# Coding note: Belfast

## Overview

Time period(s) under study: 1991-11-26 - 1998-08-14, 1998-08-16 -2023-06-30 (based on the UCDP Conflict Termination Dataset (Kreutz, 2010; Kreutz, 2021))

First postwar period: Terminated through low activity

Good Friday Agreement 1998-04-10

Conflict resumption: 1998-08-15 (Real IRA bombing in Omagh)

Second postwar period: Starts as Real IRA signs a ceasefire agreement after the bombing

## Factiva search summary

Search string:

Belfast and

("North Belfast" or "East Belfast" or "South Belfast" or "West Belfast" or "City Centre") and

(kill\* or murder\* or attack\* or injur\* or dead or death or wounded or massacre\* or clash\* or riot\* or violent or violence or rape\* or stab\* or bomb\* or beat\* or kick\* or shot or shooting or punishment) and

("Northern Ireland conflict" or Troubles or Catholic\* or Protestant\* or republican\* or loyalist\* or nationalist\* or unionist\* or war or conflict or "security forces" or paramilitar\* or sectarian\*) not

("digest" or "highlight" or "world news" or “news summary”) not

"to Belfast" not

(1966 or 1967 or 1968 or 1969 or 1970 or 1971 or 1972 or 1973 or 1974 or 1975 or 1976 or 1977 or 1978 or 1979 or 1980 or 1981 or 1982 or 1983 or 1984 or 1985 or 1986 or 1987 or 1988 or 1989 or 1990 or 1991 or 1992 or 1993 or 1994 or 1995 or 1996 or 1997)

* Search limited to title and first paragraph (to reduce number of articles)

Factiva results:

14,016

## Additional sources

Statistics

* Police Statistics/Hate Crimes: <https://www.psni.police.uk/inside-psni/Statistics/hate-motivation-statistics/>
* Security Situation Statistics: <https://www.psni.police.uk/inside-psni/Statistics/security-situation-statistics/security-situation-statistics-archive/>

Articles/Report

* Incredibly detailed report on Belfast: <http://eprints.lse.ac.uk/3626/1/Belfast_city_report.pdf>
* Northern Ireland Peace Monitoring Report: <https://www.community-relations.org.uk/publications/northern-ireland-peace-monitoring-report>
* Security-related deaths: [https://www.bbc.com/news/uk-northern-ireland-43862294 /](https://www.bbc.com/news/uk-northern-ireland-43862294%20/) <https://www.thedetail.tv/articles/the-cruel-peace-killings-in-northern-ireland-since-the-good-friday-agreement>
* Punishment Attacks Belfast 2012-2013: <https://www.ums.ac.uk/umj086/086(2)090.pdf>
* Punishment Attacks Statistics: <https://www.thedetail.tv/articles/above-the-law-paramilitary-punishment-attacks-in-northern-ireland>
* Punishment Attacks 2018: <https://www.irishtimes.com/news/crime-and-law/northern-ireland-eighty-one-punishment-attacks-in-past-year-1.3977767>
* Report Ulster University Sectarianism: <https://www.ulster.ac.uk/__data/assets/pdf_file/0016/410227/A-Review-Addressing-Sectarianism-in-Northern-Ireland_FINAL.pdf>
* Punishment Attacks GIS Analysis: <https://www.tandfonline.com/doi/full/10.1080/13562570600921667?scroll=top&needAccess=true>
* Cain Death List: <https://cain.ulster.ac.uk/issues/violence/deathsfrom2002draft.htm>

## References

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