA Today 1/8/02; AP 1/8/02 - M. Kelly WP 8/28/02 - P. Finn; CSM 9/16/02 - P. Smucker

Day

9-10 Jan.

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Zhawar town and surrounding area e. of Khost, villages of Zhawar Kille (7 die), Zanshura Kille (8 die)	Paktia	12-15	12	15	bombers and helicopter rocketing	9 pm bombing started; heavy bombing of border areas, forces Pakistanis in Sedgai village on border to flee. Villages close to Zhawar bases, also Cusgai village; 60 mud huts destroyed; cattle herds decimated; huge 30-foot craters; 3,000 people fled area	jang.news 1/12/02 BG 1/22/02 AP 1/13/02 - Gannon BG 1/22/02: A1 - Shadid MER Spr. 2002 - Shadid Beloit Daily News 1/15/02 citing AP

Day

12-13 Jan.

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Zhawar area, 30 kms. s.w. of Khost	Paktia		0	0	B-52, B-1, and F-18 drop bombs	80 sorties on Sunday (10th day of air assaults) Bombing cave complexes; First day-time raids were on Sunday. Residents in Pakistani town of Bannu, 50 mi. away from Zhawar could hear distant rumble	Reuters 1/13/02

Day

13-14 Jan

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Shudiaki village	Paktia	15+	15	15	heavy bombing	at 9:00 pm US bombs whole Zhawar area close to border. Heaviest bombing of the week. Village's 35 homes flattened. Account of witness Noorz Ali	smh 1/18/02 Guardian 1/15/02 - Goldenberg

Day

14-Jan

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
raided house in Pataogai village, 4 kms. from Pakistan border	Paktika		0	0	U.S. troops	U.S. forces arrested Macha Dad Khan, a prominent Kharoti tribal leader, and 4 of his associates. Macha was/is a pro-Taliban tribal leader in Paktika.	Pravda.RU 1/25/02 at 20:17 - S. Gul

Day

13-18 Jan

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Herat region	Herat	"large number of civilian deaths and injuries" 12 est	12	12	US cluster bomb attacks		Guardian 1/21/02 - Traynor, citing Medecins Sans Frontieres

Day

20-Jan

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Zani Khel, small village 6 mi. east of Khost	Paktia	-	0	0	special forces helicopter attack	at 3 AM, helicopter landed and kidnaps 4 man belived close to Haqqani. Raid upon madrassah Qalai and a compound owned by Sarajuddin by 6 helicopters. While 3 flew overhead, three landed and disgorged US troops who used explosives to blast down doors of compounds. Village had been bombed on 11/16	USA Today 1/22/02 LAT 2/26/02 FP 3/10/02 Cox News 1/24/02 - M. Coker

Day

24-Jan

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Chagoti Gar mountains	Paktia		0	0	Heavy bombing	an area close to border town of Ali Zai where old Arab camp existed. Huge dust clouds	jang.news 1/25/01 T of I 1/25/02 - citing AFP
Hazar Qadam, 96 kms no. of Kandahar	Uruzgan	"at least 15 " or 19+3=22	22	22	night time assault by air and landing. Followed by AC-130 strafing	5th US Special Forces and Navy Seals attacked a madrassa at 3 a.m. and went to a district police bldgs. And killed 3 more people. Raid to capture persons in 2 compounds. 27 abudcted to Kandahar, who were severely beaten. Faulty intelligence. Two weeks latter, CIA returns and offers family of each dead person \$1,000. In June 2003, a participating memeber of the US attackers was awarded The Silver Star Medal and received a ring made of lapis lazuli	AP 1/26/02 - D. Lopez WP 1/25/02 WP 2/10/02 - M. Moore BBC News 1/27/02 Seattle Times 1/27/02 - D. Lopez Guardian 1/28/02 - McCarthy NYT 1/28/02 Rense.com (2/16/02) - Symonds NPR report by Steve Inskeep 2/4/02 Leaf Chronicle 6/12/03 - C. Escoto

Day

Jan - 24/25

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Asadabad city	Kunar		0	0	US and Afghan troops [?]	overnight raid upon a 'hideout', leads to arrest/abduction of 2 Arab men and 3 women. Three other Arabs managed to escape, according to 'an Afghan mews service.'	DPA 1/25/02 at 15:36 CET

Day

25-Jan

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Bak district, 28 kms north of Khost	Paktia		0	0	30 US soldiers supported by jets and helicopters	late on the 25th, U.S. force raided a Kochi nomad camp of 100 tents. Searched for fleeing Taliban and Al Qaeda. Found none. Arrested two nomads who had old traditional old rifles, but later released the two. Report from A.I.P.	AFP 1/27/02 at 15:31 IST reprinted in Indiainfo.com Reuters 1/28/02 at 09:13 AM

Day

29-Jan

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Alwozi village, 50 kms. so. of Kabul, no. of Gardez, just off main road	Lowgar	10	10	10	missile attack	hit old ammun. dump in resid. Compound, killing 10 members of Khaderkhal family; 2 trucks destroyed; 2 story bldg. In rubble; 10 fresh graves	"10 killed in mystery Afghan village" Reuters 1/31/02 at 03:21 PM in Independent Online (www.iol.co.za/)

Day

4-Feb

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Zhawar village, 35 kms. sw. of Khost	Paktia	3	3	3	CIA Predator drone fires Hellfire missile	kills 3 young men, civilians; names given by AIP. Detailed report by Behroz Khan	Indep. 2/8/02 - s. Salahuddin jang.news 2/8/02 - B. Khan NYT 2/17/02 -Burns WP 2/11/02 and 2/12/02 - Struck

Day

7-Feb

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Mafazatoo area, 20 kms so. of Khost, in Gorbuz district	Paktia		0	0	heavy bombing		Indep. 2/8/02 - s. Salahuddin

Day

8-Feb

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
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Kandahar City	Kandahar		0	0	Taliban surrender	<p>the Taliban's Foreign Minister, Mullah Wakil Ahmad Mutawakil, surrenders in Kandahar after negotiations. He is a "moderate" Taliban. U.S. forces locked him up in the prison-"interrogation" facility at Bagram base where he has remained for a year and a half, kept in a shipping container. In March 2003, he was joined by Khalid Sheikh Mohammad. The CIA carries out brutal interrogations at Bagram. Mutawakil was freed from 18 mos. incarceration at Bagram base, on October 4, 2003 and he returned to Kandahar.</p>	<p>BBC News 2/9/02 at 05:21 GMT; jang.news 3/10/03 - R. Yusufzai</p>
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14-Feb

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
village near border at Chaman	Paktia		0	0		night operation Predator sighting of Mullah Khairullah Kahirkhawa, followed by SEAL K-bar team and Danish commando raid. Arrested Khairullah, who is now Guantanamo	Dawn 2/15/02

Day

17-Feb

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Khugai area near Gurboz, district of Farm Bagh, 30 kms. east of Khost, 9 mi. from Zhawar	Paktia	1-2	1	2	4 jets drop 6 bombs according to resident	US planes attacked at 2:30 AM, 6 bombs dropped, killed one and injured 4-7, when ammun. depot hit. In early 2001, reports sad some Arab and Kashmiri trainers still there. Khugai camp about 15 kms from Zhawar.	T of I 2/17/02 and 2/18/02 Dawn 2/19/02 AP 2/17/02 - L. Meixler Detroit News 218/02 jang.news 4/25/01 - B. Khan

Day

Feb- no date

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Islamabad	Pakistan	0	0	0	" unidentified men"	abduct the British-Pakistani citizen Moazzam Begg, 35, pushed him in front of car and he latter shows up in Guantanamo prison, one of 11 Britons detained there	BBC News 2/26/03 AFP 5/28/03

Day

2-Mar

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
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<p>Shah-i-Kot, Gawyana, Sirkanel, Marzak, Sarana and Pakhri villages in Arma mountains, 30 kms s.e. of Gardez</p>	<p>Paktia</p>	<p>[12-100] 45 est</p>	<p>45</p>	<p>45</p>	<p>B-52, F-16s bombings, AC-130s and helicopters. Dropped two BLU 118B 2000 lb, thermobaric bombs</p>	<p>since Friday night and continuing through Monday. Heavy bombing. Homes of 200-300 people hit, animals killed during operation Anaconda. Civilians probably killed in Sirkanel and Marzak which were bombed by B-52s' 2,000 lb bombs on 3/2. Al Qaeda controlled Sirkanel and Marzak villages.</p>	<p>AFP 2/2/02 Reuters 2/2/02 BBC News 2/2/02 LAT 4/14/02 - Zucchini</p>
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4-Mar

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
village bombed in Gardez area	Paktia		0	0	F-16s drop 8 bombs	hit village on early Mo. AM in a fierce attack	Reported by Reuters cameraman, Reuters 2/4/02, 2:11 AM ET

Day

7-Mar

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
close to border town of Shkin [Mashkeen?] on road to Landai Doag	Paktika	14-23	14	23	U.S. warplanes	30 Kharoti tribespeople were heading in two pickup trucks to the Sufi shrine, to pray for the release of a wealthy, prominent Pashtun tribal leader, Maulvi Macha Dad, who had been abducted in an earlier U.S. raid in February 2002. US warplanes attacked the moving vehicles, instantly killing 16 persons [incl. the driver and 15 persons in one - 5 men, and 10 women and children]. The other pickup truck was not hit, but later a warplane attacked the shrine gathering, killing another 7 people, for a total of 23 civilians killed. US troops then parachuted into the area by helicopter and left after inspecting the site. US military admitted killing only 14 people including women and children. US Special Forces took over the wealthy Kharoti tribal leader, Maulvi Macha Dad's fortress-like compound in Shkin and made it their forward base. Macha Dad was earlier arrested [1/14/02] with associates and has not been heard of [has been 'disappeared'].	AFP 3/9/02 at 20:43 IST; FP 3/10/02 at 07:20 EST; Asian Affairs 3/8/02; Asia Times 5/14/02 - N. Malik; BBC News 3/9/02 at 16:10 GMT; FP 3/10/02 at 10:43 AM; FP 3/14/02 at 8:52 AM; ToFl 3/10/02 citing AFP; jang.news 3/10/02; Dawn 3/9/02 - S. Mahsud; Guardian 3/13/02. Asian Affairs 3/8/02

town in Barmal district	Paktika	[16]			US warplanes	according to the AIP citing source in Wana, planes attacked this town near the Pakistani border and killed 16 persons, including 6 members of one family. Residents had gathered to pray for the return of a man, Meer Shahazad Khan, a local businessman, who had been abducted by US troops 2 months ago. Possibly same incident as that reported near Shkin.	AFP, Islamabad 3/9/02
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14-Mar

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
the Whale ridge in the Shah-i-Kot mountains	Paktia		0	0	Canadian troops	Master Corporal Arron Perry of Canada's Princess Patricia's Light Infantry, stands accused of desecrating bodies of two slain Al Qaeda members [killed by US bombing]. Perry cut off finger of the one putting it in a Ziplock Baggie and then defecated on the other body. He also set up a 'trophy photo.' US troops participated in the 'army fun.'	Globe and Mail 2/7/03

Day

17-Mar

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
attacked vehicles on road 70 kms. southwest of Gardez	Paktika	[16]?	0	0	US Special Operations Chinook MH-47 helicopters' fire	<p>a 1 AM attack on Sunday upon a convoy of 4 vehicles. US Special Forces' helicopters attacked 3 vehicles, killing 16 and wounding one. The fourth vehicle was supposedly not attacked. The convoy was allegedly spotted by a drone.</p> <p>The Pentagon version of this incident is very questionable - how at night before firing the helicopters could tell that the 4th vehicle contained women and children? why the convoy was deemed to be an Al Qaeda one because the cars 'weaved', etc ? No independent account exists as attack took place on a remote road in the middle of night [1 AM], and survivors of 4th vehicle [if any exist] have scattered. The dead could very plausibly have been fleeing civilians. But, the corporate media dutifully reported the Pentagon's Gen. Rosa's version given on 3/18/02.</p>	NYT 3/19/02 - D. Filkins; CBSNews.com 3/20/02; AP 3/18/02; The Namibian 3/19/02; DefenseLink 3/18/02
Sangesar village, 40 kms we. of Kandahar	Kandahar	[31]			US aircraft and ground troops	<p>3:00 AM US raid seized 31 people in another "counpound attack". abducted them. Later admitted they were not Al Qaeda or Taliban. Prisoners were kicked, abused, kept in a cage at US detention center in Kandahar</p>	Nando Times 3/20/02 - Hanley of the AP Ananova 3/23/02 BBC News 3/23/02

Day

27-Mar

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Neka (Naka, Nika) mountain village in Neka district, 50 kms. so. of Gardez	Paktika		0	0	B-52 bombing	Neka lies in mountain district, 20 kms south of Shah-i-Kot. US bombing allegedly killed 50 Al Qaeda fighters in March, according to the dubious sources of Kabul Radio. Village area bombed, targeted Al Q. and Taliban personnel. Neka is quite close to village of Zerok, where Mujah. launched there struggle in 1979	FP 4/2/02 ABC (Australia) 3/28/02 CSM 4/1/02 Guardian 3/28/02 Dawn 3/29/02

Day

April 5-6

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Pasho Ghar village and mountains in Yaqoobi district, 30 kms. no. of Khost	Paktia		0	0	50 US Special Forces and 200 "local fighters", gunship helicopters and B 52s	raided an area known to have been a mujahideen base during anti-Soviet struggle. Pasho Ghar is a black rocky mountain area with huge cliffs and sharp peaks. The raiding forces based in the Sara Bagh military camp 5 kms outside of Khost, searched houses and living compounds, but found nothing.	CSM 4/08/02 - L.Mashal and P. Smucker

Day

16-Apr

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
bombed a highway in e. Afgh. near Sarobi in Tagab valley	Loghar	[9]	0	0	bombed by US jets	attack near town of Sarobi. Dead victims might be civilians	jang.news 4/18/02

Day

22-Apr

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Ghani Khel town, 58 kms. e. of Jalalabad	Nangarhar		0	0	Haji Abdul Qadir's militia and possibly British troops	10AM to 5 PM raid on town where major opion market exists, by Qadir's men. Qadir was governor of Nangarhar (1992-6), restored in Nov. 2001. Also control's Konar and Laghman provinces. Haji's troops stole the opion and money	NYT 5/5/02 - Burns Times 4/25/02 Guardian 11/19/01 AP 4/28/02 - Gannon

Day

24-Apr

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
village of Talak, 20 kms. north of Khost	Paktia		0	0	U.S. special forces	raided the village - house to house searches, dug up a garden, etc.. Found an old ammunition cache left by Taliban commander, J. Haqqani, in September 2001, to his trusted commander, Alef Khan.	AP 4/30/02 - K. Gannon

Day

26-Apr

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Manba-al-Uloom madrassa in village of Darpa Khel, 4 kms from Miran Shah, 16 kms from border	South Waziristan, Pakistan		0	0	three Apache helicopters, 10-15 US Special Forces and 200 Pakistani troops	6:30 PM raid upon abandoned Koranic school (@ Haqqani) in search of Doctor Zawahri. Troops ransacked the religious school. Empty-handed exit, but US troops remain, arousing local resentment. Naka village had been bombed on 12/27, killing 40 people. U.S. forces set up base in vocational school building in Miran Shah in South Waziristan. US troops also seen in Razmak in north Waziristan	Dawn 12/28/01 LAT 4/29/02 - Watson Guardian 5/2/02 - Burke AP 5/4/02 - Gannon NYT 7/14/02 - Filkins Al-Ahram Weekly 5/16-22/02 CSM 5/1/02 - L. Mashal Newsline.com.pk June/02 - R. Yusufzai Rediff.com 5/23/02 - Amir Mir CBSNews.com 5/11/02

Day

29-Apr

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
one mile from Pak. Border, northeast of Khost	Paktia	4	4	4	executed	4 armed tribesmen killed by Australian SAS in remote area	USA Today 5/18/02 wsws 5/20/02 - Symonds, also mentioned by A. Lloyd of the Times Times 5/10/02 - A. Lloyd

Day

May- Unknown

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Kandahar City	Kandahar		0	0	30 U.S. commandos and 200 of their Afghan mercenaries	a pre-dawn raid on 10 houses. Broke into houses at 3:20 AM, assaulted male members and abducted nine men [6 from one family and 3 from another], incl. a 75 year-old grandfather. Abducted Saddam Mohammed and his 2 brothers. Saddam is now in a cage in Guantanamo.	AP 8/29/02 - T. Tran ; CBSNews.com 5/11/02

Day

6-May

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Duberi (Daberee) village in Shegal Gorge, 35 kms nw. of Asadabad	Konar	10	10	10	CIA RQ-1 Predator drone fires Lockheed's \$45,000 laser-guided AGM-114 Hellfire missiles and helicopters	missile missed. AIP reported at least 31 injured students in a religious school attached to a mosque, in village which had been a Hekmatyr stronghold. Attack hits a 3 room madrassa. Area controlled by Hekmatyr lieutenant, Kashmir Khan. 10 died in hospital in Asadabad. Fired missile aimed to kill Hekmatyr, missed and hit bystanders. The Shegal Gorge area is controlled by Kashmir Khan who along with Mutiullah are top Hekmatyar commanders of Hizb-e-Islamic Afghanistan. Asadabad was handed over to Mutiullah on Nov/14.	Dawn 5/10/02 and 1/6/02 T of I 5/7/02 citing AIP Daily Star 5/8/02 BBC News 10/10/01 AP 5/9/02 Canoe.ca 5/12/02 - Margolis jang.news 5/11/02 - R. Yusufzai News24.com 7/5/02 at 12:25 Ted Rall in Institute of Islamic Information and Education (5/16/02 at 8:02PM ET)

Day

8-May

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
attacked Madrassa-e-Fayazul Uloom in the Barmal-Lwara area, 40 kms. nw. of Wana	South Waziristan area of Pakistan	1	1	1	killed	2:30:00 AM attack by US Special Forces landing by helicopters. Shot director of Madrassa and religions scholar, Darya Khan Maliksahi Wazir. 33. Body had 12 bullet wounds.	Balochistan Post 5/11/02 Pravda.RU 5/11/02

Day

12-May

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Char Chine village, nw. of Deh Raud	Uruzgan	5	5	5	bombs, strafing, special forces attack	11:30 PM night attack by plans, helicopters, and special forces. Killed people in wheat fields (including 13 yrs. old boy)	NYT 5/20/02 - Gall

Day

13-May

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
compound in Deh Raud (Deh Rawud) village, 80 kms. no. of. Kandahar, 40 kms w. of Tirin Kot	Uruzgan	5	5	5	US Special Forces raid	pre-dawn attack by US Special Forces, arrested 32, killed 5. US claims they were enemy soldiers (Like at Hazar Qadam, Jan. 24th). Deh Raud is a village where Mullah Omar spent childhood. Village also attacked on Oct. 24th. Place where Taliban ambushed Karzai on Nov. 1st. Possibly the same as before	Balochistan Post 5/14/02 T of I 5/14/02 smh 11/4/01 WP 11/3/01 - Pincus wsws 5/20/02 - Symonds Inquirer News Service 5/15/02 at 6:28 PM - Manila Time

Day

17-May

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Bal Khel village, 35 kms. nw. of Khost, Sabari district	Paktia	9-10	9	10	bombs and AC-130	AIP reports for several areas plane bombed a wedding underway. US plane mistook traditional firing in sky at marriage party. Many injured. Area is fought over by tribes of the Sabari and Bulkhil, especially for control of Mt. Stimaska. Australian SAS inserted into area circa. May 12th, called in US air support on 5/17: F-16, AC-130, US Special Forces. AC 130 killed 9-10 tribesmen	HT 5/17/02 Reuters 5/17/02 at 8:45 EMT jang.news 5/17/02 Times 5/18/02 - Doran NYT 6/3/02: A9 - Rohde and 5/19/02

Day

20-May

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Sperwan village, 35 kms. sw. of Kandahar	Kandahar		0	0	special forces raid	raided village of Kandahar's former Taliban police chief and close associate of Mullah Omar, Hafiz Majid and arrested at least one person	Dawn 12/12/01 ABCNews.go.com 5/20/02 Pitman

Day

21-May

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
raided 2 houses in Lwara Mandai area of Khost	Paktia		0	0	US special forces and Pakistani troops	raid and abducted 3 tribesmen	jang.nes 5/20/02 -R. Yusufzai IRNA 5/21/02
Tangi Kajakai, on the border of Helmand and Kandahar provinces	Helmand		0	0	a dozen British SAS troops plus some soldiers of Helmand governor Akhundzada	for some time the SAS troops were at the Bost Hotel in Lashkargah. Left on May 21st by helicopter for Tangi Kajakai to search for Mullah Omar. US special forces have carried out four raids in the area between Feb-May - including the ill-fated one on Bandi Temur, and two upon home of Mullah Brader [close to Omar and Taliban commander who took over Herat in 1995].	Telegraph 5/31/02 - P. Smucker

Day

23-May

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Maidani village, 35 kms e. of Khost almost on Pak. Border	Paktia		0	0	special forces attack	4 injured at marriage party where guns were fired in celebrations	Folha online 5/23/02 according to AFP Kyoto News Service 5/24/02 citing AIP
compound w. of Kandahar	Kandahar	1	1	1	special forces attack	night-time (23/24th) raid led by US Forces, kills on, injures 2, and kidnaps 50	BBC News 5/24/02 AFP 5/25/02
Bandi Temur hamlet, 95 kms. due west of Kandahar	Kandahar	2-3	2	3	at least 6 helicopters attack	1 AM raid on sandblown village amidst wheat fields by US Special Forces, lasting 8 hours. Killed 100 yrs. old village elder. A 6 yrs. old girl, Zargunah, falls in well and drowned. A man in mosque killed, Haji Bajet, 70. Women tied up, homes and mosque shot up. 59 abducted (including 2 sons of Badro). Alleged raid on Taliban compound. All belt 5 villagers released on 5:30 in Kandahar	WP 5/25/02: A28 AP 5/26/02 - P. Quinn NYT 5/27/02 - C. Gall AP photos by Eugene Hoshiko, 5/26/02 Balochistan Post 6/4/02 - M. Vernon Time 6/17/02 - M. Ware Independent 8/6/02 - Robert Fisk, outstanding article

Day

26-May

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Loli Saidgai village, 10 kms. e. of Miranshah	North Waziristan, Pakistan	8	8	8	bomb in collected scrap metal explodes	8 children died and 3 injured when a US bomb explodes as part of scarp metal collected in Zhawar Killi, village in Gorbaz tribal area. Munitions were left from early January attacks on Zhawar, a Haqqani stronghold	HT 5/26/02 Balochistan Post 5/27/02 jang.news 5/26/02 Daily Record 5/27/02 PNS 5/28/02

Day

30-May

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Khomar Kalay village raid on a walled compound, near Gardez	Paktia	[3 troops]	0	0	20 special forces and 8 Afghans raid	early AM raid killed 3, wounded 2, arrested 10 in a group of 22 "armed men" who were Afghan allies	Houston Chronicle - AP 6/2/02 at 1:25 AM AP 5/31/02 at 10:09 AM ET BBC News 5/31/02 jang.news 6/1/02 T of I 6/1/02 NYT 6/2/02 - Dao
Lwara village, so. of Gardez	Paktia		0	0	F-18 and A-10 airplanes attack	early morning village area attacked when 4 rockets allegedly fired	BBC News 5/31/02 NYT 6/2/02 - Dao AP 5/31/02 - L. Keath

Day

1-Jun

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
near Kandahar airport in eastern city	Kandahar		0	0	heavily bombed	area from where rockets were fired	Balochistan Post 6/2/02
Kharwar village	Logar	3	3	3	US troops	PM attack killed 3, wounded 4 in a party of 16 belonging to Logar provinces governor security forces who were engaged in looting	jang.news 6/3/02 - B. Khan

Day

2-Jun

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Lwara village in Sarobi area of Paktika, 60 kms se. of Gardez and 160 kms south of Khost	Paktika	1	1	1	Special Forces attack	Special Forces kill a man who allegedly pointed a weapon. US special forces established a base at Orgune near Lwara. This base was hit by 4 rockets at 9:30 PM, August 2nd . August 19 hit again with rockets. Al Qaeda and Taliban fled Shah-e-Kot southward in March throught Orgun into north Waziristan tribal area	Fox News 6/3/02 jang.news 8/6/02 CDI Action Update 9/10/02 FP 9/14/02

Day

4-Jun

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
home in Kandahar	Kandahar		0	0	US Special Forces	Break-in two home of Haji Nagyali, 35, arrest him, but released him on same day. Re-arrested one day later by Afghan intelligence officers. He remains in jail. The raid angered many Kandaharis	AP 6/24/02 at 6:13 AM PT - P. Quinn

Day

6-Jun

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Alatay village, 75 kms. no. of Kandahar	Uruzgan		0	0	120 US and UK Special Forces	Predawn helicopter attack on a tiny village, detained 17 but released 12. abducted five people. Found small arms cache in mud dwelling	Reuters 7/7/02 at 7:05 AM ET BBC News 7/7/02

Day

7/8 -Jun

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Birmal, Lowara-Mandi, and Minra villages	Paktika		0	0	Us troops	incessant raids, breaking into houses, searches and abductions. People taken away to US bases at Machadad Fort in Shkin or to a house in Birmal	Pravda.RU 6/8/02 - Safiullah Gul

Day

9-Jun

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
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small village of Lohrah Mandi, Waziristan border	Pakistan		0	0	US Special Forces in 4 vehicles and helicopters gunships	arrested two alleged US citizens, Mohammad Tayyab and Afsar Khan, as Al Qaeda suspects, near Miran Shah	Balochistan Post 6/10/02 Reuters 6/18/02
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Day

Jun 9-11

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Maiwand area and Garmawak mountains in Sangeen district	Helmand		0	0	100 US Special Forces raids and helicopters	"round-up people" in these areas as reported by AIP. The large Al Qaeda training camps of Rut Para, 60 kms w. of Kandahar, near village called Garmawak was previously bombed on 1/1/02, 14 structures, burnt-out tankers, and a grain silo	HT 6/11/02 T of I 6/11/02 Holland Sentinel 1/4/02 AFP 6/11/02 at 6:41 PM MT

Day

11-Jun

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
a US MC-130H plane crashes, 5 kms so. of airport	Paktia		0	0		at 9:30 plane crashed killing US soldiers and prisoners from Gardez. Took off from Bande Sardeh special forces air strip	Pravda.RU 6/14/02 - Safiullah Gul

Day

16-Jun

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
village raided	North Waziristan, Pakistan		0	0	15 US special forces and 15 Afgh allies	crossed border and raided a compound but found no one	Balochistan Post 6/19/02 citing BBC

Day

18-Jun

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Tarin Kot	Uruzgan	[2]	0	0	US special forces	a patrol allegedly fired upon and then kills two attackers	AP 6/18/02 - L. Keath
Shkin village, near border	Paktika		0	0	US special forces and AC-130	patrol allegedly under small arms fire, calls in an AC-130 which strafed buildings	" "

Day

21-Jun

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
house raided in village of Qarmakh (Karmanshai) near Gardez, 120 kms. so. of Kabul	Paktia		0	0	8 helicopter-born U.S special forces assault	Friday midnight raid, stormed homes, 5 persons abducted and munitions destroyed. The abducted included 2 portes and a butcher	AP 6/22/02 ; Xinhuanet 6/22/02 at 14:30 citing A.I.P. BG 7/7/02 ; A18 - Neuffer

Day

21-22 - Jun

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
small village of Kourmashy, near Gardez (90 kms. south of Kabul)	Paktia		0	0	U.S. special forces helicopter attack	Friday night eaid soldiers break-in houses, terrified villagers and abducted 5 men. Seeking Haqqani's driver	LAT 6/28/01 - A. Rubin

Day

23-Jun

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
five-room house in village of Sur Wipan, 20 kms. no. of Khost	Paktia		0	0	British Marines of Zulu Co. and AC-130	9:30 A.M. raid upon compound in small village; found weapons cache; abducted 8 of the 10 men there and brought to Bagram	The Star 6/23/02 ; AP "pool" photos exist BBC News 6/23/02 jang.news 6/24/02

Day

25-Jun

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Kazha Panga village, Azam Warsak, 15 kms s.w. of Wana, and 30 kms from border with Paktika, and 12 kms s.w. of Wana	Wana district in south Waziristan, Pakistan	[2]	0	0	4-5 FBI agents and shoot-out by Pakistani proxy troops	raid based on FBI information. FBI agents evacuated by helicopter whne firing began. Raid attacked tribal elder's mud-brick home were 50 Uzbeks were hiding (including women and children). Killed 2 Uzbeks of Islamist party with no Al Qaeda connection. 10 Pakistani proxy troops killed. McGirk of Time says they were Al Qaeda Uzbeks. Abdul Khaliq, elder of Sarki Khel tribe, fled but surrounded on Aug. 4 at Wana. Abducted at least 10 Sarki tribesmen. Pak paramilitares smashed many houses	jang.news 6/30/02, 7/21/02 and 7/1/01 - Yusufzai Dawn 6/20/02 (Paracha) and 7/21/02 Time 7/21/02 - McGirk Bal. Post 7/26/02 Tehran Times 7/27/02 BBCNews 6/27/02 at 11:20 GMT Dawn 8/6/02 - Paracha NYT 6/27/02 - D. Filkins including area map
Orgun-e-Kala village [also 'Urgun'] on mountain near near Pak. border	Paktika				U.S. Special Forces	on June 25th, U.S forces abducted a man. On June 30th, they destroyed am arms cache in Orgun. Later set up a Special Foces base there	CBSNews.com 6/26/02 at 7:46 Namibian.com 7/1/02 at 8:21 GMT citing Reuters

Day

27-Jun

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
area arround Asadabad	Konar		0	0	about 100 US ssoldiers and 50 Afghnis	searching mountain area where Taliban and Al Qaeda maitained camps and had fled there after the fall of Jalalabad. Konar also attracted figters from the Middle Esat because of the presence of another major commander from the Soviet war, Jamil-ur-Rahman. Rahman died in 1994	USA Today 06/27/02 citing AP

Day

Jul - no date

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Village of Sangin on Helmand River, 140 kms. n-nw of Kandahar	Helmand		0	0	US Special Forces A-team and 20 Afghan mercenary troops	In late July, the force arrives in vehicles by night in the village, home of Mullah Akhtar Mohammed Osmani, high-ranking Taliban commander. Osmani was commander of 2nd Army Corps in Kandahar and close friend of Mullah Omar. US forces arrested him and abducted him to Bagram. But due to a mix-up, Osmani is freed and immediately makes his way to Pakistan, where he now lives and organizes the anti-Karzai campaign.	Washington Times 12/18/02 - R. Scarborough

Day

1-Jul

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
4 villages: Kakarak, Miandao, Syansang, Shatoghai	Uruzgan	60-80 [80]	60	80	AC-130 strafing	strafed a pre-wedding party, killing and wounding many. The Times cites a UN report alleging a US coverup; says 80 dead and 200 injured; says women tied up with plastic straps. Yusufzai says 65 killed	details in Herold's article at www.cursor.org "Crashing a Wedding Party" Times 7/28/02 Independent 7/31/02 - Usborne Rediff.com 8/2/02 - R. Yusufzai
Bajaur town , in n.w. Pakistan, located in tribal areas	Pakistan	1	1	1	assassinated	Bajaur was a place where Pakistani jihadis gathered to go to fight in Afghanistan. Many refugees fled to Bajaur in Oct. and Nov. to flee US bombs 1,500 DPs entered Bajaur daily circa Oct. 24. Unidentified persons killed former Konar province Taliban leader, Maulvi Ghulam Syed Haqqani while he was on way to a mosque. Probably CIA hit. Bin Laden believed to have scaped to Bajaur after Tora Bora, protected by men of Sufi Mohammed.	Dawn 5/7/02 and 10/25/01

Day

4-Jul

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Jarma village near Kohat on Kohat-Bannu highway, 50 kms. so. of Peshawar	NWF province Pakistan	4	4	4		Pakistan frontier corps "proxy" troops kill 4 persons in passenger van at checkpoint. Site of shooting is now a local shrine. 3 military dead. Killed 4 Uzbeks. McGirk of Time says they were Al Qaeda Uzbeks	Bal. Post 7/4/02 and 7/9/02 Houston Chronicle 7/13/02 - Lancaster jang.news 7/21/02 - Yusufzai Time 7/21/02 - McGirk

Day

6-Jul

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Angar Adda, border post of South Waziristan-Paktika	Pakistan		0	0	U.S troops	US forces arrested and abducted 3 Pakistani journalists and their driver - from The Nation daily - who were trying to do independent investigation	IRNA 7/7/02 cited in Muslim News [UK]

Day

9-Jul

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Topchi and Shigal villages	Konar		0	0	50 US Special Forces move into region	searching for Hekmatyr. Established military base at Kadak-i-Se	jang.news 7/12/02 - B.Khan
Dangan village	Konar		0	0	US Special Forces	attack with mortars home of Zhulam Khan for 4 hours	ASIA Times 9/12/02 - P. Escobar

Day

12-Jul

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
village raided, Hesarak in a valley	Logar		0	0	helicopter-born US forces (@ 100)	abudcted 3 villagers to Bagram; On 7/16 abducted a fourth person. US forces searching for Taliban leaders. A night-time raid by helicopter-born troops. Villagers complained that the 3 abducted men were simple farmers. Helicopter-born troops returned on the 16th and abducted another person amidst much US corporate media fanfare that he might have had chemical-Bagram.	AP 7/16/02 and AP photos of raid by Regan Morris BBC 7/17/02 - Grammaticus AP 7/16/02 - R. Morris, AP 7/19/02 D. Stojanovic

Day

18-Jul

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
home in Parakhil (Perakheil) village in Khogiani district, 55 kms w. of Jalalabad	Nangarhar	2	2	2	a US plane, A-10 Warthog, drops 500 lb dumb bomb; Afghan ground forces enter village	hit home of former Taliban security leader, Noor Mohammad Hanfi, who had switched sides in 11/01. AIP says 1 killed, 7 soldiers and 2 civilians injured. Brother of Noor Mohammad killed	Reuters 7/18/02 at 10:52 AM ET WP 7/18/02 - Stojanovic DPA 7/18/02 AP 7/19/02- D.Stojanovic Pravda.RU 7/19/02 - D. Litunovich

Day

22-Jul

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Narizah village, 20 kms n.w. of Khost	Paktia		0	0	U.S. troops (101st Airborne) and Afghan troops search	search houses for heavy weapons for three days (Mo Wed) with Chinook helicopter support. Raids on villages and abducted five persons	AP 7/24/02 at 6:07 AM ET WP 7/24/02 at 2:22 PM

Day

26-Jul

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Saidgi village, 250 kms s.w. of Peshawar	Federaly Administred Tribal Areas, north Waziristan Pakistan		0	0	Pakistani Frontier Corps troops	found " arms cache" in village and arrested 2 men	HT 7/27/02

Day

27-Jul

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
walled compound in village of Ayub Khel (Ab Khail, Ayub-Kheil), 16 kms e. of Khost. Also called Lankarwali village	Paktia	[3-25, 5 est] very conflicting reports whether civilians were killed	0	0	U.S. 19th Special Forces Unit called in Apache helicopters, A10 Warthogs, and F/A-18 jets	raided home of Maulvi Abdul Hakeem Mujahid, former Taliban police inspector and representative of Taliban to UN. Firefight in which two Afghan troops killed and 5 U.S. troops wounded. Tried to enter compound and a 4 hours battle ensued. 2 F-18s strafed village and dropped two 500 lb bombs. Aircraft machine-gunned whole village, killing 25. Hakeem had defected in early December. A young Canadian, Omar Khadr, 15, captured by US after 4 and 1/2 hour firefight, Khadr is only Canadian held in Guantanamo. His brother, Abdullah, ran Al Qaeda's large training camp in Lowgar province.	CSM 7/29/02 - Baldauf Tehran Times 7/28/02 Bal. Post 7/29/02 Reuters 7/27/02 - Buchbinder BBC 7/27/02 WP 7/27/02 - T. Smith Guardian 7/31/02 but Bagram base press conference NYT 9/14/02 - C. Krauss NNI (Pakistan News Service) 7/29/02 The Virginian-Pilot 12/19/02 - J. Dorsey BG 3/9/03 - C. Nickerson

Day

29-Jul

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Girdi jungle in Chagai mountain district, 180kms east of Dalbandin air base	Federaly Administred Tribal Areas, Pakistan		0	0	Pakistani Frontier Corps troops	allegedly seized weapons in a hidden cache, a favored smuggling area. Chagai is were Pakistan carried out its nucelar tests	Bal. Post 7/30/02
Qiqay village, 32 kms. southeast of Khost	Paktia		0	0	five Chinook helicopters and 100 U.S. troops of 82nd Airborne	troops raided village and searched nearby caves	many photos by A.P photographer, Wally Santana Guardian 8/2/02 - citing AP AP 8/2/02 - T. Smith

Day

31-Jul

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Spin Boldak and surrounding border areas	Kandahar		0	0	US ground forces with air cover	larger operation raiding houses and abducting people	Bal. Post 8/1/02 - citing the BBC
Alizai village, near Pakistan border	Paktia		0	0	Us ground troops	occupied village, a desert town 40 kms from border	AP photos smh 9/29/01 - Kremmer
Khomi Baghicha (Khouni Baktcha or Khoni Baggcha), 6 kms s.w. of. Zormat (which is 35 kms s.w. of Gardez	Paktia	1+	1	1	2 helicopters firing and US and Afghan ground assault	helicopters fired 3 rockets. Wed. night 10PM attack on a house in village in Shah-i-Kot area by special forces, raid lasts 2 hours terrified women and children. Target was Haji Uddin, a local anti-Soviet muj. commander and now peasant farmer. Helicopters killed his brother Niazi Mohammad. Wounded 2 and abducted 6 including 3 servants (@ AFP) ; no Taliban or Al Qaeda in area; Bagram denies attack. Raid on basis of flawed intelligence. Led to mass protests on Saturday in Khost	AFP 8/1/02 MSNBC 8/1/02 citing Afghan sources AP 8/1/02 at 5:01 AM ET and 8/1/02 at 8:19 AM ET Dawn 8/2/02 jang.news 8/4/02 Bost Herald 8/3/02 - AP Chic Tribune 9/3/02 - L. Sly

bombed houses in Barmal area of e. Paktika	Paktika		0	0	Us bombing raids	<p>night raid (31/1) which destroyed 3 houses nad injured 3 civilians.</p> <p>Retaliation for attack on US military vehicle on 7/28 near Ghar China village. Barmal is a tense area because of past US attacks (killing religious scholar, Darya Khan Malikshai Wazir last May in a raid)</p>	jang.news 8/2/02 - B. Khan and 5/21/02 - R. Yusufzai
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5-Aug

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Maroof, a suburb of Kandahar city, 10 kms, outside	Kandahar		0	0	400 Afghan troops of Gul Agha with US support	<p>launched a 5-6 day house-to-house search to arrest Taliban from a " long list of names". A Taliban military academy existed in Maroof, which was heavily bombed on Oct. 8</p>	Reuters 8/6/02 at 12:29 PM ET IslamOnline 10/11/01 - A. Latif

Day

6-Aug

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
north of Asadabad	Konar	[2]?	0	0	30 U.S. Special Forces troops	Col. King at Bagram said U.S troops were fired-upon, returned fire and killed 2 attackers. This account should be treated with great skepticism	AP 8/6/02 at 6:56 AM ET

Day

7-Aug

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
village of Shaji [also spelled as Shigar or Shahi or Shagi in Pech Dara area], 3 kms from Asadabad	Konar	4-6	4	6	US Special Forces	AIP says US troops kill 6 Afghan, including 4 close relatives of a local, pro-Karzai commander, Mutiullah, - 2 brothers and 2 cousins. Two other Afghans were killed by US firing in a separate incident in Konar yesterday. On June 24th 2 F-A-18s dropped 2 bombs in area. At least 4 killed in a moving vehicle by U.S. special forces. Attackers were a group of ~30 U.S special forces. The original 'Bagram version' had stated U.S. forces were 'ambushed.' The Bagram story is now brought closer in line with the earlier one by the A.I.P. Shigar village is headquarters of Kashmir Khan	T of I 8/7/02 citing AFP AP 6/25/02 at 3:07 PM EDT Reuters 8/7/02 at 8:18 AM as in NYT 8/7/02 AFP 8/7/02 jang.news 8/7/02

Day

8-Aug

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Angoor Adda [also spelled as Angur Hada] village in so. Waziristan	Paktika - so. Waziristan border region		0	0	U.S. special forces and Afghan troops	on Thursday, troops crossed border into Angoor Adda village, laid seige to homes of local Mahsud and Wazir tribal maliks, but retreated when villagers resisted and Pak. Scouts arrived. In March, three US jets had killed 24 civilians on their way to offer prayers, in the village of Mashkeen [Paktika] near Angoor Adda	Dawn 8/9/02; FP 8/10/02 Asian Affairs 3/11/02-N. Malik Weekly Independent May 23-29, 2002 - N. Malik

Day

10-Aug

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Malakay village, 5 kms from Pakistan border	Paktia		0	0	US 82nd Airborne and Special Forces	an airborne assault by hundreds of U.S. troops of a small village. Searched homes. 24 hours occupation by 100 US troops. The "Bagram operation" (of Col. King) says 3 Al Qaeda fighters were arrested (abducted to Bagram), a report which should be treated with great skepticism	AP photos by Tomas van Houtryve on Aug. 11th AP 8/12/02 at 7:46 AM ET

Day

13-Aug

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
near US firebase at Orgun-e	Paktia		0	0	Air Force HH-60 helicopter	crashes shortly after take-off from Orgun-e base, 6 crewmen suffer light injuries.	DefenseLink 8/14/02 - L.D. Kozayn

Day

14-Aug

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
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south of Kabul	Kabul		0	0	Apache AH-64 attack helicopter	while "conducting operations" the Apache crashes about 35 kms. south of Kabul. Bagram propaganda center, of course, denied it was caused by hostile fire - a "claim which could not be independently verified."	DefenseLink 8/14/02 - L.D. Kozayn

Day

August 17 [-25]

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Zormat, Narizah, Marzak, Khost and Shkin areas	Paktia and Paktika		0	0	A large [600 strong] Afghan and U.S 82nd Airborn ground forces with attack helicopter support. Called 'Operation Montain Sweep'	a week-long operation involving 5 combat air assaults, 3 long marches, many village house-to-house searches. Nazirah village, 10 kms from Khost-Pakistan border was seached and 10 abducted. Zormat was singled out as it was the home of the Taliban commander of Shah-i-Kot forces, Abdul Saifur Rehman Mansoor. U.S. forces abducted 9-11 persons to Bagram. Paktika Governor complains US forces harrass locals during Mountain Sweep, encircling villages, houses seraches, and abductions. In Marzak the 82nd knocked dawn doors, terrorised villagers, beat people (including a mentally ill man), and searched women	Baltimore Sun 8/23/02 Bal. Post 8/21/02 Guardian 8/26/02 Reuters 8/26/02 at 10:40 BST LAT 8/26/02 - Santana jang.news 8/29/02

Day

18-Aug

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
?	Uruzgan		0	0	US Navy SEALs K-bar team	raid in which two SEALs are wounded. Abducted 4 Afghans	http://www.sealfitness.com/item.cfm?ItemsID=227

Day

22-Aug

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Asadabad office of Rohullah's office of the Jamaat-al-Dawat political party	Konar		0	0	U.S. special forces	Wednesday night attack. U.S forces raided party offices. Abducted 12 persons including a pro-Karzai local leader, Haji Rohullah Wakil,42, gam trader, a loyal jirga member, and close to the Wahabi mulsims. Rohulla had bankrolled militia groups fighting the Taliban government. Whisked of to Bagram prison by helicopter. Held incomunicado, until released. Released 10 Afghans on Oct. 27. The US raiding party arrested/abducted 14 people, including Ruhollah and his lieutenant Abdul Qayyum. Qayyum was flown out of Kunar by helicopter to Bagram, where he was held and severely mistreated, until his release in March	Tofl 8/24/01 citing the A.I.P BBC 8/24/02 at 16:17 GMT NYT 8/28/02 - I. Fisher AP 8/29/02 - T. Tran HT 10/27/02 WP 10/8/02 P. Constable Islam Online 8/27/02 - N. Shaker jang.news 8/26/02 R. Yusufzai AP/COMTEX 3/14/03 - K. Gannon

Day

24-Aug

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Dasht-e-Archi village, region of Kunduz near the Banghi River, village in desolated mountains north of Kunduz	Takhar		0	0	US 19th Special Forces unit and Afghan troops (of AMF)	region heavily bombed in mid-November. Special Forces are searching villagers, for Al Qaeda and Taliban fugitives. Special Forces operates out of a safe house in Kunduz. Dawn raid by unit from Kunduz upon village of a N.A. warlord suspected of ransoming AL Qaeda Taliban prisoners. Area heavily fought over in late Nov. 2001	AP photo/ Scoth Nelson on 9/8/02 CSM 9/19/02 - Buchbinder

Day

28-Aug

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Maiwand village, 65 kms. west of Kandahar	Kandahar	none so far	0	0	300 police troops from Governor Gul Agha ['warlord of the year'] in Kandahar accompanied by a 12-15 U.S. Special Forces	the combined force assaulted the local police Laiwa station, abducting ~100 police officers who were followers of ex-commander Haji Basher [who had helped negotiate the Taliban surrendered last Dec. in Kandahar], not Taliban or Al Qaeda. Gul Agha and Basher fell out with each other. Arrests stunned and angered residents of Maiwand. Assault force ransacked station, tied up arrestees, beat them up in main street with their guns. On 9/2, 90 of 100 arrested set free in Kandahar, 10 in custody. Maiwand had been home of Mullah Omar and also site of an old Soviet base. People said detainees had broken hands and ribs from beatings.	Guardian 9/1/02 and 8/31/02 Fox News 8/31/02 citing the A.P. ToFl 9/2/02 citing the A.P.; AP photos exist [Ed Wray] at Yahoo.News [8/30/02]. Bal Post 8/29/02 AP 8/29/02 - T. Tran

Day

Sep - no date

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Asadabad	Konar		0	0	U.S. Special Forces	ransacked the center for the Islamic Party [Hezb-e-Islami] called Haji Ghafour, completely destroying it. Also raided center belonging to Abdul Kabir, former Taliban deputy prime minister and finance minister and governor of Nangarhar [no.3 in the Taliban and close to Bin Laden]. U.S. forces were searching for commander Haji Kashmir Khan, very powerful Hezb-e-Islami commander, close to Helmatyar. Khan's base is in Shigar, about 15 kms. from Asadabad.	IRIN 9/18/02 at 13:30 GMT cited by BBC Monitoring Asia Times 8/29/02 - P. Escobar
home in Asadabad	Konar				U.S. Special Forces	raided home of post-Taliban provincial governor, Jan Khan [Haji Jan Dad], of the Hezb-e-Islami, broke down doors and confiscated \$3'000 in cash.	FP 6/28/02 ; IRIN 9/18/02 at 13:30 GMY cited by BBC Monitoring ; NYT 12/7/02 - D. Rohde
mountainside	Konar	1	1	1	U.S. soldiers	carelessly test-firing mortars on a mountainside in September and killed a child shepherd. Bagram's Col. Robert King confirmed body of a child brought to U.S. base in Asadabad	NYT 12/7/02 - D. Rohde

village of Kagow, near Pakistan border	-		0	0	US troops and Afghan mercenaries	raided village, mercenaries stole local people's money	Guardian 10/8/02 - McCarthy
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Day

2-Sep

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Zormat	Paktia	[4]	0	0	bombs and rockets	mujahideen launched rockets upon Khost airport. US planes scrambled, bombed surrounding hills, and killed 4 Afghan troops. Local khateeb refused to give funeral prayers for dead because they were seen as fighting Islam	Bal. Post 9/2/02

Day

3-Sep

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Ayul-Kheil village	Paktia		0	0	US special forces	night raid upon village. Probably the July 27th raid	AP photo (W. Santana) 9/4/02

Day

4-Sep

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Janikhel village near Bannu, 170 kms sw. of Peshawar	n. Waziristan, Pakistan		0	0	Pakistan paramilitary troops from Miran Shah	surrounded village where 4-8 alleged Al Qaeda suspects were hiding. A tense standoff. Tribal people protected "guests". Pak. Troops shell house of a Muslim cleric. Paramilitary (Army Jawans) blow up houses (including house of religious scholar, Maulana Shams-ul-Haq). Locals say "guests" are Tableegh people. Pak. troops blow up 5 houses - of Maulana Shams-ul-Haq, Maulana Abdullah, Maulana Sherdli, Imtiaz Ali and Sadar Hayat. By Friday, 3'000 Pak. troops in the Janikhel area searching for "7 teenagers" who had studied at ul-Haq's madrassa according to locals.	Dawn 9/4/02 and 9/7/02 jang.news 9/4/02 and 9/5/02 - B. Khan Times 9/5/02 - Z. Hussain Bal. Post 9/5/02 Reuters 9/6/02 at 1:34 AM - S. Paracha Bal.Post 9/7/02

Day

5-Sep

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
flights to Manas/Ganci airport in Kyrgyzstan	Europe to Kyrgyzstan		0	0	eighteen F-16s	six F-16s each from Denmark, Holland and Norway were deployed to serve as air patrol over Afghanistan, searching for targets of opportunity and being on call for close air support. First participated in actual bombing in late January 2003 in Adhi Ghar mountains north of Spin Boldak.	Scramble Intelligence service Bulletins; Global Security 9/26/02; Pravda.RU 12/19/02 at 12:49

Day

6-Sep

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Asadabad and surrounding areas, attacked base of Kashmir Khan, 50 kms north of Asadabad	Konar	"many" [incl. 4+]	0	0	U.S. Special Forces, B-52 bombing, etc.	for the past 3 months, Konar has been a free-fire zone, experiencing constant raids by US Special Forces, B-52 bombers, etc. Heavy explosions are heard daily in Asadabad. US forces "destroyed" five abandoned Taliban and Heckmatyar bases and raided house of Haji Abdul Gafoor, a commander of Hek's party but couldn't find him. A teenage boy bringing his cow to market was killed by a US rocket. Villagers are angry at Americans. The province is sympathetic to Hekmatyar. Some former Taliban leaders - incl. Abdul Kabir, Noor Jalai, and Defense Minister Obeidullah - are believed to have fled to this area. On 9/6 two huge explosions heard in Asadabad followed by convoy of US helicopters for Nawa Pass, 16 kms. south of Asadabad. A large Al Qaeda camp was located, hidden in the hills ~ 20kms from Nawa Pass on border. Bin Laden was there in 11/99. The Khyber, Nawa, and Gomal passes are most important of the region	AP 9/8/02 dateline Asadabad AP 9/9/02 - K. Gannon Bal. Post 9/16/02 Salon.news 9/19/02 - P. Robertson CNN.com 11/1/99 at 05:04 GMT Salon.com 9/6/02 - P. Robertson WP 10/8/02 - P. Constable
Rebate Jali border town, 200 kms. s.w. of Zaranj	Nimruz				10 US Special Forces and 40 Afghans	raided town in search of Al Qaeda leaders	CSM 9/16/02 - Smucker

Day

7-Sep

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
area around village of Shkin in Barmal [Bermal] Valley	Paktika		0	0	1,000 US troops of 82nd Airborne division	a major offensive, Operation Champion Strike, is launched in the area of Shkin near Pak. border with Waziristan, to kill or capture Al Qaeda persons. Attack began at 8 AM, Saturday on the bazaar in Barmal. Barmal is located 15 kms. from Pak. border in mountains 9,000 ft. high. Villages (including Sharip Khail) raided and 8 people abducted by US troops, including an alleged Al Qaeda financier. Found weapons, communications equipment and a poster of Bin Laden. Operation ended September 11	Reuters 9/9/02 at 4:47 PM ET Scotsmen 9/10/02 - LM Edwards CNN.com 9/12/02 - R. Chilcote NYT 9/11/02 - J. Burns T of I 9/12/02 at 8:59 AM @ AP

Day

16-Sep

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Mullah Ilam town	Kandahar		0	0	US and Afghan forces	night raid results in arrest of former Nimruz governor, Mullah Sher Mohammad Malang, who were working as prayer had at mosque in town of Mullah Ilam. Abducted 6 people	T of I 9/18/02 citing AFP Globe and Mail 9/18/02 Dawn 11/16/01 Kyoto News 9/18/02

Day

16/17 - Sep

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
2 parts of Helmand province	Helmand		0	0	20 U.S. and 60 Afghan troops with 4 U.S. light tanks	raided villages and abducted 7 people	Reuters 9/18/02 at 8:15 AM ET
village near Bandi Temur (Band-e-Taimur), ~ 95 kms west Kandahar	Kandahar		0	0	US and Afghan forces	early Tues. raid on village, abducted 7 villagers men (including son of Haji Noor Mohammad)	T of I 9/18/02 citing AFP AP photo by Ed Wray 9/19/02 at Yahoo!News

Day

18-Sep

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
village of Orgun-e	Paktika		0	0	a dozen US Special Forces and 50 Afghans	raided compound, seized weapons, and abducted 7	Reuters 9/19/02 at 7:39 Am ET

Day

19-Sep

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Haji Nasro's home, 80 kms sw. of Kandahar	Kandahar		0	0	US and Afghan forces in 6 vehicles	raid upon home, arrested and abducted Haji Nasro, mujahiden commander of the 1980s	AP 9/19/09 at 7:07 AM ET

Day

20-Sep

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Lwara Special Forces base	Paktia		0	0	bombing	six 107 kms rockets and heavy machine gun fire at base, results in a 1 1/2 hours battle. US forces calling A-10s which dropped 250 lb bombs and fired cannon in Lwara area	AP 9/20/02 at 05:03 ET

Day

21-Sep

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
road in rural area outside Lashkar Gah, in Sangeen District	Helmand		0	0	Afghan forces	the Helmand intelligence chief, Dad Mohammed, and his assistant were ambushed and wounded. The authorities responded by arresting over 400 people from a nearby bazaar. On June 9-11, large U.S. troop sweep through the Sangeen district of Helmand	AP 9/20/02 BBC News Online 9/21/02 at 17:39 GMT

Day

22-23 - Sep

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
s.e. Afghanistan			0	0	US Panther 82nd Airborne division	raid in search compounds, villages, etc. Photos show abductions by US troops	many AP photos 9/23/02 by W. Santana

Day

23-Sep

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Lankarwali (Lakan?) village in Zhawar area	Paktia		0	0	US Special Forces	raided homes in village seeking former Inspector General Police of Taliban, Maulvi Abdul Hakeem [Sherai]. Futile search. But last week this forces did arrest an associate of Hakeem, Maulvi Nabi Mohammed. The Tani, Gurbuz and Lakan tribes live in the area	AFP via ClariNet 9/23/02 at 6:20 AM NNI - News Network Internal - Pakistani's Independent News Service 9/23/02

Day

24-Sep

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
border areas with Pakistan (including Bajaur)	Kunar		0	0	US Special Forces and FBU units	many raids upon Kunar border area trying to catch Hekmatyar and Jalaluddin Haqqani	jang.news 9/25/01 - A. Khan

Day

25-Sep

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Dopushta village, 25kms from Iranian border at Islam Qala, due west of Herat between Mashan [in Iran] and Herat	Herat		0	0	a unit of 20 U.S. Special Forces	set up forward base in area where Iran is very sensitive. Occurred just after General D. McNeill visited Herat meeting with warlords - I. Khan and Gul Agha. Base to be expanded as US interest with Iran increases	Reuters 9/25/02 at 7:35 AM ET VOA News 9/25/02 at 22:03 UTC

Day

29-Sep

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Mashi Kalay (27 kms. south of Khost) and other villages near border in Zawar area	Paktia		0	0	200 troops of Task Force Panther 82nd Airborne	1 AM raid by helicopter born troops. Village raided, houses and women searched, kicked in doors, found weapons. This area was heavily bombed and occupied in early January	Reuters 9/30/02 at 9:07 AM ET - J. Newton AP photos by W. Santana Boston Herald 9/30/02

Day

Oct. no date

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
village of Ab Kheil	Paktia		0	0	helicopter born troop assault	night time raid, house-to-house searches and stole items (camera, satellite phone), knocked down doors. Village also attacked on July 27th	Guardian 10/8/02 - McCarthy

Day

1-Oct

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
border area of Paktia-Pakistan	Paktia		0	0	a large new search destroy operation, "Alamo Sweep", involving up to 2'000 troops of the U.S. Army's 82nd Airborne	part of new type operation using large numbers of regular troops. Searching villages and compounds, arresting and abducting people. Expect very little reporting on this as press severely restricted and limited to propaganda fed at Bagram base	AP 10/2/02 at 1:35 PM - M. Kelly Reuters photos on Oct. 2nd by J. Newton

Day

2-Oct

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
border area	Nangarhar		0	0	300 US and Afghan mercenaries	house to house searches and sealed off routes to Torkham, Pakistan	Kyodo News 10/2/02 at 09:30 JST @ AIP

Day

8-Oct

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
large Shamshatoo refugee camp	Peshawar, Pakistan		0	0	100 Pakistani anti-terrorist troops and FBI agents	stormed the refugee camp, abducted an alleged lieutenant of Hekmatyar, Khan Mohammed, and 4 other persons	BG 10/9/02 - P. Haven

Day

15-Oct

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
madrassa in Jalozai refugee camp, 40 kms. East of Peshawar, Pakistan	Peshawar, Pakistan		0	0	Pakistani CID and FBI agents	late night raid upon religious school, Madrassa Al Noor, in Jalozai camp. Abducted 3 Afghans and 2 Pakistanis	IRIN 10/15/02 FP 10/16/02

Day

15-16 Oct

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Lwara Special Forces base	Paktika		0	0	A-10 attacks	11 PM five 107 mm rockets hit Special Forces base. A-10s called in which attacked a vehicle with rockets and 4 500 lb bombs. Ground forces then arrest and abduct 3 men	AP 10/16/02 US Today 10/17/02

Day

16-Oct

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
home in Quetta's Satellite town district	Pakistan		0	0	3 F.B.I. agents and some 30 Pakistani police	raided home of an Iraqi doctor, Dr. Shaukat Nafay, who is medical superintendent of Quetta's Hospital for Women and Children. Abducted and has not been heard from - reminiscent of being 'disappeared' in Pinochet's Chile. The Iraqi doctor was finally released from detention without charges on March 11, 2003.	Bal. Post 11/23/02 Bal. Post 3/11/03

Day

17-Oct

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
villages of Tit [exactly mid-way between Orgun and Khost], and others	Paktika		0	0	US 82nd Airborne troops	search, destroy and abduct raids upon villages, incl. Tit	AP Pphot, Darko Bandic, 10/17/02
village of Azam Warsak, 10 kms from Afghan border	South Waziristan, Pakistan		0	0	Pakistani troops and three FBI agents	raided 3 houses, abducted Musa Khan from his house; village was site of an earlier firefight in June 25th in which 10 Pakistani troops died	Tof I citing AFP 10/18/02 at 08:53 PM; Dawn 6/29/02 - A.S. Paracha ;
Damasar and Lower Mandi tribal areas, 45 kms from Miran Shah	North Waziristan, Pakistan		0	0	B-52s and fighter jets bombs and missiles	US planes retaliate for attack on the Orgun Special Forces base on Thurs. AM	Bal. Post 10/18/02
house raided	Paktia		0	0	German Army forces	raided a house, fired weapons and injured home owner	Pakistan Link Headlines 10/19/02

Day

19-Oct

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
home residence in Lahore	Pakistan		0	0	US and Pakistani intelligence agents	arrested and abducted Dr. Amir Aziz, 46, a well-known orthopedic surgeon. Interrogated by FBI and CIA agents in Islamabad for a month. No charges pressed. Held completely incommunicado for the period. Finally released on Nov. 19th without an apology.	Dawn [review] 11/14/02 - SB. Khan ; Newday.com 11/19/02 at 9:58 AM EST Guardian 1/20/03 - R. McCarthy

Day

23-Oct

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
districts of city of Peshawar	Pakistan		0	0	Pakistani CID [Crimes Investigation Dept.] troops and FBI agents	pre-dawn raid upon two houses - resp. in Faqirabad and Shanwari Sarai districts. Arrest and abduct 2 persons - Abdul Waheed [an 'Arab'] and an Afghan from Mazar. Turned over to FBI for 'interrogation'.	Dawn 10/24/02 - S. Ahmad

Day

27-Oct

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Deh Rawud	Uruzgan		0	0	US Special Forces and A-10s	a firefight at 10:00 PM between the US and two armed men. Called in A-10s from Bagram	News Observer 10/28/02

Day

29-Oct

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
home in Islamabad	Pakistan		0	0	FBI and Pakistani agents	pre-dawn 3 AM raid upon private home of Dr. Ghairat Baheer, son-in-law of Hekmatyar and an ex-diplomat. Abductede him, his 2 security guards and [even] his 2 maids. Baheer was living legally in Islamabad. Baheer was former Afghan Ambassador to Pakistan and is a member of the Hizb-e-Islami party.	Bal. Post 10/30/02; Teheran Times 10/31/02 ; BBC News Online 10/30/02 at 10:52 GMT

Day

30-Oct

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
raided two houses in Khost	Paktia	-	0	0	250 troops of U.S.82nd Airborne	early AM raid; bang down doors, intimidating and terrorizing civilians; frisking women and young children; allegedly searching for weapons but find none	AP 10/30/02 - C. Hawley; photos of raids exist [AP photos, Scott Nelson]

Day

2-Nov

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
villages of Naray on a pass on Pakistan border and village of Kot Kalay, s.w. of Parachinar	Paktia	-	0	0	400 troops of US 82nd Airborne descend in Blackhawk copters	raided villages: abducted six to Bagram; frisked women; ransacked homes; threatened persons at a wedding; angered villagers. Occupied villages for 24 hours.	ANCNews 11/4/02

Day

3-Nov

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Malawal district of Kunar	Kunar		0	0	U.S. Special Forces based in old munitions factory in Asadabad	forcibly raided a shepherd's home. Abducted Ahmad's brother who has not been heard from since - 4 months have passed. Residents very angry at Americans' invasion of their homes.	Tehran Times 3/3/03

Day

7-Nov

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Kikara village, 1 km s.e. of Khost and near U.S. air base	Paktia	-	0	0	two U.S. Apache attack helicopters	local Taniwal provincial puppet gov't seeks to expel Kuchis from gov't lands. A gun battle erupts and U.S. helicopters intervene, firing upon Kuchis and wounding six.	Reuters 11/9/02 at 18:56 BBC News 11/9/02

Day

8-Nov

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
areas northeast of Khost	Paktia	-	0	0	U.S. paratrooper forces	raided 4 areas n.e. of Khost, Th-Fri. AM, seizing weapons. Abducted five men to Khost for "interrogation."	Guardian 11/8/02

Day

13-Nov

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Villages of Sharana [Paktika], Ahad [Ghazni], Yahel Khel [Paktia], and others raided	Paktika and Paktia		0	0	a four-day mission by several hundred US troops with helicopters and Humvees	a US effort to arrest "at least 3 people suspected of having ties to al-Qaida or the Taliban." Unsuccessful mission. Raided villages in 2 provinces. In Sharana, in a raid on Nov. 12th , abducted at least one man for 'interrogation' at the US base in Khost. On Nov. 14th, raided village of Yayeh Khel in Paktia.	Las Vegas Sun/A.P. 11/15/02 - M. Eckel ; numerous AP pool photos exist by Amel Emric.

Day

20-Nov

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Punjgram district of Peshawar	Pakistan		0	0	U.S. troops	arrested and abducted an ex-commander of Hezb al Wahdat, Juma Gul, close to former Nangargar police chief, Haji Zaman Ghamsharik. Probably instigated by staunch U.S. ally and rival [and thug] in Nangarhar, Hazrat Ali. Both Ali and Zaman were anti-Taliban commanders during the battle for Tora Bora.	PNS 11/21/02

Day

25-Nov

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
near Bamiyan city	Bamiyan		0	0	15-man U.S. Special Forces patrol operating out of their Bamiyan base	US soldiers approached an area as ~100 Afghans fled. 2 Afghans detained and "questioned". Allegedly discovered a large cache of heavy weapons near to Bamiyan city. The district of Kahmard, 60 kms. north of Bamiyan city, is now again controlled by the Taliban [Tajiks who sided with the Taliban].	Reuters 10/2/02 at 14:36 - D. Brunnstrom ; AP 11/26/02 at 0:15:09 PST - M. Eckel

Day

30-Nov

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
frontlines near village of Zir [Zeer] Koh (Zer-e-Koh), 10 kms. from Shindand air base	Farah	1 civilian killed and several others injured	1	1	B-52 drops 7 2,000 lb bombs	U.S. special forces called-in air support in the area where two rival warlords had been fighting since last Friday - the Tajik Ismail Khan and the Pashtun Amanullah Khan. Bombs fell on frontline, possibly hitting Zir Koh. B-52 bombed front line between two fighting armies. One bomb fell on a civilian area. Villagers reported that 25 houses were damaged. The bombing killed 9 soldiers of Ismael Khan and 11 of Amanullah Nekzad.	Reuters 12/1/02 at 16:40 CET BBC News 12/1/02 at 16:32 GMT NYT 12/7/02 - C. Gall The State 12/02/02 - S. Haqiqi (Reuters) AP 12/2/02 - T. Pitman
town of Miran Shah	Pakistan		0	0	US forces and Pak. agents, incl. female agents	Searched an area in Miran Shah for Jalaluddin Haqqani; raided two madrassas and several homes; abducted 2 men. Failed to find Haqqani.	Kyodo News Service 12/2/02 at 09:30 JST, citing the A.I.P.

Day

Dec- no date

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Bagram base	Kabul	2	2	2	US interrogators and/or forces	according to [even] a U.S. military coroner, two prisoners were 'murdered' in the U.S. prison on the huge Bagram base, resp. on Dec. 3rd and 10th. The two dead are Dilawar, 22, a farmer and part-time taxi cab driver from Khost and Mullah Habibullah, 30, brother of a former Taliban commander. Both died as a consequence of severe beatings by US authorities. In early Oct. 2001, commander Haji Habibullah had led 2'000 foreign mujahideen troops from Kunar to Kandahar [IslamOnline 10/6/01 - A. Latif]. Dilawar's taxi was stopped by Afghan guards near the big US base in Khost. He and his 2 passengers - a local village policeman and another villager - were seized and abducted to Bagram. The 2 passengers have not been heard from since. Symonds gives details on Dilawar's torture and death.	Daily Record 3/6/03 Guardian 3/7/03 - D. Campbell [IslamOnline 10/6/01 - A. Latif]. wsws.org 3/10/03 - Peter Symonds

a raid in Kunar	Kunar		0	0	US Special Forces	<p>a raid leads to arrest/abduction of Saif-ur-Rahman, who was first flown by helicopter to Jalalabad where he was severely mistreated by 2 Americans, then after 24 hours flown to the Bagram prison. There, he was again abused - forced to strip naked in cold weather, stand endlessly, threatened, etc.. In March, Rahman was released and told his story, which was recounted by the Canadian journalist, Kathy Gannon, who does not 'hang out in Bagram' transcribing the 'truth' per Col. King. Rahman had fought the Taliban in Kunar. Saif-ur-Rahman was one of 3 prisoners released in early March from the Bagram prison [the other 2 were local Kunar Taliban leaders]. Rahman was a border official in Kunar.</p>	AP/COMTEX 3/14/03 - K. Gannon from Peshawar.
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1-Dec

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Danday Darpakhel village near Miran Shah	North Waziristan, Pakistan		0	0	Pakistani and 3 US agents	raided 4 homes and Haqqani's seminary (again) to find an aide to Jalaluddin Haqqani. Abducted 2-3 people Afghans	jang.news 12/4/02 The Statesman 12/2/02 at 15:59

Day

3-Dec

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
village of Deh Rawud	Uruzgan		0	0	U.S. Special Forces raid	raided a compound in the village, allegedly found some weapons, and detained 2 persons for "questioning"	Canadian Press 12/5/02 citing the A.P.

Day

Dec 6-9

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Jay Khawaja neighborhood of Kandahar city, Arghandab, and Spin Boldak	Kandahar		0	0	U.S. Special Forces and Afghan troops	many raids, seized arms and abducted at least 27 persons suspected [?] of being members of Taliban and Hezb-e-Islami. Carried out by some of the 30 Special Forces A-teams operating now throughout Afghanistan.	jang.news 12/9/02 ABC News/Reuters 12/9/02

Day

8-Dec

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
a police station in unfinished mosque of Mullah Omar	Kandahar		0	0	10-12 US Special Forces and 200 of Gul Agha's "soldiers" [thugs]	surrounded a police station in search of 5 Hekmatyar suspects, but they weren't there. Raiding party disarmed legitimate police incl. a deputy police commissioner. Police station originally an unfinished mosque. The police force in Kandahar is split into 2 rival factions: one loyal to the Karzai regime and the other to Kandahar Governor Gul Agha. The Karzai puppet regime's emissary in Kandahar, General Mohammed Akram, serves as the city's inspector general. His police station was invaded by the forces of Gul Agha and US Special Forces, who were provided with false information, which was then used as pretext for the raid to disarm the federal police force.	AP 12/11/02 AP 12/14/02

Day

13-Dec

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
firining range in Pul-i-Chakri in Kabul	Kabul	4	4	4	US Special Forces [19th group] training 8th Battalion of Afghan Army in 82 mm mortar fire.	US Special Forces [19th group] training 8th Battalion of Afghan Army in 82 mm mortar fire. Mortar shell falls in area where children were. Kills 4 and injures 3. Residents outraged and demand to know why troops were training so close to residential area. Dead children included Hafizullah,14, son of Abdul Zaher, and Sayed,15, son of Mohammad Akram. The four childrens' parents expressed outrage that US troops took four hours to bring the children to hospitals.	AP 12/16/02 - P. Roque ABCNews 12/16/02 photos by Amir Shah, AP AP 12/17/02 at 1:58 AM ET A. Shah

Day

18-Dec

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
home on GT Road in Manawan Manawa, a small village next to Lahore	Pakistan		0	0	4 FBI agents and 200 Pakistani forces	<p>Early AM raid upon family home, confiscated personal items, and abducted 9 family members, as "Al Qaeda suspects." Abducted include Dr. Ahmed Javed Khawaja, his 2 sons, his 2 brothers, 3 nephews, and uncle. Ahmed's two private security guards exchanged fire with the raiding party. Ahmed had been to Afghanistan to treat Islamic fighters during the anti-Soviet struggle. On Friday, doctors in Lahore waged a street protest. The nine have not been heard of since their arrest. No charges have been filed. The FBI-CIA are practising arrestees 'being disappeared' so common in Latin America in the 1960s-70s. Finally on March 6th , Dr. Khwaja's two sons and a nephew were released from the Lahore jail, but Dr. Khwaja and his brother remain incarcerated there.</p>	<p>AP 12/19/02 at 5:18 PM ET A. Shahzad ; jang.news 12/20/02 detailed article Guardian 1/20/03 - R. McCarthy Dawn 3/6/03 SF Examiner 3/16/03 - A. Shahzad BBC News 5/27/03 at 13:51 GMT</p>
						<p>In March 2003, Pak. authorities claimed in court documents that the Khawaja brothers had been in touch with Al Qaeda operatives : Abu Yasir al-Jaziri, an Algerian-Moroccan; Sheikh Said al-Misri, an Egyptian; and a deputy of Khalid Shaikh Mohammed, called Abu Faraj. On May/27/2003 the Khawaja brothers were acquitted.</p>	

Day

21-Dec

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Shkin area	Paktika	1	1	1	US troops	US troops are fired upon and 1 dies. US troops fire back upon area over the border and kill Mr. Said Muhammad, a resident of Wana, South Waziristan. His body is brought back to Wana for burial.	Bal. Post 1/1/03; Reuters 12/23/02 at 6:25 AM ET

Day

25-Dec

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
near Khost city	Paktia		0	0	US ground forces	raid leads to abducting 9 persons, as US troops searched area from which two rockets were launched at Camp Salerno on Xmas day.	News 12/27/02

Day

29-Dec

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
border area near Shkin	Paktika		0	0	F-16 bombing	<p>Someone fired 12 rockets into Pakistani border positions at Angoor Adda. A dispute arose between Pak. Waziristan Scouts and US Special Forces, who called in close air support. 3 rockets/bombs were fired at the madrassa, two hit. The US attack killed at least two Pakistani Waziristan Scouts. U.S. Special Forces call in a B-52 which dropped 500 lb. bombs on buildings in border area [incl. upon a religious school in Angoor Adda, a police checkpoint. etc. in Pakistan]. Bombs hit Pak. border patrol. Area is where a US soldier was shot on Sunday by a Pak. border patrol soldier (The American soldier was probably not killed by a Pakistani troop, but rather by someone disguised as one). US bombs hit the abandoned Maulvi Mohammad Hassan seminary in Angoor Adda, South Waziristan, damaging its boundary wall and main gate. This area had been bombed on March 7th by the U.S., killing 23 civilians.</p>	<p>jang.news 12/31/02 AP 12/31/02 Reuters 12/31/02 Asian Affairs 3/8/02. Bal. Post 1/1/03 Newsday 1/1/03 NYT 1/6/03 - C. Gall</p>

Day

Jan/03- no date

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Kandiwat valley	Nuristan province [north of Kunar]		0	0	US Special Forces	a unit ventured into the area to ostensibly build a school, but the real purpose was to capture an important religious leader of the Hezb-i-Islami party of Gulbuddin Hekmatyar, named Haji Raffur. The operation was cut short and the US troops had to flee ignominiously by helicopter, leaving two vehicles behind. Nuristan is strongly pro-Hekmatyar.	AFP/SAPA 3/1/03

Day

1-Jan

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
village in Khost	Paktia		0	0	82nd Airborne raid	the 82nd Airborne raids a village, searching allegedly for those who fired upon a U.S. aircraft [???]. Houses were broken into, children searched, and property confiscated [some weapons]. the well-known Koochi was transferred to Guantanamo on March 23rd , an action which will spark major protest [even by the ineffectual puppet Karzai regime].	many photos made by AP photographer, Pat Roque at Yahoo! News Photos 1/1/03. WP 3/29/03 - M. Kaufman

<p>Chahar Asyab [Charasyab?], 24 kms. so. of Kabul</p>	<p>Kabul</p>		<p>0</p>	<p>0</p>	<p>US forces</p>	<p>US forces stopped the car of Haji Naeem Koochi, a former commander in Logar Province under the Taliban who stayed on afterwards. Kochi is a leader of the Ahmadzai tribe, a former minister in the Rabbani regime who then switched sides to the Taliban. Kochi had been wounded in the US attack upon a convoy on December 20, 2001, which killed 56-75 civilians. He was arrested and abducted. Naeem Koochi [Kuchi] was arrested as he was driving to Kabul. US Special Forces in two vehicles forced him to stop, yanked him out of his car, pushed him into one of theirs, and he has not been heard of since. Koochi is a leader of the important Ahmadzai Pashtun tribe. He served as governor of Bamyan province under the Taliban. In late March, Amnesty expressed concern for health of the 65-yr. old diabetic Haji Naeem who has been held incommunicado. Fear is that Naeem might be denied medicaments and be tortured at Bagram [like other prisoners have been - two died in Dec. 2002 under torture].</p>	<p>AP 1/2/03 at 3:20 PST; BBC News 1/2/03; Daily Excelsior 2/28/02 WP 1/12/03 - M. Kaufman Reuters 3/27/03</p>
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2-Jan

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
mosque	Khost		0	0	US troops	raided a mosque, beat worshippers, smashed windows and doors, and abducted 2 persons	Pakistan's NNT news network reported in Ummahnews.com 1/2/03
Shorabak village	Kandahar		0	0	US Special Forces	blow up ammunition allegedly found by Aghhan forces which raided a "suspected Taliban leader's compound."	AP 1/9/03 - M. Tarm

Day

2/3-Jan

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Angoor Adda [also spelled as Angur Hada] village, South Waziristan	Pakistan		0	0	U.S. ground forces	overnight exchange of heavy machinegun fire between Pakistan Frontier Corps [FC] troops and US forces. Pakistan closed-off whole frontier area and sent in national army troops. The FC are believed to be sympathetic to local tribesmen. Pakistan arrested a whole platoon of FC soldiers after the incident of last weekend	Bal. Post 1/4/03 ; jang.news 1/4/03

Day

5-Jan

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
3 towns in the Multan district of the Punjab	Pakistan		0	0	F.B.I. agents and Pak. Intelligence	raids upon three towns - Khanewal, Chichawatni, and Jahanian Shah. Broke into madrassas - Madrassa Rahmania and Bilal, stole property [computers], and arrested and abducted five persons - including an 'Arab', Muhammad Fahad.	Bal. Post 1/7/03
mountain area	Kunar	1	1	1	U.S. bombs	U.S. Special Forces fired upon, wounding 1 soldier and destroyed a military vehicle. In response, they call in air support which bombs the general area, killing an Afghan woman and destroying houses. Then, U.S. forces arrest and abduct 4 persons in the general area.	IslamOnline 1/7/03 - N. Shaker [IOL correspondent]

Day

8-Jan

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
house in the Gulshan-e-Maimar district, suburb of Karachi	Pakistan		0	0	FBI agents and Pak. Police	<p>pre-dawn attack upon a two-storey house owned by Jamaat-e-Islami party. A shootout ensues. Raiding party arrests and abducts 9 people, saying 3 were Al Qaeda [incl. two 'foreigners']. The shootout lasted 1/2 hour. Authorities released seven persons of the Khan family on Friday, but kept 'interrogating' the 2 foreigners [an Moroccan and Yemeni]. Khan's wife is a leader of the women's wing of the J.I party. The two prisoners are likely Al Qaeda members: Abu Omar [Moroccan] and Abu Hamza [from Yemen]. A 3rd man allegedly escaped during the raid [Ameer Muavia]. Abu Omar's family was handed over to Moroccan authorities while Abu Omar will be given to the Americans. "The two Al Qaeda members were discovered to be in the house because they made satellite phone calls which US monitoring picked up."</p>	<p>ABC News.com 1/9/03 citing the A.P AP 1/10/03 - Z. Khan Reuters 1/10/03 - Amir Zia jang.news 1/11/03 - Azfar-ul Ashfaq smh 1/12/03</p>

Day

12-Jan

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
area of Yar Gulkel near Wana	South Waziristan, Pakistan		0	0	200 Pak Army troops and paramilitary Khassadar soldiers	early AM raids upon the villages of Nargoosi, Karabagh, and Sera Ghora. Troops arrest and abduct 3 Uzbek women and an Afghan man.	Dawn 1/14/03

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13-Jan

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
village of Zarin Kalay near Khost	Paktia		0	0	U.S. Special Forces and proxy Afghan troops	raid a compound and allegedly find 300+ 107 mm. rockets, based upon a tip provided by Afghan 'intelligence.' Arms moved to the U.S. base in Khost, Camp Salerno.	AP 1/15/03 - M. Kennedy

Day

15/16 Jan

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Town of Miran Shah	Pakistan	[1]	0	0	asassination	2-3 'unknown assailants' enter house at night of Jalaluddin Haqqani's 22-year old son, Mohammad, and shoot him several times in the chest. An execution by ???? Haqqani senior, whom the US is searching for furiously, had built a madrassah, Darul Aloom Haqqania, in Miran Shah	AFP 1/15/03

Day

16-Jan

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
U.S. Special Forces base in Konar near Pak. Border	Konar		0	0	B-52s	the base came under rocket fire in the early AM. Special Forces called in B-52s for 'close air support' which means probable bombing [though the Bagram public relations operation would, of course, provide no details]	Reuters 1/16/03
Islamabad	Pakistan		0	0	raids by FBI agents and Pakistani forces	raids after midnight upon three Islamic religious seminaries not affiliated with any political party - Madrassa Darul Uloom Subhania, Jamia Misbahul Uloom and Masjid Abdullah bin Masood. The raiding party roughed-up persons living there, blindfolded some, abducted a cook, and stole student files. Pious denials have been proffered by Pakistani Government officials [naturally].	AP 1/16/03 - I. Quereshi ; Reuters 1/16/03 - T. Ikram

Day

19-Jan

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Shkin border area	Paktika		0	0	members of the 82nd Airborne and A-10s	late Sunday, special forces shot at "two suspected extremists" and called-in support from A-10s based in Bagram. A-10s fire shells with depleted uranium.	jang.news 1/20/03

Day

23-Jan

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
outside village of Deh Rawud	Uruzgan	[1]	0	0	US Special Forces	an an alleged 'firefight', US special forces kill 'an Afghan man'. This interpretation comes from the center of US propaganda, the Bagram air base, and cannot be independently verified.	AP 1/23/03

Day

23/24 - Jan

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
villages around Spin Boldak border region	Kandahar		0	0	an operation by US and Afghan troops	raids upon villages lead to detention of 'at least...20 armed suspects' in these villages. Another raid in Kandahar city leads to arrest of '2 Taliban commanders.' Though possible, this report is based upon the highly dubious source , a pro-Karzai Afghan commander in Kandahar, Mohammed Hassan. Very likely, a round-up of civilians who will be 'interrogated.'	Reuters 1/24/03

Day

26-Jan

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Ahmedzai central market of Jalalabad	Nangarhar		0	0	US troops	Probably elements of the US Special Forces unit in Jalalabad arrested three Afghan businessmen on suspicion of "connections" to enemies. They were abducted and brought to undisclosed location.	AP 1/27/03

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27-Jan

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Lowara Mandi area	Paktia		0	0	Taliban forces	attack US patrol vehicle and kill 5 soldiers including 4 Americans	Pak. Tribune 1/27/03

Day

27/28 Jan

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
fighting in mountainous area about 25 kms. north of Spin Boldak in border area	Kandahar	[5-18]	0	0	US Special Forces and heavy bombing by B-1s,F-16s,AC-130s and Apache helicopters	The fighting involved Taliban and Arab Al Qaeda fighters according to well-placed correspondants [Roberet Fisk and Phil Reeves]. ~200 special forces troops attack mountainous caves area along with heavy bombing [incl. 2'000 lb. bombs]. The information provided by the Bagram propaganda operation and Col. Robert King, says 18 persons killed and 24 injured, reportedly belonging to G. Hekmatyar. Information should be treated with great caution and its accuracy cannot be independently confirmed [yet].Two F-16s from Norway dropped 500 lb bombs - the first time since Would War II that Norwegian planes engaged in fighting. The B-1s dropped nineteen 2'000 lb bombs.	jang.news 1/28/03 and 1/29/03 Reuters 1/28/03 Newsday 1/28/03 at 9:07 AM EST Guardian 1/28/03 at 1:40 PM ABCNewsOnline 1/29/03 at 9:24 AM EDT; AP 1/30/03 - K. Gannon Guardian 1/30/03 Independent 2/5/03 - R. Fisk AP 2/8/03 at 7:AM - M. Kennedy

Additional comments to the entry above

The target area was in the Adhi Ghar mountain. Pakistani sources say one US helicopter was shot down, 7 US troops and 15 Afghan ones were killed. troops of 82nd Airborne also participated; independent report by Kathy Gannon says fighters escaped, US found "mules, lanterns, food..and vitamins," weapons, and NO bodies - the initially reported enemy casualties figures reported by Bagram were thus unfounded. The Adhi Ghar attack included house-to-house 'searches' [raids] in a nearby village. The fighting between US and mujahideen forces took place in the Maroof, Lowee Karez and Sheen Dand mountains of Spin Boldak. US dropped more than 120 bombs. Mujahideen were led by Taliban's Hafiz Raheem and Hizb-e-Islami's Abdul Majid. Mujahideen sources claim 32 US deaths. By Feb. 8th, US forces admitted that militants had evaded the US attack forces and remained in the area [M. Kennedy].

Day

28-Jan

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
village of Dera Ismail Khan on the Indus River	NWFP, Pakistan		0	0	Pakistani police	raid and abducted 21 "suspects" - members of the banned Harkat-ul-Mujajadeen islamic party, now called the Jamiat-ul-Ansar. On 12/13/01, Musharef had banned the Harkat.	AP-ES 1/29/03 at 7:23 EST K. Tanveer

Day

29-Jan

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Jalalabad and Qalat	Nangarhar and Zabol		0	0	U.S. ground forces	allegedly discover weapons cache in Qalat, Zabol province. 2 men abducted by US Special Forces in Jalalabad on suspicion of "making bombs." This report should be treated with skepticism as it comes from Malcolm Garcia at the Bagram war propaganda center.	Knight Ridder Newspapers 1/29/03 - M. Garcia

Day

30-Jan

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
raid on the Awami refugee camp in Spin Boldak	Kandahar		0	0	300 American soldiers	a raid upon a poor refugee camp, arrested and abducted 17 persons. The 15'000 refugees living in camps in Spin Boldak are from northern Afghanistan, being Pashtun Afghans who fled the ethnic cleansing being carried out by staunch US allies - Rashid Dostum [an Uzbek] and Mohammed Atta [a Tajik].	Yahoo!News 1/30/03 at 9:19 PM

Day

1-Feb

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
the Waziristan region	NWFP, Pakistan		0	0	US requests bombing rights	US officials have asked Musharraf permission to bomb the villages of two tribes - the Mahsud and Khattak - who are alleged to be harboring Al Qaeda/Taliban supporters	ToI 2/1/03 at 11:47 AM

Day

4-Feb

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Lahore airport	Pakistan		0	0	Pakistani police	raid based on US information, Pakistani police arrested 2 persons about to board a Qatar Airways flight. The 2 are alleged to be Al Qaeda operatives and Pakistan will turn them over to US	CNN.com 2/4/03 at 14:11 GMT
"bombed a cave complex"	"southeastern Afghanistan"		0	0	2 Danish F-16s dropped 4 laser-guided 500 lb bombs	Denamark has six F-16s in Kyrgyzstan which have flown 260 missions in Afghanistan, but this was the first bombing attack. Probably in the Adhi Ghar mountains. The two Danish F-16s were on patrol and called by US ground troops to bomb a set of caves. On Feb. 11th , a Danish F-16 dropped another 500 lb. GBU-12 bomb in the Baghran valley area.	AP 2/4/03 at 12:06 PM EST Dawn 2/5/03
Kardwey mountains and Almish valley in Shah Wali Kot district of Kandahar, 120 kms. no. of Kandahar	Kandahar				fighting reported between Afghan puppet troops and Taliban	puppet troops were attempting a disarmament operation, when fighting erupted in this remote mountainous region. The News reported fighting in 3 villages and 8 dead combatants. Lt. Col. Agha Lalai of the warlord Gul Agha forces, could not say whether US troops were involved.	jang.news 2/5/03; Reuters 2/4/03 at 11:37 AM ET; Dawn 2/5/03 citing Agence France-Presse; Agence France-Presse 2/6/03; Bal. Post 2/6/03

cave complexes in Adhi Ghar mountains	Kandahar				two Dutch f-16s fire missiles	fired lasrer-guided missiles at caves at U.S. behest	Radio Nederlands 2/5/03
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6-Feb

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Ghulam Khan village in border tribal area	North Waziristan, Pakistan		0	0	20 US military vehicles and heavy bombing	US troops crossed over into Pakistan from their border camp at Mashi Kandao about 2 kms from Ghulam Khan and searched village of G.Khan. US warplanes on Thurs. morning bombed the hills around Mashi Kandao and Haji Badarki where old mujahideen caves exist. The US camp at Mashi Kandao had been hit by RPGs during the night of 5/6.	Gulf News 2/8/03 - Behroz Khan

Day

7-Feb

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Shah Wali Kot region, north of Kandahar	Kandahar	[6]	0	0	Afghan puppet forces of Gul Agha, Kandahar governor	"6 Afghans killed" as fighting resumes between puppet and opposition forces	jang.news 2/7/3
a compound southwest of Gardez	Paktia		0	0	U.S. Special Forces	raid a compound 'based upon intelligence [?]', shooting erupts and several persons abducted by US special forces, according to Col. Roger King of the US propaganda center in Bagram	ITV.com 2/7/03 at 8:42/03 at 8:42 GMT; Reuters 2/7/07 at 03:18 AM ET

Day

10-Feb

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
unkown	unkown		0	0	Two Norwegian F-16s drop two GBU-12s 500 lb bombs	called in for close area support by US troops	Norwegian Defense 2/11/03 Norway Post 3/30/03

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10-11 Feb

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
villages of Lejay, Robatak, Baghni, Baghran and Shina Keli	Helmand	(1) 17-30	17	30	B-1 and B-52s drop 2,000 lb bombs, and Norwegian, Dutch, and Danish F-16s drop 500 lb bombs	<p>pre-dawn air attacks on Feb. 10 called-in by US Special Forces who were fired upon. Two Dutch F-16s bombed and A-10 machine guns the area. Four days of intermittent bombing kills many civilians. Over 50 US Special Forces have been in Tarin Kot and Deh Rawud for many months. the US search & destroy operation continued for over two weeks [Feb. 10 - 26+]. and involved a brigade of US Special Forces and elite elements of the 82nd Airborne. The operation involves moving north up th 150 kms long Baghran valley from village to village, house to house. US forces deny any civilian casualties [of course!], deriding the BBC Pashto service and Pakistani sources as being liars. US forces express frustration at not being able 'to draw out' Taliban fighters 'so we can engage them and destroy them.' Gall provides details; at least one killed eelders handcuffed, houses ransacked and looted. Villagers describe a scene of panic.</p>	<p>smh/AFP 2/12/03; CNN.com 2/12/03 at 4:39 AM EST; Muslin News 2/12/03; AP 2/12/03 at 10:32 AM ET - N. Khan; Reuters 2/11/03 at 5:26 AM ET ; NYT 2/12/03 - C. Gall; Guardian 2/13/03 - R. McCarthy; Aftenposter (Norway) 2/11/03 at 09:38 KL; Guardian 2/12/03; BBC News 2/13/03 at 12:55 GMT; Reuters 2/13/03 at 11:43 AM ET - Mirwais Afghan; Indian Express 2/21/03 - S. Naqvi CSM 2/26/03 - S. Baldauf NYT 3/5/03 - C. Gall Norway Post 3/30/03</p>

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14 Feb - 04 March

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Baghran valley - village of Wilja	Helmand		0	0	US Special Forces and 82nd Airborne	continuing raids and searches upon villages, many arrested/abducted. Estimates are 30-50 people abducted to Bagram for "questioning". Al Jazeera reported that 3 days of US bombings had killed over 100 civilians, around a village called Waleeja. The area is completely cordoned off by US forces and not even the Red Cross can enter. A resident, Ghulam Jilani, said Americans blocjked off the area and he reported seeing 50-60 bodies. A pro-military rant provided by K. Maurer [5/16/03] reveals that the operation involved 600 soldiers of the 82nd Airborne. The end result was less than satisfactory: 600 soldiers in 3 weeks found 30 guns and abducted "24 Taliban and Al Qaeda suspects."	AFP 2/21/03 at 4:00 AM; AP 2/12/03 - N. Khan Ap 2/33/02 Jihad Unspun 2/17/03 Fayetteville Observer 5/16/03-K. Maurer ;

Day

13-Feb

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Wahdat Colony in Quetta	Pakistan		0	0	CIA agents and Pak. Police	raid at 2:45 AM, arrested Mohammed Omar Abdel-Rahman, an Egyptian national suspected of Al Qaeda links, son of sheik Omar Abdul Rahman, a senior Egyptian cleric jailed in the US. Part of continuing arrests by FBI agents in Pakistan. Possibly same Abdul Rehman interviewed by Scott Baldauf in CSM. This arrest and subsequent 'interrogation' of the Egyptian led to the safe house in Rawalpindi which was raided on March 1st . The raiding party also abducted Abdul Aziz Lehri, 22, a Harkat-ul-Mujahideen activist who had fought in Kashmir. Lehri's father has since sought in vain to locate his son.	CSM 12/10/01 - S. Baldauf Dawn 2/16/03 BBC Monitoring 2/15/03 AP 2/15/03 S. Khan Guardian 3/8/03 - R. McCarthy and B. Whitaker Dawn 3/14/03 - S. Shahid

Day

14-Feb

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Mansehra district of NWFP, 150kms east of Peshawar	Pakistan		0	0	FBI agents and Pak. Police	raided 2 refugee camps - Sheikhabal and Bharvuhi - in Kala Dhaka area of Mansehra, searching for Al Qaeda	Pak. Tribune 2/15/03 at 23:51 PST
villages and montains of Baghran area, about 250kms north of Kandahar	Helmand	"dead-bodies" 5	5	5	B-1, AC-130, and A-10	pre-dawn attack on area again. Deputy governor of Helmand reports seeing more bodies (other than 17 earlier ones). BBC monitoring reports 5 new civilians deaths and others injured. US Forces cordoned of the whole area to prevent leakage of info about civilian casualties	Wash. Times 2/15/03 BBC News 2/14/03 at 17:51 GMT Reuters 2/14/03 at 10:58 AM ET Dawn 2/15/03 jang.news 2/15/03 BBC Monitoring Iranian Radio 2/14/03 BBC Monitoring Iranian Radio from Zahedan in Pashtu, 2/14/03 at 14:30 GMT

Day

23-Feb

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
town of Tarin Kot	Uruzgan		0	0	US and Afghan militia troops	raid at 6 PM upon a housing compound. US Special Forces maintain a base in Tarin Kot. A 5 1/2 hour firefight ensues in which one Afghan militia puppet troop is killed. U.S. warplanes are called-in. On Sunday, a US convoy is attacked and planes called-in again. In e. Afghanistan two US tropps are injured when they fall off a 6 ft. wall @ Col. Robert King.	jang.news 2/24/03 AP 2/24/03 - T. Pitman
Village of Wazir, 60 kms. southwest of Jalalabad, close to Pakistan border	Nangarhar		0	0	U.S. forces and air support	at noon, US forces raided a compound in village of Wazir [near Tora Bora] and drew small arms fire. Called-in close air support which was, however, not used.	AP 2/24/03 - T. Pitman

Ata Ghar region near border with Pakistan	Zabol		0	0	Afghan military	a skirmish erupts at a checkpoint, which resulted in two Afghans being killed by Afghan military. The local puppet, governor Hameedullah Khan brags about 20 people being held in Qalat prison because they were apprehended distributing pamphlets calling for war against occupying soldiers.	Tol citr9ing AP 2/25/03 at 07:22 PM
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26-Feb

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
a compound in mountainous area of Bander, 70 kms. so. of Jalalabad	Nangarhar		0	0	Afghan troops	a raid in rugged Bander area near Pak. border allegedly uncovers a large weapons cache - mortars, AK-41 anti-tank land mines, Chinese BM-12 missiles. Bander was an old mujahideen area in the anti-Soviet war.	AP 2/26/03 at 12:20 AM ESTI

Day

28-Feb

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Shinwar district, 45 kms. southeast of Jalalabad. Shinwar is only 35 kms from the border with Pakistan	Nangarhar		0	0	US troops	searches and raid upon 5 compounds allegedly uncovers rockets, mortars, machine guns. Shinwar is a major poppy-growing region. Haji Ghalib is commander of Nangarhar's Achine district. Ghalib was whisked away top Bagram for "interrogation."	AP 3/1/03 3/1/03 at 4:40 AM 3/3/03 at 3:00 AM AFP AFP

Rawalpindi	Pakistan		0	0	CIA agents and Pak. intelligence soldiers	<p>a 3 AM surprise raid on a house in Rawalpindi leads to capture of senior Al Qaeda operative, Khalid Shaikh Mohammed, and two associates. Mohammed figured high on the FBI's most-wanted list with a bounty of \$25 mn on his head. On Sunday, Mohammed was turned over to the Americans who whisked him out of Pakistan to an undisclosed location for "interrogation." Mohammed had apparently nearly been captured in the Quetta raid a week ago. It appears that Mohammed was not captured and that the whole story is a convenient fabrication serving the current interests of both Bush and Musharef. A photo of the arrested Mohammed' does not match his looks [see Toronto Sun]; Fisk doubts the veracity and cites Taliban who say Mohammed is safe in hiding with them; a coorespondant of the well-informed Asia Times argues Mohammed died last September in the Karachi raid.</p>	<p>Guardian 3/1/03 at 6:20 PM; AP 3/1/03 at 1:41 PM EST AP 3/2/03 Toronto Sun 3/3/03 - R. Fisk; Asia Times 3/3/03 - Syed Shahzad; AFT 3/2/03 - Munir Ahmad. Asia Times 3/8/03 - Syed S. Shahzad Gulf News 7/3/03</p>
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Additional comments to Rawalpindi's entry

The family of the arrested Pakistani, Ahmed Abdul Qadus, says that the only people at home at the time of the 3 AM raid were family members [Munir Ahmad of the AFP]. Khalid was likely arrested a long time ago, namely in the Karachi raid of last Sept. 11th . Pak. intelligence could get little out of him and kept him 'on hold' when he could be used in a US propaganda effort [like now, to report his arrest and boost support for Bush's invasion of Iraq]. - according to former Pakistani ISI officer, Lt. General Hameed Gul [see Shahzad, 3/8/03]. The areas of Chagai [Baluchistan] and Chitral [NWF] have long been known to be hideouts for Al Qaeda and allies.

Day

1-Mar

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Ghanikhel town, 40 kms east of Jalalabad	Nangarhar		0	0	U.S. forces	a late Saturday raid upon a the compound of the local security chief, Haji Ghalib, who is abducted with 2 associates. Allegedly found heavy weapons.	Tofl 3/3/03 citing the A.P. 3/3/03 at 09:34 PM

Day

2-Mar

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
villages such as Kalata in the Baghni valley	Helmand		0	0	82nd Airborne troops	US forces shifted search-raid-abduct operations to a second valley in Helmand province and claim having 'arrested' - abducted - another 12 persons [Sat-Mo.]. The report is filed by McDonald who has merely transcribed Col. King's remarks at the Bagram base and should be treated with skepticism [until independently confirmed!].	AP 3/3/03 at 4:28 AM ET - S. McDonald [at Bagram!] : numerous AP photos/US Army, Jim Wagner
the Sarobi village on the Kabul-Jalalabad road, 25 kms. east of Kabul	Kabul				U.S. forces	US forces arrested a Hezb-e-Islami commander, Ezattulah, a veteran of the anti-Soviet struggle. The road had been blocked intermittently.	RFE/RL 3/3/03 - Amin Tarzi

Day

4-Mar

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Spin Boldak	Kandahar		0	0	US Special Forces	raided a compound in Spin Boldak and allegedly found 96 RPGs and 5 rifles. Report filed by a US reporter transcribing [qua stenographer] the words of a major Hepner at the Bagram [propaganda] center.	AP 3/5/03 at 5:26 AM EST - T. Pitman

Day

Mar- 3-6-?

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
raids all along 560 kms. border from Chaman [Baluchistan] to the Iranian border	Kandahar and Helmand		0	0	U.S. forces and airplanes	frenzied US raids along the border and in Baluchistan according to Pakistani military sources. US warplanes seen over/around Chaman dropping Pashto-language leaflets urging persons to turn-in Bin Laden [and his son, Saad]. US Special Forces and Pakistani troops also searching in South Waziristan area along the border, north of Chaman. The U.S. maintains a major air base at Dalbandin, close [30 kms] to the Afghan border in the heart of Baluchistan. Intense raids and searches also around the Chinese-built deep-sea port city of Gwadar [Gawadar] and neighboring coastline on the Arabian Sea. Bin Laden allegedly was in Siakoh mountains of Chagai district (site of Pak. nuclear tests in 1998), straddling Nimruz, Helmand, and Baluchistan in late Feb 2003. The US raids are being carried out by CIA teams, Army Delta Force teams, and NAVY SEALs. By Mo., March 10th, even USA Today concluded the raids gave no results.	AP 3/6/03 - K. Gannon FT 3/9/03 at 20:20 - M. Hubana jang.news 3/9/03 USA Today 3/10/03 - Jack Kelley

Day

6-Mar

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Noshki village in Chagai border area	Balochistan, Pakistan		0	0	2 helicopters land US troops and Pak. Soldiers	threw Wedn. raid on village [and others nearby] involves search for Al Qaeda members, following information gathered at the Rawalpindi raid last Saturday.	Bal. Post 3/7/03

Day

7-Mar

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
the Chitral area east of Nuristan province	N.W. Pakistan		0	0	"US Special Forces are pouring in"	raids, searches [and more] in the frenzied search for Al Qaeda leaders. In late 2002, Al Qaeda established two bases in northern Pakistan - one at Shah Salim town, 50 kms. west of Chitral city, the other at Murkushi near the Chinese border. Al Qaeda regularly moves between Kunar and the Dir-Chitral region. : In late 2002, Al Qaeda established two bases in northern Pakistan - one at Shah Salim town, 50 kms. west of Chitral city, the other at Murkushi near the Chinese border. Al Qaeda regularly moves between Kunar and the Dir-Chitral region. Around 100 US troops are now deployed in the border garrison town of Barikot in Konar province of Afghanistan, opposite the Chitral valley of Pakistan, according to the A.I.P. as reported in AFP. : The Baikot, Shingal and Asmar regions of Kunar near the Pakistani border have been strongholds of Kekmatyar.	smh/WP 3/7/03 Telegraph 11/8/02 - S. Baldauf ; ToFl 11/24/01 - M. Joshi Telegraph 11/8/02 - S. Baldauf ; ToFl 11/24/01 - M. Joshi AFP 3/10/03 at 4:53 PM; CSM 1/23/03 - S. Baldauf

Spin Majid village	Helmand		0	0	U.S. Special Forces	"Acting on intelligence" [sic!], US forces raid a compound and arrest/abduct 7 persons alleged to be "plotting attacks on coalition forces." Unfortunately, these "reports" are solely based upon Col. R. King, at the US propaganda center in Bagram where most journalists [e.g. Miglani and Pitman] simply transcribe King's statements as truth.	Reuters 3/8/03 at 12:30 PM - S. Miglani ; AP 3/8/03 at 7:48 AM - T. Pitman
Ribat (Rabate-e Dja'li) village near Iran, Pakistan Nimruz	Nimruz		0	0	US Forces	allegedly killed 7-9 Al Qaeda, while chasin Al-Zawahiri	AP 3/7/03 at 02:45 PM and Times 3/8/03 - Z. Hussein

Day

8-Mar

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Peshawar	Pakistan		0	0	Pakistani security forces	a raid late on Sat., allegedly arrest/abduct at least two foreigners - incl. an Iranian and Iraqi - in an upscale neighborhood of Peshawar	Reuters Asia 3/10/03 at 08:04 AM ET

Day

Mar 9/10

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Peshawar	Pakistan		0	0	Pakistani police	an overnight raid in the city leads to arrest/abduction of three more men [an Iraqi and 2 Afghans]. The suspects were believed to have participated in the killing of a Pakistani ISI agent in Wana on March 4th.	BBC News 3/10/03 at 12:42 GMT jang.news 3/11/03

Day

10-Mar

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Spin Boldak	Kandahar		0	0	U.S. forces	detained and abducted two persons suspected of being Al Qaeda	Reuters 3/11/03 at 7:24 AM ET

Day

13-Mar

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
a road on a mountain pass between Gardez and Khost	Paktia	[5 - 6]	0	0	US Special Forces, F-16s and A-10s	<p>a special forces convoy was ambushed and called-in air support - F-16s dropped two 500 lb bombs. The Bagram propaganda operation - @ Col. King - says 5 attackers killed and 2 captured [according to the A.P. reporter Keatan - who transcribed the colonel's version]. A-10s fired 450 30mm canon rounds. The Afghan fighters proably belonged to Padsha Khan, a local warlord of Paktia at odds with Karzai. Padsha claimed 6 of his men were killed and 5 injured in the U.S. bombardment. Camp Salerno, also fired rockets at the 20 and some fighters. Keatan at Bagram [again!] 'reports' that the attackers weren't well-trained and they were out in the open.</p>	<p>jang.news 3/13/03 ; AP 3/13/03 at 10:17 PST - J. Keatan IslamOnline 3/13/03 newsobserver.com citing AP 3/14/03 at 7</p>

<p>Maroora village near Pak. Border</p>	<p>Kunar</p>		<p>0</p>	<p>0</p>	<p>US troops</p>	<p>raided a village and allegedly discovered an ammunition depot - rocket launchers and missiles. Fighting occurred which allegedly led to civilian dying. the US base at Topchi in Asadabad was hit in a missile attack, which killed 8 US and Afghan troops and destroyed a US armored vehicle. In response, US warplanes and attack helicopters were called-in to bomb the Maroora border area. "Many civilian casualties" resulted. US troops captured the famous mujahideen commander, Mian Gul Khan, with his companions and abducted him for "interrogation."</p>	<p>www.almansurah.com/news/2003 Azzam 3/19/03 at 03:14</p>
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15-Mar

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
an affluent neighborhood of Lahore city	Pakistan		0	0	Pak. intelligence services	an evening raid nets an alleged suspect, a Moroccan member of Al Qaeda, Yasir al-Jazeera. the arrested fellow's name is Yasir al-Jaziri [also Abu Yassir al-Jaziri]. The neighborhood where he was arrested in Lahore is called Gulberg; FBI agents participated in the raid; an Afghan called Gulzeb [alias Jaffar] was also arrested	BBC News 3/15/03 at 19:48 GMT nzoom.com 3/16/03; Guardian 3/15/03 at 8:20 PM

Day

16-Mar

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
border of Bajaur-Afghanistan	Pakistan		0	0	Pakistani Bajaur Scouts	beat up and arrested 10 Chitralis seeking to return to Chitral from Kunar in Afghanistan, over the Nawa Pass, only 3 days after an agreement was reached between political authorities of Kunar and Bajaur to allow such passage.	Dawn 3/17/03
Gujranwala, 60 kms. northeast of Lahore	Pakistan		0	0		raid and arrested Yasir al-Jaziri's brother-in-law, based on infor. provided in "interrogation" by US FBI and Pakistani agents of al-Jaziri.	Tofl 3/17/03 at 01:30 PM

Day

17-Mar

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
campus of Peshawar's main university	Pakistan		0	0	Pak. intelligence troops	in a late evening raid, allegedly arrested/abducted two Arabs. A third person, believed to be a Nigerian, escaped.	Daily Times [Pakistan] 3/19/03

Day

18-Mar

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Jalozai refugee camp, 35 kms. east of Peshawar			0	0	Pakistani intelligence	acting upon 'intelligence', Pak. agents raided the refugee camp, arrested and abducted two persons 'with suspected links to Al Qaeda.' One is an Afghan national.	AP datelined Peshawar 3/19/03

Day

19-Mar

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Barikot	Kunar		0	0		US forces establish a new base	jang.news 3/20/03
Nangaraj	Laghman		0	0		US forces establish a new base	jang.news 3/20/03

Day

20-Mar

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Operation Valient Strike' launched raids upon districts of Maruf (100 kms east of Kandahar), Arghistan, Shin Naray.	Kandahar		0	0	~1'000 US troops of 82nd Airborne and US Special Forces brought in by helicopter and by ground, incl. Apache attack copters	beginning 6 AM, US forces start storming villages in mountainous Maruf region, located north of the Adhi Ghar mountains and southeast of Kandahar. As usual, US troops cordoned off the 3 villages in a hilly area, raided homes, questioned persons, and abducted two young men for "questioning." A Fox TV reporter apparently accompanied the US raiding party - brace for that report ! air strikes on Thurs. upon Shin Naray. Allegedly arrested 12 persons by the end of Friday - also Geraldo Rivera [Fox TV] showed photos of turbaned Afghan men bound and on the ground. The Maruf region includes the Sami Ghar mountains. In Nov. 2001, Bin Laden was believed to have been hiding in the Maruf area. The assaulted villages included Gari Kaloay and Sekandarzay, about 140 kms. east of Kandahar. The US attack was kicked-off by the night-time killing [Tues. night] of three Afghan border post guards at Shin Naray, 35 kms. east of Maruf.	Newsday/AP 3/20/03 at 2:57 AM EST; NYT 3/20/03 J. Perlez in Doha smh 3/21/03 - Hamish McDonald WP 3/20/03 - M. Kaufman at Bagram [!]. AP 3/21/03 - Saeed Ali Achakzai; Guardian 3/21/03 - Zaffas Abbas. NYT 3/21/03 - C. Gall

<p>police headquarters in city of Khost</p>	<p>Paktia</p>		<p>0</p>	<p>0</p>	<p>US special forces and Afghan troops, 2 helicopters</p>	<p>A series of US and Afghan puppet troop raids in Khost. The first was upon intelligence offices of Amniat, where the local chief in Khost, Hazratuddin, was kicked-out. Other raid on same day upon local police office, all approved by local puppet governor, the Karzai-appointed necktie-Afghan, Hakim Taniwal. Raided the police headquarters of Khost, arrested 12 Afghan policemen and dismissed the police chief, Mohammed Mustafa. The local puppet governor, Hakim Taniwal, selected a new chief. The new chief had opposed Bacha Khan Zadran. About 50-70 other policemen fled during the raid.</p>	<p>AP 3/20/03 CSM 4/28/03 - S. Baldauf</p>
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21-Mar

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
frontier post south of Khost	Paktia		0	0	A-10 'dropped several bombs' and fired 30 mm cannon [cannon shells made of DU]	a border post was allegedly hit with rockets, according to Col. R. King of the Bagram propaganda center, and A-10 aircraft were called-in. Rockets were fired at three US bases in 3 provinces - at Khost, Orgun-e, and Deh Rawud.	BBC News 3/21/03 at 12:15 GMT; AFP 3/21/03 at 4:36 AM ET
Sami Ghar mountain area in Maruf district	Kandahar		0	0	US 82nd Airborne troops	arrested/abducted another 2 Afghans, according to Col. King [per A.P. reporter Jamey Keaton at, of course, Bagram propaganda center]. Allegedly discovered another arms cache.....".....US soldiers trudged thru muddy, rugged terrain to pursue intelligence...", but no contact has been made with the elusive enemy. Women soldiers of the 82nd Airborne frisked village women. U.S. troops dropped from Chinook helicopters, entered the village of Narai.	AP 3/22/03 at 10:19 AM ET

the Khost - Ghulam Khan road	Paktia		0	0	Italian and Afghan troops	Italian troops operating out of Camp Salerno in Khost were attacked. Three Afghan puppet troops and 2 Italians were killed. US helicopters arrived on the scene. The village and checkpoint called Ghulam Khan has been contested area for past year.	NNI cited by FP 3/23/03 ; Chicago Tribune 5/1/02 - N.S. Ahmad-Ullah
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Day

22-23 - Mar

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Barikot region	Kunar	2	2	2	US bombing	a mujahideen attack upon US special forces in Barikot. Air support called-in and a dozen houses destroyed in nearby town and 2 civilians killed	Jihad Unspun [March 24, 2003], citing Pak Urdu agencies

Day

23-Mar

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Satay Kantrow on the road between Gardez and Khost	Paktia		0	0	a patrol of US and Afghan puppet troops	On Sunday night a firefight broke out which 10 of Bacha Khan Zadran's troops, [a former warlord on the US payroll], but also 5 Afghan puppet troops died. On Monday, rockets and missiles fell upon the 2 US bases in Khost and upon the special forces base in Machad Dad Khoroti. 4 US helicopters are called-in. A.I.P. reports that son of Khan Zadran was killed [along with 9 other Zadran soldiers] in the 4-hour battle in Utmaney village after US forces launched an operation from their base just outside Gardez. : Zadran, once a warlord on the US payroll, has now joined the "growing list of America's sworn enemies" [T. McGirk].	AP 3/24/03 Reuters 3/24/03 NNI [Pakistan] 3/25/03 Time [April 7, 2003] - T. McGirk

Day

24-Mar

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Luikely village	Kandahar		0	0	U.S. troops	search of Luikely village leads to arrest/abduction of two Afghans in whose home were found "Taliban literature, business cards, weapons, uniforms, and military sleeping." Business cards and sleeping bags, yes! Col. Ziesenets at Bagram propaganda center inveighed, "it's pretty significant stuff."	Reuters 3/24/03 at 09:30

Day

25-Mar

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Angoor area	Paktika	[11]	0	0	B-52 bombing	11 Afghan puppet troops were killed in another 'friendly fire' incident late Tuesday. Troops were on patrol and fired upon, called in 'close' air support [a B-52?]. The firefight started when Taliban fired RPGs and machine guns upon an F.B.I. office set up at Barmal on the Afghan-Pak. border. Five FBI agents were reportedly killed.	Daily Times [Pakistan] 3/27/03 citing NNI FP 3/26/03 citing Pakistan's NNI

Day

26-Mar

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Khoja Herri area	Ghazni		0	0	Afghan security forces	arrested four former Taliban officials [incl. Maulvi Shadhi Khan and a deputy Education minister, Akhand Sayed Shaheed]. Khan and his 3 aides were then turned over to US troops and were moved to an undisclosed location, presumably for 'interrogation.'	AP [Kabul] 3/26/03 at 11:42 AM EST Daily Times [Pakistan] 3/27/03 citing NNI
Sami Ghar mountains	Kandahar				US troops	continuing raids and abductions during Operation Valient Strike. Troops arrest and abduct one person	AP [Kabul] 3/27/03 at 2:29 AM ET

Day

27-Mar

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Kohe Safi mountains, n.e. of Kabul near Bagram base	Kapisa		0	0	82nd Airborne's 505th Parachute Infantry troops	the Bagram propaganda center says a new operation called "Operation Desert Lion" was launched on Thursday with an "air assault" on the Kohe Safi mountains. Allegedly found a few rockets and ammunition	AP [Bagram !] 3/28/03

Day

29-Mar

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Sangisak (Sangisakh Shaila) area, 70 kms. no. of Kandahar near Daraye Noor in Uruzgan	Kandahar		0	0	B-52 bombing, helicopter assaults, and US ground troops (US Special Forces and Uruzgan provincial troops)	US planes are heavily bombing the area and US ground forces have rushed there from Kandahar. A senior Taliban commander, Mullah Dadullah, told foreign media on Friday that the Taliban were now fighting to regain power. Mullah Dadullah interviewed the BBC. He had been the Taliban commander in Kunduz in Nov. 2001 and second-in-command in no. Afghanistan. He and Mullah Fazel Mazloom [now in Guantanamo] are from the village of Char Chine in Uruzgan, which was attacked by US forces in 2002.	Reuters 3/29/03 at 05:10 AM ET
Khakrez village, 43 kms. northwest of Kandahar	Kandahar		0	0	US special forces, Apaches and Norwegian F-16s	US forces attacked and called-in air support - two Apache attack helicopters and two Norwegian F-16s which dropped 4 laser-guided bombs	AP [Bagram] 3/29/03 - J. Keaten

Gereshk village, 125 kms. of Kandahar	Helmand		0	0	US Special Forces and Afghan puppet soldiers	US forces' 4-vehicle convoy attacked while visiting area where a school was being built. The attackers killed 2 US Special Forces troops and wounded a 3rd [as well as 3 Afghans]. The attackers escaped on motorcycles. The ambush occurred 25 kms. north of Gereseek. Gereshk located 125 kms. northwest of Kandahar, was once a Taliban stronghold.	AP [Bagram] 3/29/03 - J. Keaten
villages of Angoor and Giankhel [sp.?] in Pak. border area	Paktika		0	0	US troops and Afghan puppet troops	two separate ambushes upon patrols : first in Angoor area in which two "coalition" troops were killed; the second when an Afghan military camp near Giankhel, Paktika, came under heavy fire, killing 3 Afghan puppet troops	PakNews [PNS] 3/30/03 - Muhammad Khurshid

Day

30-Mar

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Shkin village near Pak. Bord	Paktika		0	0	Apache helicopters and an AV-8 Harrier jet	rebels fired rockets upon the US Special Forces base at Shkin. Air support was called-in and attacked 3 vehicles. According to Col. Robert King at the Bagram propaganda center, 3 persons in the vehicles were killed.	BBC News 3/3/03

Day

31-Mar

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
mountains no. of Kandahar near Dara-e-Noor	Kandahar		0	0	Afghan puppet troops	allegedly discovered an abandoned campsite [tents and mud huts] and 'some weapons' in the Dara-e-Noor area, near villages of Thanaucha and Ilabac.	AP [Kabul] 4/1/03 at 3:25 PST - T. Pitman citing Kandahar's Khalid Pashtoon, spokesman for the criminal warlord, Gul Agha Sherzai, now governor of Kandahar province
Kang district	Nimroz		0	0	five mujahideen soldiers	at 9:30 AM, 5 mujahideen ambush the car of the local border commander, killing him and his 2 associates	Bal. Post 4/3/03 ; ABC Radio Australia News 4/2/03 at 10:17

Day

March No date

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
mountains 80 kms. north of Kandahar	Kandahar		0	0	US and Afghan troops	allegedly arrested the Taliban's former trade minister, Mullah Abdul Razzaq, and a dozen other 'suspects', as part of "Operation Valient Strike."	Reuters 3/31/03

Day

March 31 - April 1

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Toro and Alizo police posts near Spin Boldak	Kandahar		0	0	mujahideen forces	took over two police stations and burned down a US school in Loi Kariz, according to Taliban commander , Hafiz Abdur Rahman, 65. Rahman says his forces now control a swath 15 kms north of Spin Boldak and that puppet forces of Gul Afgha have fled.	Bal. Post 4/3/03

Day

2-Apr

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
border area north of Spin Boldak, incl. villages of Qisi, Sikai-Lashki [40 kms. no. of Spin Boldak]	Kandahar		0	0	600 Afghan puppet troops and 45 US Special Forces	the Taliban attacks upon police posts drew Afghan puppet and US Special Forces troops to the area mid-day Wedn.. Fierce fighting raged. US troops called-in air support [two A-10s and two Apaches]. An Apache bombed a puppet police post by mistake. The Taliban forces are led by commander Hafiz Abdur Rahim. They retreated into the Tor Ghar mountains.	ABC.net [au] 4/3/03 at 3:07 AEST; AP 4/2/03 at 3:56 PM ET - K. Gannon; jang.news 4/2/03 - Behroz Khan
Nagina village, 30 kms. so. of Jalalabad	Nangarhar		0	0	puppet troops of Afghan 4th Army Brigade	raids on homes in village of Nagina and 3 Afghans arrested/abducted on "suspicion" of having been involved in weekend shelling of army base in Jalalabad.	AP [Bagram] 4/2/03 - J. Keaten [as usual at Bagram propaganda center]

Day

April 2-3

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
U.S. Special Forces base in Asadabad	Kunar		0	0	U.S. Special Forces, B-1B and A-10s	the large base was hit in the middle of the night by rockets and called for air support. No bombing took place according to a Capt. Alayne Cramer at the Bagram propaganda center	AP [Bagram] 4/2/03 - J. Keaten [as usual at Bagram]

Day

3-Apr

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
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<p>Tor Ghar mountains, 25 kms. northeast of Spin Boldak</p>	<p>Kandahar</p>		<p>0</p>	<p>0</p>	<p>US Special Forces and 300 Afghan troops, A-10s, Harriers, B-1B, Apaches and AC-130s</p>	<p>a major battle rages in the Loi Karez region of the Tor Ghar mountains. US planes dropped 35'000 lbs of bombs [16 tons] on "suspected Taliban positions." Estimates of Taliban force @ 40-100. Local villagers have heeded the Taliban's call for jihad and have joined in the fighting in the Tor Ghar mountains against the troops of arch-warlord Gul Agha Sherzai and US Special Forces [who serve also as Agha's guards in Kandahar]. Recent night letters have warned Afghans of the dire consequences of cooperating with the Americans. The threats have been carried in past weeks - March 19th 3 Afghan border guards had throats slit at guard post in Wata; the Bozakai post came under attack the same night.</p>	<p>Reuters [Spin Boldak] 4/3/03 at 11:54 BST - S.Ali Achakzai [NOT in Bagram!] WP 4/3/03 - April Witt NYT 4/3/03 - C. Gall; Rediff.India [4/4/03] - Ramanda Sengupta</p>
<p>house in city of Peshawar</p>	<p>Pakistan</p>		<p>0</p>	<p>0</p>	<p>Pak. security forces and U.S. agents</p>	<p>allegedly picked up "an Al Qaeda suspect.....of Arab origin." : allegedly picked up two Middle Eastern Al Qaeda suspects. Raid occurred after FBI agents intercepted calls from a cell phone. Men are suspected in assassination of a Pak. intelligence operative in Wana a month ago.</p>	<p>Herald Sun 4/3/03 AP [Pakistan] 4/3/03</p>

home in Deh Rawud	Uruzgan		0	0	Taliban forces	on Thurs. night, suspected Taliban gunned down a Karzai ally of the region, Haji Gilani. Gilani was one of first to welcome Karzai and his Special Forces entourage to the area in Nov. 2001. His nephew was also killed.	AP [4/4/03] - K. Gannon Globe & Mail 4/5/03
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Apr 3-5

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
the villages of Akazia and Sipia in Bala Marghab and Ghormach districts	Badghis		0	0		The incident began with a Taliban force of ~ 500 attacking the villages of Akazia and Sipis, in Baghdis, on April 1st. A local uprising inspired by Taliban leads to 14 local puppet troops being killed. Herat governor's forces go to area. Herat spokesperson claims [?] 50 Taliban rebels killed and others captured [incl. ex-Taliban governor of Badghis as well as Taliban commander Juma Khan]. Khan had allegedly led a group of 400 Taliban in the attacks in the Marghab and Ghormach districts.	Daily Islam-Jihad Unspun 4/3/03; Reuters 5/5/03 Jihad Unspun 4/8/03

Day

4-Apr

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
town of Spin Boldak	Kandahar		0	0	Taliban forces	set off bombs in 3 locations which killed 2 and injured 4 Afghan puppet troops. The Taliban believed to be led by Hafiz Abdul Rahim, a brutal former Taliban secret-police chief of the Qalat area.	Dawn 4/6/03 - staff correspondent Time Asia 2/10/03 - T. McGirk

Day

6-Apr

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Naubahar and Shinkai district headquarters ['uloswali' offices]	Zabol		0	0	Taliban fighters	Taliban fighters surrounded offices, firing weapons in the air. The puppet militia forces fled.	jang.news 4/7/03 - R. Yusufzai

Day

7-Apr

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
village near Sahiwal in central Pakistan, 150 kms. east of Multan	Pakistan		0	0	Pak. security forces	allegedly detain and interrogate two low-ranking 'Al Qaeda suspects'	AP [Multan] 4/9/03

Day

8-Apr

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
villages in the Sangeen district located ~100 kms. northwest of Kandahar	Helmand		0	0	U.S. troops	new raids, house-to-house searches and abductions. US troops allegedly are searching for two one-time important Taliban commanders in northern Afghanistan, Mullah Dadullah and Mullah Aktar Mohammed Osmani. The Garmawak mountains are in Sangeen district and have along with the Musa Killa and Grishik regions, been long-time Taliban havens. The new Helmand operation is called "Operation Resolute Strike" coming on the heels of the failed "Operation Valient Strike." Detained 41 persons on first day, but released 34, meaning that 7 so far have been abducted by U.S. forces [April 9th]. Heavily armed US Special Forces and around 25 aircraft are taking part in this operation which is allegedly aimed at trying to capture Mullahs Dadullah and Akhtar.	AP 4/8/03; Khaleej Times 6/23/02 Reuters 4/9/03 at 4:26 AM ET - P. Besmel Jihad Unspun/Daily Ausaf 4/11/03 Chicago Tribune 5/29/03 - V. Gezari

village of Angorada on the Pak-Afghan border opposite Shkin	Paktika	11-12	11	12	US bombs from two Harrier jets	<p>dropped a 1'000 lb laser - "guided" bomb which "missed" target and obliterated a house, killing 11 civilians (including all of Mawiz Khan's children) and also injuring 4 puppet tropps.</p> <p>Report comes from the Bagram propaganda center. 7 women and 4 men were killed and another person injured. The Harrier dropped a GBU-16 Paveway II bomb made by Lockheed Martin. It was a circular error probability of 9 meters [meaning 50% of the time it falls outside that radius]. On April 9th, Col. Roger King said that no compensation would be made to the victims families, as the deaths were "losses due to combat."US planes dropped two bombs on 2 suspected hideouts at 1 AM, but missed. Another US bombing run took place at 5:25 AM, 500 meters from a Pakistani check post.</p> <p>The bomb landed on the house of Mevunj Gangi Khel, killing 12 who were sleeping and injuring another. Gangi Khel was away and survived.</p>	<p>AP [Kabul] 4/9/03 - T. Pitman in WP 4/9/03 at 4:34 AM EST ABC News Australia 4/10/03 Jihad Unspun/Daily Ausaf 4/11/03</p>
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9-Apr

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Orgun village, 45 kms. north of Barmal	Paktika		0	0	Afghan National Army puppet troops	a 4-hour gun-battle between 'Taliban' and puppet troops. The AP's Pitman says a former 'Taliban minister of border and tribal affairs', Amanullah, is killed. Well, Amanullah Khan Zadran, brother of one-time US warlord, Badsha Khan Zadran, NEVER was a Taliban.	AP [Kabul] 4/9/03 at 10:10 PM - T. Pitman

Day

11-Apr

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Shahjoi district, 90 kms from Qalat	Zabol		0	0	Taliban	apparently ambushed a vehicle and killed an Italian male tourist	BBC 4/11/03

Day

13-Apr

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Spin Boldak	Kandahar		0	0	suspected Taliban	two Afghan puppet troops were gunned down near to Spin Boldak	AP [Kabul] 4/14/03 at 1:55 PDT - T. Pitman

Day

15-Apr

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Gereshk village	Helmand		0	0	Taliban forces	attacked a U.S. base there at night and killed one Afghan puppet militia soldier	VOA News 4/16/03 at 14:53 UTC; Gulf News Daily 4/18/03

Day

16-Apr

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Khar Bolah village south of Kabul	Ghazni		0	0	U.S. Task Force Devil troops	raided village for weapons, according to propaganda center's Col. Roger King	AP 4/17/03 at 4:09 AM ET and photos shown at Yahoo!News on 4/17/03

Day

16-17 April

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
caves near village of Hazarkheyl village	Zabol		0	0	Romanian troops	according to Col. King and the AP's D'Arcy Doran who hangs out at the Bagram propaganda center, Romanian troops discovered a huge arms cache in these caves	AO 4/18/03 at 6:15 AM EDT - Doran

Day

17-Apr

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Baraki Barak district of Logar	Logar		0	0	Afghan 'security'm forces	allegedly arrest the deputy head of the Taliban's Dept. for Prevention of Vice and Preservation of Value religious police. The feared Al-Hal Maulavi Qalamuddin was a veteran of the mujahideen anti-Soviet struggle	Reuters 4/17/03 ; NYT 8/20/97 - J. Burns ; NYT 10/10/98 - J. Burns Jihad Unspun 4/18/03

Day

18-Apr

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
capital city of Maimana	Faryab		0	0	U.S. soldiers arrived	allegedly to stop the fighting between two warlords [both once on the US CIA's payroll as of late October 2001]: Atta's Jamiat and Dostum's Junbish militias, whose fighting left 18 dead in the past week	Dawn 4/20/03

Day

21-Apr

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
U.S raids on two compounds	Uruzgan		0	0	US Special Forces	attack 2 compounds and a firefight erupts. US forces kill one Afghan and abduct 7 others.	jang.news 4/23/03; VOA News 4/23/03 at 14:17 UTC

Day

23-Apr

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
road in Chaparhar district, 12 kms. so. of Jalalabad	Nangarhar		0	0	Taliban forces	remote-controlled mine set off as puppet army's 9th Afghan Army Brigade troop vehicles pass by, killing a senior puppet officer and 2 other soldiers, and wounding seven others.	Reuters 4/23/03; AP 4/25/03 - J. Hashimzada
Deh-i-Chopan (Dai Chopan) district office, 240 kms. n.e. of Kandahar	Zabol		0	0	80 Taliban fighters	late Wed. attack and seizure by 300 Taliban (under leadership of commander Amir Khan of district office, capture of office chief and his guards. This third such attack, earlier ones seized offices at Shinkai and Naubahar also in Zabol. Three puppet troops killed. Later, Taliban retreat to mountains.	Bal. Post 4/24/03 - R. Yusufzai [of jang.news]; BG 4/25/03; AP 4/24/03 - N. Khan Jihad Unspun 4/28/03

Day

24-Apr

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Loi Karez area near Spin Boldak close to border	Kandahar		0	0	US forces and Afghan puppet troops	house-to-house searches and allegedly arrested "several suspected members of the Taliban." US helicopters also involved	Reuters 4/26/03 at 10:27 BST Jihad Unspun 4/27/03

Day

25-Apr

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Shkin village	Paktika		0	0	US troops, two F-16s, an A-10- and Apache helicopters	A patrol of 35 US soldiers was attacked. ~20 Taliban troop attack and kill 2 US troops and wound others as well as an Afghan puppet soldier. US ground forces called-in two F-16s, an A-10 Warthog, and Apache helicopters which strafed and bombed the area. No report available on civilian casualties. Air support could not locate any targets. The 2 US deaths are from 82nd Airborne. Landmines possibly killed 12 US and 7 Afghan troops	AP 4/25/03 Daily Times (Pakistan) 4/28/03 CBSNews.com 4/25/03 from Bagram Dowaigiac Daily News 06/26/03 - J. Eby

Day

26-Apr

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Mata Sangar village, Kurram Agency, near border Pakistan	Pakistan		0	0	Levy political officers	raided house of an Afghan, Bahadur Khan Kharoti. Seized arms (99 missiles, 40 mortar shells, etc.). Arrested and abducted Kharoti	Dawn 4/28/03

Day

29-Apr

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
targets in and around Spin Boldak	Kandahar		0	0	Taliban Forces	Taliban wearing uniforms of Afghan army attacked with heavy machine guns and rockets. The early AM raids hit military post, ammunition depot, and government buildings, killing 3 puppet troops and wounding two others	jang news 4/29/03 and 4/30/03 Daily Times [Pakistan] [5/1/03] - A. Khan
Pak-Afgha border in Balochistan	Pakistan		0	0	F.B.I. and Pakistani agents	allegedly arrest "six Al Qaeda suspects", incl. the Yemeni, Tawfiq bin Attash [or Khallad, or Al-Attash], suspect in the Cole bombing in Balochistan, and Ali Abd al-Aziz, nephew of Khalid Mohammed and an Al Qaeda bagman. Also found explosives and weapons. Caught after a tip-off about an imminent arms shipment. Border area raided which nets the one-legged Yemeni operative, bin Attash and others. Pak. intelligence tracked a potato truck from tribal areas near Afghan border to Karachi. Al Attash was reportedly recruiting persons for an attack on the large US air base in Jacobabad, Pakistan. The persons apparently are part of a new group, Jamaat al-Jehad. Three Arabs captured - al-Attash, Abdul Aziz, Abu Ammar - were turned over on May 3rd to U.S. forces. Ammar al-Balochi captured in Karachi on 29th. He was allegedly a messenger for Khalid Shaikh Mohammad	AP 4/30/01; Arab News 5/2/03 jang.news 5/3/03 ; Asia Times 5/3/03 - S.S. Shahzad Time 5/5/03 - T. McGirk and E. Shannon Asia Times 6/28/03 - S.S. Shahzad

Day

April, no date

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
U.S. bases in and around Asadabad	Kunar		0	0	Taliban and allies	routine attacks since August 2002 upon the large U.S. Special Forces base - housing ~ 500 troops - in Argul near Asadabad, renamed "Tupchi" in old administrative buildings since July 2002. The base was hit on August 27, 2002 with mortar and heavy weaponry, injuring and killing Special Forces. On August 22, 2002, US Special Forces had abducted 12 people to the main Bagram base. Base attacked in late April 2003.	PakNews.com 5/4/03 - M. Khurshid; Le Soir [Belgium] 9/2/02 - A. Lallemand in Kunar

Day

1-May

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
raids on villages of Chapan district	Zabol		0	0		arrested and abducted 10 alleged 'Taliban suspects', incl. two brothers related by family to former Taliban militia commanders. All being held in Qalat jail. No reason stated why brothers were arrested except a family relation - apparently sufficient under 'the law' in Karzai's 'new Afghanistan.'	jang.news 5/4/03

Day

May 2/3

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
outskirts of Karachi	Pakistan		0	0	Pak. Police	at 1:30 A.M, police intercept an explosives & weapons delivery on Super Highway near the old sabzi [vegetable] market, capturing two alleged Al Qaeda suspects - Mohammed Anwar [alias Jabbar] and Habibullah [alias Abdul Salam] who were caught in their vehicle loaded with more than 134 kgs. of explosives. A third suspect, A Burmese, Abdul Mutallib was also arrested. All 3 sent to jail on May	Gulf News 5/3/03 - M. Ali jang.news 5/16/03

Day

3-May

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Windar village in Balochistan	Pakistan		0	0	Pak. Police	raided a house and arrested an Egyptian, Jawad al-Bashr, and an Afghan, Fardin Shah, alleged to be "two foreign national Al Qaeda operatives." Intelligence agencies had intercept a sat. phone conversation.	Geo News Channel cited in jang.news 5/3/03 Dawn 5/4/03
Surjani town, lower middle class township in Karachi	Pakistan		0	0	Pak. Police	the above raid led investigators to Surjani where they arrested two more Egyptians - Abdul Khaliq Mohammad and Abi Abdullah	Dawn 5/4/03

Day

4-May

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Birmal area	Paktika		0	0	US and Afghan troops	searches in area where two days ago Al Qaeda-Taliban forces attacked US troops near Birmal, inflicting losses [unreported]	PakNews.com 5/4/03 - M. Khurshid

Day

5-May

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
-	Ghazni		0	0	Afghan gov't forces	arrested a mentally-ill ex-Taliban, Asadullah Saddozai, once a Taliban intelligence officer. Also arrested and abducted Mullah Shaheedkhel, a former Taliban deputy education minister, as well as [80?] "other Taliban supporters." Arrested for "planning terrorist attacks."	jang.news 5/6/03
Zafar Khel (Khey) village in Khogiani district, south of Jalalabad	Nangarhar	5	5	5	"a black U.S. plane"	according to farmers in the area, the U.S plane sprayed pungent chemicals over fields and orchards, including poppy fields. A few days later, the poppy plants and fruits started withering away. A married , according to the Afghan Islamic Press. Farmer said a woman in neighboring Manogi village and 4 children in Markikhel village died after eating sprayed fruit. AIP said similar spraying took place in five other Nangarhar districts	AP 5/9/03 Jang.news 5/10/03 Guardian 6/9/03 - L. Harding

Day

6-May

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Gardez	Paktia		0	0	US Special Forces	a patrol near Gardez arresed and abducted two persons "believed to be associated with the Hizb-e-Islami Gulbuddin Hekmatyr group" according to a military spokesman at the Bagram propaganda center. The same patrol also found land mine booby traps.	Agence France-Presee 8/8/03

Day

7-May

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
village of Kalacha in Deh Rawud district	Uruzgan		0	0	suspected Taliban	another assasination similar to that of April 4, 2003. A Muslim cleric, Habibullah, gunned down outside a mosque in Kalacha. The cleric was close to the US puppet in Kabul, Karzai. Six persons were later arrested.	AP 5/10/03 - Noor Khan [Kandahar]

Day

8-May

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Surjani Town and Shah Noorani	Balochistan, Pakistan		0	0	"intelligence forces" and Pakistani Rangers	raid netted an "Al Qaeda suspect" and former Taliban official, Asmatullah Kaka, in a small house in Surjani area. A second raid in Shah Noorani netted Ibadat Jan Ilahi and weapons.	jang.news 5/9/03 Gulf News 5/10/03

Day

10-May

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Lalmi village, 5kms w. of Khost	Paktia	3	3	3	US Apache helicopters, fighter jets, and ground forces	dawn attack upon a compound by US planes in Lalmi. On Friday a US Afghan convoy was ambushed with rockets and machine gun fire in the area, killing one Afghan soldier and wounding an American (possibly killing 3 Italian troops). Planes bombed compound and 3 other sites in village for 3 hours, killing 3 civilians (2 women and a child). Witnesses said US helicopters evacuated dead and wounded.	BBC News Online 5/10/03 at 09:46 GMT AP 5/10/03 - A. Shah Dawn 5/11/03 Daily Islam - Jihad Unspun 5/12/03 NNI 5/12/03 ABC (Australia) 5/11/03 NYT 5/10/03 - C. Gall

Day

May 14/15

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
southern outskirts of Karachi	Pakistan		0	0	Pak. intell. Forces	overnight raid nets a foreign "Al Qaeda suspect," Iffan ul-Hassham, and some electronic equipment	Reuters 5/15/03 at 04:28 AM ET

Day

16-May

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
a road in Khogiani district, 30 kms. south of Jalalabad	Nangarhar		0	0	unknown assaultants	ambushed and killed military chief of Khogiani district, commander Abdullah, and his driver	jang.news 5/16/03
US base at Birmel	Paktika		0	0	Mujahideen forces	at 11:00PM attacked US troops at Birmel and destroyed three personnel carriers, killing 10 US troops. US officials addmitted the incident, but said only 2 soldiers killed	Islam Online 05/19/03 - Nadeem Shaker, IOL Afghan Correspondent

Day

20-May

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Torkham border post	Nangarhar		0	0	Afghan border police	search an in-bound truck and discover 160 rockets and bombs hidden underneath vegetables. Arrest two persons.	jang.news 5/20/03
north of Kandahar	Nangarhar		0	0	US & Afghan troops	seized and destroyed a weapons cache [rifles, mortar shells and 107 mm rockets] and abducted "several persons"	jang.news 5/21/03

Day

May - 19-20

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
villages 60 kms. north of Kandahar	Kandahar		0	0	hundreds of US troops ferried-in by Chinook helicopters	raid villages searching for Taliban and Al Qaeda. Searches, frisking Afghan women, etc.. No one found. Many photos exist of the raid, called "Operation Deliberate Strike," taken by Reuters photographer Kamal Kishore.	Yahoo!News photos captions

Day

21-May

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
near US Embassy	Kabul		0	0	US soldiers guarding Embassy	fire upon and mistakenly kill 3-4 Afghan security men and wound their commander, opposite the US Embassy. Anti-US protests followed the killings, on May 24th demonstrators hurled rocks at the US Embassy.	jang.news 5/21/03 LAT 5/22/03-N. Murshed and P. Watson WP 5/25/03 - April Witt
20 kms southwest of Gardez	Paktia		3	7	A Provincial 'Reconstruction' Team comprised of US civic affairs troops and Afghan puppet soldiers	the Garbez-based PRT team was engaged by some "30 enemy forces." Call-in close air support - two A-10s and an AC-130 . The Bagram propaganda center [Col. Rodney Davis] says "3 rebels killed." Unclear whethe these might have been civilians. Afghan Interior Ministry said seven unarmed civilians killed in the firefight. Two US soldiers killed	AP 5/22/03 at 07:05 AM ; Dawn 5/23/03 AFP 5/22/03
Gardeyskheyl, 30 kms north of Gardez	Paktia		0	0	Mujahideen forces	attacked two US military vehicles in a land mine explosion. Eyewitnesses said US forces arrested a leader of the Jankhel tribe in conextion with incident	Jihad Uspun 5/26/03

Day

24-May

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
village of Watapur	Kunar		0	0	US Special Forces	US forces raid home of a former Taliban district official, Niameetullah, in the village of Watapur, seeking to abduct him. He and his neighbors resisted and a firefight ensued, in which 2 Afghan women and a man were wounded. Niameetullah escaped but drowned in a nearby stream.	jang.news 5/25/03 Online 6/3/03 Islam

Day

25-May

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
near a Kandahar government facility	Kandahar		0	0	Afghan security forces	allegedly captured 10 "suspected Taliban" (including a Mullah Janan, former Taliban governor of Faryab province and military commander in Faryab and Badghis) who were said to be in possession of mines and explosives. Prisoners held in Kandahar's Intelligence Dept.	Dawn 5/26/03 5/26/03 - C. Gall 5/25/03 5/29/03 5/26/03 at 11:11Am ET NYT AFP AP Reuters

Day

27-May

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	
remote Maradhow (or Mirani) village in Mizan district, 30 kms west of Qalat	Zabol		0	0	Afghan puppet forces	several hours gunbattle allegedely kills 2 local Taliban commanders - Mullah Ghausuddin and Mullah Mohammad. Ghausuddin was the leading commander in Zabol. Raid took placxe based on a tip that Taliban was hiding in this remote village	FT 5/27/03 citing Reuters Dawn 5/29/03
Shahkas village near Jamrud, 25 kms west of Peshawar	Pakistan		0	0	Pak. security forces	dawn raid upon house in Shahkas, arrest and abduct a " Abdullah" allegeded to be an Al Qaeda Afghan from Jalalabad	AFP 5/27/03

Day

28-May

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	
near Spin Boldak	kandahar		0	0	Afghan security forces	routine vehicle check leads to arrest a former Taliban logistics officer in Kandahar, Mullah Nasrullah Zarrif and Mullah Haji Mohammad, a former Taliban military officer. The taxi was carrying rifles, rockets, and handgranades. Zarrif allegedly admitted during "questioning" that he was allied with Taliban commander Hafiz Abdul Rahim	jang.news 5/29/03 AP 5/29/03 - Noor Khan PakNews (PNS) 6/3/03 at 09:51

Day

June- No date

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
Spin Boldak area	Kandahar		0	0	French Special Forces	On June 2, 2003, French President Chirac announced France would send "a contingent" of French Special Forces to help the Americans. In late September, about 150 elite French Special Forces were dug-in near the Pak. border about 10-20 kms. south of Spin Boldak.	AP 6/2/03; Spacewar.com 6/23/0; AP 10/1/03 - A. Ramos

Day

1-Jun

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
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Shah-i-Kot mountain area	Paktia		0	0	large US military operation involving ground troops and helicopters	called Operation Dragon Fury, 4 suspects enemy fighters captured and brought to Bagram	Islam Online 6/3/03
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Day

3-Jun

Location	Province	Civilian deaths	Low Count	High Count	Weapon	Commentary	Sources
US base at Assadbad	Kunar		0	0	Taliban rocket	hits base and kills 4 US troops and injures 2 others. In retaliation for the killing of Niametullah	Islam Online 6/3/03



An Indonesian woman expresses her sentiments about the US Air Force's liberating role

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