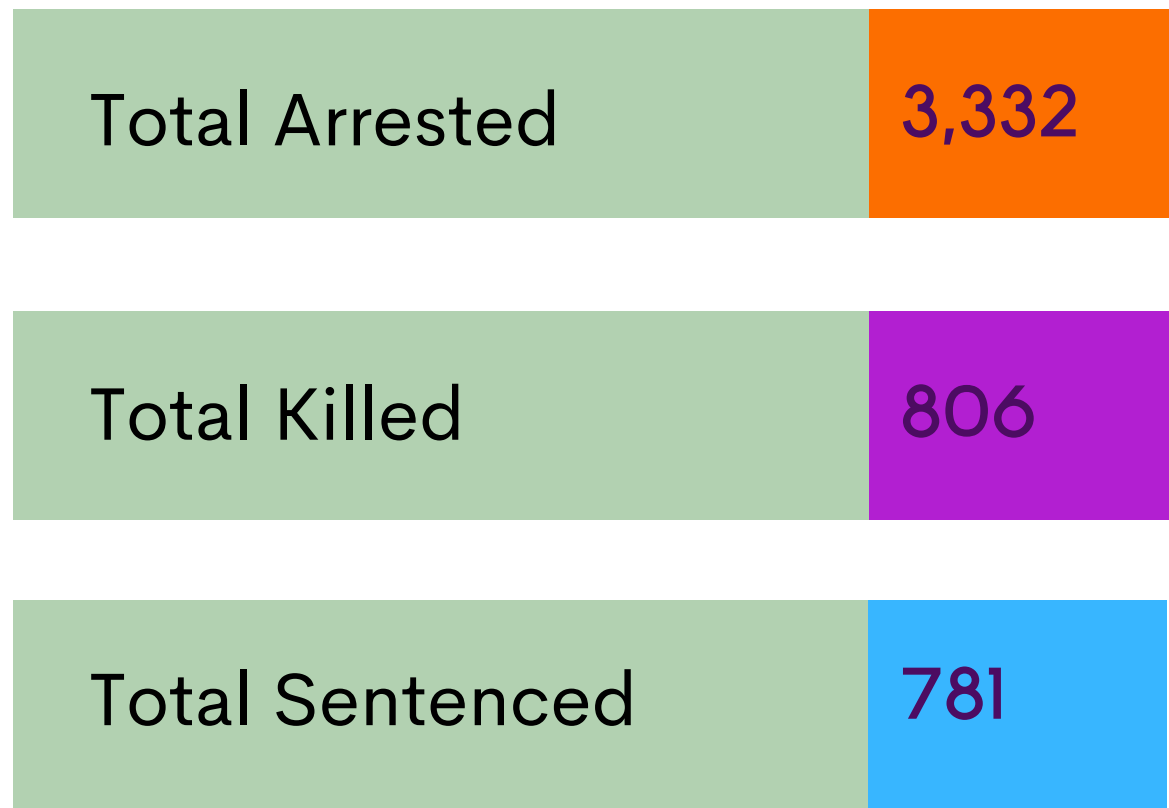


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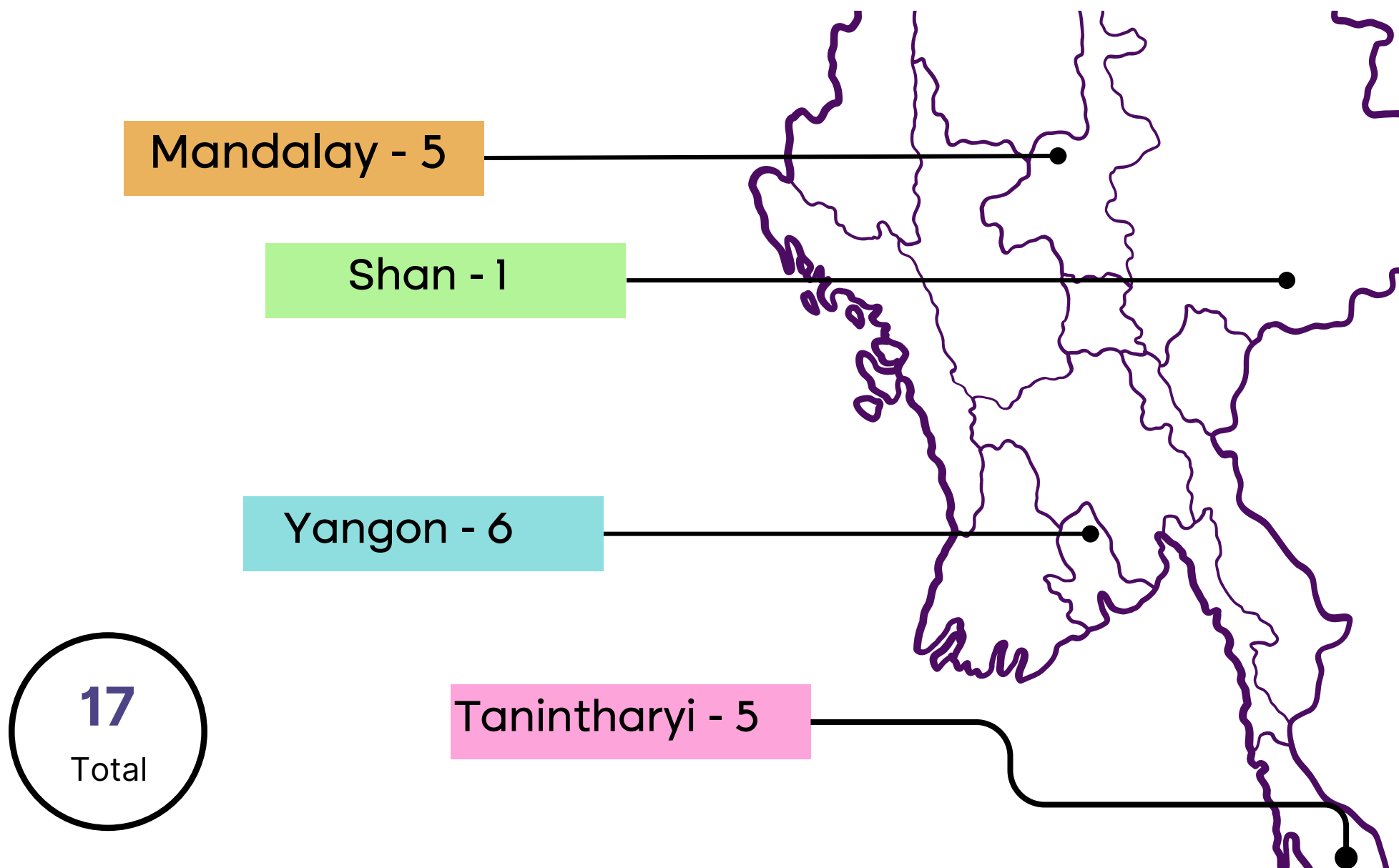
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Since the day of the attempted coup by the Myanmar Military from 1st February 2021 to 28th February 2024, there were brutal tactics of Military dictatorship by targeting civilians such as shooting with artillery, aerial bombardment and other aggressive attacks. As a result of such targeted attacks, the number of women killed was up to **(806)**. Additionally, there are a total of **(3,332)** women who were arbitrarily arrested and detained by the military junta, among which, **(781)** women have been unjustly convicted.

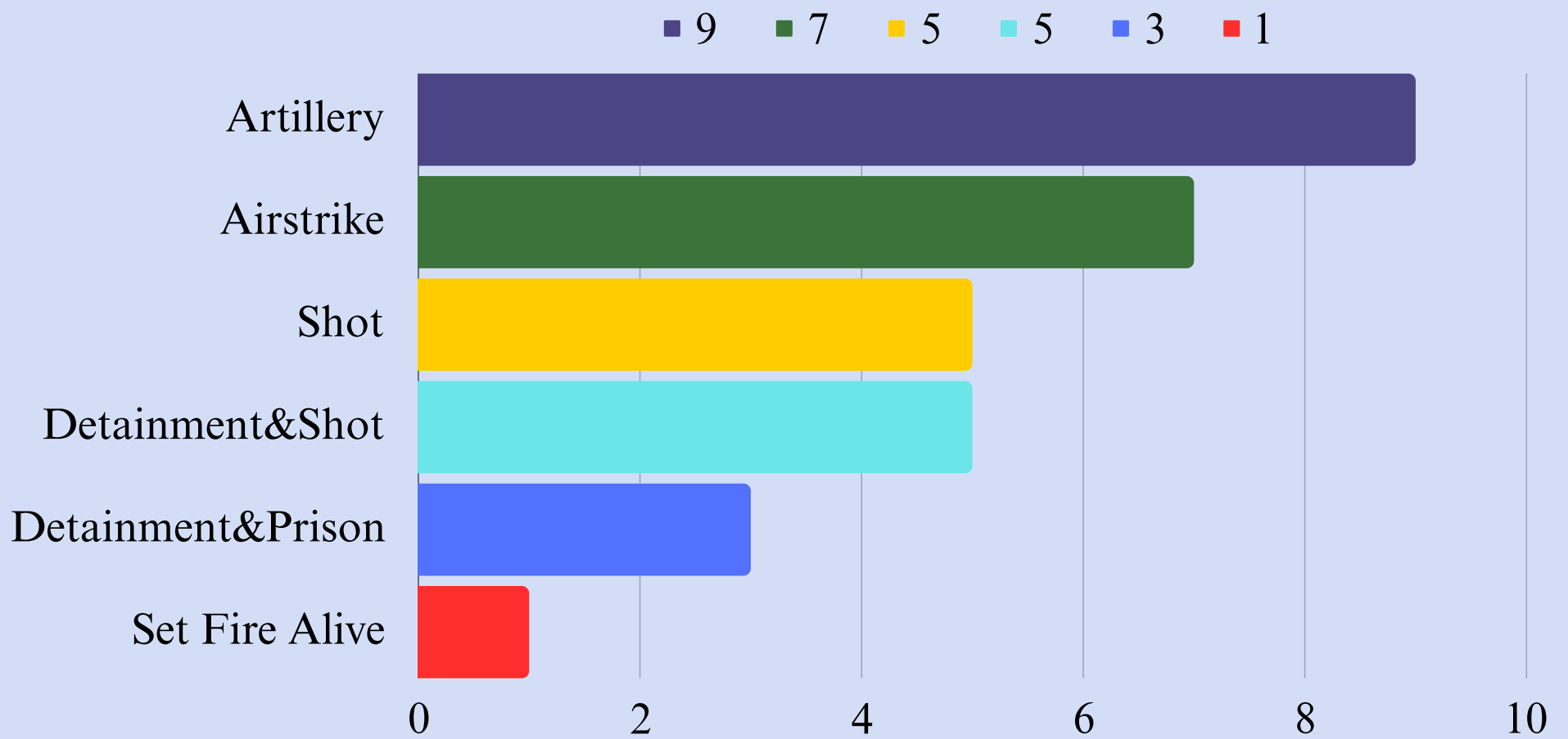
Number of Women Detainees By Region

2024 February (1) to 2024 February (28)



From 1st February to 28th February 2024, **(17)** women were arrested by the military junta. Most of those arrested were accused of composing and disseminating false information on social media. Similarly, some women were arrested because of spreading news on social media about two young men being burned alive in Myauk Khin Yan village. Moreover, some women were detained for allegedly being members of the People's Defence Force (PDF), and participating in the Civil Disobedience Movement (CDM). Those detainees were from Yangon, Mandalay, Tanintharyi region, and Shan State.

Number of Women Fatality by Causes



In addition, during February 1st to 28th, Women fatality rate considerably increased to **(30)** numbers. Among those deceased women, (9) women were found dead because of artillery. (7) women were dead due to the airstrike while (5) women were shot to death by military junta forces. Not only that, (5) women were shot during the detainment and another (3) women died as a result of torture during the detention. A woman was killed by setting fire alive by the military junta. The women who lost their lives were mostly from Sagaing Region, which had the highest number of female deaths in February. The second highest number of female deceased was followed by the Bago Region.

This report is compiled by the Burmese Women's Union mainly based on the information provided by the Assistance Association for Political Prisoners (AAPP) and as well as information published by reliable media agencies. Due to the challenges of restriction on the information flows and communication cut of, the number on the ground could be much higher than the number which shown in this report.

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