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List of LTTE Attacks on Civilian Targets

Date	Location	Event	Dead	Wounded	Missing
14/05/1985	Sri Maha Bodiya - Anuradhapura	LTTE massacred Buddhist devotees at the Sri Maha Bodhiya.	120	85	
14/05/1985	Wilpattu Jungle - Puttalam	Armed terrorists shot dead 18 Sinhalese.	18		
02/08/1985	Thirukonamadu - Polonnaruwa	Armed terrorists attacked Ruhunu Somawathiya Temple.	6		
03/05/1986	Katunayake - Gampaha	Bomb exploded in Tristar aircraft at the Bandaranaike International Airport, killing foreigners and local travellers.	16		
07/05/1986	Colombo	Bomb exploded in Central Telecommunication Office complex.	14		
30/05/1986	Colombo	Bomb explosion at the Elephant House supermarket killing civilians.	11		
30/05/1986	Pahala Thoppur - Trincomalee	Land mine explosion on a moving bus carrying Security Force personnel and civilians.	5		
31/05/1986	Veyangoda Railway Station - Gampaha	A bomb explosion in <i>Yaldevi</i> train.	10		
11/06/1986	Trincomalee	Killing of a large group of people in a bomb explosion in a bus at Inner Harbour Road – Trincomalee.	22	75	
25/06/1986	Sittaru Kantalai - Trincomalee	Killing of a large group of people in a bomb explosion in the area.	16		

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13/07/1986	Pavakkulam Trincomalee	- Four armed terrorists had come in a jeep to Pavakkulam and attacked the civilians.	11		
17/07/1986	Block 4 Sugar Corp. Trincomalee	- Terrorists had exploded a bomb.	10		
22/07/1986	Mamaduwa Vavuniya	- Terrorists exploded a land mine on a civilian bus.	32	2	
24/07/1986	Issenbessagala Anuradhapura	- Killing a large group of people in a bomb explosion.	17	40	
18/02/1987	Nelungama Badulla	- A time bomb explosion.	7		
17/04/1987	Habarana Tricomalee	- LTTE massacred 96 civilians and 31 SF personnel who were travelling in a passenger bus.	96	44	
21/04/1987	Central Bus Stand, Pettah - Colombo	The LTTE exploded a car bomb at the Pettah Bus Stand.	106	295	
02/06/1987	Arantalawa Ampara	- Massacre of 31 Buddhist Priests and 04 civilians.	35	14	
11/06/1987	Veppankulam Trincomalee	- Killing a large group of people in a pressure mine explosion.	13		
12/06/1987	Godapotha	- Terrorists surrounded a temple and attacked.	8	6	

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	Polonnaruwa				
29/07/1987	Thoppur Trincomalee	- Terrorist attack on civilians.	9		
06/10/1987	Batticaloa Town	Armed terrorists fired at civilians.	18	6	
06/10/1987	Valachchenai Batticaloa	- LTTE set fire to the Batticaloa mail train.	40		
07/10/1987	Lahugala - Pottuvil - Ampara	The LTTE killed 30 Civilians travelling in a passenger bus from Moneragala to Pottuvil.	30		
16/10/1987	Pulmoddai Anuradhapura	- A bus proceeding from Pulmoddai was stopped by terrorists and attacked.	8		
19/10/1987	Kalkudah Batticaloa	- LTTE exploded a landmine.	40	24	
09/11/1987	Maradana Colombo	- Vehicle bomb explosion opposite Zahira College.	23	106	
22/12/1987	Morawewa Trincomalee	- Terrorists abducted 06 fishermen and later killed them.	6		
11/03/1988	Horowpothana Polonnaruwa	- A group of armed terrorists had attacked a private bus at Suhadagama with small arms and grenades.	19	9	
27/03/1988	Wewalketiya	- A bomb which was hidden in a gunny bag inside a CTB bus plying from	9	14	

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	Anuradhapura	Medawachchiya to Horowpathana exploded.			
30/04/1988	Awarathalawa Vavuniya	- Terrorists attack on a civil bus.	4	5	
01/05/1988	Sittaru/Kantalai Trincomalee	- Terrorists exploded a land mine on a civilian bus.	26	35	
09/07/1988	Irattaperiyakulam Vavuniya	- A passenger bus leaving Jaffna was ambushed by LTTE.	2	10	
21/07/1988	Trincomalee town	A time bomb explosion in Bandula Hotel causing damage to the Building.	5	15	
16/08/1988	Trincomalee town	A bomb was exploded by the LTTE.	9	19	
25/08/1988	Marawila Polonnaruwa	- Armed terrorists had killed civilians by cutting their throats.	11		
14/11/1988	Peniketiyawa Trincomalee	- Terrorists ambushed a civil bus.	28	2	
13/04/1989	Centre Road Trincomalee	- A car bomb explosion.	51	43	
17/08/1989	Nochchikulam Vavuniya	- An IED explosion.	8	4	
25/07/1990	Meeyankulam Polonnaruwa	- Civilians were hacked to death by terrorists.	8		

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29/07/1990	Samanturai Ampara	- Terrorists fired at a Mosque.	5	3	
30/07/1990	Akkaraipattu Ampara	- Terrorists abducted and killed 14 Muslims.	14		
03/08/1990	Kathankudy Batticaloa	- Terrorists massacred Muslim devotees at a Mosque.	147	70	
05/08/1990	Mullayankadu Ampara	- Terrorists killed civilians working in a paddy field.	17		
06/08/1990	Ampara area	Terrorists killed civilians working in a paddy field.	34		
08/08/1990	Meegaswewa Trincomalee	- A private coach proceeding from Morawewa to Horowpathana was attacked by terrorists.	26	7	
12/08/1990	Weerachchola Ampara	- Terrorists attacked Muslim civilians working in a paddy field.	4	10	
13/08/1990	Muttur Trincomalee	- Six Muslim fishermen were killed and buried at Gengai village by terrorists.	6		
13/08/1990	Pulmoddai Welioya	- Terrorists ambushed a lorry travelling from Negombo to Kokkuvil.	14		
09/09/1990	Uhana - Ampara	Terrorists attacked farmers who were travelling on a tractor.	7	2	
13/09/1990	South of Poonani -	Security Forces recovered 07 mutilated bodies of Muslim villagers. The deceased	7		

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	Anuradhapura	had been hacked to death.			
24/09/1990	Gajabapura - Welioya	Terrorists set fire to 05 houses.	4		
30/09/1990	Maha Oya - Ampara	Terrorists hijacked civilians and killed them.	9		
11/10/1990	Arugam Bay - Ampara	Terrorists shot and hacked to death 09 Muslims who were collecting fire woods near Kirankove Jungle.	9		
02/03/1991	Havelock Road - Colombo	A suicide vehicle bomb explosion.	19	70	
24/03/1991	Fish Market - Akkaraipattu - Ampara	Bomb explosion at Fish Market.	9	32	
03/04/1991	Keviliya - Trincomalee	Terrorists attack on fishing village.	10	11	16
12/06/1991	Kokkadicholai - Batticaloa	Bomb explosion on Manmunai Ferry.	10		
08/08/1991	Samanturai - Batticaloa	08 Muslim farmers who were on their way home from their paddy fields had been killed by a group of terrorists.	6		
26/01/1992	Between Aratalawa and Borapola -	Killing a large group of people who were travelling in a private bus playing between	10	26	

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	Ampara	Maha Oya and Ampara through a land mine explosion.			
10/04/1992	Ampara	A bomb exploded in a private bus which was parked at the Ampara bus stand.	28	36	
10/04/1992	Maharagama - Colombo	At the Maharagama town a bomb exploded in a car close to the National Youth Council building.	9	23	
10/04/1992	Maradana - Colombo	Killing a large group of people in a car bomb explosion.	8	23	
02/06/1992	209 mile post - Pottuvil - Ampara	Terrorists stopped a private bus plying from Akkaraipattu to Pottuvil and opened fire.	14	3	
15/07/1992	Kirankulam - Batticaloa	Terrorists attacked a civil bus proceeding from Kathankudy towards Kalmunai.	19	7	
21/07/1992	Batticaloa	Terrorists stopped the Colombo-Batticaloa train and ordered the passengers to get down and opened fire at the Muslim passengers.	8	4	
30/07/1992	Trincomalee	Killing a group of people in a explosion by a bomb planted in a private bus at the bus stand.	9	34	
01/09/1992	Saindamadu - Ampara	LTTE launched a bomb attack.			22
10/09/1992	Trincomalee	Blasted a ferry at Kiliveddy Point.	6	2	
26/12/1992	Vakaneri South - Batticaloa	A Maruti Jeep (17 - 5747) carrying the Additional AG (Batticaloa), AGA (Valachchenai) and 04 others was caught in a land mine explosion.	6		

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01/05/1993	Armour Street Junction - Colombo	A suicide bomb explosion killing HE R Premadasa, the President of Sri Lanka.	13	23	
19/01/1994	Rambawewa - Anuradhapahura	Bomb blast in a bus at Rambawewa.	10		
16/03/1994	Kudiramalai - Puttalam	Approx. 10 boats that had gone fishing close to Kudiramalai point were attacked by terrorists.	17	3	
24/10/1994	Thotalanga Junction - Colombo	A suicide bomb explosion.	54	72	
07/08/1995	Independence Square - Colombo	A suicide cadre pushing a cart fixed with a bomb exploded it at the gate of the Ministerial Office of the Western Province Chief Minister.	23	40	
25/10/1995	Panama - Ampara	Terrorists kidnapped 02 villagers from Panama village and killed them. Later they kidnapped another 06 and killed them.	8		
11/11/1995	Slave Island - Colombo	A suicide bomber who had been in the vicinity of AHQ detonated himself in close proximity to the Slave Island Railway Station.	11	52	
05/12/1995	Puthukudirippu - Batticaloa	A vehicle bomb exploded in front of the Puthukudirippu camp.	12	0	
31/01/1996	Colombo	A large group of people were killed in a bomb explosion in front of the Central Bank.	80	1200	
18/06/1996	Meegasodella - Trincomalee	A vehicle belonging to Survey Department was fired on by a group of terrorists while it was returning from Kantalai to Kallar.	6	2	

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04/07/1996	Jaffna Town	Suicide bomber exploded.	12	50	
24/07/1996	Dehiwala - Colombo	Bomb explosion on the Alutgama train at Dehiwala station.	57	356	
12/09/1996	Arantalawa - Ampara	Terrorists attacked the SLTB bus plying from Ampara to Kandy.	11	31	
15/10/1997	Colombo Fort	Terrorists activated lorry bomb at Galadari Hotel and at the World Trade Centre.	11	105	
25/01/1998	Kandy	A large group of people were killed when a LTTE suicide bomber exploded 02 bombs in the vicinity of Dalada Maligawa in Kandy.	9	15	
05/03/1998	Maradana - Colombo	Vehicle bomb explosion near Maradana Police Station.	36	270	
09/03/1998	Eravur - Batticaloa	Claymore mine explosion in the centre of Eravur town.	5	26	
11/09/1998	Nallur - Jaffna	Bomb explosion that took place in the Municipal Commissioner's Office close to Nallur Kovil.	5	12	
29/09/1998	Jaffna	LTTE attack on a passenger aircraft belonging to Lion Air Flight killing 54 civilians including the crew members.	54		
20/11/1999	Madhu Church complex - Mannar	Terrorists fired small arms and mortars on the Madhu Church complex.	38	66	
18/12/1999	Town Hall - Colombo	A suicide cadre exploded herself at a Presidential Election Campaign Meeting.	16	106	

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18/12/1999	Ja-Ela - Gampaha	A LTTE suicide bomber attacked a UNP election meeting.	12	45	
05/01/2000	Flower Road - Colombo	A female suicide bomber exploded herself when police officers attempted to check her in front of the Prime Minister's Office.	9	16	
27/01/2000	Vavuniya	A Parcel bomb planted in the Vavuniya post office exploded.	13	58	
10/03/2000	Rajagiriya - Borella - Colombo	The LTTE killed a large group of people when their mission of assassinating cabinet ministers and top defence officials returning from the Parliament failed.	15	76	
07/04/2000	Aralaganvila - Polonnaruwa	Terrorist fired at famers.	4		
12/04/2000	Fort Fedrick - Trincomalee	Terrorists threw a Hand Grenade at a Musical Show.	10	60	
17/05/2000	Batticaloa	A bomb exploded opposite the "Vesak Pandal" at Mangalaram Temple, Batticaloa.	17	78	
07/06/2000	Ratmalana - Colombo	A large group of people were killed in a LTTE suicide mission.	24	60	
15/09/2000	Maradana - Colombo	A suicide cadre exploded himself at Deans Road near the Eye Hospital while being checked by a Police Constable.	5	25	
02/10/2000	Mutur - Trincomalee	A suicide bomber riding a bicycle strapped with explosives drove into a three wheeler carrying Mr. Mohamad Latiff Baithullah, a PA candidate, killing a large group of people.	27	46	
05/10/2000	Medawachchiya -	A LTTE suicide bomber exploded herself at a General Election meeting held by the	11	40	

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	Anuradhapura	Peoples Alliance in Medawachchiya Town, killing a large group of innocent people.			
28/11/2000	Kebitigollawa - Anuradhapura	Passenger bus which was proceeding on the Medawachchiya – Kebitigollewa Road, got caught to a pressure mine killing a large group of innocent people.	16	36	
05/03/2005	Kolakanawadiya - Polonnaruwa	A group of gunman suspected to be LTTE attacked a group of civilian.	6	3	
18/11/2005	Akkaraipattu - Batticaloa	A Civilian lobbed two hand grenade at the Main Mosque in Akkaraipattu.	4	35	
12/04/2006	Trincomalee Town	A bomb exploded near Public Market – Trincomalee.	15	45	
23/04/2006	Kallampaththuwa - Trincomalee	LTTE cadres fired at the farmers who were in a paddy field.	5		
27/05/2006	Nochchiyagama - Puttalam	A group of 07 civilians who entered the Wilpattu National Park were killed when the vehicle in which they were travelling got caught to a cluster of landmines.	7		
29/05/2006	Omadiyamadu - Polonnaruwa	LTTE had massacred 12 persons who were engaged in a tank construction project.	12	2	
15/06/2006	Kebitigollewa - Anuradhapura	LTTE had exploded 02 claymore mines targeting a passenger bus transporting approximately 160 passengers from villages of Viharahalmillewa, Halmillawetiya, Yakawewa and Talgaswewa to Kebitigollewa. In the explosion 01 soldier, 15 Home Guards and 48 civilians were killed and 01 soldier and 86 civilians were injured.	64	87	

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Date	Location	Event	Dead	Wounded	Missing
18/09/2006	Panama - Ampara	Ten Muslim civilians were killed by the LTTE group whilst they were engaged in construction works at Radaella Tank in Panama – Potuvil area.	10	1	
05/01/2007	Nittambuwa - Gampaha	A time bomb exploded in a private bus plying between Nittambuwa to Giriulla.	5	54	
06/01/2007	Seenigama - Galle	An explosion occurred inside a Matara bound private bus plying from Colombo at Seenigama, near the Kahawa Junction, Ambalangoda.	11	30	
01/04/2007	Mailambaveli, Eravur - Batticaloa	An LTTE armed gang forcibly took 08 Civilians, workers out of a construction site (Village Hope a housing scheme for Orphanage Children and took them 200m away and shot them).	6	3	
25/04/2007	Kondavattavan - Ampara	Passenger bus plying from Ampara to Badulla <i>via</i> Bibila was blown up by a bomb hidden inside the bus by LTTE terrorists.	14	25	
05/04/2007	Nidanwala - Polonnaruwa	Four male farmers were killed by a group of LTTE terrorists consisting of 10 – 15 terrorists with fire-arms while the farmers were harvesting.	4		
07/04/2007	Piramanalankulam - Vavuniya	A passenger transport bus carrying civilian commuters from Mannar to Vavuniya (A-30 road) was attacked by LTTE with a claymore mine in the general area Piramanalankulam.	6	17	
13/04/2007	Aiyankerni - Batticaloa	LTTE attacked, using small arms, a group of TMVP members. Due to the fire 02 TMVP members and 03 civilians died and 02 civilians received injuries.	5	2	
01/05/2007	Thihihilaweddi - Batticaloa	LTTE shot dead 03 farmers including a woman at Thihihilaweddi in an uncleared area while the farmers were in their farm.	3		

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26/11/2007	Wilachchiya - Anuradhapura	Four civilians were killed by LTTE.	4		
26/11/2007	Nugegoda - Colombo	An explosion took place at Nugegoda junction in front of shopping complex.	15	36	
05/12/2007	Abimanapura - Anuradhapura	LTTE terrorists exploded a claymore mine targeting a bus which was transporting civilians from Anuradhapura to Janakapura.	14	21	
16/01/2008	Okkampitiya - Monaragala	Blasting of a claymore mine followed by shooting LTTE terrorists targeted a passenger bus which was plying from Okkampitiya to Buttala in the general area of Weliara.	27	65	
31/01/2008	Thirunelvely - Jaffna	An LTTE suicide bomber who had come in a pedal cycle exploded himself on the Jaffna – Nallur road.	4	14	
02/02/2008	Dambulla - Matale	Passenger bus plying from Kandy to Anuradhapura was blown up by a concealed time bomb inside the bus at Dambulla bus stand.	18	71	
03/02/2008	Colombo	An LTTE female suicide bomber blew herself on platform No.3 inside the Colombo Fort Railway Station.	15	85	
04/02/2008	Nikawewa - Welioya	Blasting of a claymore mine by LTTE terrorists targeting a passenger bus which was plying from Parakramapura to Janakapura in Nikawewa.	8	12	
06/04/2008	Weliweriya - Gampaha	LTTE Suicide attack at Weliweriya which killed Mr. Jeyaraj Fernandopulle, Minister of Highways & Road Development and the Chief Govt. Whip.	10	72	
25/04/2008	Piliyandala -	A bomb explosion using a remote control device took place inside a crowded	27	67	

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	Colombo	passenger bus plying between Piliyandala and Kahapola.			
08/05/2008	Ampara	An explosion took place close to the Clock Tower of Ampara.	12	36	
26/05/2008	Dehiwala - Colombo	Blasting of a bomb inside the Panadura bound crowded office train at Dehiwala Railway Station.	9	80	
06/06/2008	Katubedda - Colombo	Blasting of a claymore mine targeting a private passenger bus proceeding towards Mount Lavinia from Kottawa between Shilabimbarama Temple and the University of Moratuwa.	23	28	
11/07/2008	Galge - Yala - Hambantota	LTTE fired on a passenger bus travelling from Buttala to Kataragama.	4	21	
06/10/2008	Anuradhapura	An LTTE male suicide bomber exploded himself killing Major General K J C Perera RWP RSP VSV USP rcds Psc (Retd), leader of the opposition North Central Provincial Council, and 26 other persons and injuring 84 persons during a function held to declare open the new UNP office in Anuradhapura.	27	84	
09/02/2009	Puliyampokkanai - Kilinochchi	An LTTE female suicide bomber exploded herself while troops were conducting body searches of IDPS.	9	41	
10/02/2009	Puthukkudiyiruppu - Mullaittivu	Terrorists fired at IDPs coming to SF controlled area.	19	75	
10/02/2009	Akuressa - Matara	An LTTE suicide bomber attacked the Jumma Mosque at Godapitiya in Akuressa.	13	42	

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