

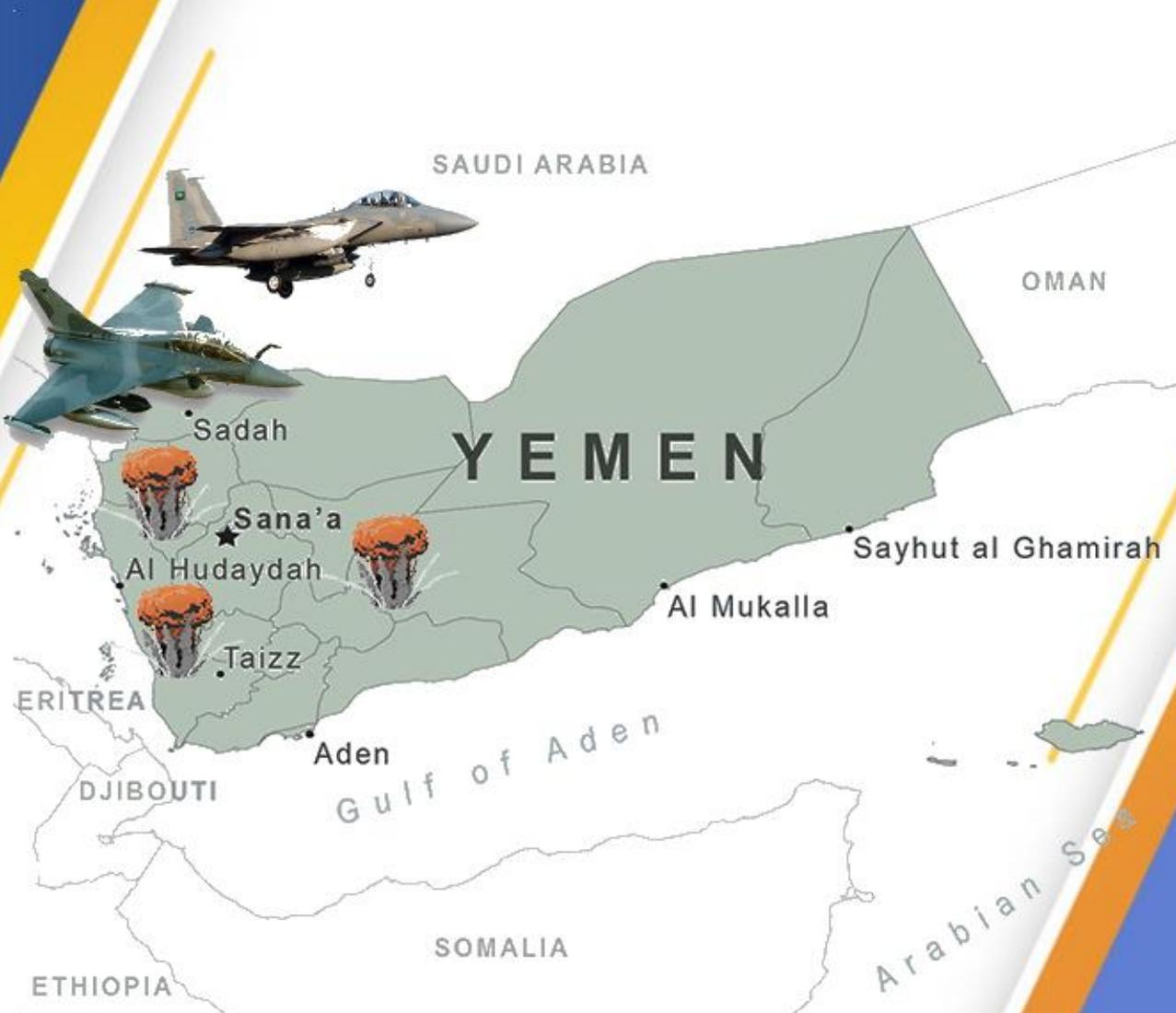
# REPUBLIC OF YEMEN

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## The Monthly Report on the General Situation in the Republic of Yemen



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## **POLITICAL PREFACE**

1. The war on terrorism, which is a hollow sham, continues to be demonstrated in Yemen by the US-UK-led War Coalition countries against Yemen, which keep on deceiving their people and the world with this hoax.
2. These facts were exposed after the victory of our people in its battle against the War Coalition forces and their mercenaries in Al-Jawf Governorate a few months ago, where the TV cameras, including the British BBC, documented the heavy presence of Al-Qaeda and ISIS elements side by side with the armies of those countries.
3. Today, the scene repeats itself in a battle with another victory in Al-Bayda Governorate with its vast and mountainous geographical areas. Shocking the remaining fools, the Yemeni people have exposed the extent of presence, integration and cooperation between the War Coalition camps, protected and supported by the US and Britain, and the forces of terrorism, which clearly and unequivocally include heavily armed groups raising Al-Qaeda banner in full view of the forces that always pretend dedication to fighting terrorism. They provided the terrorists with all this support, despite the atrocities committed by these groups against the people of Al-Bayda Governorate before its liberation. Therefore, the people of that province fought fiercely against these groups side by side with the Sana'a Government army and its popular committees, except for a few mercenaries who sold themselves cheaply with the Saudi and Emirati money.
4. As in all the battles of struggle and freedom from the aggressors on all the regions of Yemen, the Yemeni popular determination has defeated the War Coalition forces in the Battle of Al-Bayda, which was decisive and has exposed more than ever before the reality of the US, British, Saudi, and the UAE support for Al-Qaeda and ISIS in Yemen. The terrorists who could flee the battle were actually transferred to the camps of those countries located in the remaining unliberated parts of our beloved Governorate of Marib, the land of glory and dignity that is deeply rooted in history.
5. The War Coalition countries and the so-called 'Legitimate Government' use terrorist organizations to destabilize security in the occupied southern governorates through the Brigade 173 of the War Coalition countries, which used groups of Takfiris and elements of Al-Qaeda and supported them with various military and financial logistical materials to confront the Army and Popular Committees, affiliated to the National Salvation Government, in Jabal Malih in Nati' district of Al-Bayda Governorate.
6. A group of armed terrorists supported by the War Coalition against Yemen were killed this month, including the so-called Amir Al-Qaeda in the Bayhan Wilayat of Shabwa Governorate, while they were participating in the fighting within the ranks of the Bayhan Axis forces at the bottom of the strategic mountain, Aqabat Al-Qunthi'.
7. Nevertheless, the people of the province, supported by the honorable Yemeni people around them, and backed by the Army and its Popular Committees, stood as the artisans of the country's salvation. The enemy shall be certainly defeated, as they were previously crushed in Al-Bayda, Al-Jawf, and Nihm regions, accompanied by a political and moral defeat and a disgrace for the US and British leaders who spend the taxes collected from honorable citizens of their countries in support of criminal terrorist groups to fight the beloved Yemeni people, a nation that only seeks freedom, independence and dignity.

## **ECONOMIC SITUATION**

8. More than 1.5 million public sector employees have been living in the Yemeni Capital, Sana'a, and the areas under the control of the National Salvation Government, without salaries since September 2016, after the so-called Hadi government in Riyadh announced the transfer of the Central Bank from the Capital, Sana'a, to the city of Aden in the south. The decision to transfer CBY administration to Aden had catastrophic consequences for the lives of public sector employees, whose salaries were suspended, which is their only source of income and on which they depend to secure their basic needs. This has exacerbated the employees' economic situation and caused food insecurity to their dependents.
9. The Central Bank of Yemen was transferred from the Capital, Sana'a, to the governorate of Aden in August 2016, under the auspices of the UN, with moral commitments to maintain the impartiality of the bank and ensure the payment of salaries to all. The so-called Hadi government in Aden has also promised to pay the salaries of all public sector employees, based on the December-2014 lists. However, Hadi government repudiated its

- commitments, ignoring all calls and appeals for employees' salaries. They also ignored the severe economic conditions of these employees, whose families have been vulnerable to diseases and epidemics, and are incapable to get the most basic needs, as a result of the high cost of living.
10. Oil and gas production facilities and ports are still under the control of the War Coalition countries, which keep on depleting, collecting and looting the revenues of these facilities. In fact, oil and gas revenues can cover the salaries of public sector employees, finance imports of basic commodities, calm exchange rate fluctuations, reduce inflation waves, resume the monetary cycle in the national economy, and ease the humanitarian crisis in all regions of Yemen.
  11. This month, the port of Aden received four cash money containers of large-sized 1,000 riyals banknotes, despite the continued collapse of the local currency against foreign currencies in southern and eastern Yemen, due to the useless financial policies and decisions of Hadi government and CBY in Aden. On the contrary, the National Salvation Government in Sana'a proclaimed that this newly printed banknote is a counterfeit currency that cannot be traded.
  12. The Central Bank of Aden announces the injection of billions of newly printed banknotes, the large-sized one-thousand-riyal bill to enhance its circulation further, without identifying the printed amount. Notably, the local currency in the occupied southern areas under the control of the Saudi-Emirati aggression coalition has witnessed a new collapse in its value against foreign currencies, as the exchange rate in Aden, Hadramout and the remaining southern regions reached 1050 YR per one US dollar, while the Saudi riyal has reached 280 YR. On the contrary, the Yemeni Riyal maintained a state of stability in the Capital, Sana'a, as the dollar rate has not exceeded the limits of 600 YR against the US dollar.
  13. The World Food Program (WFP) states that Yemen may face a financial deficit over the coming months, with the continued suffering of millions of people who are incapable to purchase sufficient food due to the rise in food prices by more than 22% during the first half of 2021, as the Yemeni riyal hits a record low of 1,000 YR per 1 USD in the areas of Hadi government. Besides, the inadequate consumption of food reached more than 40%. They added that the program had received more than \$1 billion out of the \$1.9 billion needed to continue aid.
  14. As the oil derivatives ships are detained and prevented from docking at Hodeidah port despite obtaining UN pass permits, Yemenis in all governorates have to bear huge amounts that vary from one governorate to another to obtain gasoline. This also coincides with a significant deterioration in living conditions and the suspension of basic services.
  15. Yemeni markets in all governorates witnessed an increase in the prices of basic commodities, including food and clothing, which far exceeded the purchasing power of the citizen amid the difficult living conditions resulting from the ongoing war on Yemen for more than six years.

#### Statistics of the economic and agricultural establishments targeted by the Saudi-led coalition air strikes in various governorates during the month of (July 2021)

Enterprise	Size of damage			Notes
	Destroyed	Damaged	Total	
<b>Tank and Water Pumps</b>	24	34	<b>58</b>	Including wells, pumps, reservoirs, water networks and irrigation projects
<b>Agricultural Fields</b>	63	126	<b>189</b>	Including all types of farms as well as agricultural nurseries and equipment
<b>Markets</b>	1		<b>1</b>	
<b>Commercial Facilities</b>	6	22	<b>28</b>	
<b>Poultry Farms</b>	1		<b>1</b>	
<b>Food Trucks</b>	4		<b>4</b>	
<b>Food Warehouses</b>		3	<b>3</b>	
<b>Sea Ports</b>	1		<b>1</b>	

## HUMANITARIAN SITUATION

16. For more than six years, the US and Britain have been trying to demonstrate a neutral stand and eagerness for peace in Yemen, despite their constant efforts to falsify the facts. We can review the facts revealed by the British

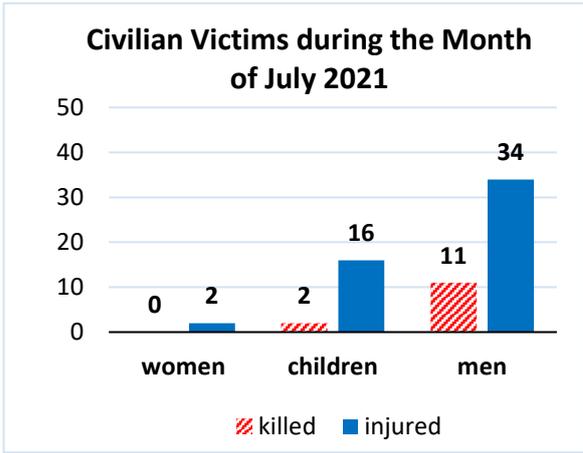
newspaper The Independent about the true role of the UK in the deadly war on Yemen. The newspaper relied on the report of the United Nations Human Rights Council, which indicated the following:

- a) Britain is a cause of all the destruction and killing in Yemen, its land and people. It has also contributed to the world's worst humanitarian crisis in Yemen, as described by the United Nations. It is an inevitable consequence of the ongoing war on Yemen and the imposition of a comprehensive blockade by closing ports and airports, foremost of which are Sana'a International Airport and the Port of Hodeidah.
  - b) The report warned against Britain's assistance to Saudi Arabia in committing crimes amounting to "war crimes" by selling weapons to the Saudi Kingdom which is fighting a war alongside the UAE in Yemen.
  - c) The report confirmed that Britain and other countries providing weapons to Saudi Arabia are likely to help and support war crimes in Yemen.
  - d) The report asserts that British government has ignored a court-ordered ban on arms exports to Saudi Arabia.
  - e) The newspaper indicates also that Hannah Cooper, Oxfam Humanitarian Policy Advisor in Yemen, stated that "Every day civilians die or are injured in this absurd conflict, while also facing hunger and disease, in what is considered the worst humanitarian crisis in the world." She adds, "Members of the international community, including the United Kingdom, must stop fueling conflict by selling weapons for use in war."
17. In a previous report published three years ago, the British Daily Mail revealed the UK's role in the Saudi war on Yemen and described it as a "dirty war." The main points of the report are as follows:
- The British Army is secretly training Saudi troops; and more than 50 British soldiers are training Saudi soldiers on the war skills to fight in this "dirty war," as it describes it.
  - Since 2015, the ongoing war on Yemen has so far resulted in thousands of deaths by aerial bombing raids, leaving almost one million Yemeni children at risk of famine and severe epidemics as a result of the war on Yemen.
  - The British MP and former Minister for International Development, Andrew Mitchell, pointed out that the British Army's involvement in this war is part of Britain's "shameful complicity" in this suffering. He called for answers in the House of Commons about the UK's role in the Saudi military operations in Yemen. He asserted that the United Kingdom was "shamefully complicit" in this war and in a manner that was in violation of the Geneva Conventions. "I have no doubt that Parliament will demand clarification on the training, given the concern about the humanitarian catastrophe unfolding in Yemen," he added.
18. The flow of weapons from the United States and European countries, including the UK, contributed to prolonging the war on Yemen, which has been going on for more than six years, causing massive destruction and thousands of civilian casualties. These practices have already been criticized in a report issued by the United Nations Group of Eminent Experts on Monitoring Human Rights Violations, pointing the parties that sell weapons to the forces of war on Yemen, particularly the US, the UK and France, and considering this step as a continuation of support for the War Coalition against Yemen.

## CRIMES AND VIOLATIONS

19. During this month, the countries of War Coalition against Yemen, led by the US, KSA and UAE, and the armed groups supported by them especially in the governorates of Taiz, Hodeidah, Marib and Al-Bayda, continued deliberately to launch air strikes, direct artillery shelling and indiscriminate attacks on citizens' homes, private properties, populated areas and gathering places such as markets and commercial centers, as well as vital civilian places and facilities. They also keep on targeting, burning and damaging dozens of agricultural lands and destroying them with various types of weapons, especially cluster bombs that were spread on those farms. As a result, a number of children, women, farmers, and various livestock, including sheep and cows, were killed and injured. All these indiscriminate attacks have led to many casualties including children and women.
20. The War Coalition countries, through their army on the borders, continued to target civilian homes and markets in the villages and cities of Sa'adah Governorate, killing and wounding many residents of those areas. Moreover, in this month, the armed groups supported by the Coalition of Aggression in the western coast region of Hodeidah Governorate violated the Stockholm Agreement for more than 290 breaches through air raids via spy planes or by targeting the civilians' homes with mortars, leading to many casualties among them.

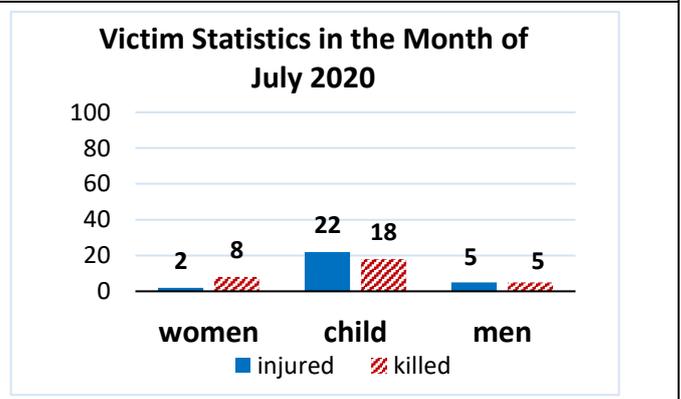
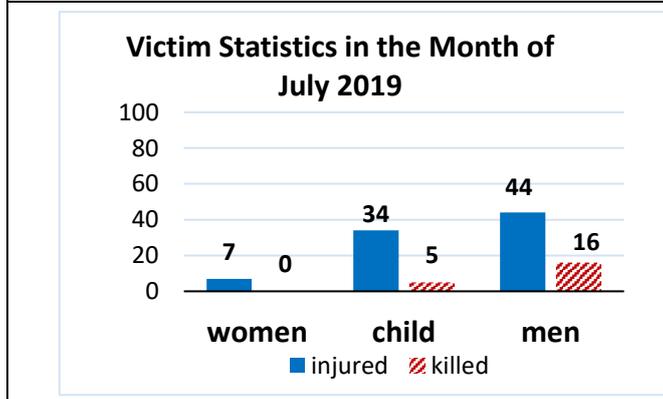
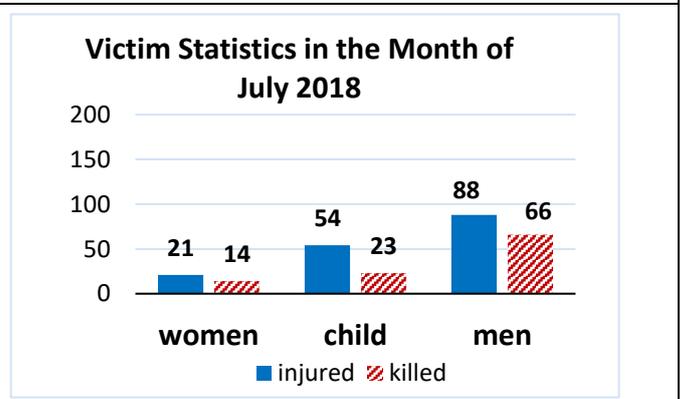
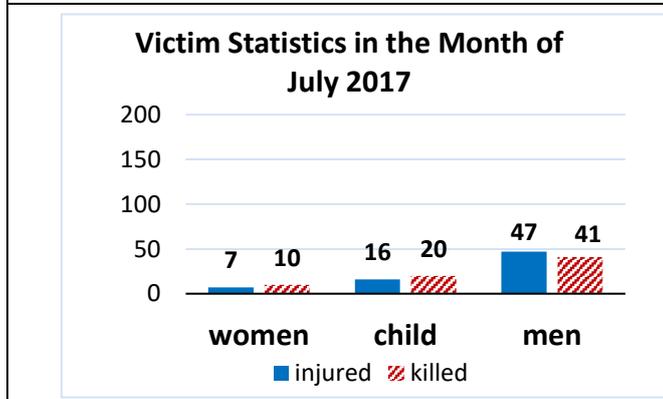
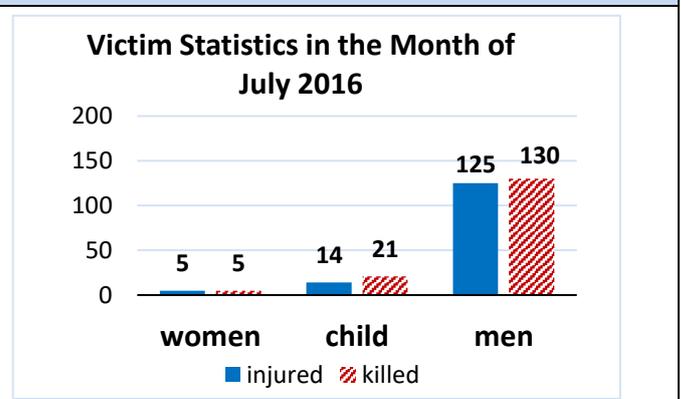
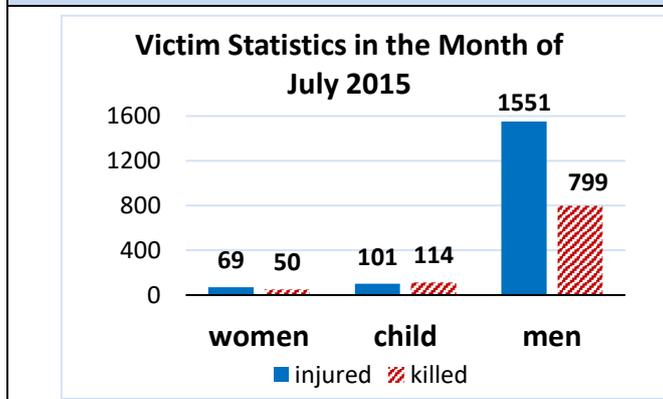
## STATISTICS



### Statistics for Victims During the Month of July 2021

11	killed	2	killed	0	Killed
34	injured	16	injured	2	injured
<b>Dead</b>		<b>Total Victims</b>		<b>Wounded</b>	
<b>13</b>		<b>65</b>		<b>52</b>	

## HAPPENED ON THIS MONTH (July of Previous Years)



## Statistics of the number of air raids and missile and artillery bombing launched by the Saudi-led Coalition this month in various provinces (July 2021)

Governorate	Air Raid	Rocket Bombing	Artillery Bombing	Cluster Bombs	Sound Bombs	Light Bombs	Drone	Warships	Total Number
Ibb				1					1
Capital Secretariat				3					3
al Bayda	72								72
Al-Jawf	25								25
Hodeida	4	411,3	6,512				104		10,031
Taiz		55							55
Hajjah	8			1					9
Saada	52	721	100,1	1					1,874
Amran				1					1
Marib	528								528
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>689</b>	<b>4,187</b>	<b>7,612</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>104</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>12,599</b>

## Statistics of Destroyed and Damaged Facilities During July 2021



## STORY OF THE MONTH

### *(Who would Restore Smile to the Little Girl, Doa'a?)*

Hussein Ibrahim lives with his family in a small cottage made of mud and covered with palm fronds in Hodeidah. It consists of three small rooms and one bathroom. Despite the modest conditions of the hut and the possibility of being easily destroyed and collapse with rains, the family happily decorated its walls with drawings.

Doa'a, one year old, is the youngest daughter of the family who suffers from severe acute malnutrition with complications. Her father, Hussein, says with tearful eyes, "When I looked at my daughter, I felt very sad and helpless. However, I did not give up. I had to borrow some money and took my daughter to the nearest health center, which is located an hour's drive from my house. I was afraid that she might die on the way before we got there". Hussein works in the profession of making palm rope beds, which are widely used in Hodeidah. However, the money he earns every day is not sufficient to meet his family's food needs, as the money he earns is very little. During the pre-war period, the prices were relatively reasonable.

Little Doa'a arrived at the nutrition center with a very critical condition and suffering from severe malnutrition with complications including pneumonia and the inability to breastfeed. The nourishing center receives between 50-60 children and women suffering from severe acute malnutrition every month. Dr. Dhia, a physician in the center, explains the seriousness of Doa'a's health condition and warns of the deteriorating health conditions in general and specifically the difficulty of maintaining the health of malnourished children. In the end, Doa'a returned to her home along with her father and mother. They were worried whether their little daughter Doa'a would survive or that she might die like the other children who die daily due to malnutrition.

"I wish with all my heart that the smile would be restored on the face of my little daughter, Doa'a" Hussein repeats disconsolately.

