| Mechanism | US Military | UK Military | Other Coalition Military | Host nation Military | Host nation Civilians |
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| Incidence (survivors + DOW) |  |  |  |  |  |
| Blunt (all types) | 783 (54%)  | 20 (15%) | 39 (33%)  | 108(17%)  | 174 (18%)  |
| Blunt (explosive) | 641 (44%)  | 12 (9%)  | 24 (20%)  | 84 (13%)  | 103 (10%)  |
| Blunt (MVC) | 52 (4%)  | 5 (4%)  | 7 (6%)  | 13 (2%)  | 32 (3%)  |
| Blunt (fall) | 24 (2%)  | 0 (0%)  | 1 (1%)  | 1 (<1%)  | 4 (<1%)  |
| Penetrating (all types) | 660 (45%) | 103 (79%)  | 77 (65%)  | 532 (82%)  | 800 (81%)  |
| Penetrating (GSW) | 209 (14%) | 22 (17%) | 18 (15%)  | 194 (30%)  | 324 (33%)  |
| Penetrating (explosive) | 413 (28%) | 78 (60%) | 50 (42%)  | 306 (47%)  | 403 (41%)  |
| All | 1453 (100%)  | 131 (100%)  | 118 (100%)  | 651 (100%)  | 991 (100%)  |
| Fatalities (DOW only) |  |  |  |  |  |
| Blunt (all types) | 39 (47%) | 0 (0%)  | 0 (0%)  | 7 (14%)  | 17 (27%)  |
| Blunt (explosive) | 34 (41%) | 0 (0%)  | 0 (0%)  | 5 (10%)  | 10 (16%)  |
| Blunt (MVC) | 6 (7%)  | 0 (0%)  | 0 (0%)  | 1 (2%)  | 7 (11%)  |
| Blunt (fall) | 2 (2%)  | 0 (0%)  | 0 (0%)  | 0 (0%)  | 2 (3%)  |
| Penetrating (all types) | 44 (53%)  | 17 (100%)  | 6 (100%)  | 42 (86%)  | 46 (73%)  |
| Penetrating (GSW) | 22 (3%) | 9 (50%)  | 1(17%)  | 17 (35%)  | 18 (29%)  |
| Penetrating (explosive) | 20 (24%)  | 8 (50%)  | 4 (67%)  | 22 (45%)  | 20 (32%)  |
| All | 83 (100%)  | 17 (100%)  | 6 (100%)  | 49 (100%)  | 63 (100%)  |

**Online Table 1: Mechanism of injury for casualties with neck injuries seen at roles 1-3 Medical Treatment Facilities (survivors and deaths). MVC= Motor vehicle Collision, GSW= Gunshot Wound.**