

## Monthly Summary – August 2016

August 2016 **saw a decrease in the number of attacks: 93** (73 of which were firebomb attacks), as opposed to 101 in July.

The decrease was mainly evident in **Jerusalem: 13 attacks**, compared to 24 in July. **77 attacks** were executed in **Judea and Samaria**, the same number of attacks as in July. The number of **attacks originating from the Gaza Strip**, however, increased from 1 in July to **3 in August**.

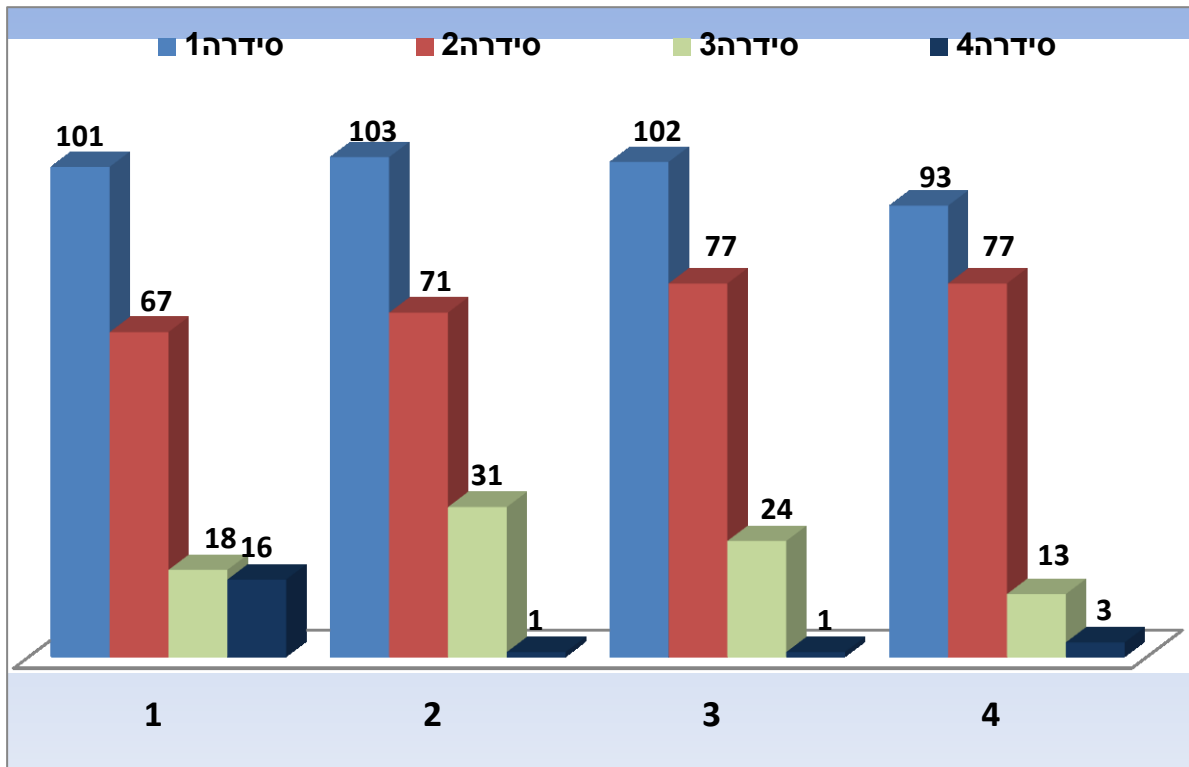
**Seven Israelis were injured in August's terrorist attacks:** 1 civilian and 6 security personnel: **3 were injured in stabbing attacks** (the civilian on 11 August in At-Tur neighborhood in Jerusalem, and two security personnel in Samaria on 14 and 24 August); 2 security personnel were **injured in firebomb attacks** in Ramallah on 10 August and in Isawiya/Jerusalem on 28 August; and another 2 security personnel were injured in **Samaria** as a result of a **pipe-bomb attack** on 3 August and **an object/stone throwing attack** on 6 August.

### Data regarding terror attacks in August 2016

Following is a regional distribution of attacks: 3 attack from the Gaza Strip, (1 in July); 77 attacks in the Judea and Samaria (as in July); 13 attacks in Jerusalem (24 in July).

**Jerusalem and the Judea and Samaria area:** Most attacks executed in August 73 out of 90 **were in the form of firebombs** (July: 73 out of 100).

Below is a diagram showing the distribution of attacks compared to previous months:



### Distribution of attacks according to regions and pattern profile:

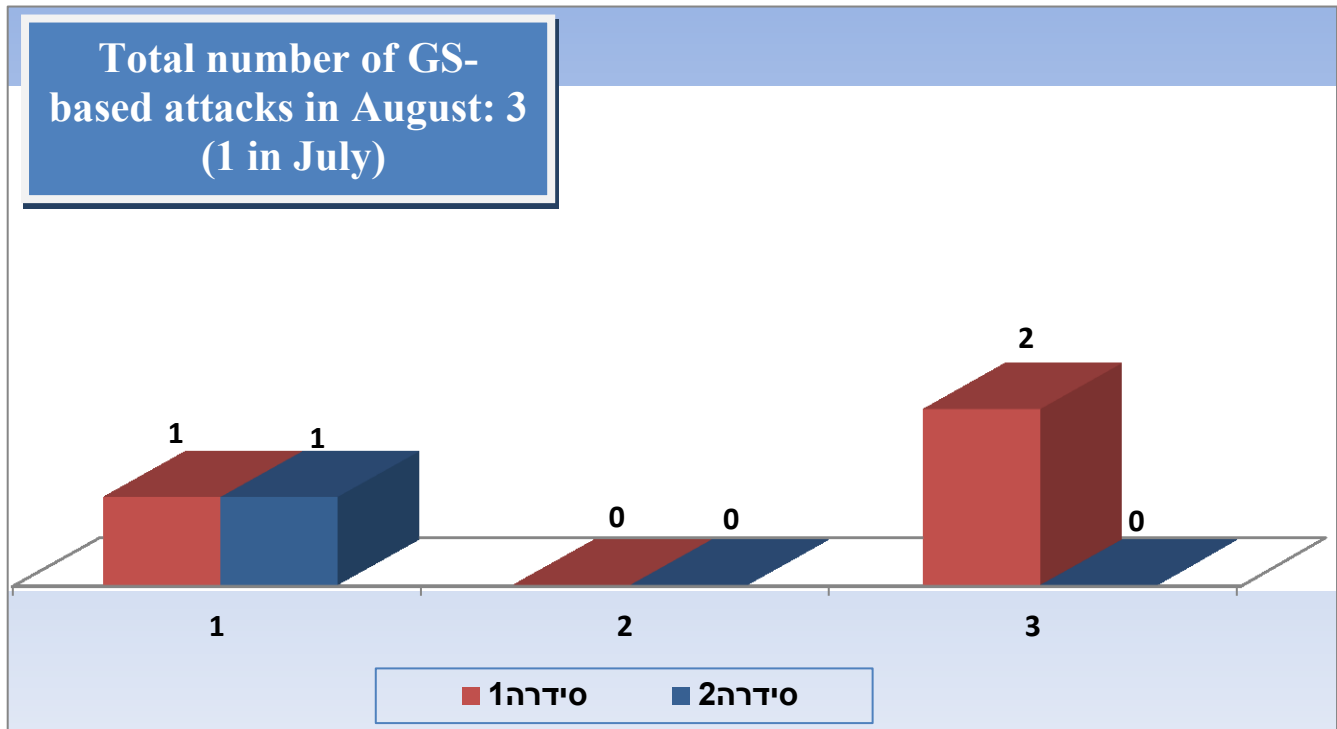
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**The Gaza Strip** – 3 attacks: 1 rocket launching; 2 small arms shooting.

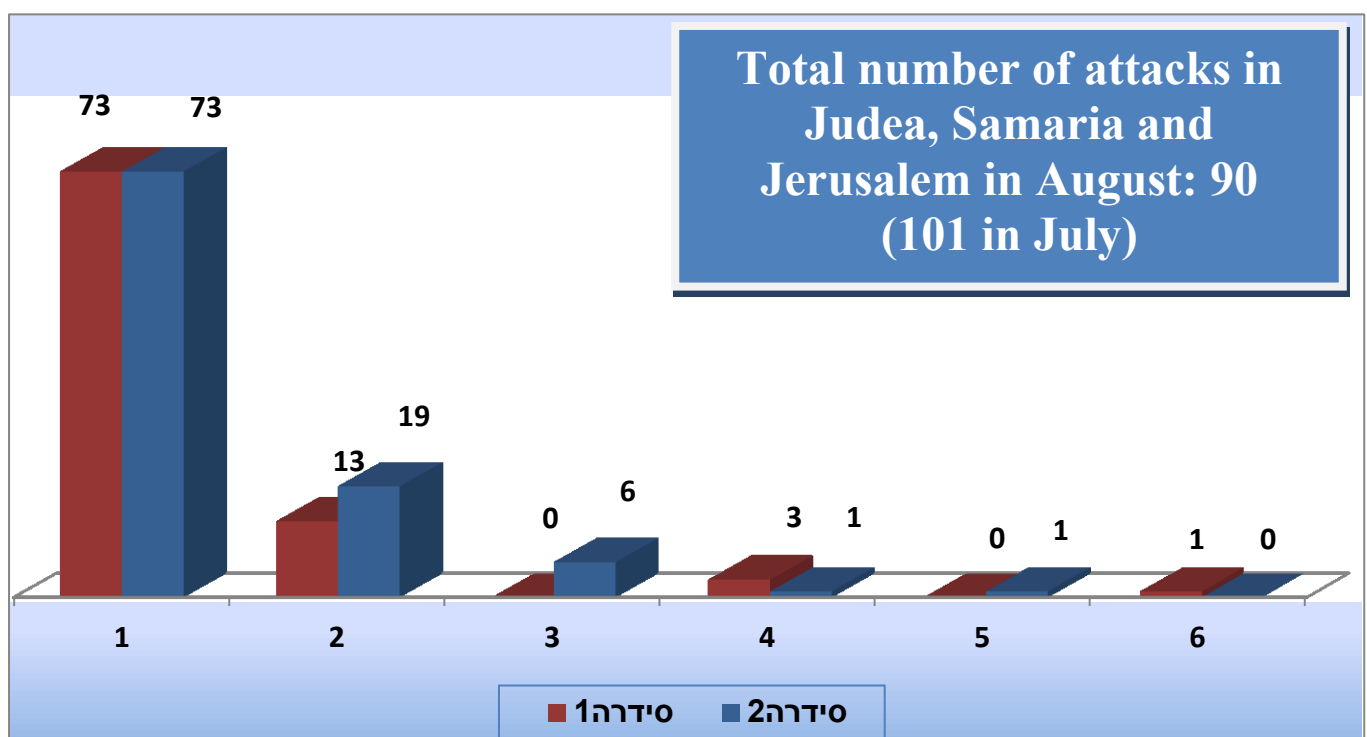
**Judea, Samaria and Jerusalem** – 90 attacks: 13 IED (including pipe bombs and improvised grenade); 1 object/stone throwing; 3 stabbing (1 in Jerusalem); 73 firebombs (12 in Jerusalem).

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Attacks from the Gaza Strip in August 2016 compared to July



Attacks in Judea, Samaria and Jerusalem in August 2016 compared to July



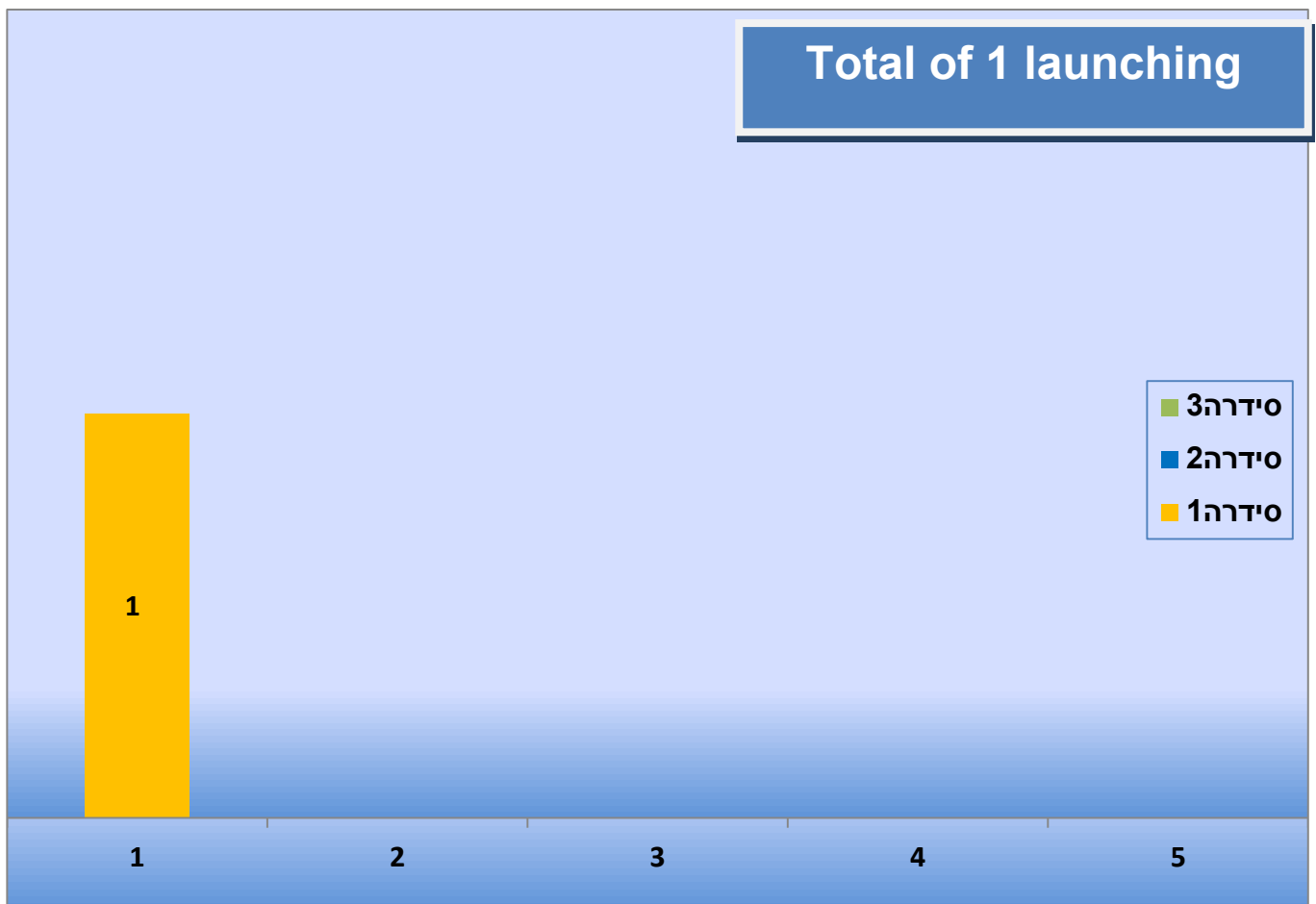
## High-trajectory launchings from Gaza Strip and Sinai

Throughout August 2016 one rocket was launched\*\* from the Gaza Strip towards Israel, as opposed to July in which 2 rockets were launched (within 1

**\*\*Clarification:** The number of launchings is the number of rockets/mortar shells actually launched during one high-trajectory fire attack. For example: one attack may include a salvo of three launchings, that is, three rockets/ mortar shells, and so it will be counted as one attack and three launchings.

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Rocket and mortar shell launchings\*\* throughout August 2016 in a weekly profile



Rocket and mortar shell launchings\*\* compared to previous months

