

# Codebook

## DSW Conflict Incident Dataset Codebook (DSW-CID Codebook)

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## Introduction

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The Conflict Incident Dataset for the southern most provinces of Thailand is created on two ideas: First, to develop body of knowledge on public policy analyses related with solutions to the unrest in the southern border provinces, and second, to respond to the lack of systematic and valid data in the middle of the complexity and uncertainty of violent incidents in the southern border provinces, especially during the first period of the spread of violence when there was no reliable data in order to understand such incidents.

The Conflict Incident Dataset for the southern most provinces is a result of continuous developments of various research projects for more than two decades, before it was finally integrated as a part of component and mission of DeepSouth Watch and Center for Conflict Studies and Cultural Diversity (CSCD). DeepSouth Watch was established in 2006 from the collaboration of people from various occupational backgrounds and expertise in order to monitor and analyse the conflict and violence in the southern border provinces, and to develop policy proposals based on data and researches. The early database was developed through several research projects of CSCD, which is a research unit of Prince of Songkla University. It was established in 2008 in order to respond to the conflict situation at that time with assistances from international organisations, foreign research institutes and embassies of foreign countries in Bangkok. These institutes recognised importance of monitoring the violent situation in the southern border provinces of Thailand, and particularly needed data from a policy research institute independent from all parties in this conflict.

The database mentioned above is an important alternative in order to understand the conflict and develop policy proposals to solve the problems in the southern border provinces. The development of the database in the last two decades can be divided into some phases, in which the database was developed along with researches and policy proposals as follows:

1. **The first version or Version 1.0** is a result of a research in 1999 conducted by a group of researcher led by Srisompob Jitpiomsri, a lecturer of Faculty of Humanities and Social Science, Prince of Songkla University, Pattani Campus at that time. The research was about the unrest in the southern border provinces. The starting point for the development of the database was a study on data submitted to the Southern Border Provinces Administrative Centre (SBPAC). At that time it was a database for the period of 1993-2001, developed from data files of government security agencies. This initial stage of the development was financially supported by the Southern Border Provinces Administrative Centre (SBPAC).<sup>1</sup>
2. **Version 2.0** used the structure of the original database from the research mentioned above. It was developed after the number of violent incidents had unprecedentedly increased since 2004, its budget supported by a research project on the drug abuse in the southern border provinces under the Office of the Narcotics Control Board. At the end of the same year, this database provided clear pictures of violence compared to the

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<sup>1</sup> ศรีสมภพ จิตรภักดิ์ศรี, ปิยะ กิจถาวร, พะเยาว์ ละกะเต็บ, ราชีดิระ ระเด่นอาหมัด และอาคม ไสวณนา, รายงานโครงการศึกษาวิเคราะห์สถานการณ์การเปลี่ยนแปลงด้านสังคมจิตวิทยา เศรษฐกิจและความมั่นคงของจังหวัดชายแดนภาคใต้ (ศูนย์วิจัยมนุษยศาสตร์และสังคมศาสตร์ คณะมนุษยศาสตร์และสังคมศาสตร์ มหาวิทยาลัยสงขลานครินทร์ วิทยาเขตปัตตานี, 2542)

situation in the same region in the past one decade ago. Interestingly, the study was disseminated by mass media before it was developed into an academic article.<sup>2</sup>

3. **Version 3.0** is a step forward of the development in the following year (2005) after Srisompob and his colleagues were invited to join a research group studying the violent situation in order to fulfil one of the missions of the National Reconciliation Commission, set up by the government at that time after the tragedy in Tak Bai. The important findings of this study are the patterns and structure of violence during the previous several months, presented based on the analysis of the incident database.<sup>3</sup> The structure of the database Version 3.0 was later adopted and modified as the database of DeepSouth Watch for the following years.
4. **Version 4.0** was made through collaborations with foreign research institutions with expertise in conflict database such as the Uppsala Conflict Data Project of Uppsala University, Sweden<sup>4</sup> and the Armed Conflict Location and Event Database (ACLED), the US<sup>5</sup>. Apart from these, there were collaborations with international organisations such as the World Bank and the Asia Foundation to conduct comparative studies about conflicts and violence in different contexts. DeepSouth Watch thus modified its database during the period of 2013-2014 in order to develop it into the DeepSouth Incident Database or DSID<sup>6</sup> which included new categorisations and definitions in the database. The data were later published regularly on the organisation's website, and used for the purpose of academic analyses<sup>7</sup>.
5. **Versin 5.0** or the current version is newly modified to be developed as an open database so that users are able to use the data for the purpose of researches, communication, and policy making of government agencies or local administrative organisations. This version is designed for easy online access, following the tendency of the society to regard interactions between databases and the users as a significant factor. The development of this fifth version of the database was supported by the annual budget of 2021 for the

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<sup>2</sup> ศรีสมภพ จิตร์ภิรมย์ศรี, “หนึ่งปีหนึ่งทศวรรษความรุนแรงชายแดนภาคใต้ : ปริศนาของปัญหาและทางออก,” รัฐศาสตร์สาร 26, 1 (2548): 79-90; ศรีสมภพ จิตร์ภิรมย์ศรี, “ทศวรรษแห่งพัฒนาการความรุนแรงในจังหวัดชายแดนใต้: ปฏิกริยาถูกใช้ในการต่อต้านและการตอบโต้ของรัฐ,” ใน คณะกรรมการจัดการประชุมวิชาการ รัฐศาสตร์และรัฐประศาสนศาสตร์ในส่วนภูมิภาค ประจำปี 2548 (ภาคใต้) คณะวิทยาการจัดการ มหาวิทยาลัยสงขลานครินทร์ (บรรณาธิการ). *การสร้างความสัมพันธ์และร่วมกันฟื้นฟูท้องถิ่นภาคใต้* (สงขลา: มาสเตอร์พีช แอนด์ โคเรเซอร์, 2549), 59-67.

<sup>3</sup> Srisompob Jitpiromsri, *The Structural Violence or the Structure of Violence in the Southern Border Provinces, The Violent Situation in the Southern Border Provinces in the Last 2 years 2004-2005* (Bangkok, The National Reconciliation Commission, 2006). (ศรีสมภพ จิตร์ภิรมย์ศรี, *ความรุนแรงเชิงโครงสร้างหรือโครงสร้างความรุนแรงในจังหวัดชายแดนใต้สถานการณ์ความรุนแรงในจังหวัดชายแดนภาคใต้ในรอบ 2 ปี พ.ศ. 2547-2548* (กรุงเทพมหานคร: คณะกรรมการอิสระเพื่อความสมานฉันท์แห่งชาติ, 2549))

<sup>4</sup> Ralph Sundberg and Erik Melander, “Introducing the UCDP Georeferenced Event Dataset,” *Journal of Peace Research* 50, 4 (2013): 523–532.

<sup>5</sup> Clionadh Raleigh, Andrew Linke, Håvard Hegre, and Joakim Karlsen. “Introducing ACLED: An Armed Conflict Location and Event Dataset,” *Journal of Peace Research* 47, 5 (2010): 651–660.

<sup>6</sup> Adrian Morel, 2019. VIMS-Violent Incidents Monitoring Systems: A Methods Toolkit, The Asia Foundation, July 2016, <https://asiafoundation.org/wp-content/uploads/2016/08/VIMS-Methods-Toolkit.pdf> (accessed 4 January 2019)

<sup>7</sup> Srisompob Jitpiromsri. “The Deep South of Thailand: 15 Years in Fields of Open Conflict, Violence and Peace Narratives.” *Asian International Studies Review* 20, Special Issue (June 2019): 79-108.

Basic Research Project of CSCD<sup>8</sup> and Studying and Strengthening the Quality and Accessibility of Data on the Deep South for CSOs, Research Institutions and Government as a part of the funding from the USAID.

This codebook is an effort to make the DSW Conflict Incident Dataset more systematic and easy for citations and researches in the future, hoping that the database shall be beneficial for understanding the situation, creating knowledge and functioning as the foundation in finding peaceful solutions in the future.

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<sup>8</sup> โครงการวิจัยบูรณาการความรู้และพัฒนาระบบข้อมูลนโยบาย เศรษฐกิจสังคมและเหตุการณ์จังหวัดชายแดนภาคใต้เพื่อสร้างสมานฉันท์และการพัฒนาที่ยั่งยืน ในแผนงานแผนงานการพัฒนาองค์ความรู้และตัวแบบนโยบายบูรณาการด้านเศรษฐกิจสังคม การศึกษา สันติภาพและยุติธรรมเพื่อสร้างสมานฉันท์และการพัฒนาที่ยั่งยืนในจังหวัดชายแดนภาคใต้ แผนงานวิจัยของหน่วยงานด้านวิทยาศาสตร์วิจัยและนวัตกรรม (ววน.). มหาวิทยาลัยสงขลานครินทร์ประจำปีงบประมาณ 2564

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## Basic Definition

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### Conflict

A struggle to seize something valuable or to claim status, power, resources, rights in administration and rights on land, by causing the opposite side(s) or other parties to die, to be injured or to be forced not to fight back or to resist.

### Incident

Any act which is related to or might possibly be related to the conflict in the southern border provinces, with the boundary of the southern border provinces according to the meaning mentioned above can be divided into three categories as follows:

- Category A includes incidents in three provinces and four districts, i.e. Pattani, Yala, Narathiwat and four districts in Songkhla Province adjacent to the provinces mentioned above (Chana, Na Thawi, Thepha and Saba Yoi) where the special laws<sup>9</sup> have been enforced for no less than 15 years.
- Category B includes incidents in five provinces, i.e. Pattani, Yala, Narathiwat, Songkhla and Satun. These provinces are covered by Act on the Administration of the Southern Border Provinces B.E. 2553.
- Category C includes incidents in the southern provinces and other places where incidents which might possibly be related to the conflict in the southern provinces happen.

**Note:** Reports and analyses on the situation in the southern border provinces by DeepSouth Watch are basically limited to the Category A, except when it is specified otherwise.

### Conflict Incident

Incidents happening in the five southern border provinces in connection with violence perpetrated by those who are related to the conflict in the southern border provinces which are conducted continuously to the end.

### Violent Conflict Incident

Various forms of conflicts between individuals and groups which are related to the forms of physical actions causing concrete consequences such as death, injury, and destruction of properties, or other forms of violence.

### Non-violent Conflict Incident

Expressions or movements by any group and various incidents with the purposes of expressing disagreement, objection, or appealing, such as staging demonstrations, circulating letters, issuing statements, filing complaints of groups, symbolic struggles, etc.

### Counting of one incident

Considered from continuous actions which are mutually connected to the end, with the condition for considering them as one incident based on fulfilment of the two following conditions:

1. Happening or covering the same geographical point.
2. Happening continuously to the end in the same period of time.

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<sup>9</sup> The special laws continuously enforced in this region are Martial Law B.E. 2457, Emergency Decree on Public Administration in Emergency Situations B.E. 2548, and Internal Security Act B.E. 2551

Examinations and modifications of data in any given record are conducted in the time frame of one year, starting from the date of the incident(s), except when there is modification of a new database.

Note: The modification of the database version 5 will take approximately two years between 2021 and 2022.

### **Counting of incidents happening in the same period of time**

Considered from the duration of the time of continuous incidents or actions until the end of the actions related to the incident. In one incident, there could be more than one category of incidents, but the only main incident is counted, judged from the intentions of perpetrator(s), socio-psychological impact(s) in a wider society, and political message(s) of the incidents.

### **Counting of incidents happening in the same place**

When the place of the incident is unclear, it is allowed to specify the place at the village level. Therefore, the place of incidents can be divided into two levels:

- Level 1 Specifying the place of incidents by the same geographical spot when all the incidents happen within the range of 100 meter. In case when it is impossible to specify the initial spot, it is allowed to state the position of the place of incident by using a village level spot instead.
- Level 2 Specifying the places of incidents by the name of these places, such as names of streets, names of villages, names of cities, etc.

### **Sources**

1. Joint Operation Centre, Internal Security Operation Command, 4th Division Front
2. Intelligence Division, Operation Centre, Royal Thai Police Front
3. Coordination Centre for Emergency Incidents, Yala Province (Call Center 1881)
4. Rescue units or foundations
5. Online News Center
6. Newspapers and online news sources
7. Online news agencies (such as Krong Khao Chai Daen Tai, Berita Selatan Thai, Wartani, Sahai Chai Daen Tai etc.)
8. Coordination Centre for Assistance of Those Who Are Affected by the Unrest in the Southern Border Provinces (PSU Pattani)
9. The Southern Border Provinces News Database, Prince of Songkla University, Pattani Campus
10. Civil society organisations (such as the Network of Those Who Are Affected by Special Laws, Duai Jai Group, etc.)
11. Others

## Detail of Incident

### 0. Incident ID

#### 1. New Incident ID

New incident IDs are recorded with 9 digit numbers, i.e. YYMMDD-XXX, respectively representing:

YY = Year of the Common Era (the last two numbers)

MM = Month

DD = Day

XXX = the code of the incident on the day (not sorted according to the sequence)

#### 2. Old Incident ID

The old incident IDs from the original database

### 1. Location

The data on the places or spots where incidents happens have the following details:

1. **Province**
2. **District**
3. **Subdistrict**
4. **Village**
5. **Urbanness**

Urbanness means areas of city municipalities and town municipalities (subdistrict municipalities are not included) with the following details:

- 0 Non-urban area**
- 1 Urban area**

Urbanness consists of city municipalities and town municipalities as follows:

Code of Municipality	Name of Municipality	Subdistricts included
3950102	Yala City Municipality	Sateng Subdistrict
3901101	Hat Yai City Municipality	Hat Yai Subdistrict
3900102	Songkhla City Municipality	Bo Yang Subdistrict
4940102	Pattani Town Municipality	Sabarang, Anokru, Chabang Tiko Subdistrict
4940701	Taluban Town Municipality	Taluban Subdistrict
4950103	Sateng Nok Town Municipality	Sateng Nok Subdistrict
4950201	Betong Town Municipality	Betong Subdistrict
4960102	Narathiwat Town Municipality	Bang Nak Subdistrict
4960201	Tak Bai Town Municipality	Chehe Subdistrict
4961001	Sungai Kolok Town Municipality	Sungai Kolok Subdistrict
4900103	Khao Rup Chang Town	Khao Rup Chang Subdistrict

Code of Municipality	Name of Municipality	Subdistricts included
	Municipality	
4900901	Kamphaeng Phet Town Municipality	Kamphaeng Phet Subdistrict
4901001	Sadao Town Municipality	Sadao Subdistrict
4901002	Padang Besar Town Municipality	Padang Besar Subdistrict
4901102	Bab Phru Town Municipality	Ban Phru Subdistrict
4901103	Kho Hong Town Municipality	Kho Hong Subdistrict
4901104	Khlong Hae Town Municipality	Khlong Hae Subdistrict
4901105	Khuan LangTown Municipality	Khuan Lang Subdistrict
4901106	Thung Tam Sao Town Municipality	Thung Tam Sao Subdistrict
4901501	Singhanakhon Town Municipality	Singhanakhon Subdistrict
4901509	Muang Ngam Town Municipality	Muang Ngam Subdistrict
4910102	Satun Town Municipality	Phiman Subdistrict

6. **Spotting geographic positions according to Global Positioning System Coordinate**
7. **Thai Military Grid Reference System Coordinate**
8. **Significant site**  
Details of places with significance where incidents happen with are as follows:
  - 1 **Educational sites**
  - 2 **Medical sites**
  - 3 **Religious places for Muslims**
  - 4 **Religious places for Buddhists**
  - 5 **Entertainment sites**
  - 88 **Unclear**
  - 99 **Others**

## 2. Tool used in incidents

Devices, materials, objects, weapons, or things used in various acts in incidents, both violent and non-violent, have the following details.



- 0 No tool was involved**
- 1 Weapon**
  - 11 Pistols**
  - 12 Firearm for war**
  - 13 Shotgun**
  - 14 Guns of unknown types and sizes**
  - 15 Imitations of guns** (such as pen guns, short Thai-made guns, long Thai-made guns, air guns, BB guns etc.)
- 2 Explosive**
  - 21 Military Explosive**
  - 22 Improvised Explosive Device**
    - 221 Explosive planted in bicycles or motorbikes (bike bombs)**
    - 222 Explosive planted in cars (car bombs)**
    - 223 Explosive planted in other places except for bikes and cars**
  - 23 Self-killing explosive<sup>10</sup>**
  - 24 Other explosives (such as large fire crackers, ping pong bombs, etc)**
  - 25 Fake explosive**
  - 26 Explosives of unknown types and sizes**
- 4 Sharp object**
- 5 Object without edges**
- 6 Banner/flag**
- 7 Leaflet**
- 8 Colour spraying**
- 99 Others**
- 88 Unclear**

### **3. Vehicles used in incidents**

Vehicles used by perpetrators in their actions or incidents, except modification of vehicles. The details are as follows:

- 0 No vehicle is used**
- 1 Motorbike/side-car**
- 2 Car (sedan, pick-up truck, van)**
- 3 Motorbike and car**
- 99 Others**
- 88 Unclear**

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<sup>10</sup> Self-killing bombs refer suicide bombs, which detonated by those who carry assembled bombs, wishing to cause great damages upon others by scarifying their lives. In some cases, vehicles might be used for the same purpose.

#### **4. Effects on Actors in Incidents**

The state or things happening to the actors in an incident, both the perpetrator(s) and victim(s) as the consequence of incidents. In one incident, the effects could be more than one item. The details are as follows.

- 1     Damage to the life of people**
  - 10    Nobody injured or killed**
  - 11    Death**
  - 12    Injury**
- 2     Damage to properties**
  - 20    No damage to properties**
  - 21    Property damaged**
- 3     Detention**
  - 30    Nobody detained**
  - 31    People detained**
- 4     Confiscation of properties by state officers**
  - 40    No property confiscated**
  - 41    Confiscation of arms (such as weapons, materials to assemble explosives, etc.)**
  - 42    Confiscation of medical supplies**
  - 43    Confiscation of consumer goods**
  - 44    Confiscation of vehicles**
  - 45    Confiscation of valuables (such as money, jewelleries etc.)**
  - 46    Confiscation of communication devices (such as telephones, computers etc.)**
  - 47    Confiscation of documents or books**
  - 48    Confiscation of drugs or reactants**
  - 49    Confiscation of illegal commodities or smuggled goods**
- 88    Unclear**
- 99    Others**

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## Type of Incident

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Characters of actions taken by perpetrators (subjects) toward victims (objects), either by using weapons or not, or using other objects or not. These incidents are divided into the following categories.

### 1. Shooting

Use of pistols, guns for war, Thai-made guns, or imitation guns in order to attack others by shooting until causing physical damages, including retaliatory shootings by civilians who own guns in order to defend themselves.

### 2. Bomb

Use of standard explosives or improvised explosive devices to cause explosions through various ways, such as planting bombs, hurling bombs, landmines, firebombs, 40 mm grenade launchers or M79 etc. in public places or private spaces. These incidents are staged by perpetrators who want to cause physical as well as psychological damages to individuals or groups of people who are targeted or even to ordinary people. Apart from these, activities related to bombings or causing similar effects to bombings such as fear and cautions are also included in this category.

**0201 Actual bombing**

**0202 Explosive disposed**

**0203 Finding or disposal of false explosive**

**0204 Finding or examination of suspicious objects that are not explosives**

### 3. Arson

Act of setting fire with intentions to destroy valuables, properties, vehicles, buildings. Setting fire on bodies of people to destroy them is excluded from this category.

**0301 Arson attack related to the conflict**

Fires whose origins of fires are specified as related to the conflict according to reliable reports.

**0302 Fire**

Fires whose origins of fires are unknown, but related to the conflict according to reliable reports.

### 4. Assault

Use of forces to attack or physically damage others, regardless of involving use of weapons or not. Apart from this, sexual violence is also included in this category.

**0401 Bodily damage caused by sharp weapon**

Note: Sharp objects refer to any tool or object with sharp edges.

**0402 Bodily damage caused by weapon without sharp edge**

Note: Weapons without sharp edges refer to any tool, device, or object without any sharp edges, used as a tool in order to physically damage people who are targeted.

**0403 Bodily damage without using weapon**

Use of perpetrators' body to damage others without involving use of any object or tool.

**0404 Sexual damage**

Acts of sexual obscenity, molests, or rape that cause injury or death, or psychological effects.

**0499 Others**

**5. Agitation**

Any act related to military operations of various parties with intentions to cause disturbance, fear, worry, and alarm. In this category, acts of threatening others by using violence which are related to the military operations are also included as follows:

**0501 Cutting trees to block roads**

**0502 Burning car tyres on roads**

**0503 Scattering spikes on roads**

**0504 Suspending banners with messages implying use of violence**

**0505 Spraying messages or graffiti with messages implying use of violence**

**0506 Distributing or circulating leaflets with messages implying use of violence**

**0599 Others**

**6. Sabotage**

Any act of causing disturbance in communication, public transport, or other basic infrastructure, divided into the following categories.

**0601 Mobile Phone System**

Such as telephone repeater stations, mobile phone transmission tower etc.

**0602 Electricity System**

Such as high voltage transmission towers, general transmission towers, transformers, etc.

**0603 Train System**

Such as train stations, trains, train rails, locomotives, etc.

**0604 Air Transportation System**

Such as airports, airplanes, airport control tower, etc.

**0605 Land Transportation System**

Such as bus stations, buses, etc.

**0699 Others**

**7. Violation of Property Rights**

Acts of violating property rights that are related to the conflict, divided into the following categories.

**0701 Stealing**

Any act of taking other people's properties or jointly owned by them, with the intention of holding the properties for certain personal interests, such as selling or giving to other people.

**0702 Theft**

Any act of seizing other people's property by using violence or intimidation of damaging them so that the owners of the properties are willing to submit their properties or for the purpose of taking such properties easily.

**0703 Robbery**

Any act of seizing other properties committed by more than three people.

**0704 Vandalism**

Any act of destroying valuables, properties, vehicles, or buildings, without using fire (code 3) or causing destruction (code 6), such as destroying surfaces of rubber trees, destroying road signs or traffic signs, etc.

**0799 Others****8. Robbery of Weapon**

Any act of using force to obtain or gain weapons belonging to other people, regardless of the perpetrators' intentions to steal, rob or plunder.

**9. Armed Clash**

Incidents involving armed encounters between at least two parties of military forces or armed groups. Such encounters could be started with attacks or ambushes of either side.

**10. Extreme Violence**

Any act of causing violent incidents which involves more than two categories of actions of perpetrators against victims or use of cruelty, maltreatment or act of degrading humanities of the victims.

**1001 Physically damaging children and youths under 15 years old****1002 Killing and damaging dead body****1003 Beheading****1099 Others****11. Intimidation**

Any act of intimidation of using violence, by communications through telephones, letters, goods or other symbolic objects such as rice, boiled eggs, white clothes, bullets, etc.

**12. Dead Body Found**

Reports of finding dead people's body or unidentifiable parts of body, which might be involved killings.

**13. Torture**

Any act by which severe pain or suffering, whether physical or mental, is intentionally inflicted on a person for such purposes as obtaining from him or a third person information or a confession, punishing him for an act he or a third person has committed or is suspected of having committed, or intimidating or coercing him or a third person, or

for any reason based on discrimination of any kind, when such pain or suffering is inflicted by or at the instigation of or with the consent or acquiescence of a public official or other person acting in an official capacity.<sup>11</sup>

#### **14. Abduction**

Any act by a person or group of people of arrest, detention, or other actions of depriving others from physical liberty.

##### **1401 Enforced Disappearance**

The arrest, detention, abduction or any other form of deprivation of liberty by agents of the State or by persons or groups of persons acting with the authorization, support or acquiescence of the State, followed by a refusal to acknowledge the deprivation of liberty or by concealment of the fate or whereabouts of the disappeared person, which place such a person outside the protection of the law<sup>12</sup>.

##### **1402 Kidnapping for Ransom**

Any act of abduction by a person or group of people with the intention to obtain ransom money or other exchanges.

##### **1499 Others**

#### **15. Surround and Searching**

Operations of state officers by using military forces of the state in order to surround a space or place for search, investigation, or arrest of suspects, or to suppress resistance or prevent violent incidents by a person or group of people as a counter insurgency measure. The agent in the incident of this type is the commander in charge of the incident.

#### **16. Suicide or Suicide Attempt**

Any act of a person attempting killing himself, as a consequence of violent incident in one way or another, for instance, a police officer committing suicide due to stresses caused by his duty amid the unrest, or a legal officer trying to commit suicide in order to communicate injustice in the justice system, etc.

#### **17. Symbolic Advocacy**

Any act of a person or a group of people with intentions of disseminating political messages through activities without directly using violence, including messages without open intimidation to life (intimidating messages is included in agitation in Code 5). These actions include:

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<sup>11</sup> The definition above is taken from the drafts of Anti Torture and Enforced Disappearance Act B.E. ... in the people's version and the version prepared by Ministry of Justice. This act is drafted so that the contents are in accordance with Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment (CAT), of which the Thai government has become a party through accession since 1 November 2007.

<sup>12</sup> This definition stresses behaviour of by agents of the State or by persons or groups of persons acting with the authorization by citing from the draft of Anti Torture and Enforced Disappearance Act B.E. ... in the people's version and the version prepared by Ministry of Justice. This act is drafted so that the contents are in accordance with International Convention for the Protection of All Persons from Enforced Disappearance, which acknowledged by the Thai government on 9 January 2012.

**1701 Setting up flags or hanging banners**

**1702 Colour spraying or graffiti**

**1703 Distribute or circulate leaflets**

**1799 Others**

## **18. Demonstration**

Any act of a group of people in the form of assembling in a place at the same time, with political demands either as proposals or objections related to the conflict with the state. Any assembly or parade organised by state agencies for general agendas are not included in this category.

### **1801 Peaceful Protest**

Any act of a group of people assembling in a period of time to communicate their political demands related to the conflict with the state and other actors who are involved in the conflict, without involving any form of violent incident caused by any party.

### **1802 Riot**

Any act of a group of people assembling in a period of time to communicate their political demands related to the conflict with the state and other actors who are involved in the conflict, involving use of violence by the group of people assembling or by other parties.

### **1899 Others**

## **19. Dispersion**

Any act of state officers to dissolve assemblies or arrest and/or detain individuals or a group of people assembling at any given time to deliver their political demands.

**88. Unclear**

**99. Others**

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## Cause of Incident

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### 1. Self-determination Conflict

Any act of causing incidents driven or motivated by intentions for political expressions by claiming rights to self-determination or territorial integrity, either involving or not involving use of violence.

#### 11 Insurgency

Any incident caused by actors who are not state officers against targets that are components of the state or civilians, with intentions to undermine the legitimacy of the state power, and/or to claim rights to self-determination, either involving or not involving use of violence.

#### 12 Counter Insurgency

Any incident caused by actors from the state or a group of people supported by the state with intentions to sustain insurgency of non-state actors and/or to defend sovereign rights and territorial integrity of the Thai state.

#### 13 Officials' Tension

Any incident motivated or caused by tensions inside the components of the state in the context of solving the conflict. For instance, conflict of orders from commanders, conflicts of interests, problems of deficiency in welfare for soldiers at operational levels, or transferring to the area with risks or violence, etc.

#### 19 Others

### 2. Administrative Conflict

Any act of causing any incident with intentions to hold or compete for administrative power or rights in administrating public resources and political institutions, including efforts to access to or obtain power in basic administration.

#### 21 Administrative Conflict

Any incident with intentions or factors related with competition, compromise or struggle to hold power related to administrative power struggles inside the cabinet, consideration for law drafts or examination of power balance in the parliament, or use of various political institutions' power, such as trials in law courts, campaigning for constitution drafting, policies of political parties, and roles of the monarchy, etc.

#### 22 Electoral Violent Conflict

Any incident motivated or caused by factors related to electoral competition both at national and regional level, including selections of people to occupy positions for public affairs.

##### 221 National Election

Any incident motivated or caused by factors related to competitions in the elections for members of the House of Representatives and senators.

##### 222 Local Election

Any incident motivated or caused by factors related to competitions in the elections for administrative organisations



at local level, i.e. chiefs and members of Provincial Administration Organization (PAO), Subdistrict Administration Organisation (TAO), and every type of municipalities.

**223 Other Election and Selection**

Any incident motivated or caused by factors related to competitions in the elections or selections of people for positions with administrative power that are not at national or local level (specified in Code 221 and 222), such as subdistrict headmen, village headmen, presidents of community committees, imams, presidents and members of provincial Islamic committees, members of the advisory council for administration and development, committee members for other independent organisations, etc.

**29 Others**

**3. Resource Conflict**

Any act of causing any incident with intentions to obtain or allocate power in management of various resources.

**31 Land**

Any incident related to possession of land, lease of land, management of land, and dispute on overlapping ownership of land, and development of land and housing development.

**32 Natural Resource**

Any incident related to management of natural resources, such as forests, water resources, air, minerals, petroleum, sea and seashore resources, etc.

**33 Man-made Resource**

Any incident caused by power struggle over administration of various man-made technologies modified from natural resources such as communications, electricity, energy, vaccine, etc.

**34 Access to Economic Opportunities**

Any incident caused by inequality or lack of opportunities, competitions or struggle to access to information, financial resources, etc. from government agencies or private sectors in supporting or developing quality of life.

**35 Work Condition and Labour**

Any incident caused by working environment and treatment of labours, such as security in working place, wage of labours, holidays and break of the work, welfare, etc.

**36 Government developing program affecting resource and way of life**

Any incident caused by government developing programs that affect natural resources and the local people's way of life from the view point of justice, participation of people, transparency in implementation, effects to the environment and people's way of life, including disagreement on the direction of the development.

## **39 Others**

### **4. Drug-related Crime**

Any act of crime with motivations or reasons directly related to every kind of drugs, especially illegal addictive drugs, either in production, circulation and addiction.

### **5. General Crime**

Any act of general crime such as disputes over personal interests, robbery of properties, selling of illegal goods etc. that are reported in media or state officers' operation reports authorized by three parties, i.e. the military, the police and the administration as acts of general crime.

### **88. Unclear**

### **99. Others**

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## Aspect of Incident

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Characteristics or patterns of incidents are categorised according to the frame of significant concepts for the benefit of analysing the situation as follows:

### 1. Set of Incident

Characteristics or patterns of conflict incidents considered on the relation of incidents happening in the same period of time, divided into two following categories:

#### 11 Single Incident

An incident staged by a subject (subjects) against an object (objects) that involves only one type of incident, such as a group of people killing a paramilitary rangers with guns (shooting), or a case of planting bomb under a road in Saiburi District (bombing), etc.

#### 12 Continuous Incident

An incident that includes more than one category of act happening continuously or in a connected way, with the main incident considered by the evaluation of wide socio-psychological effects and political communication, including the evaluation of the intentions of the perpetrator(s). For instance, in an incident in which a group of people killed a car technician by using guns, and when the state officers came to the place of the incident, the bomb(s) planted by the perpetrator(s) in the same area detonated was, causing injury of many officers (shooting-bombing). The category of the main incident is bombing, and the secondary category is shooting, and so on.

### 2. Violent and Nonviolent Incident

#### 21 Violent Incident

Any incident involving direct uses of violence, regardless of which party the incident was staged.

#### 22 Nonviolent Incident

Any incident without involving direct uses of violence (categories of sub-incidents under the Code 17 and the Category 18.1)

### 3. Civilian-targeted Violent Incident

#### 31 One-sided Incident

Any act of using direct violence against civilians in a one-sided way, by an individual, armed groups, state officers, or groups of civilians with arms provided by the state.

#### 32 Two-sided Incident

Any act of causing violent incidents between individuals, armed groups, state officers or groups of civilians with arms provided by the state and experience of joining military trainings, with both sides having weapons for these acts.

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# Actors in Incident

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## 0. Actor ID

### 1 New Actor ID

The New Actor ID has 14 digit numbers, i.e. YYMMDD-XXX-A-ZZZ, indicating:

YY = Year of the Common Era (the last two numbers)

MM = Month of the incident

DD = Day of the incident

XXX = the code of the incident on the day

A = Category of the actor (1 = subject 2 = objects 3 = subjects and objects)

ZZZ = the Code of the incident itself

### 2 Old Actor ID

The Old Actor ID is not limited to units, i.e. XXXXXYZZZ, starting from the code of the incident itself, followed by the status of the actor (perpetrators and victims), and ended with numbers of three digits, in the following way.

XXXXXX = the code of the incident (not limited to units)

Y = Categories of actors (1 = perpetrator, 2 = victims)

ZZZ = Code of the actors in the incident

## 1. Roles of actors

- 1 Subject
- 2 Object
- 3 Subject and Object
- 8 Unclear

## **2. Actors' Basic Data**

- 201 Identification Number**
- 202 Name**
- 203 Family Name**
- 204 Age**
- 205 Gender**
  - 1 Female**
  - 2 Male**
  - 8 Unclear**
  - 9 Others**
- 206 Religion**
  - 1 Buddhist**
  - 2 Muslim**
  - 3 Christian**
  - 8 Unclear**
  - 9 Others**
- 207 Current address of actors**
  - 1 Province**
  - 2 District**
  - 3 Subdistrict/Subdistrict Municipality**
  - 4 Village/Community**
  - 5 House Number**
- 208 Birthplace of actors (according to identity card or resident registration)**
  - 1 Province**
  - 2 District**
  - 3 Subdistrict/Subdistrict Municipality**
  - 4 Village/Community**
  - 5 House Number**

- 209 Occupations of actors
  - 1 Government officer and state officer
    - 11 Soldier
      - 111 Army
        - 1111 Commissioned officer
        - 1112 Non-commissioned officer
        - 1113 Volunteer paramilitary ranger
      - 112 Navy
        - 1121 Commissioned officer
        - 1122 Non-commissioned officer
        - 1123 Volunteer marine paramilitary ranger
      - 113 Air Force
        - 1131 Commissioned officer
        - 1132 Non-commissioned officer
      - 119 Other military officer
        - 1191 Commissioned officer
        - 1192 Non-commissioned officer
        - 1193 Cadet of military school
        - 1194 Employee of military unit
    - 12 Police
      - 121 Provincial police
        - 1211 Commissioned police officer
        - 1212 Non-commissioned police office
      - 122 Border Patrol Police
        - 1221 Commissioned police officer
        - 1222 Non-commissioned police officer
      - 123 Marine police
        - 1231 Commissioned police officer
        - 1232 Non-commissioned police officer
      - 124 Border Patrol Police
        - 1241 Commissioned police officer
        - 1242 Non-commissioned police officer
      - 125 Highway police
        - 1251 Commissioned police officer
        - 1252 Non-commissioned police officer
      - 126 Special branch
        - 1261 Commissioned police officer
        - 1262 Non-commissioned police officer
      - 127 Crime suppression police
        - 1271 Commissioned police officer
        - 1272 Non-commissioned police officer
      - 128 Village police volunteer or community police
      - 129 Other police officer

- 1291 Commissioned police officer
- 1292 Non-commissioned police officer
- 1293 Cadets of police academy
- 1294 Employee of police unit
- 13 Administrative officers (Regional)
  - 131 Administrative officer at province level
    - 1311 Governor
    - 1312 Vice governor
    - 1313 Deputy governor
    - 1314 Administrative officer at province level
    - 1315 Employee of administrative unit at province level
  - 132 Administrative officer at district level
    - 1321 District chief
    - 1322 Deputy district chief
    - 1323 Administrative officer at district level
    - 1324 Employee of administrative unit at district level
  - 133 Local administrative officer
    - 1331 Subdistrict headman
    - 1332 Subdistrict inspector
    - 1333 Subdistrict doctor
    - 1334 Subdistrict committee member
    - 1335 Village headman
    - 1336 Assistant village headman
    - 1337 Village committee member
    - 1338 Employee of local administrative unit
  - 134 Volunteer Defense Corps (Or Sor)
  - 139 Other administrative officer
- 14 Local administrative officer
  - 141 Deputy chief of local administrative organisations (PAOs, TAOs, municipalities)
  - 142 State officer of local administrative organisation
  - 143 Employee of local administrative organisation
- 15 Prosecutor
  - 151 Public prosecutor
  - 152 Government officer in public prosecutor office
  - 153 Employee of public prosecutor office
- 16 Judiciary
  - 161 Judge
  - 162 Government officer in law court
  - 163 Employees of low courts
- 17 Southern Border Provinces Administrative Centre (SBPAC)
  - 171 Secretary General
  - 172 Vice Secretary General
  - 173 Assistant of Secretary General and director of divisions
  - 171 Secretary General

- 172 Vice Secretary General
- 173 Assistant of Secretary General and director of divisions
- 174 Government officer of SBPAC
- 175 Employee of SBPAC
- 18 Officer of state-owned enterprise
- 19 Other government officer and officer of the state
- 2 Educational personnel
  - 21 Teacher
    - 211 Teacher of government school and college
      - 2111 Administrator of educational institution
      - 2112 Teacher of academic subjects
      - 2113 Teacher of Islamic religious subjects
    - 212 Teacher in private Islamic school
      - 2121 Administrator of educational institution
      - 2122 Teacher of academic subjects
      - 2123 Teacher of Islamic religious subjects
    - 213 Teacher in private Islamic school
      - 2131 Teacher of Islamic subjects
      - 2132 Teacher of academic subjects
      - 2133 Teacher of Islamic subjects
    - 214 Teacher in pondok school
    - 215 Teacher in tadika school
    - 216 Teacher in nurseries and child development centre
    - 217 Lecturer of higher education institution
      - 2171 Lecturer of government university
      - 2172 Lecturers of private university
    - 219 Other types of teacher
  - 22 Support personnel
    - 221 Support personnel of government school or college
    - 222 Support personnel of private Islamic school
    - 223 Support personnel of other private school
    - 224 Support personnel of pondok school
    - 225 Support personnel of tadika school
    - 226 Support personnel of nursery or child development centre
    - 227 Support personnel of higher education institution
    - 229 Other support personnel
- 3 Public health personnel
  - 31 Doctor and dentist
  - 32 Nurse
  - 33 Pharmacist
  - 34 Officer of public health administration (such as province or district public health office)
  - 35 Employee of hospital or clinic
  - 36 Village health volunteer (Or Sor Mor)
  - 39 Other officer of public health (such as radiologic technologist, Physiotherapist etc.)
- 4 Religious personnel
  - 41 Islam



- 411 President and member of provincial Islamic committee
- 412 Imam
- 413 Khatib
- 414 Bilal
- 419 Other religions personnel of Islam
- 42 Buddhism
  - 421 Chief of monks
    - 4211 Chief of monks at province level
    - 2131 Chief of monks at district level
    - 2131 Chief of monks at subdistrict level
  - 422 Abbot
  - 423 Monk
  - 424 Novice
  - 429 Other religious personnel of Buddhism
- 49 Other religions

- 5 Farmer
  - 51 Crop farming
  - 52 Rice farming
  - 53 Fruits farming
  - 54 Stockbreeding
  - 55 Fishery
  - 59 Other types of farming
- 6 Business person and freelancer
  - 61 Private business person
    - 611 Trading
    - 612 Online trading
    - 613 Service sector
    - 614 Building contractor
    - 615 Production and processing of agricultural or fishery products
    - 616 Industrial factory
    - 619 Other private businesses
  - 62 Employees of private business
    - 621 Trading
    - 622 Online trading
    - 623 Service sector
    - 624 Building contractor
    - 625 Production and processing of agricultural or fishery products
    - 626 Industrial factory
    - 629 Employees of other private business
  - 63 Specialised occupations
    - 631 Mass media
    - 632 Lawyer
    - 633 Accountant
    - 634 Engineer
    - 635 Architect
    - 636 Artist
    - 637 Craftsman
    - 638 Researcher
    - 639 Other specialised occupations
  - 64 Owner and employee of illegal business
    - 641 Trading smuggled petroleum
    - 642 Trading smuggled goods
    - 643 Trading firearms
    - 644 Human trafficking (including trading of illegal labours and prostitutions)
    - 645 Trading preserved animals
    - 646 Illegal cutting of trees
    - 647 Buying stolen goods
    - 648 Drug dealing
    - 649 Other illegal businesses
  - 69 Other businesses and independent occupations
- 7 Politician
  - 71 Politician at national level
    - 711 Prime Minister and minister
    - 712 Member of the House of Representatives
    - 713 Senate

- 714 Member of the National Legislative Assembly
- 715 Assistant and specialist working for Member of Parliament
- 716 Member of the administrative committees of a political party
- 719 Other government officers with political positions
- 72 Politician at local level
  - 721 Provincial Administration Organization (PAO)
    - 7211 Chief executive of PAO
    - 7212 Vice chief executive of PAO
    - 7213 Chairman of PAO Council
    - 7214 Member of PAO council
  - 722 Subdistrict Administration Organization (TAO)
    - 7221 Chief executive of TAO
    - 7222 Vice chief executive of TAO
    - 7223 Chairman of TAO Council
    - 7224 Member of TAO council
  - 723 City municipalities
    - 7231 City Mayor
    - 7232 Vice city mayor
    - 7233 Chairman of city municipality councils
    - 7234 Member of city municipality councils
  - 724 Town municipality
    - 7241 Chief of town municipality
    - 7242 Vice chief of town municipality
    - 7243 Chairman of town municipality council
    - 7244 Member of town municipality council
  - 725 Subdistrict municipality
    - 7251 Chief of subdistrict municipality
    - 7252 Deputy chief of subdistrict municipality
    - 7253 Chairman of subdistrict municipality council
    - 7254 Member of subdistrict municipality council
  - 726 Vote canvasser
- 8 Volunteer
  - 81 Non-governmental organisation
  - 82 Rescue volunteer
  - 83 Security volunteer
    - 831 Village Security Team (Chor Ror Bor.)
    - 832 Village Defence Volunteer (Or Ror Bor)
    - 833 Town Defence Volunteer (Or Ror Mor)
    - 834 Thai Nation Defence Volunteer (Thor Sor Por Chor)
    - 835 Civilian Anti-Disaster Volunteer (Or Phor Por Ror.)
  - 89 Other volunteers
- 9 No occupation
  - 91 Children before school age
  - 92 School and university student
  - 93 Unemployed

94 Retired or aged  
88 Unclear  
99 Others

- 210 Name titles of actors**
- 1 Ordinary person**
    - 101 Miss
    - 102 Mrs
    - 103 Mr
    - 104 Girl
    - 105 Boy
  - 2 Military officer**
    - 201 General
    - 202 Lieutenant General
    - 203 Major General
    - 204 General (Special)
    - 205 Colonel
    - 206 Lieutenant Colonel
    - 207 Major
    - 208 Captain
    - 209 Lieutenant
    - 210 Sub Lieutenant
    - 211 Sergeant Major First Class
    - 212 Sergeant Major Second Class
    - 213 Sergeant Major Third Class
    - 214 Sergeant
    - 215 Corporal
    - 216 Private First Class
    - 217 Private
    - 218 Paramilitary Ranger
    - 219 Admiral
    - 220 Vice Admiral
    - 221 Rear Admiral
    - 222 Captain (Special)
    - 223 Captain
    - 224 Commander
    - 225 Lieutenant Commander
    - 226 Lieutenant
    - 227 Lieutenant Junior Grade
    - 228 Sub Lieutenant
    - 229 Chief Petty Officer First Class
    - 230 Chief Petty Officer Second Class
    - 231 Chief Petty Officer Third Class
    - 232 Petty Officer First Class
    - 233 Petty Officer Second Class
    - 234 Petty Officer Third Class
    - 235 Navy Volunteer Paramilitary Ranger
    - 236 Air Chief Marshal
    - 237 Air Marshal
    - 238 Air Vice Marshal
    - 239 Group Captain (Special)
    - 240 Group Captain
    - 241 Wing Commander
    - 242 Squadron Leader
    - 243 Flight Lieutenant

- 244 Flying Officer
- 245 Pilot Officer
- 246 Flight sergeant First Class
- 247 Flight sergeant Second Class
- 248 Flight sergeant Third Class
- 249 Sergeant
- 250 Corporal
- 251 Leading aircraftman
- 3 Police officer
  - 301 Police General
  - 302 Police Lieutenant General
  - 303 Police Major General
  - 304 Police Colonel (Special)
  - 305 Police Colonel
  - 306 Police Lieutenant Colonel
  - 307 Police Major
  - 308 Police Captain
  - 309 Police Lieutenant
  - 310 Police Sub Lieutenant
  - 311 Police Sergeant Major
  - 312 Police Staff Sergeant
  - 313 Police sergeant
  - 314 Police Corporal
  - 315 Police lance corporal
  - 316 Police Constable
- 4 Administrative Officer (Volunteer Defense Corps)
  - 401 Volunteer Defense Corps General
  - 402 Volunteer Defense Corps Colonel
  - 403 Volunteer Defense Corps Lieutenant Colonel
  - 404 Volunteer Defense Corps Major
  - 405 Volunteer Defense Corps Captain
  - 406 Volunteer Defense Corps First Lieutenant
  - 407 Volunteer Defense Corps Second Lieutenant
  - 408 Volunteer Defense Corps Sergeant Major
  - 409 Volunteer Defense Corps Sergeant
  - 410 Volunteer Defense Corps Corporal
  - 411 Volunteer Defense Corps Lance Corporal
  - 412 Volunteer Defense Corps Member First Class
  - 413 Volunteer Defense Corps Member Second Class
  - 414 Volunteer Defense Corps Member Third Class
  - 415 Volunteer Defense Corps Member
- 5 Clergy
- 88 Unclear
- 99 Others

### 3. Type of Actor

A person or group of people who become objects in conflict incidents and directly affected, such as injury, death or other effects. Such individuals might be perpetrators of other incidents. They are divided into the following categories.

- 31 Security Officer**
- 3101 Military**  
Regular personnel of the army, the navy and the air force.
- 3102 Paramilitary Ranger**  
Personnel belonging to a paramilitary ranger unit directly under the army and Royal Thai Marine Corps of the navy.
- 3103 Police**  
Personnel of Provincial Police, Border Patrol Police (Tor Chor Dor.), Special Operation Unit (Nor Por Phor.), or police officers from central units such as Special Branch Bureau, Crime Suppression Division etc.
- 3104 Interior Ministry Officer**  
Government officers of Department of Provincial Administration, Ministry of Interior in control of chain of command in security missions (such as governor, deputy governor, Chief of the Security Affairs Branch, District Chief, Deputy District Chief, Local Affairs Officer, etc. including Volunteer Defense Corps (Or Sor) and Subdistrict Defense Team (Chor Khor Tor.)
- 3105 Kamnan (Subdistrict Chief) and Village Headman**  
Apart from kamnan and village headman, including subdistrict inspector, assistant village headman and subdistrict doctor.
- 3106 Pro-Government Militias**  
Members of civilian groups trained in use of arms and supported by security sectors of the state to perform the task of defending their own communities and/or support the military forces of the state, consisting of Village Security Teams (Chor Ror Bor.), Village Defence Volunteers (Or Ror Bor), Town Defence Volunteers (Or Ror Mor), Thai Nation Defence Volunteers (Thor Sor Por Chor), and Civilian Anti-Disaster Volunteers (Or Phor Por Ror.).
- 3107 Spy**  
Individual specified or reported as acting as information source of any other individual or group whose activities are controlled or ordered by state officers or security sectors.
- 3199 Other security officers**
- 32 Rebels**
- 3201 Unidentified Resistant Groups**  
Individuals reported as members of a movement or group resisting against the state without specifying which group these individuals belong to. The Thai state officers might use such different terms as perpetrators of violent incident, insurgents, people with different opinions from the state, misguided people, etc.
- 3202 BRN**  
Individuals reported as members of the National Revolutionary Front or Barisan Revolusi Nasional (BRN). In some cases the organisation is referred as RKK, abbreviation of Runda Kumpulan Kecil, a small size military unit which the Thai authorities believed as the military force of BRN.
- 3203 PULO**  
Individuals reported as a member of any splinter group of the Patani United Liberation Organisation (PULO)

## **2299 Other rebel Groups**

### **33 Civilian**

#### **3301 Educational Personnel**

Individuals working in educational institutions of every level, or performing tasks related with education, consisting of teachers, lecturers, officers of educational institutions and government agencies related to educational administration, but not including teachers of Islamic subjects in private educational institutions (who are included in Code 3309)

#### **3302 Health Personnel**

Individuals working in medical institutions of every level, both those of the government or private, or performing tasks related to public health, consisting of doctors, nurses, permanent workers in medical institutions, village health volunteers, but not including subdistrict doctors (who are in Code 3105)

#### **3303 Justice System Personnel**

Individuals working in justice system, consisting of judges, public prosecutors, court officers, officers in the office of public prosecutor, correction officers, but not including investigation officers or police officers (who are in Code 3103), or any other officers who are authorised to prepare case files, such as officers of Department of Special Investigation(DSI), Office of the National Anti-Corruption Commission etc.

#### **3304 Civilian Government Officer**

Individuals working in government agencies at central, regional and local level, with the status either as government officers, officers or employers, i.e. civilian government officers without any responsibility in security, such as administrative officers in management, officers of provincial agriculture offices or provincial fishery offices, community development officers of districts, management officers of municipalities etc., including officers or employers of independent organisation based on the Constitution.

#### **3305 State Enterprise Officer**

Individuals working in state enterprises, either as permanent workers or temporary employees.

#### **3306 Farmer**

Individuals working in sectors related to agriculture, both planting and breeding, including business entrepreneurs and employees related to agriculture.

#### **3307 Business Entrepreneur**

Individuals with their own private business or various freelance occupations, with main incomes from profits of investment, such as trading, running restaurants, land brokers, etc.

#### **3308 Worker and Employee**

Individuals working as employees of private business, with main incomes from salary, daily payment, or payment for each piece of work, such as employees in motorbike workshops, employees in convenience stores, factory workers, couriers, etc.



- 3309 Islamic Religious Leader**  
Individuals whose works are related to Islamic affairs or rituals, including intellectuals teaching Islam in institutions of every level, and administrators of such institutions, such as imams, khatibs, bilals, headmasters of pondok schools, ustaz, ustazah, directors of private Islamic schools etc.
- 3310 Buddhist Monk**  
Individuals whose works are related to Buddhist rituals and dissemination of Buddhism, such as monks, novices, etc.
- 3311 Children and Youth**  
Any person who is under 18 years old.
- 3312 University Student**  
Individuals who are students of higher educational institutions (including high vocational certificate level)
- 3313 Foreigner**  
Individuals with nationalities other than Thai or stateless persons, working as employee, tourists, or involved in any other occupations.
- 3314 Rescue Personnel**  
Individuals performing tasks related to various kinds of rescue, such as fire fighters, rescue volunteers, etc.
- 3315 Politician**  
Individuals whose works are related to politics at every level, from MPs, members of provincial council, PAO, TAO, and various municipalities, etc.
- 3316 Media**  
Individuals working in every branch of mass media.
- 3399 Other Civilian**
- 34 Criminal**
  - 3401 Hired gunman**
  - 3402 Drug trafficker**
  - 3403 Illegal goods trader**
  - 3404 Prisoner**
  - 3499 Other criminals**
- 88 Unclear**
- 99 Others**

#### 4. Type of Target

Individuals or groups of people who are affected by conflict incidents with violence, divided into two following groups.

- 41 Hard target**  
Individuals or groups of people affected by violent incidents, militarily trained with abilities to defend themselves and/or attack others, and regularly carrying weapons or carrying weapons at the moment of incidents.
- 42 Soft target**  
Individuals or groups of people affected by violent incidents, without abilities or capability of fighting with arms and/or not carrying weapons to defend themselves when encountering incidents.

- 88 Unclear
- 99 Others

## **5. Social groups related with actors**

- 500 Not a member of any group
- 501 Village scouts
- 502 Group or association of Islam
- 503 Group or association of Buddhism
- 504 Group or association of other religions
- 505 Group or association of Malay culture
- 506 Group or association of Thai culture
- 507 Vocational group
- 508 Women's and youths' group
- 509 Group or network of civil society
- 510 Group for environmental preservation
- 511 Group or association of specific vocation (such as teachers, lawyers, craftsmen, mass media etc.)
- 512 Chamber of commerce or business association
- 513 Saving group
- 514 Community justice network
- 515 Jalanan Baru Club
- 588 Unclear
- 599 Others

## **6. Status of actor after incident**

- 61 Escaping
  - 610 No one escaping from the cite of incident
  - 611 Subject(s) escaping from the cite of incident
  - 612 Subject (s) escaping before being arrested or summoned
  - 613 Subject (s) and Object(s) escaping from the cite of incident
  - 618 Unclear
- 62 Detention
  - 620 No detention
  - 621 Subject (s) or Object (s) detained following arrest warrant of the Criminal Procedure Code
  - 622 Subject (s) or Object (s) detained by state officers with authorities from special laws
  - 628 Detention by unknown way
  - 629 Detention by other ways

- 63    **Death**
  - 630    No one killed in incident
  - 631    Subject (s) killed in incident
  - 632    Object(s) killed in incident
  - 633    Subject (s) and Object(s) killed in incident
  - 634    Subject r(s) killing themselves in incident
  - 638    Unclear
- 64    **Injury**
  - 640    No one injured in incident
  - 641    Subject (s) injured in incident
  - 642    Object (s) injured in incident
  - 643    Subject (s) injured themselves in incident
  - 648    Unclear
- 65    **Safe**
  - 651    Subject (s) safe in incident
  - 652    Object(s) safe in incident
  - 653    Subject(s) and Object(s) safe in incident
  - 658    Unclear
- 88    **Unclear**
- 99    **Others**

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## Properties Damage

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Effects of conflict incidents causing damages upon properties or buildings, divided into the following categories

- 0 No damage on properties**
- 1 Immovable property**
  - 11 State**
    - 111 School**
    - 112 Hospital**
    - 113 Office or building of government agency**
    - 114 Office or building of local administrative agency**
    - 115 Office or building of state enterprise**
    - 116 Police station or related building**
    - 117 Military Bases**
    - 118 Checkpoints**
    - 119 Other immovable properties of the state**
  - 12 Private**
    - 121 Dwelling place**
      - 1211 House**
      - 1212 Dormitory or condominium**
      - 1213 Hut or temporary dwelling place**
    - 122 Land for agriculture**
      - 1221 Land for planting**
      - 1222 Land for breeding**
      - 1223 Land for fishery**
    - 123 Shop/store**
      - 1231 Retail shop**
      - 1232 Modern trade**
      - 1233 Restaurants**
      - 1234 Tea/Coffee shop**
      - 1235 Mobile phone shop**
      - 1236 Drug store**
      - 1237 Clothing store**

- 1238 Gold or jewelry shop
    - 1239 Other shops
  - 124 Office
    - 1241 Office of private company
    - 1242 Office of civil society organisation
    - 1243 Car or motorbike showroom
    - 1249 Other offices
  - 125 Service facility
    - 1251 Petroleum or gas station
    - 1252 Car repair shop
    - 1253 Motorbike repair shop
    - 1254 Clinic or private hospital
    - 1255 Shopping mall
    - 1256 Cinema
    - 1257 Hotel or resort
    - 1258 Night entertainment venue
    - 1259 Other service facility
  - 126 Industrial factory
    - 1261 Factory
    - 1262 Storehouse
    - 1263 Rice mill
    - 1264 Quarry
    - 1265 Other industrial factories
- 13 Infrastructure
  - 131 Land transport
    - 1311 Road
    - 1312 Road sign
    - 1313 Kilo marker
    - 1314 Road pipe
    - 1315 Traffic sign
    - 1316 Bridge
    - 1317 Pavilion for bus passenger and bus station
    - 1318 Railway and train station
    - 1319 Other land transport infrastructure
  - 132 Water transportation and air transport
    - 1321 Port
    - 1322 Airport
    - 1329 Other infrastructure of water transportation and air transport
  - 133 Communication
    - 1331 Mobile phone transmission tower
    - 1332 Mobile phone base station
    - 1333 Telephone box
    - 1334 Satellite dish
    - 1339 Other communication infrastructure
  - 134 Electricity and energy
    - 1341 Concrete electricity post
    - 1342 High voltage transmission tower (iron frame)
    - 1343 Public lights
    - 1349 Other infrastructure of electricity and energy
  - 135 Waterworks and water

- 1351 Tap water system
  - 1352 Irrigation system
  - 1353 Dam or dike
  - 1354 Water well for public use
  - 1359 Other infrastructure of waterworks and water
- 136 Market and public space
  - 1361 Market
  - 1362 Dustbin
  - 1363 Multi purpose building
  - 1364 Playground
  - 1365 Stadium
  - 1366 Public Park
  - 1369 Other infrastructure of market and public space
- 14 Religious place
  - 141 Buddhism (such as temple, office of monk, etc.)
  - 142 Islam (such as mosque, *kubor* (cemetery) etc.)
  - 143 Christianity (such as church, cemetery, etc.)
  - 149 Other religious place (such as cemetery for Chinese, shrine, almshouse etc.)
- 15 Financial institution
  - 151 State bank
  - 152 Private bank
  - 153 Saving cooperative
  - 154 Automatic telling machine (ATM)
  - 159 Other financial institutions
- 2 Movable properties
  - 21 State
    - 211 Vehicle
      - 2111 Car
        - 21111 Sedan
        - 21112 SUV
      - 2112 Truck
        - 21121 Pick up truck
        - 21122 6 wheel truck
        - 21123 10 wheel truck
      - 2113 Passenger vehicle
        - 21131 Van
        - 21132 Bas
      - 2114 Motorbike
        - 21141 2 wheel motorbike
        - 21142 Motorbike with a sidecar
      - 2115 Bicycle
        - 21151 Bicycle
        - 21152 Tricycle
      - 2116 Ship
      - 2117 Airplane
      - 2118 Tactical vehicle
        - 21181 Military multi-purpose vehicle
        - 21182 Armoured car

- 21183 Military truck
    - 2119 Other vehicles
  - 212 Military supplies
    - 2121 Gun
    - 2122 Bullet
    - 2123 Bullet proof vest
    - 2129 Other weapons
  - 213 Money
  - 214 CCTV and related devices
  - 215 Educational supplies (such as desk, chair, document desk, computer, etc.)
  - 219 Other mobile properties of the state
- 22 Private
  - 221 Vehicle
    - 2211 Car
      - 22111 Sedan
      - 22112 SUV
    - 2212 Truck
      - 22121 Pick up truck
      - 22122 6 wheel truck
      - 22122 10 wheel truck
    - 2213 Passenger vehicle
      - 22131 Van
      - 22132 Bas
    - 2214 Motorbike
      - 22141 2 wheel motorbike
      - 22142 Motorbike with a sidecar
    - 2215 Bicycle
      - 22151 Bicycle
      - 22152 Tricycle
    - 2216 Ship
    - 2217 Airplane
    - 2219 Other vehicle
  - 222 Weapon
  - 223 Money
  - 224 CCTV and related devices
  - 225 Tool or device for occupation
  - 226 Domestic animal
  - 227 Communication tool
  - 228 Educational supplies (such as desk, chair, document desk, computer, etc.)
  - 229 Other private mobile properties
- 88 Unclear
- 99 Others

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## DSW-CID Data Column

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Deepsouth Conflict Incident Database uses Microsoft Access as the basic program for data recording with the form for data recording is divided into the following parts.

1. Basic Data
2. Incident Data
3. Actor Data

The details of variables and types of the data are stated bellow.

### 1. ข้อมูลพื้นฐาน (Basic Data)

Variable Code	Variable	Data type	Publicity
N_INC_ID	New incident code	Numeric	/
O_INC_ID	Old incident code	Numeric	/
SOURCE	Information source	Text	/
INC_ID_REL	Code of other incidents related to this incident	Text	/
NOTE	Note	Text	×
INC_FLE	Attached document	Attachment	×
DATE_REC	Date of data recording	Date	/
STAF_REC	Officer in charge of recording	Integer*	×
DATE_EDT	Date of data modification	Date	/
STAF_EDT	Officer in charge of modification	Integer*	×

**Note:** \*In the Access program, the type of the data is stated as Text



## 2. Incident Data

Variable Code	Variable	Data type	Publicity
N_INC_ID	New incident code	Numeric	/
O_INC_ID	Old incident code	Numeric	/
DATE	Data of incident	Date	/
TIME	Time of incident	Time	/
SCENE	Details of incident site	Text	×
SIG_SITE	Incident site of significance	Integer*	/
OTHER_SIG	Incident site of other significance	Text	/
PRO_INC	Province of incident site	Text	/
DIS_INC	District of incident site	Text	/
SUB_INC	Subdistrict of incident site	Text	×
VIL_INC	Village of incident site	Text	×
URB_INC	Urbanness (inside or outside a municipality are)	Integer*	/
MUN_INC	Municipality of incident site	Text	×
GPS_COR	Global Positioning System Coordinate of incident site**	Numeric	×
MIL_COR	Thai Military Grid Reference System Coordinate of incident cite	Numeric	×
TYP_INC	Type of incident	Integer*	/
TOOL	Type of tool used in incident	Integer*	/
VEHIC	Type of vehicle used in incident	Integer*	/
SET_INC	Set of incidents (single incident or continous incident)	Integer*	/
VIO_INC	Set of incidents with violence and without violence	Integer*	/
SID_INC	Set of violent incidents with civilians as targets	Integer*	/
CAS_INC	Cause of incident	Integer*	/
EFFEC	Effect of incident toward actors in incident	Integer*	/
PROPT	Damage to property	Integer*	/
OTHER_PROPT	Damage to other property	Text	/

**Note:** \*In the Access program, the type of the data is stated as Text

\*\* In the Access program, the variable “GPS\_CORW” is recorded in the same data channel with the variable “VIL\_INC”.

### 3. Actor Data

Variable Code	Variable	Data type	Publicity
N_INC_ID	New incident code	Numeric	/
O_INC_ID	Old incident code	Numeric	/
ROL_ACT	Role of actor	Integer*	/
N_ACT_ID	Code of new actor	Numeric	/
O_ACT_ID	Code of old actor	Numeric	/
TYP_ACT	Type of actor	Integer*	/
TYP_TAR	Type of targeted object	Integer*	/
STA_ACT	Status of main actor of incident	Integer*	/
ID_CRD	Identity Card Number of actor	Numeric	×
TITLE	Name title of actor	Integer*	×
NAME	Name of actor	Text	×
LASTN	Family name of actor	Text	×
AGE	Age of actor	Numeric	/
GENDR	Gender of actor	Integer*	/
RELIG	Religion of actor	Integer*	/
ADD_ACTL	Current address of actor	Text	×
PRO_ACTL	Province of current address of actor	Text	×
DIS_ACTL	District of current address of actor	Text	×
SUB_ACTL	Subdistrict of current address of actor	Text	×
VIL_ACTL	Village of current address of actor	Text	×
URB_ACTL	Urbanness (inside or outside municipality area) of current address of actor	Integer*	/
MUN_ACTL	Municipality current address of actor	Text	×
ADD_HOME	Hometown or address in Identity Card of actor	Text	×
PRO_HOME	Province of hometown or address in Identity Card of actor	Text	×
DIS_HOME	District of hometown or address in Identity Card of actor	Text	×
SUB_HOME	Subdistrict of hometown or address in Identity Card of actor	Text	×
VIL_HOME	Village of hometown or address in Identity Card of actor	Text	×
URB_HOME	Urbanness (inside or outside municipality area) of hometown or address in Identity Card of actor	Integer*	/
MUN_HOME	Municipality of hometown or address in Identity Card of actor	Text	×
OCCUP	Occupation of actor	Integer*	/
GRP_SOC	Social group of actor	Integer*	/
NOTE	Note	Text	×

**Note:** \*In the Access program, the type of the data is stated as Text