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Introduction

In 2025, at least 187 women were killed in Iran in publicly reported cases of femicide. This equals over 15 women per month, or nearly one woman every two days, and reflects another year of shocking disregard for Iranian women's right to life. From asylum seekers to university employees and successful athletes, women from all social classes were victims of femicide. In many cases, attempts were made to dispose of their bodies in the most gruesome ways. While the circumstances of each killing vary, the cases show a pattern of women being killed for seeking some form of independence: rejecting marriage proposals, asking for divorce, requesting financial independence, or daring to disagree with male kin.

These killings do not occur in isolation but are enabled by legal and institutional structures that fail to prevent violence against women and protect perpetrators from punishment. In 2025, after 15 years of political debate, the Iranian government has halted legal reforms to combat violence against women. As a result, the current legal framework and its gender-biased implementation continue to shield perpetrators from criminal accountability.

This report aims to counter the absence of official statistics and efforts to silence victims' families and activists by documenting and analyzing patterns of femicide in Iran. It assesses the identities of victims, locations, methods, motives, and the victims' relationships with the perpetrators. It also analyzes cases documented from 2022 to 2024 to identify trends and tendencies. The report concludes with recommendations for civil society, the Iranian government, and the international community. The report is produced by the Alliance for Rights of All Minorities (ARAM), a network of activists promoting human rights in Iran. It studies 241 cases of murders of women, including 187 claimed cases of femicide, documented in ARAM's "StopFemicideIran" (SFI) database, highlighting the systemic nature of femicide in Iran and the urgent need for legal and institutional reforms to protect women's right to life.

About StopFemicideIran (SFI)

ARAM launched its SFI initiative in 2020 in response to the brutal killing of the 14-year-old Romina Ashrafi, allegedly at the hands of her father. SFI seeks to combat the phenomenon of femicide in Iran and pay tribute to the victims, employing a three-prong approach:

Documentation: SFI monitors and documents suspected cases of femicides using publicly available information. This data is essential for identifying patterns, conducting advocacy, and naming the countless victims who die anonymously.

Education: SFI provides comprehensive information about femicide to human rights activists and broader society in Iran and beyond. This includes insights into the root causes of femicide and strategies for prevention and response.

Empowerment: SFI enhances the capacity and competencies of grassroots civil society actors to advocate for the rights of women affected by femicide. This empowerment is achieved through different cultural, religious, psychosocial, and legal tools that pave the way for meaningful and sustainable social and behavioral change.

What Is Femicide?

While there is no universally accepted definition, the term “femicide” is commonly used to describe the deliberate killing of women and girls because of their gender. It represents the most extreme form of gender-based violence against females and requires the perpetrator to have a gender-related motive for the killing. Such motives may include the desire to exercise power over females or prevent or punish them for behavior deemed socially unacceptable, perceptions of entitlement and ownership, pleasure, or sadistic desires. In most cases, femicides are perpetrated by the victims’ husbands, male relatives, or family acquaintances within the confines of the home. Femicides may also occur at the hands of the state through the imposition of capital punishment or the extrajudicial (excessive) use of force by government officials.

In the context of the Middle East, including Iran, a prevalent form of femicide is the phenomenon known as “honor killing,” which is a crime committed in the name of perceived family honor. The perpetrators are typically male family members who – sometimes with the support of the matriarchs – kill a female family member for actions believed to contravene societal traditions

or misinterpreted religious demands or tarnish the family's reputation. Such acts may encompass perceived sexual or behavioral transgressions as well as instances of rape.

Methodology

This report is based on femicide cases that occurred in Iran in 2025, as documented in SFI's database according to the methodology of the previous years. To compile its records, SFI relied on various sources, including official Iranian government sources, newspaper articles, and social media reports. It registered femicides committed by private individuals and the Iranian state when it could identify at least three of the following criteria: date and place of the incident; name, age, and ethnicity of the victim; victim-perpetrator relationship; method of the killing; and the perpetrator's stated motive for the killing. All recorded cases resulted in the death of the victim.

SFI does not count reports of suicide reportedly committed by females to prevent their family members from committing femicide, nor does it document cases of women being robbed and subsequently murdered. While these incidents may align with the broader societal and legal context in Iran that disadvantages women, it is difficult to attribute a gendered motive of the perpetrator, thus excluding them from the femicide classification.

The data collection for femicides in Iran faces significant limitations. Documenting femicide requires establishing gender-related motives, but investigative authorities often lack the awareness or competence to recognize such motivations. In Iran, this challenge is exacerbated by structural barriers, including government censorship, media restrictions, and institutional corruption. The Iranian government does not provide accurate or comprehensive statistics on gender-related killings, and official data on violence against women is scarce. Severe restrictions on journalistic reporting under the guise of public safety further suppress public awareness of femicide. Iran ranks among the most repressive countries for press freedom, with the government effectively controlling public information. Authorities closely monitor traditional media, and even social media posts are subject to surveillance, though citizens use digital tools to bypass some restrictions. This censorship explains why some reports on femicides disappear from the internet after publication. The situation has exacerbated with the widespread internet shutdown since 2026, which may have resulted in the loss of femicide reports from the end of 2025.

Law enforcement agencies also contribute to underreporting. Cases involving domestic violence or family members are often dismissed as private matters rather than crimes requiring state intervention. Authorities frequently misclassify

femicides as disappearances or unrelated violent crimes, leading to inaccurate public records. In marginalized regions such as Sistan and Baluchistan, additional barriers, including limited internet access, poverty, and a lack of official identification documents, hinder data collection. Ethnic minorities, who are disproportionately affected by femicides, face systemic discrimination and are underrepresented in government institutions, further eroding trust in law enforcement.

Beyond these structural challenges, methodological limitations arise from the reliance on open-source data. Newspapers, social media, and NGO reports may be subject to biases and incomplete information. Government censorship, fear of persecution, and social stigma likely result in significant underreporting. Families of victims may choose not to publicize femicide cases, while journalists and activists often self-censor due to state repression. Further, high-profile or particularly violent cases receive disproportionate coverage, while incidents in rural or marginalized communities are underreported. This selection bias affects the ability to assess broader patterns of femicide. Open-source reports often lack crucial details about the circumstances surrounding a femicide, making it difficult to determine gender-related motivations. Some cases may be misclassified due to incomplete information, and misinformation or unverified social media reports risk distorting the findings. While cross-referencing and validation are essential, they are limited by censorship and the restricted availability of primary sources.

Given these constraints, SFI's database does not represent an exhaustive record of all femicide incidents in 2025. The actual number of femicides is likely to be higher. Nevertheless, the available data offers insight into the landscape of femicides in Iran, unveiling the gruesome events and their underlying narratives.

Key Findings of the Data Analysis

Based on the analysis of 187 recorded murders of women and girls, including 197 claimed femicide cases in Iran in 2025, the report identifies the following patterns of femicides:

Documented incidents of femicide have reached an alarming level compared to previous years.

- The 187 recorded femicide cases amount to an average of nearly one killing every day and more than 15 killings per month.
- This figure represents an increase of nearly 9% compared to 2024 and an increase of 25% compared to 2023. The root cause may be an actual rise in cases or a greater willingness and awareness among affected families, journalists, and activists to speak out.

For many victims, both name and age remain unknown.

- An examination of the victims' identities reveals that the names of 68 victims, equaling nearly 37% of all documented cases, are not published – either with the intention to protect the family or to bury the identities with them.
- Similarly, the age of 45 victims is undeclared.
- For the victims whose age is known, 85 or 45% were reported “young” or between the ages of 20 and 40 years old, and nearly 15% were between over 40 years old.
- The youngest recorded victims were two 5-year-old girls. One girl was shot by her father who first strangled the mother, and the other girl was stabbed by her father because he suspected her mother of infidelity and doubted the child's parentage.
- The oldest victim was a 75 year-old woman who got killed by her son due to a family dispute.
- While not counting as femicide cases, the robbery cases point to an interesting connection between age and the victims' perceived vulnerability. Four out of the six documented victims above the age of 70 were killed during robberies, pointing to the fact that the perpetrators took advantage of the victims' old age and physical weakness to commit crimes and enrich themselves.

Women fell victims of femicide in virtually every province of Iran.

- Femicides occur in nearly every province as they were recorded in 28 out of 31 provinces. This shows that women and girls are at risk of violence regardless of their location.
- Most femicide cases were documented in the provinces of Tehran with 23 cases and Khorasan Razavi with 17 cases. This equals 12% and 9% of all recorded cases, respectively. Tehran and Khorasan Razavi are the most populated provinces of Iran.
- The six western provinces of Iran, including the provinces of Fars, Ilam, Kermanshah, Khuzestan, Kurdistan, and West Azarbaijan, recorded 52 femicides, amounting to nearly one third of the documented incidents. These provinces combined are similar in population size than Tehran province. They are among the provinces with the most ethnic diversity and tribal structures, suggesting a link between tribal affiliation and gender-based violence.
- The province of Sistan and Baluchestan recorded less than 5% of the femicides. This figure is striking as Sistan and Baluchestan is consistently identified as Iran's poorest province, and poverty is a driving factor of gender-based violence. It may indicate reporting gaps or structural and social factors preventing the publication of such crimes in this region.

Victims were killed in the most brutal ways.

- Sheer physical violence is the most prevalent means of committing femicide. 90 women were bludgeoned, slaughtered, stabbed, or strangled, amounting to nearly half of the recorded cases.
- Gun violence was the most common method of killing. 65 women, accounting for one third of the recorded cases, were shot to death. In several killings involving gun violence, the perpetrators killed multiple women in the same incident. For instance, a young man in West Azerbaijan province shot his mother, sister, and mother-in-law and committed suicide with the same weapon in front of his son.
- Beheading, hanging, poisoning, immolation, running over by a car, and suffocation were other methods of killing used by the perpetrators – there seems to be no limit to their willingness to use brutal violence.
- In several incidents, the perpetrators used multiple methods to kill the victims. For instance, a man in southeastern Khuzestan stabbed his wife for disobeying him and then dismembered her body. He reportedly ate lunch on her body after committing this crime.

Most victims knew their killer.

- In most recorded femicides (156 cases), the victims were related to their murderers. Nearly half of all killings occurred at the hands of the husbands, and the others were perpetrated by relatives or acquaintances, such as fathers, brothers, sons, uncles, colleagues, suitors, and in-laws.
- Less than 10% of the cases were committed by non-family acquaintances (friends, neighbors or associates).
- In 11 cases, the identity of the perpetrator is not clear, but the circumstances of the killings indicate a private individuals.

Many victims were killed due to family disputes and the perpetrators' perception of "honor."

- In 95 cases, which amount to nearly 50% of the recorded femicides, disputes were cited as the motive behind femicide incidents. State-sponsored media often mention this motive without revealing more information about the case. Nonetheless, this points to a high level of domestic violence in the affected households and the perception that family problems are to be solved by physical violence.
- Preserving the so-called "honor" of the family is another significant motive of femicide, with 24 cases recorded. This indicates the persistence of cultural belief around honor and shame in Iranian society, which leads (male) family members to kill their female relatives who may have compromised the "honor" of their family by their perceived or real behavior.
- Marital choices attributed to 31 cases. This includes 19 cases with victims requesting separation or divorce. For instance, in Khorasan Razavi, an Afghan woman was stabbed to death by her husband in front of their teenage son because she sought to get divorced.
- Other motives included rejecting marriage proposals, financial disputes and even reasons that were totally outside of the victims' control. In one incident, a man shot his wife, with whom he already had two children, because she was pregnant with twins; one baby was a girl, which he perceived to be the "wrong" gender.

Children were both direct victims and witnesses of femicide.

- In 25 recorded femicide cases, the victims were under the age of 18. This includes four cases involving children under the age of 10.
- In seven cases, the victims were subject to child marriage; they were between

the age of 16 and 35 at the time of their death. With the government's sanction of child marriage and the deteriorating economic situation of many Iranians, child marriages have reportedly been on the rise, increasing the risk of domestic violence against women. In the province of East Azarbaijan, 16-year-old Maryam was brutally beaten to death by her husband shortly after their wedding. The husband requested Maryam to pay a loan, which she refused due to her family's poor economic situation. He beat her heavily and then tried to take her to the doctor. On the way, she got unconscious and fell off his motorbike, so he simply dropped her at her sister's house. Her sister took her to the hospital but couldn't save her life. The husband had a drug addiction and a criminal record of domestic violence from his previous marriage.

- In 11 cases, children witnessed the killing of their mothers. In the northwestern province of Gilan, a woman was beaten to death with an iron bar by her mother-in-law; her young child sadly witnessed the killing.

State-perpetrated executions of women increased significantly

- State-perpetrated executions of women in the form of capital punishment have increased significantly since 2023. Documented executions by the Iranian government included two women in 2023, 27 women in 2024, and 44 women in 2025. In 2025, 22 of these women were executed for killing their husbands or – in one case – son-in-law. 4 women were sentenced to death for murder, but the identity of their victims or their relationship with the women remains unknown. The other women were mostly executed for drug-related crimes— charges that had experienced a hiatus in executions.
- While these executions are not included in the femicide cases of this report due to difficulties in establishing the full circumstances leading to them, they provide important insight into the broader context of gender-based violence in Iran. The significant number of women's executions for killing their husbands corresponds to findings of UN bodies that most women executed for murder killed their husband and were often victims of domestic violence or child marriage or acted in self-defense. The most famous case was Reyhaneh Jabari who was executed in 2014 for allegedly killing her assailant in self-defense.
- This raises concerns about the lack of effective protection mechanisms for women experiencing abusive marriages. In the absence of accessible support systems, such as safe shelters, legal protection, or the ability to safely leave abusive relationships, situations of prolonged violence may escalate. Without effective de-escalation mechanisms, women may be left in circumstances where violence becomes cyclical and survival-driven, increasing the risk of lethal outcomes. Although the specific details of these cases are often unclear, such patterns point to a justice system that punishes women who attempt to escape violence rather than providing them with protection.

Individual Tragedies

In the southwestern province of Khuzestan, a 17-year-old girl from a tribal family was shot with 16 bullets by her father and brother while she was carrying her newborn in her arms. The father and brother allegedly disagreed with the girl's marriage despite having received 6 billion Iranian Rial (approx. USD 150,000) in a tribal dispute settlement.

In October 2025, a 29-year-old woman with the initials "F.D." was brutally killed by her father. While state media reported a family dispute to be the motive of the crime, civil society organizations claim that it was an honor-related femicide. The father hit the woman with a heavy object, which caused her to bleed to death, dismembered her body, and took her to the desert where he set her on fire.

In June 2025, the 23-year-old wrestling champion Hanieh Behboodi was strangled and beaten to death by her husband for her success in sports and congratulatory banners in her hometown. She had won a prize in a wrestling competition, and her husband got angry over her fame. She left behind a 4-year-old daughter. Her husband was arrested after committing the crime.

Setareh Musapour, an 18-year-old girl who got married two years prior to her death, was shot dead by her brother-in-law. She experienced constant physical and verbal violence by her husband's family because she was unable to conceive. Three days prior to her killing, she sought refuge at her parents' house but was returned to her husband to preserve the family's "honor." After the killing, the brother-in-law got arrested, but the girl's grandfather consented to release him.

In the northern province of Mazandaran, 19-year-old Hadiyeh Falah was found dead in a forest. She was assaulted before her death and hanged with her hands and feet tied together. The perpetrator of this killing is unknown, and no arrests were made.

Root Causes of Femicide in Iran

The root causes of femicide in Iran include a complex web of social, legal, and economic factors that leaves women vulnerable to violence. From a social perspective, a major driver of femicide is the deeply ingrained belief that men have the authority to control women's lives. Perpetrators often view femicide as a means to resolve family disputes or reclaim perceived honor, reflecting systemic gender inequality. These patriarchal norms are particularly pronounced in tribal communities in western Iran, where many femicide cases occur. In these regions, strong emphasis on family honor exerts social pressure to kill female relatives accused of bringing shame to the family. Additionally, the practice of child marriage – which has been on the rise due to the increasing economic hardships of many Iranians – exacerbates this vulnerability, as young girls are often forced into marriages to alleviate the financial burden on their families. This deprives them of their autonomy and effectively denies them the ability to seek protection from domestic violence with their own families.

The perceived control over women's lives is also reflected in the Iranian legal system. The Iranian Penal Code punishes murder with death penalty but effectively shields perpetrators of femicide from criminal accountability. Article 209 of the Penal Code requires the victim's family to pay half of the Diyat (blood money) for the execution of a male perpetrator. This effectively serves as a deterrent in cases where the killer is a family member. Article 301 exempts fathers and paternal grandfathers from Qisas (retaliatory punishment) if they kill their children or grandchildren.

Further, Article 302 allows exemption from Qisas if the victim is accused of a crime under Sharia law, such as adultery or same-sex relations, which are justifications often cited in femicide cases. Similarly, Article 630 permits husbands to kill their wives on suspicion of adultery without facing punishment. The fact that perpetrators of femicide are often close relatives or the family's primary breadwinner further reduces the willingness of the victims' families to report femicides in practice. The case of the 16-year-old Fatemeh epitomizes this climate of impunity. Fatemeh was stabbed to death by her paternal uncle who had colluded with the victim's father. The father decided not to file a criminal complaint against his brother, resulting in impunity for the perpetrator.

Other legal developments also demonstrate Iran's disregard for women's autonomy and lives. On December 13, 2024, the "Law on Protecting the Family through the Promotion of the Culture of Chastity and Hijab" entered into force, imposing severe penalties – including the death penalty, flogging, and long prison sentences – on those who oppose Iran's compulsory veiling laws. While

the law is still in force, its enforcement varies across regions. In some areas, the traditional 'moral police' still patrols the streets. In others, unveiled women face no direct consequences in public, but authorities have resorted to electronic surveillance and shutdown of businesses who serve these women. Additionally, a draft bill on violence against women has been subject to political debate for the last 15 years but to no avail. While the first draft included a definition of violence and criminalized certain acts of violence, the current draft largely omits the term 'violence' and no longer penalizes many violent behaviors against women. The political debates have currently stalled and are unlikely to resume soon amid the current political and military situation in Iran.

Another significant challenge is the lack of official femicide data. The Iranian government does not systematically publish statistics on gender-based killings, forcing NGOs and human rights organizations to fill the reporting gap. The absence of transparent data further obscures the scale of the crisis and limits efforts to hold perpetrators accountable. Further, law enforcement officers often lack the competence or willingness to recognize femicide, intervene in domestic disputes, or hold perpetrators accountable. Reports indicate that authorities frequently dismiss cases of domestic violence or honor killings as "family disputes," and therefore private matters.

The combination of entrenched social norms, discriminatory laws, ineffective law enforcement, and lack of data fosters an environment where femicide remains widespread and largely unpunished. Until systemic legal and cultural changes take place, women in Iran will continue to face the ever-present threat of violence – both from their own families and the state.

Femicide Patterns and Tentative Trends Since 2023

The femicide cases documented by SFI from 2023 to 2025 reveal notable patterns and tendencies. Since 2023, the total number of recorded femicide cases has increased. In 2023, 149 cases were recorded, rising to 172 cases in 2024, and 187 cases in 2025. This represents an increase of 25% from 2023 to 2025, respectively, most likely due to activist-driven documentation and reporting efforts. There have been no significant legal, social, or structural changes in Iran that would explain a real decrease in femicide.

The percentage of unidentified victims declined for the first time in 2025. This may also be attributed to increased activism surrounding femicide cases. While in 2023 and 2024, roughly 60% of victims remained unnamed, this figure dropped to 45% in 2025. Although it is too early to confirm this as a sustained trend, it marks a first step toward raising awareness and supporting justice for victims and their families.

Regarding the age of victims, the 2024 trend of a widening age range continued in 2025. In 2023, victims primarily fell within the 15–35 age range, while 2024 and 2025 saw a broader distribution. In 2024, the youngest victim was just two months old and the oldest 86 years old. In 2025, victims ranged in age from 5 to 75 years. This shift underscores that femicide increasingly affects highly vulnerable groups, including infants and elderly women, exposing the depth of the crisis.

In 2023 and 2024, documented femicides occurred primarily in Tehran province and western Iran, but this pattern shifted in 2025. Cases remained prominent in these areas, but the northeastern province of Razavi Khorasan also recorded a high number of femicides. While Tehran and western Iran are ethnically diverse, Razavi Khorasan is predominantly inhabited by Persians. This highlights the widespread nature of femicide across different population groups.

Across the entire period from 2023 to 2025, family disputes and so-called “honor killings” were the most frequently cited motives, and male family members were the most common perpetrators. Women were often killed by husbands, fathers, or brothers, frequently in brutal ways and under the pretext of preserving family honor or resolving family disputes. This framing is also commonly used in state media reporting, which tends to downplay the severity of these crimes by portraying them as private matters that do not require official intervention.

Given the limitations of femicide data collection in Iran, this analysis identifies only tentative trends. Nevertheless, the persistence of high femicide rates underscores the continued failure of both the government and broader protective systems to address gender-based violence. Without significant policy reforms and increased protections, femicide is likely to remain an unchecked crisis.

Recommendations

The analysis of documented femicide cases underscores the need for comprehensive measures to prevent and respond to femicide in Iran. SFI calls on civil society actors, the Iranian government, and the international community to take the following actions:

Recommendations for Civil Society Actors:

Scale awareness and prevention efforts: Civil society actors should intensify grassroots initiatives to raise public awareness about the impact of femicide on individuals, families, and communities. These efforts should address root causes, promote conflict de-escalation strategies, and provide clear and safe reporting pathways for individuals at risk.

Enhance documentation and research: Civil society should continue expanding and improving femicide documentation to ensure accurate, up-to-date data collection. This includes monitoring trends, identifying patterns, and informing targeted prevention strategies. Further research is also needed on suicides among women and girls at risk of femicide and the ethnic dimension of femicides to better understand underlying drivers and provide culturally sensitive support mechanisms.

Promote legal and policy reform: Civil society actors should advocate for legal reforms that address existing legal gaps and eliminate discriminatory provisions that enable impunity. Efforts should also prioritize strengthening protections for survivors of domestic violence, improving access to legal aid, and ensuring accountability for institutional inaction.

Engage religious and community leaders: Religious and community leaders should be mobilized to publicly condemn femicide, challenge harmful gender norms, and promote interpretations of religious teachings that reject violence against women.

Recommendations for the Iranian Government:

Strengthen prevention and public awareness: The Iranian government should invest in nationwide prevention strategies, including education campaigns, mental health services, and initiatives aimed at transforming social norms that perpetuate violence against women and girls.

Expand support and protection mechanisms: The government should provide access to shelters, psychosocial services, and legal assistance for women at risk. Protection networks and safe reporting channels should be strengthened or create, respectively, to ensure timely access to protection and justice.

Collaborate with local stakeholders: Authorities should engage local and regional actors, including community leaders and civil society representatives, to develop culturally appropriate and effective responses tailored to the needs of diverse and marginalized communities.

Undertake legal and judicial reform: Comprehensive reforms are needed to address gender bias within the legal system and ensure that perpetrators of femicide are effectively investigated, prosecuted, and held accountable. Law enforcement must act promptly and impartially in all reported cases.

Ensure data transparency and accountability: The government should systematically collect and publish disaggregated data on femicide and executions, including gender-specific information, to improve transparency, accountability, and evidence-based policymaking.

Comply with human rights commitments: The Iranian government should ratify the Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women (CEDAW) and take all necessary measures to protect women from violence as required under international human rights instruments that Iran has already ratified.

Recommendations for the International Community:

Hold the Iranian government accountable: The international community should utilize diplomatic and multilateral mechanisms to press the Iranian government to address femicide and ensure justice for victims.

Support civil society initiatives: International donors should increase financial and technical support for organizations working on femicide documentation, prevention, and survivor assistance. Investment in capacity-building, training, and international networking should be prioritized.

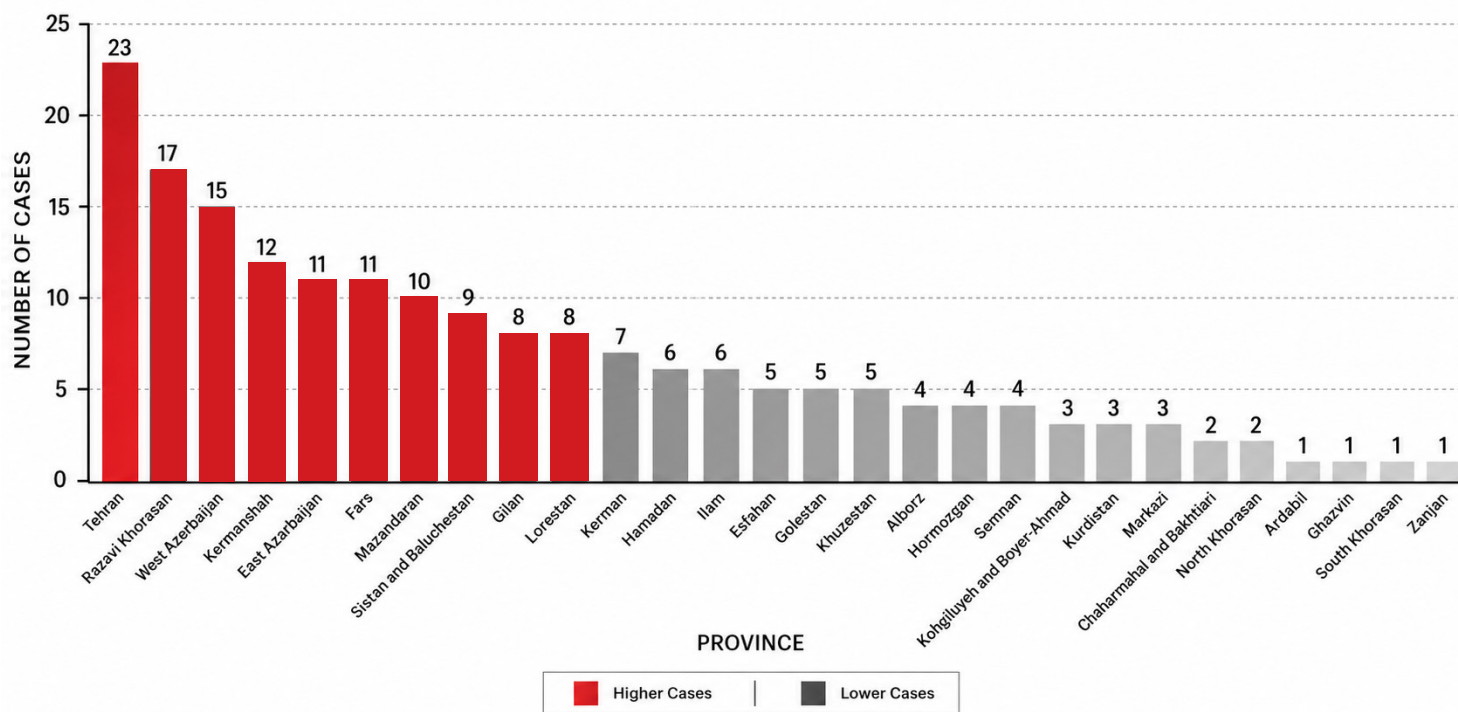
Demonstrate solidarity with Iranian women: The international feminist movement and media outlets should highlight the risk of femicide of Iranian women and demonstrate solidarity with them, overcoming culturally engrained double standards of the value of women's lives and fears of politicizing human rights norms.

PROVINCES

Province	Cases
Tehran	23
Razavi Khorasan	17
West Azerbaijan	15
Kermanshah	12
East Azarbaijan	11
Fars	11
Mazandaran	10
Sistan and Baluchestan	9
Gilan	8
Lorestan	8
Kerman	7
Hamadan	6
Ilam	6
Esfahan	5

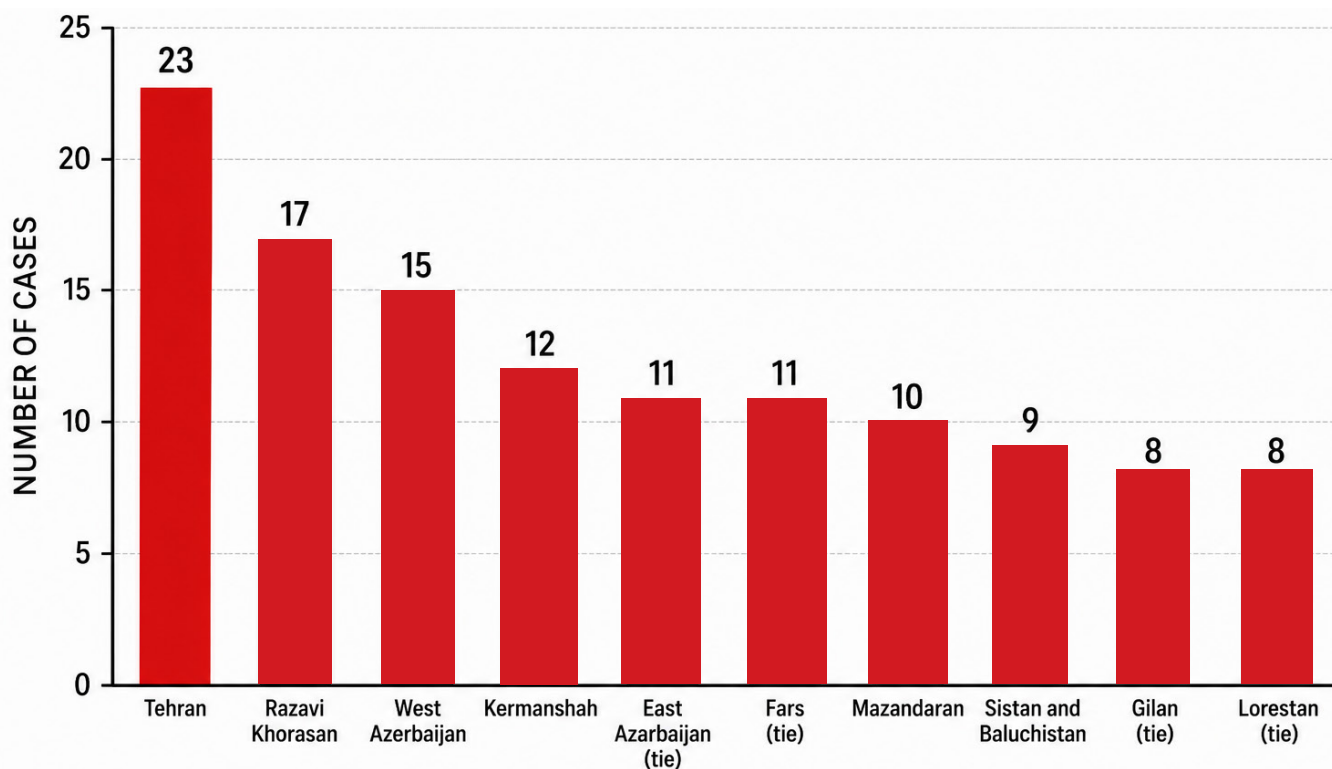
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Khuzestan	5
Alborz	4
Hormozgan	4
Semnan	4
Kohgiluyeh and Boyer-Ahmad	3
Kurdistan	3
Markazi	3
Chaharmahal and Bakhtiari	2
North Khorasan	2
Ardabil	1
Ghazvin	1
South Khorasan	1
Zanjan	1

CASES BY PROVINCES



DEADLIEST PROVINCES

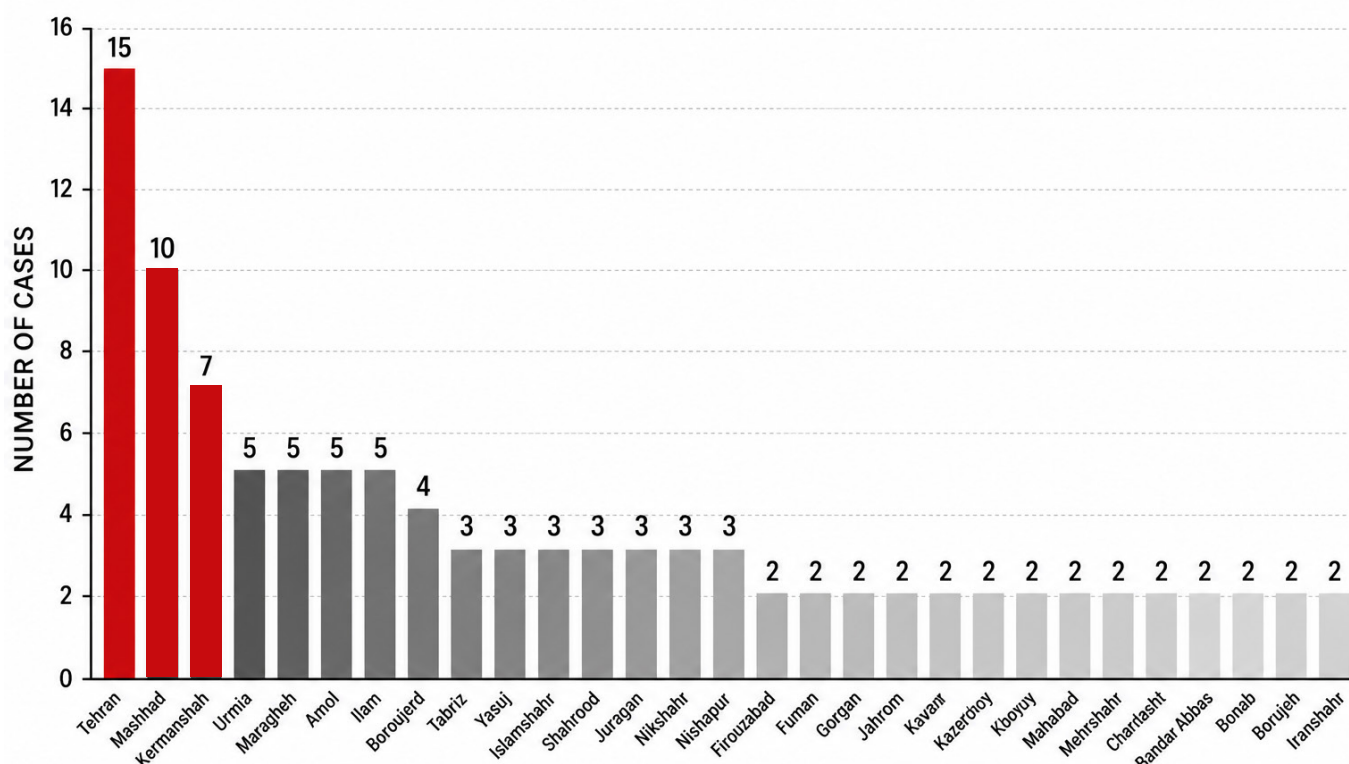
Tehran	23
Razavi Khorasan	17
West Azerbaijan	15
Kermanshah	12
East Azarbaijan (tie)	11
Fars (tie)	11
Mazandaran	10
Sistan and Baluchistan	9
Gilan (tie)	8
Lorestan (tie)	8



CITIES

City	Cases		
Tehran	15	Nishapur	2
Mashhad	10	Firouzabad	2
Kermanshah	7	Fuman	2
Urmia	5	Gorgan	2
Maragheh	5	Jahrom	2
Amol	5	Kavar	2
Ilam	5	Kazeroon	2
Boroujerd	4	Khoy	2
Tabriz	3	Kordkuy	2
Yasuj	3	Mahabad	2
Islamshahr	3	Mehrshahr	2
Shahrood	3	Pakdasht	2
Kerman	3	Charmahin	2
Juragan	3	Bandar Abbas	2
Nikshahr	3	Bonab	2
		Borujen	2
		Iranshahr	2

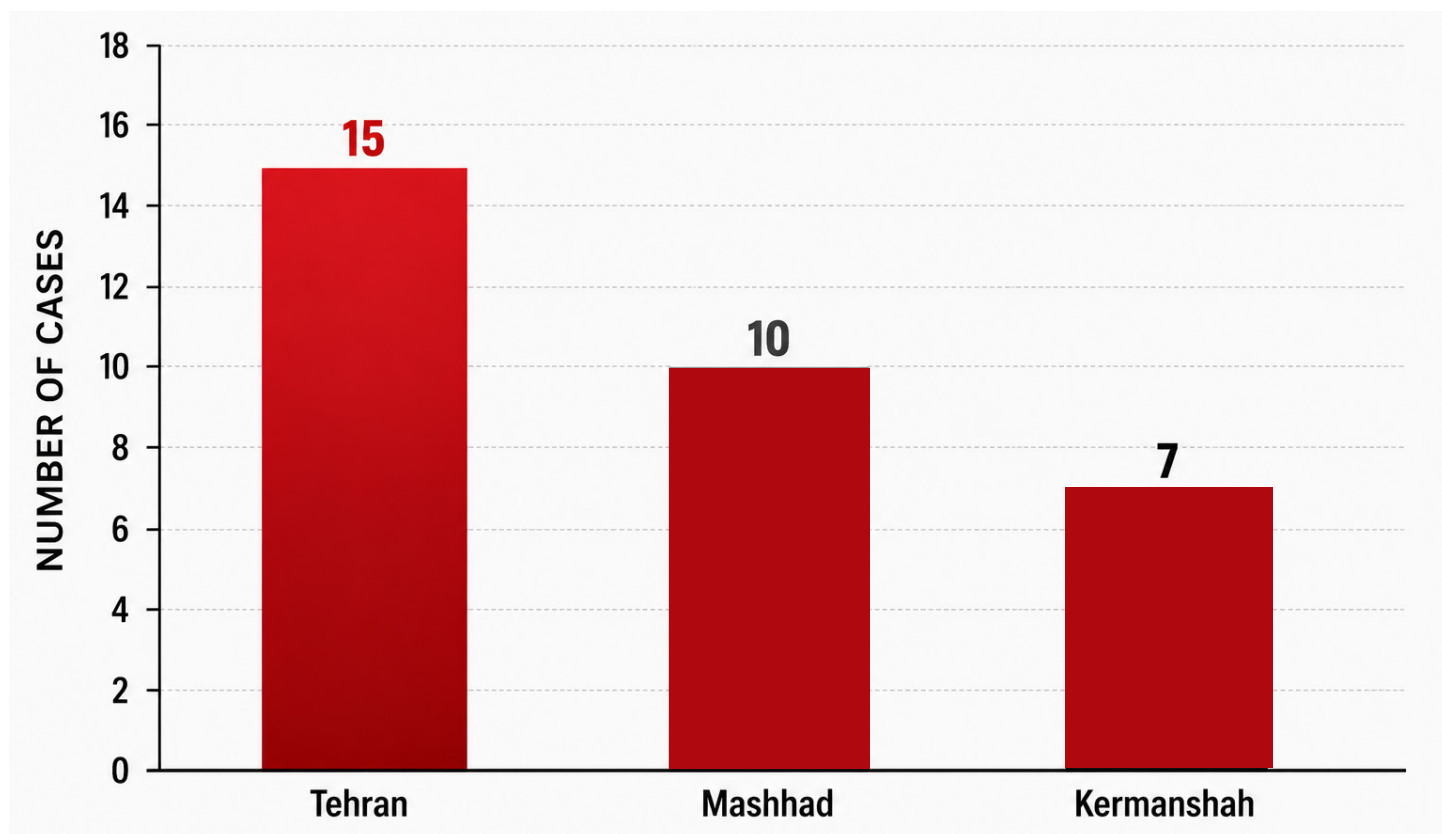
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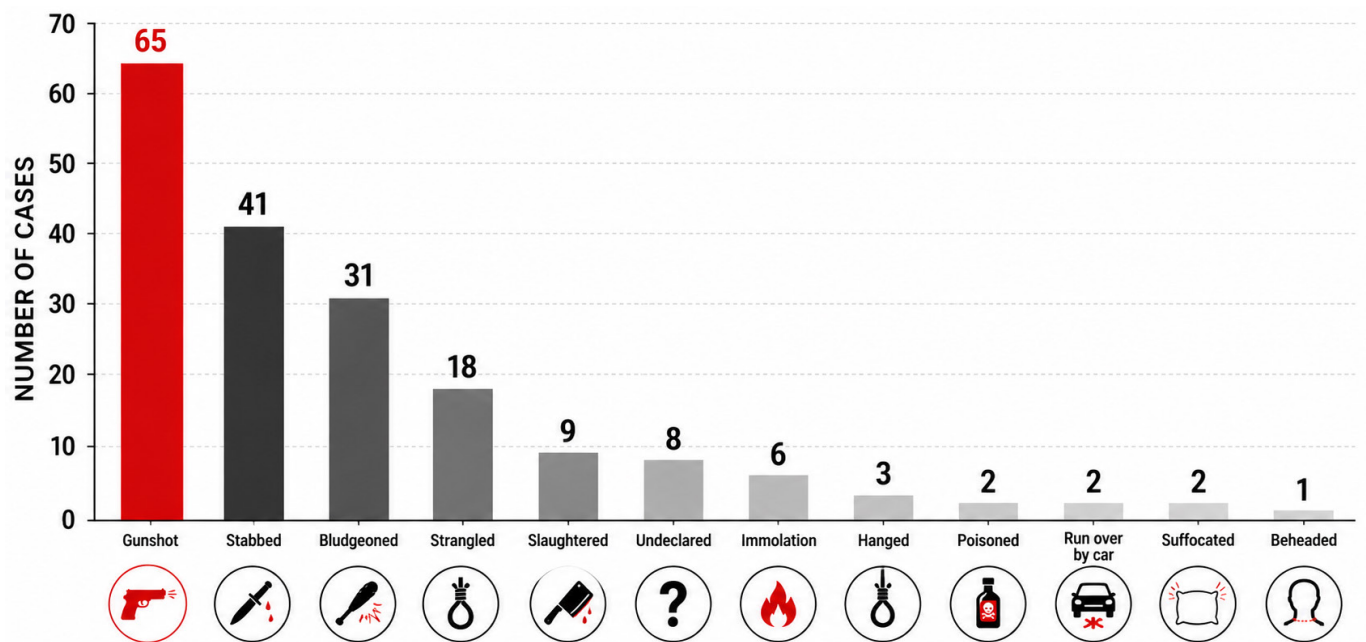
Tehran	15
Mashhad	10
Kermanshah	7



METHODS OF MURDER

Method	Cases
Gunshot	65
Stabbed	41
Bludgeoned	31
Strangled	18
Slaughtered	9
Undeclared	8
Immolation	6
Hanged	3
Poisoned	2
Run over by car	2
Suffocated	2
Beheaded	1

CASES BY METHODS



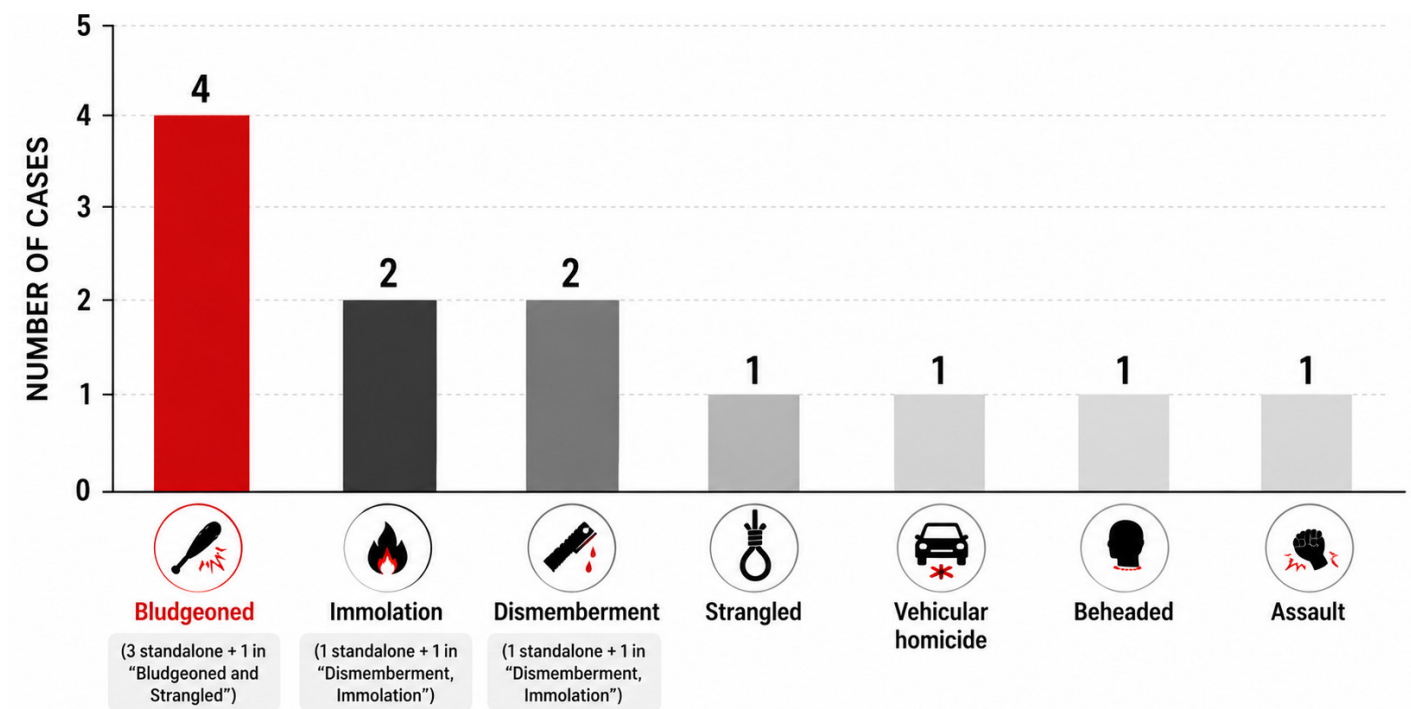
METHODS OF MURDER

Categories	Cases	Percent
Gunshot	65	34.8%
Stabbed	41	21.9%
Bludgeoned	31	16.6%
Strangled	18	9.6%
Slaughtered	9	4.8%
Undeclared	8	4.3%
Immolation	6	3.2%
Hanged	3	1.6%
Poisoned	2	1.1%
Vehicular homicide	2	1.1%
Suffocated	2	1.1%
Beheaded	1	0.5%

SECONDARY AND TERTIARY METHODS OF MURDER:

Method Component	Cases
Bludgeoned	4 (3 standalone + 1 in "Bludgeoned and Strangled")
Immolation	2 (1 standalone + 1 in "Dismemberment, Immolation")
Dismemberment	2 (1 standalone + 1 in "Dismemberment, Immolation")
Strangled	1
Vehicular homicide	1
Beheaded	1
Assault	1

CASES BY METHOD COMPONENT

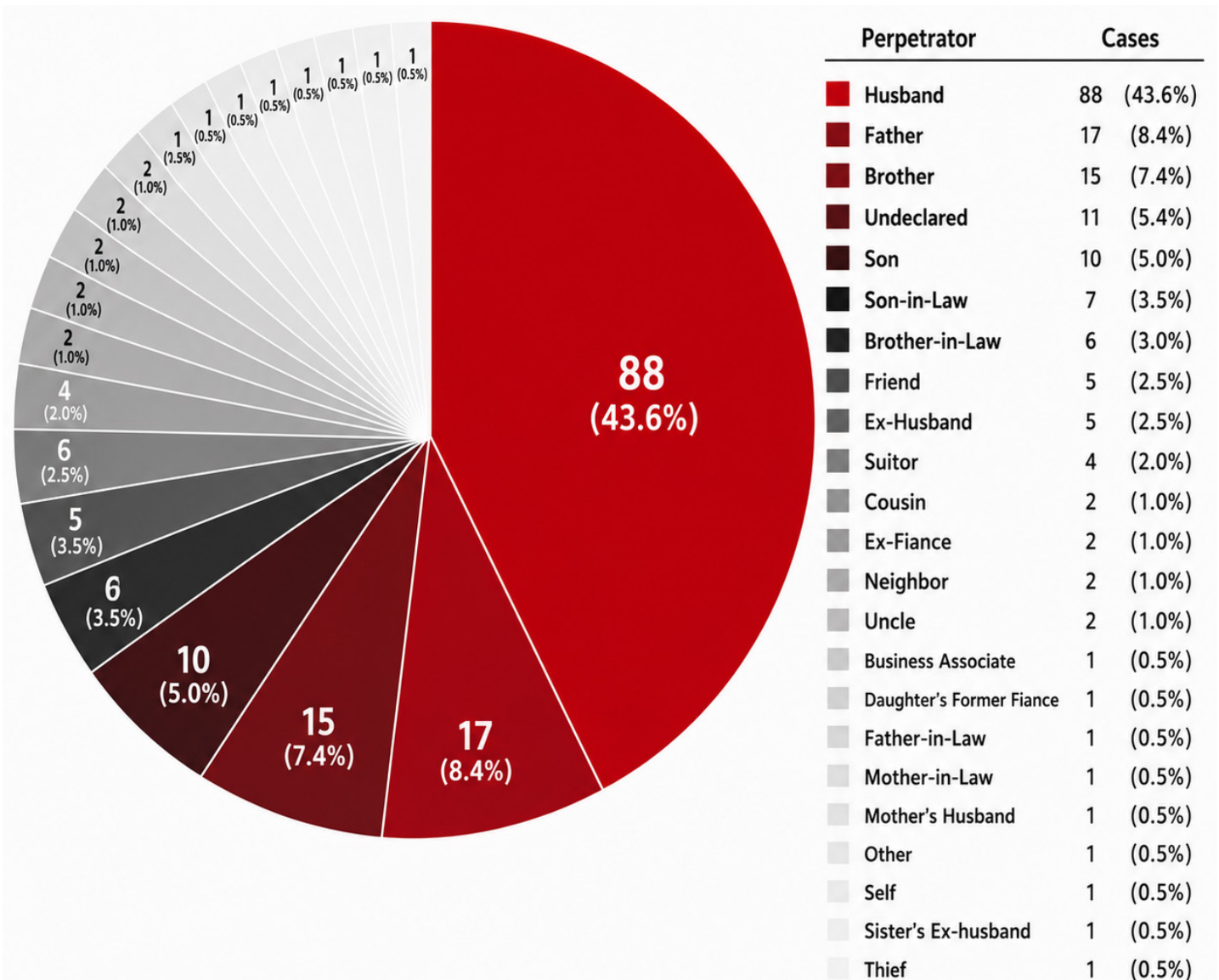


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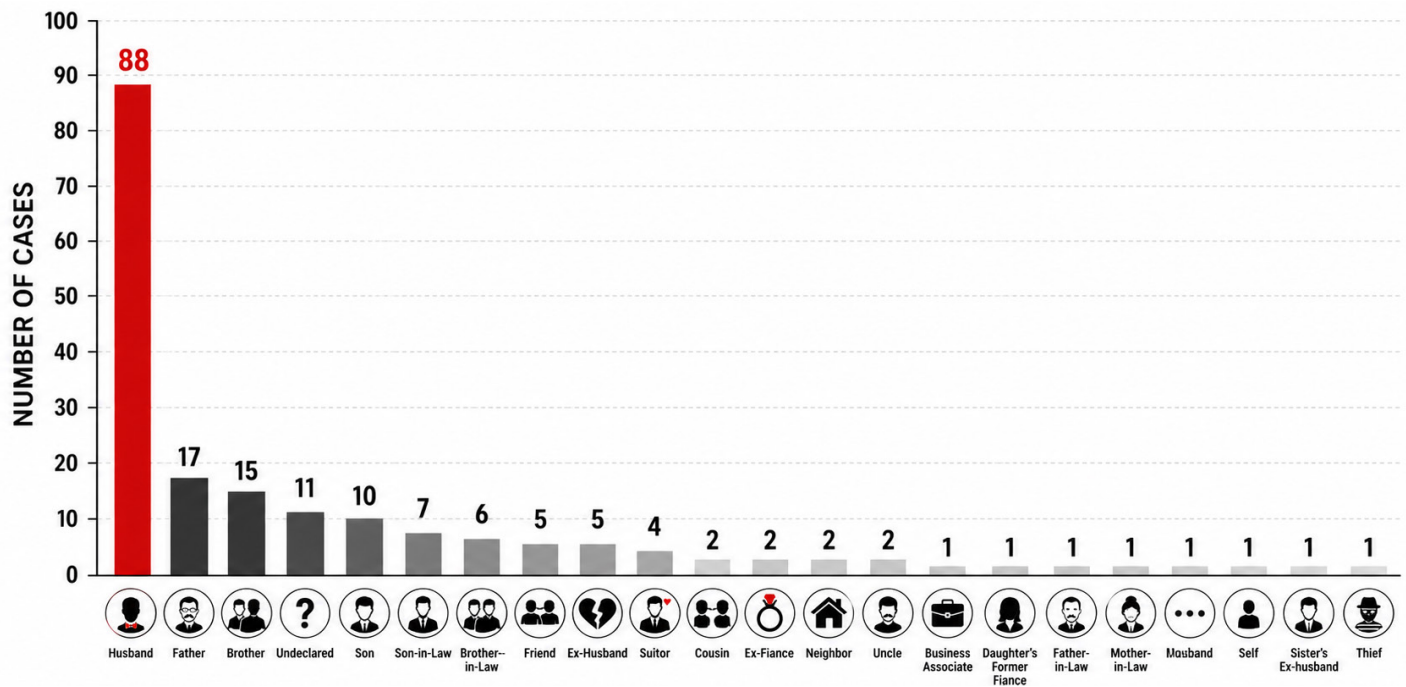
Perpetrator	Cases
Husband	88
Father	17
Brother	15
Undeclared	11
Son	10
Son-in-Law	7
Brother-in-Law	6
Friend	5
Ex-Husband	5
Suitor	4
Cousin	2

Ex-Fiance	2
Neighbor	2
Uncle	2
Business Associate	1
Daughter's Former Fiance	1
Father-in-Law	1
Mother-in-Law	1
Mother's Husband	1
Other	1
Self	1
Sister's Ex-husband	1
Thief	1

PERPETRATORS



CASES BY PERPETRATORS

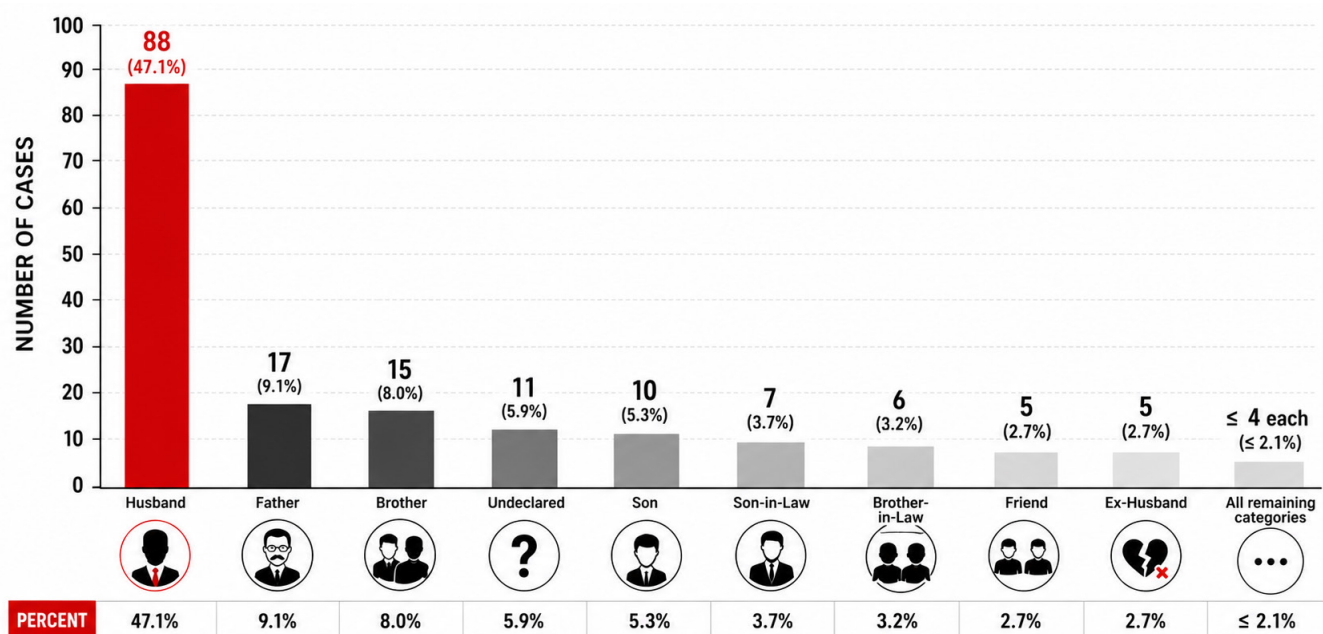


SINGLE-CASE CATEGORIES

Business associate, daughter's ex-fiance, father-in-law, mother-in-law, mother's husband, sister's ex-husband, thief, self, others.

Perpetrator	Cases	Percent
Husband	88	47.1%
Father	17	9.1%
Brother	15	8.0%
Undeclared	11	5.9%
Son	10	5.3%
Son-in-Law	7	3.7%
Brother-in-Law	6	3.2%
Friend	5	2.7%
Ex-Husband	5	2.7%
All remaining categories	≤ 4 each	≤ 2.1%

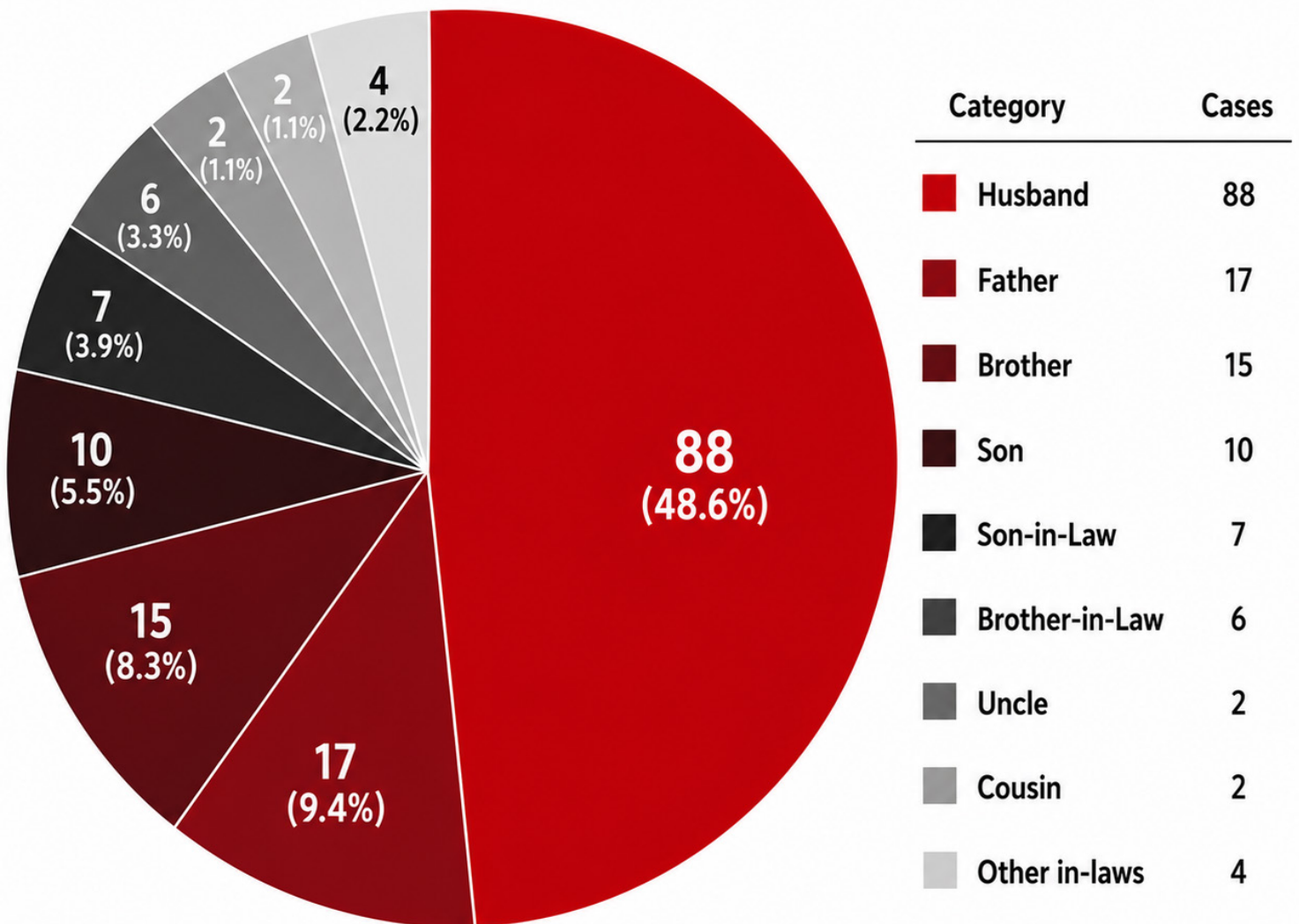
SINGLE-CASE CATEGORIES



MOST LETHAL FAMILY MEMBERS:

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Son-in-Law	7
Brother-in-Law	6
Uncle	2
Cousin	2
Other in-laws	4

MOST LETHAL FAMILY MEMBERS



Perpetrator	Cases	% of 187
Husband	88	47.1%
Ex-Husband	5	2.7%
Father	17	9.1%
Brother	15	8.0%
Son	10	5.3%
Son-in-Law	7	3.7%
Total	142	75.9%

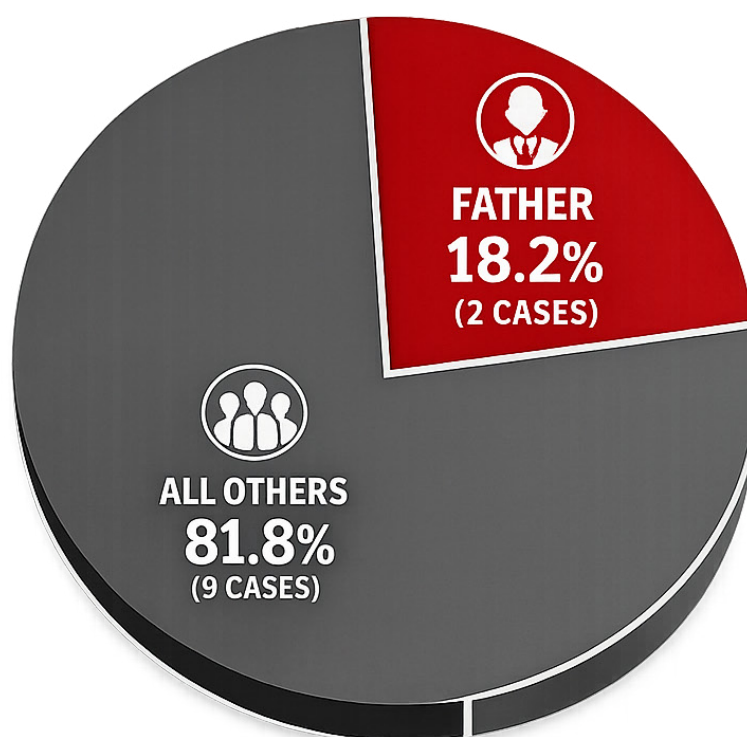
KEY FINDINGS

- Husbands account for 88 of 197 cases (46%), nearly half of all cases.
- Family members account for 156 cases (83.4%).
- Including former or prospective intimate partners increases this to 164 cases (84%).
- Undeclared perpetrators account for 6% of cases.
- Thieves account for 4% of cases.
- Only 5.6% of cases involve non-family acquaintances (friends, neighbors, or business associates).

SECONDARY PERPETRATORS:

Secondary Perpetrator	Cases	Percentage
Father	2	18.2%
All others	1 each	9.1% each

TOTAL CASES: 11



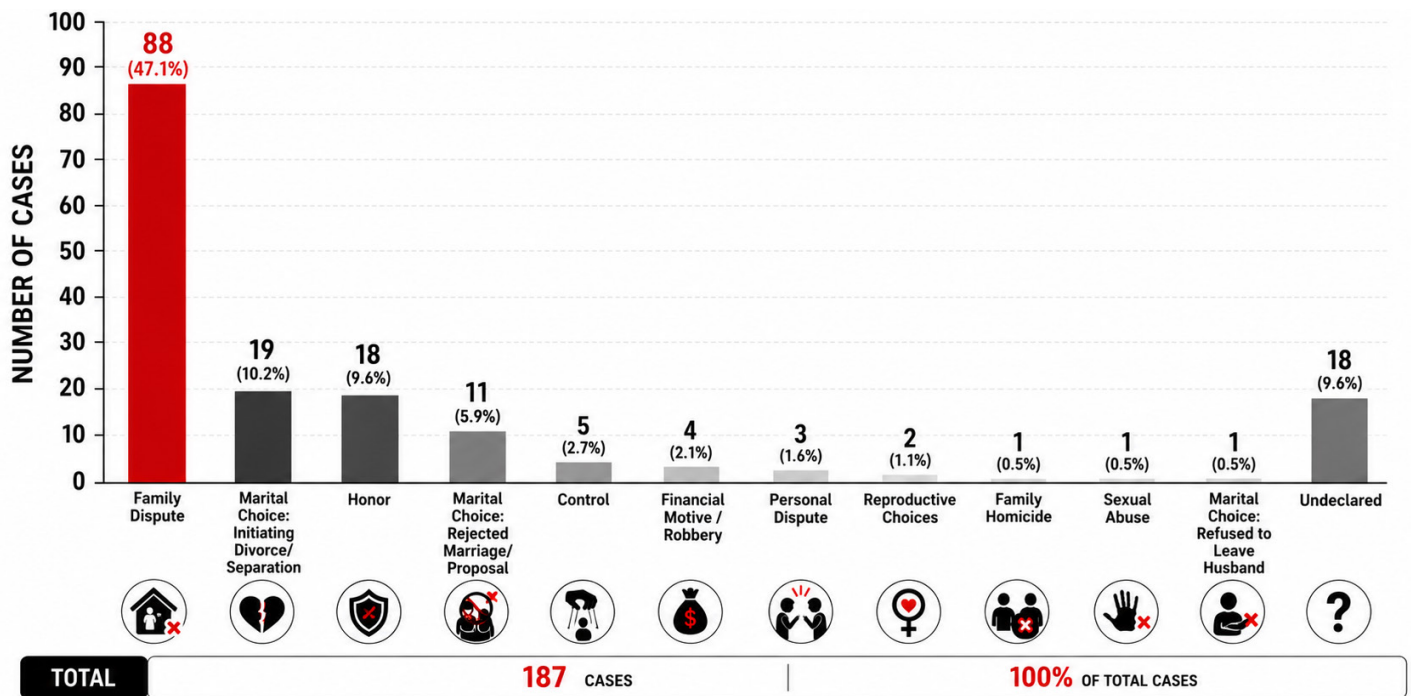
■ FATHER 2 CASES | 18.2% | ■ ALL OTHERS 9 CASES | 81.8% EACH

*Single categories include: Brother, brother and uncle, brother-in-law, cousin, ex-husband, father-in-law, husband, son, unknown.

REPORTED TRIGGERS (EXCUSES):

Categories	Cases	Percent
Family Dispute	88	47.1%
Marital Choice: Initiating Divorce/ Separation	19	10.2%
Honor	18	9.6%
Marital Choice: Rejected Marriage/ Proposal	11	5.9%
Control	5	2.7%
Financial Motive / Robbery	4	2.1%
Personal Dispute	3	1.6%
Reproductive Choices	2	1.1%
Family Homicide	1	0.5%
Sexual Abuse	1	0.5%
Marital Choice: Refused to Leave Husband	1	0.5%
Undeclared	18	9.6%

REPORTED TRIGGERS (EXCUSES):



KEY FINDINGS

- Family dispute is by far the largest single category, accounting for 88 of 187 cases (47.1%).

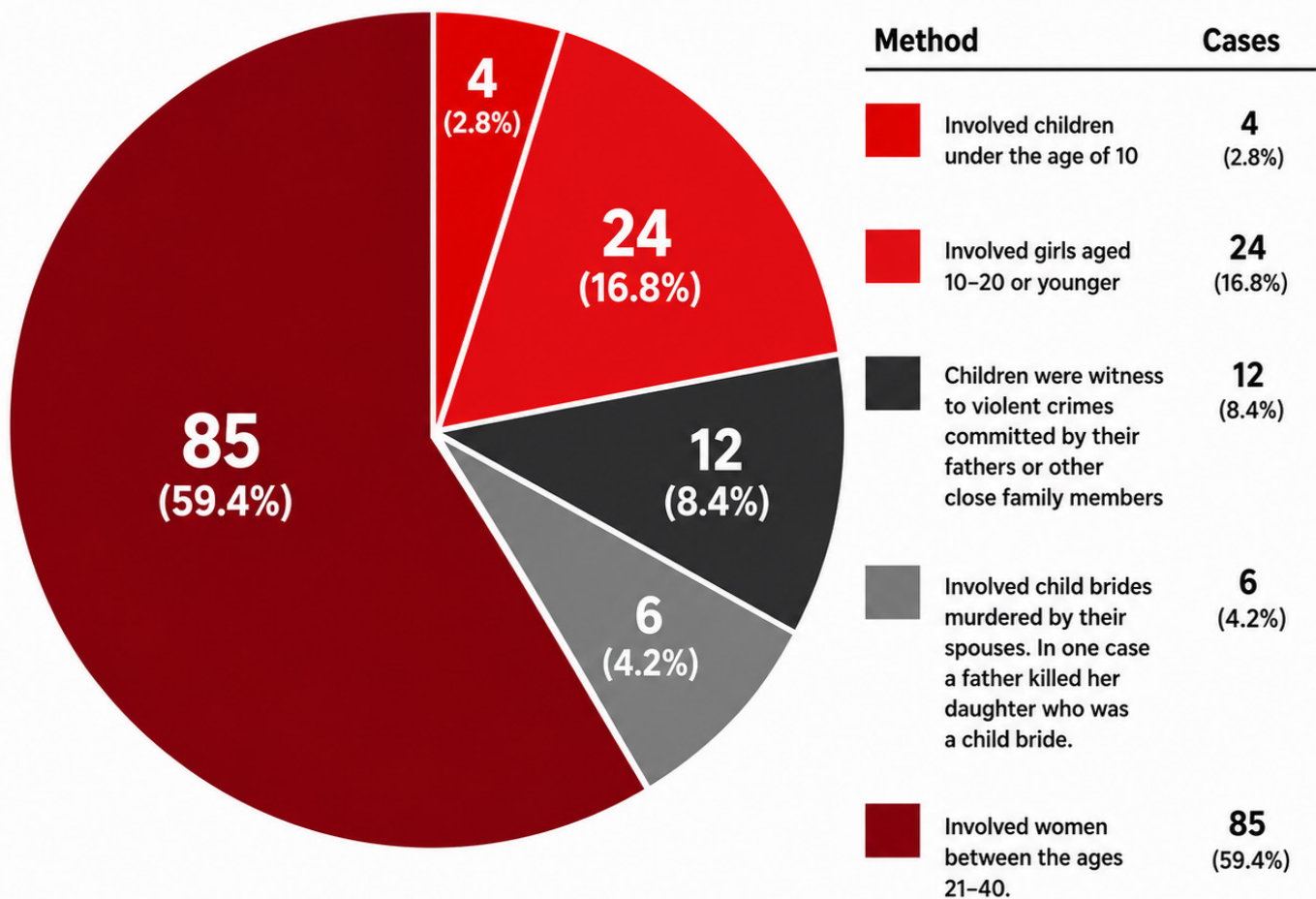
- Honor-related killings account for 18 cases (9.6%).

- Women's marital autonomy (divorce, separation, rejecting marriage, refusing to leave a spouse) appears in 31 cases (16.6%).

- Undeclared motives account for 18 cases (9.6%).

- Explicit control-based motives appear in 5 cases (2.7%), though many family-dispute cases may also involve control dynamics.

EFFECTS ON CHILDREN

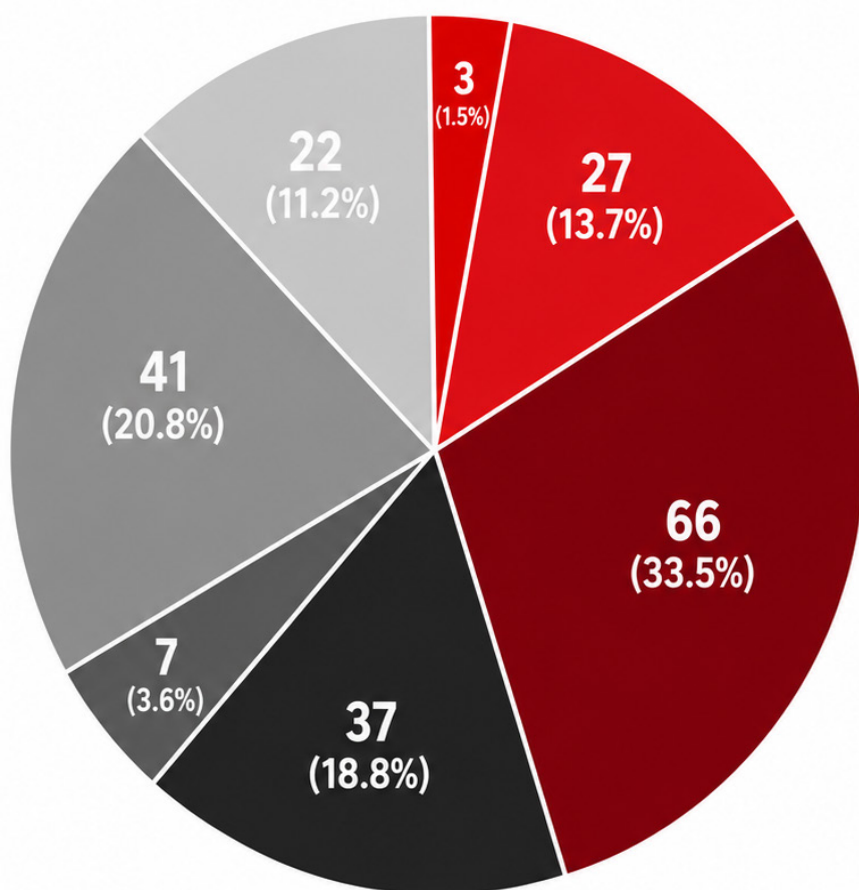


AGE DISTRIBUTION

OLDEST VICTIM: 82
YOUNGEST VICTIMS: 5

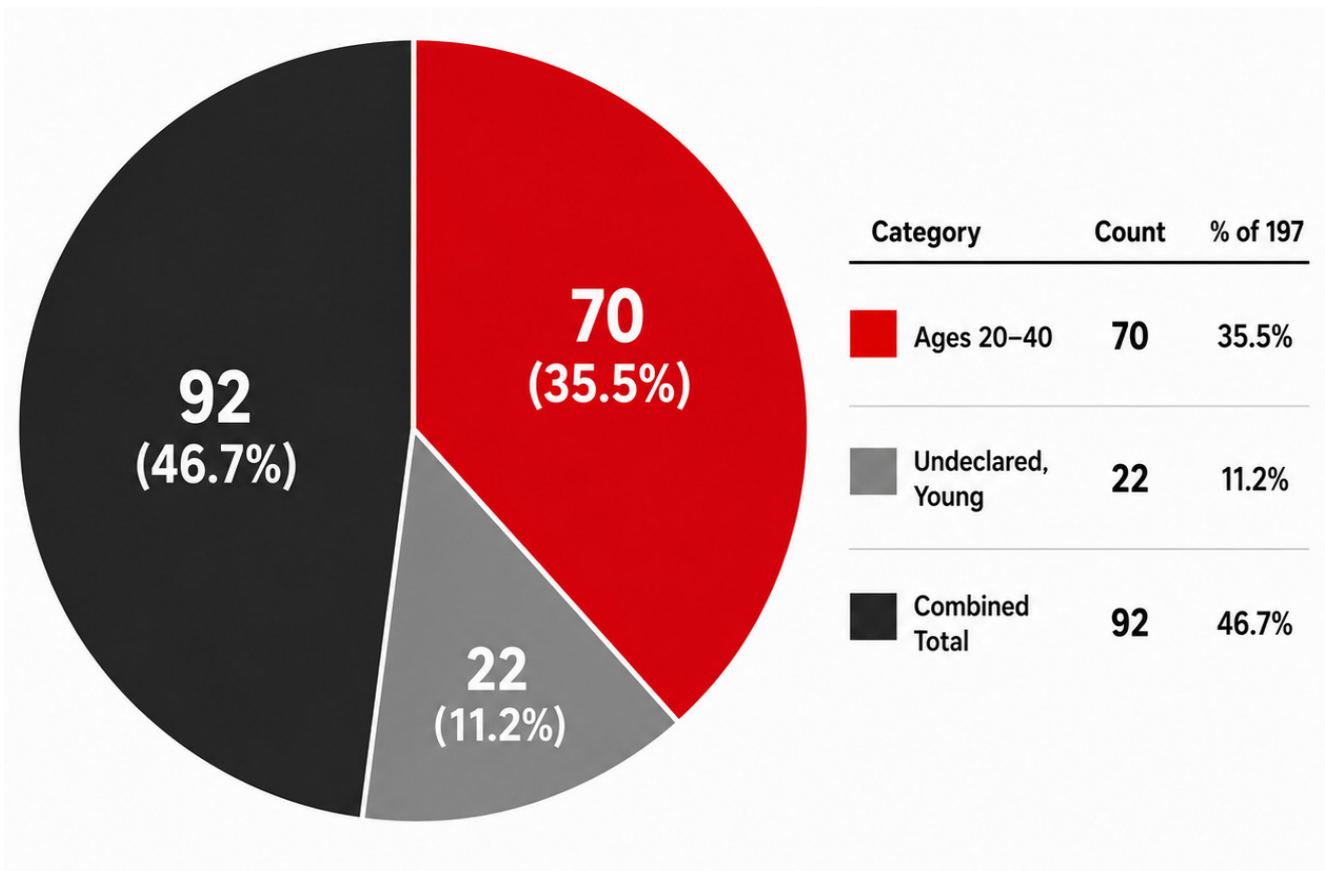
Age	Count	% of Total
Under 10	3	1.5%
Under 20	27	13.7%
21–40 (inclusive)	66	33.5%
41–60 (inclusive)	37	18.8%
61+	7	3.6%
Undeclared	41	20.8%
Undeclared, Young	22	11.2%

AGE DISTRIBUTION



Age Category	Count	% of Total
Under 10	3	1.5%
Under 20	27	13.7%
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41-60 (inclusive)	37	18.8%
61+	7	3.6%
Undeclared	41	20.8%
Undeclared, Young	22	11.2%

Category	Count	% of 197
Ages 20–40	70	35.5%
Undeclared, Young	22	11.2%
Combined Total	92	46.7%



ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE

- 26 of the perpetrators committed suicide
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- 14 of the perpetrators were not prosecuted and presumably ran free
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- 18 of the cases remain unknown
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- 129 reported cases were referred to judiciary but exact outcomes remain unknown
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1	Hadigheh	Abadi	Ghazvin Prison	Ghazvin	46	08/20/1404	09/11/2025	Execution		Government			Drug-related offense		Afghan		https://sharhnews.com/article/2309/article-2309	Hadigheh Abdi was accused of drug-related offenses.
2	Gomeri	Abaszadeh	Sari Prison	Mazandaran	29	08/22/1404	11/17/2025	Execution		Government			Spousal murder				https://sharhnews.com/article/2309/article-2309	Gomeri Abaszadeh was accused of spousal murder.
3	Roya	Abaszadeh	Zanjan Prison	Zanjan	25	07/02/1404	10/24/2025	Execution		Government			Spousal murder				https://sharhnews.com/article/2309/article-2309	Roya Abaszadeh was accused of spousal murder.
4	Raziyeh	Abbasi	Ghazalhesar Prison	Alborz	40	09/26/1404	12/17/2025	Execution		Government			Spousal murder				https://sharhnews.com/article/2309/article-2309	Raziyeh Abbasi was accused of spousal murder.
5	Solmaz	Abbasi	Urmia	West Azerbaijan	Undeclared, Young	04/07/1404	06/28/2025	Slaughtered		Husband			Marital Choice: Initiating divorce/separation			Yes	https://nyu.com/45bvy1a	Solmaz Abbasi, a volleyball coach, was killed by her husband in Urmia. She was stabbed to death at her lawyer's office. The perpetrator attempted suicide after the attack. The motive was her request for divorce.
6	Chanour	Abbasi	Dehgan	Kurdistan	Undeclared, Young	04/28/1404	07/17/2025	Stabbed		Suitor		Yes	Marital Choice: Initiating divorce/separation			Yes	https://nyu.com/4a9u1a	Chanour Abbasi and her husband Payam Sarmast were killed by a man in Dehgan. The perpetrator stabbed Chanour Abbasi and then shot her husband. He was arrested at the scene after being stopped by locals. The motive was his demand that Chanour leave her husband and marry him, which she refused.
7	Kani	Abdollahi		West Azerbaijan	17	11/06/1403	01/26/2025	Stabbed		Father			Honor			Yes	https://shorturl.at/pj1Q1a2y	Kani Abdollahi, 17, was killed by her father in Piranshahr. She was stabbed multiple times and died after being taken to the hospital. The perpetrator was arrested. The motive was reported as "honor"-related, linked to her having a relationship with a boy.
8	Narges	Ahmadi	Qom Prison	Qom	Undeclared	08/03/1404	10/25/2025	Execution		Government			Spousal murder				https://sharhnews.com/article/2309/article-2309	Narges Ahmadi was accused of spousal murder.
9	Mahsa	Akbari	Shiraz Prison	Fars	Undeclared	05/29/1404	08/20/2025	Execution		Government			Robbery				https://sharhnews.com/article/2309/article-2309	Mahsa Akbari was accused of spousal murder.
10	Soraya	Alimohammadi	Saqez	Kurdistan	35	06/11/1404	09/02/2025	Immolation		Husband			Family Dispute			Yes	https://nyu.com/45bvy1a	Soraya Alimohammadi, 35, was killed by her husband in Saqez. The perpetrator, Afshin Sharifi (40), set her on fire after binding her hands and feet. She was taken to hospital but died from severe burns. The perpetrator was arrested after the crime.

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10	Soraya	Alimohammadi	Saqez	Kurdistan	35	06/11/1404	09/02/2025	Immolation		Husband			Family Dispute			Yes	https://nyu.com/45bvy1a	Soraya Alimohammadi, 35, was killed by her husband in Saqez. The perpetrator, Afshin Sharifi (40), set her on fire after binding her hands and feet. She was taken to hospital but died from severe burns. The perpetrator was arrested after the crime.
11	Leila	Alimaei	Marivan	Kurdistan	40	08/04/1404	10/26/2025	Gunshot		Neighbor			Marital Choice: Refused to leave her husband			Yes	https://sharhnews.com/article/2309/article-2309	Leila Alimaei, 40, was killed by her neighbor in Marivan. The perpetrator, Keyvan Basami, shot her with a Kalashnikov rifle. He was arrested after the crime. The motive was her refusal to leave her husband and marry him.
12	Zahra	Aliyari	Mandoab	West Azerbaijan	Undeclared	03/03/1404	05/24/2025	Stabbed		Husband			Family Dispute			Undeclared	https://nyu.com/26e51a	Zahra Aliyari, a middle-aged woman, was killed by her husband in Mandoab. She was stabbed multiple times in her home. The perpetrator carried out the attack with extreme violence. The motive was reported as "family disputes."
13	Aida	Alizadeh	Hormozgan	Hormozgan	14	04/12/1404	07/03/2025	Undeclared		Undeclared			Undeclared			Undeclared	https://nyu.com/3b3vy1a	14-year-old Aida Alizadeh was a victim of forced marriage and child marriage before she was killed in Hormozgan. Her body was discovered approximately ten days later. Her body was found on Hormoz Island, in front of her fiancé's residence. It was reported that due to severe swelling of the body, her face was not recognizable, and her identity was confirmed through her clothing and sandals. As of now, no details have been released regarding the method of killing, the identity or motive of the perpetrator, or whether any arrest has been made.
14	Atefeh	Amini	Yazd Prison	Yazd	Undeclared	04/30/1404	07/22/2025	Execution		Government			Spousal murder				https://sharhnews.com/article/2309/article-2309	Atefeh Amini was accused of spousal murder.
15	Mahtab	Amini	Shiraz Prison	Fars	Undeclared	02/17/1404	05/08/2025	Execution		Government			Spousal murder				https://sharhnews.com/article/2309/article-2309	Mahtab Amini was accused of spousal murder.
16	Shahla	Arefkhani	Nishapur	Razavi Khorasan	22	05/13/1404	08/03/2025	Poisoned		Husband			Family Dispute			Yes	https://nyu.com/3b3vy1a	Shahla Arefkhani, 22, was killed by her husband in Neyshabur. She was poisoned with rice tablets; evidence suggests it was forced. The perpetrator claimed a joint suicide, but the case is being investigated.

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17	Shabnam	Asadi	Esfahan	Esfahan	24	06/07/1404	11/28/2025	Stabbed		Husband			Honor			Yes	https://tinyurl.com/y83j76x	A 24-year-old woman, Shabnam Ahmadi, was stabbed to death by her husband in Esfahan on 28 November 2025. The perpetrator, identified as Ali Kazemi, killed his wife with multiple knife wounds, reportedly citing what he described as "honor-related issues" as the motive. The couple had been married for approximately two years at the time of the killing.
18	Leila	Azari	Shahindezh	West Azerbaijan	39	09/15/1404	12/5/2025	Bludgeoned		Ex-Husband			Marital Choice: Rejected Marriage/Proposal			Yes	https://herowire.net/News/2025/12/article-47	Leila Azari, 39, was killed by her ex-husband in Bukan. The perpetrator attacked her with a hard object, targeting her head. He was arrested after the body was discovered and confessed to the murder. The motive was her refusal to remarry him.
19	Mojgan	Azaripisheh	Urmia	West Azerbaijan	Undeclared	12/25/1403	03/15/2025	Execution		Government			Spousal murder				https://sharhnews.ir/2025/03/15/article-41	Mojgan Azaripisheh was accused of spousal murder.
20	Einaz	Azizi	Vakilabad Prison	Razavi Khorasan	Undeclared	09/19/1404	12/10/2025	Execution		Government			Murder				https://sharhnews.ir/2025/12/10/article-25	Einaz Azizi was accused of murder.
21	Fatemeh	Badeli	Kordkuy	Golestan	35	11/14/1403	02/02/2025	Bludgeoned		Husband			Marital Choice: Initiating divorce/separation	Yes	Child Bride	Yes	https://shoruf.afshar.com/2025/02/02/article-171	Fatemeh Badali, 35, was killed by her husband in Kordkuy. He attacked her with an axe and bricks in front of their children. The perpetrator fled and has not been arrested. The motive was her decision to seek divorce amid family problems.
22	Farideh	Bagheri	Fiروزabad	Fars	45	02/27/1404	05/17/2025	Stabbed		Son-in-Law			Family Dispute			Yes	https://tinyurl.com/yv3kxgq2	A man killed his wife Eliana Kouhi (23) and her mother Farideh Bagheri (45) in Firozabad. He stabbed both victims multiple times, causing fatal injuries. The perpetrator fled but was later arrested. The motive was his wife's request for divorce.
23	Unknown	Bagherinejad	Shiraz Prison	Fars	45	12/01/1403	02/16/2025	Execution		Government			Murder				https://sharhnews.ir/2025/02/16/article-2512	An unnamed woman was executed on murder charges.
24	Kosar	Bagherzadeh	Urmia	West Azerbaijan	Undeclared	12/25/1403	03/15/2025	Execution		Government			Spousal murder				https://sharhnews.ir/2025/03/15/article-2512	Kosar Bagherzadeh was accused of spousal murder.

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25	Nadia	Balouchi	Nikshahr	Sistan and Baluchestan	38	11/23/1403	02/11/2025	Gunshot		Brother			Honor			Yes	https://shoruf.afshar.com/2025/02/11/article-171	The perpetrator, a 38-year-old man, shot her with a firearm and fled the scene. The motive was linked to her release from prison after killing her husband and the perceived "dishonor" it brought. The killing is considered "honor"-related.
26	Hafzeh	Baluchzahi	Karaj	Alborz	Undeclared	02/15/1404	05/15/2025	Execution		Government			Cooperating with ISIS		Baluch		https://sharhnews.ir/2025/05/15/article-2512	Hafzeh Baluchzadeh was accused of cooperating with ISIS.
27	Nasrin	Barani	Esfahan Prison	Esfahan	29	12/02/1403	03/01/2025	Execution		Government			Spousal murder				https://sharhnews.ir/2025/03/01/article-2512	Nasrin Barani was accused of spousal murder.
28	Fatemeh	Barkhordari	Sabzevar	Razavi Khorasan	Undeclared	02/12/1404	05/01/2025	Stabbed		Husband			Marital Choice: Initiating divorce/separation			Undeclared	https://tinyurl.com/4p47527	Fatemeh Barkhordari, a school teacher and mother of three, was killed by her husband in Sabzevar. She was attacked with a machete-like weapon in a public street and died from severe injuries. The perpetrator was her husband, who reportedly had a history of threats and violence against her. The motive was linked to her living separately and seeking divorce.
29	Golbaji	Barzegar Nodehi	Sari	Mazandaran	78	05/27/2025	08/18/2035	Stabbed		Thief			Robbery			Undeclared	https://sharhnews.ir/2025/08/18/article-2512	Golbaji Barzegar Noudhehi, 78, was killed in Sari. She was stabbed multiple times in her home. The perpetrators, who knew her, entered under false pretenses and, with accomplices, committed the murder and stole her gold. The motive was robbery.
30	Mahtab	Bayati	Mashhad Vakilabad	Razavi Khorasan	Undeclared	05/09/1404	8/1/2025	Execution		Government			Drug-related offense				https://sharhnews.ir/2025/08/01/article-2512	Mahtab Bayati was accused of drug-related offenses.
31	Soraya	Bayatloo	Tehran	Tehran	34	01/18/1404	04/07/2025	Bludgeoned		Husband			Honor		Child Bride	No	https://tinyurl.com/4wky8gm	Soraya Bayatloo, 34, was killed by her husband in Tehran. She was a victim of child marriage and was attacked while sleeping with a blunt weapon. The perpetrator fled the scene and has not yet been arrested. The motive was reported as suspicion and "honor"-related.

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32	Fatemeh	Bazovvand	Romshakan	Lorestan	23	09/29/1404	12/20/2025	Bludgeoned		Brother			Control: Delayed food preparation			Yes	https://hannaw.net/fa/news/2025/12/article-160	Fatemeh Bazvand, 23, was killed by her brother in Rumeshkan County. She suffered severe head injuries after being beaten with a vacuum cleaner handle. She died after two weeks in a coma in hospital. The motive was reportedly a minor domestic dispute, triggered by anger over food preparation.
33	Hanieh	Behboudi	Fariman	Razavi Khorasan	23	03/16/1404	06/06/2025	Strangled	Bludgeoned	Husband			Control: Anger Over Public Persona			Yes	https://tinyurl.com/5cfc5t84	Hanieh Behboudi Pouramghan, 23, was killed by her husband in Fariman. She was strangled and then struck on the head; the perpetrator attempted to stage the scene as suicide. He was later reported to police and arrested. The motive was linked to jealousy and anger over her success.
34	Somayeh	Brahui	Zahedan	Sistan and Baluchestan	32	08/20/1404	11/11/2025	Bludgeoned		Husband			Family Dispute			Yes	https://tinyurl.com/5w3wvxdg	Somayeh Barahoudi, 32, was killed by her husband in Zahedan. She died from severe head injuries after being beaten during a dispute. The perpetrator, identified by initials (M.Sh), was responsible for repeated domestic violence. The motive was linked to ongoing domestic abuse and conflict.
35	Susan	Charshanbehpour	Qaleh Ganji	Kerman	18	08/14/1404	11/05/2025	Gunshot		Brother			Marital Choice: Rejected Marriage/Proposal			No	https://tinyurl.com/2ia7k95	Sousan Chaharshanbehpour, 18, was killed by her brother in Qaleh Ganj. She was shot with a firearm. The perpetrator fled the scene after the crime. The motive was her opposition to a marriage arranged by her brother, considered "honor"-related.
36	Koosar	Darabi	Kermanshah	Kermanshah	18	10/12/1403	01/01/2025	Gunshot	Bludgeoned	Husband			Honor			Yes	https://shorurl.at/UB86u	Kosar Darabi, 18, was killed by her husband in Kermanshah. She was shot with a firearm after being taken outside the city. She had been forced into the marriage two months earlier and suffered ongoing abuse. The perpetrator was arrested; the motive is linked to forced marriage and "honor"-related violence.

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44	Azita	Falahi	Sonqor	Kermanshah	38	01/14/1404	04/03/2025	Bludgeoned		Husband	Father-in-Law		Undeclared			Yes	https://trnyur.com/5a2hy2km	Azita Fallahi, 38, was killed by her husband with the involvement of her father-in-law in Sonqor County. She was severely beaten with a hard object, causing fatal head injuries. The husband initially claimed it was suicide but was later arrested. The motive remains unknown.
45	Rana	Farajoghli Ghorbani	Tabriz Prison	East Azarbaijan	Undeclared	09/12/1404	12/3/2025	Execution		Government			Spousal murder		Child Bride		https://hcnegsa.net/news/2025/09/12/article-3	Rana Farajoghli Ghorbani was accused of spousal murder.
46	Golab	Faramarzi	Dalahu	Kermanshah	Undeclared	02/07/1404	04/27/2025	Gunshot		Son-in-Law		Attempted	Family Dispute			Committed Suicide	https://trnyur.com/yaem37rh	A young man killed his mother-in-law and injured his father-in-law in Dalahu County. The victim, Golab Faramarzi, died after being shot; her husband was also shot and hospitalized. The perpetrator used a handgun and later died by suicide. The motive was reported as marital and family disputes.
47	Samira	Farhadi	Kermanshah	Kermanshah	25	03/04/1404	05/23/2025	Gunshot		Husband			Family Dispute			Committed Suicide	https://trnyur.com/2ehmh7w	Asghar Hemmati, 29, killed his wife Samira Farhadi (25) and her sister Somayeh Farhadi (17) in Kermanshah. He used a handgun; Somayeh died later in hospital, while a third sister, Zahra Farhadi, was severely injured and lost an eye. The perpetrator later died by suicide after the attack. The motive was reported as "family problems."
48	Somieh	Farhadi	Kermanshah	Kermanshah	17	03/02/1404	05/23/2025	Gunshot		Brother-in-Law			Family Dispute			Committed Suicide	https://trnyur.com/2ehmh7w	Asghar Hemmati, 29, killed his wife Samira Farhadi (25) and her sister Somayeh Farhadi (17) in Kermanshah. He used a handgun; Somayeh died later in hospital, while a third sister, Zahra Farhadi, was severely injured and lost an eye. The perpetrator later died by suicide after the attack. The motive was reported as "family problems."
49	Namam	Farhoush	Mahabad	West Azerbaijan	42	08/25/1404	11/19/2025	Gunshot		Husband		Yes	Family Dispute			No	https://trnyur.com/yemarb6	A man in the city of Mahabad used a firearm to kill his wife and his father-in-law, identified as Namam Farhoush and Khaled Farhoush. The motive for the crime has been reported as "family disputes." According to a report received by the Hengaw Human Rights Organization, on the evening of Sunday, 25 Aban 1404 (19 November 2025), a man named Jalal Hosseini used a firearm to kill his 42-year-old wife, Namam Farhoush, and her father, Khaled Farhoush, in the "Municipal Lands" neighborhood of Mahabad. According to informed sources, Namam Farhoush had previously filed for divorce due to severe conflicts in their married life, and their divorce case was under review by judicial authorities. It should be noted that after committing the crime, the perpetrator fled, and police have so far been unable to arrest him.

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50	Hananeh	Farjami	Mashhad	Razavi Khorasan	Undeclared	03/29/1404	06/19/2025	Strangled		Husband			Honor			Undeclared	https://trnyur.com/yvnc6w0	Hananeh Farjami was killed by her husband in Mashhad. She was strangled. The motive was reported as "honor"-related.
51	Homeira	Fazel-Manesh	Shiraz	Fars	Undeclared	05/01/1404	07/23/2025	Undeclared		Husband			Marital Choice: Initiating divorce/separation			Yes	https://trnyur.com/44z9m9se	Homeira Fazel-Manesh was killed by her husband in Shiraz. After the murder, he buried her body in a desert and concealed it for 50 days. The perpetrator was later arrested and confessed. The motive was linked to her complaint about his relationship with another woman. She was also the mother of an 11-year-old child.
52	Sanabar	Fereydouni	Miandorud	Mazandaran	57	06/01/1404	08/23/2025	Stabbed		Thief			Robbery			Yes	https://trnyur.com/3jme7z	Sanabar Fereydouni, 57, was killed by a man in Miandorud County. She was attacked with a knife inside her home. The perpetrator, a 28-year-old man, was arrested and confessed. The motive was robbery of her gold.
53	Zahra	Footohi	Tabriz Prison	Tabriz	52	06/26/1404	10/17/2025	Execution		Government			Spousal murder				https://hcnegsa.net/news/2025/10/17/article-3	Zahra Footohi was accused of spousal murder.
54	Niloufar	Fotouhi	Fuman	Gilan	Undeclared, Young	04/10/1404	07/07/2025	Bludgeoned		Friend			Marital Choice: Initiating divorce/separation			Yes	https://hcnegsa.net/news/2025/07/article-68	Niloufar Fotouhi, a mother of an 11-year-old child, was killed by a man named Mojtaba by blows to the head. The motive was reported to be her decision to end the relationship. After the argument, he disposed of her body in a water canal and fled. Her body was found a few days later, and the perpetrator was arrested.
55	Zahra	Ghaemi	Tehran	Tehran	42	07/19/1404	10/11/2025	Strangled		Husband			Family Dispute			Yes	https://trnyur.com/2ansbse	M According to reports, Zahra Ghaemi, a staff member and researcher affiliated with the University of Tehran, was killed by her husband in Tehran. She was reportedly strangled inside her home following a domestic dispute. The perpetrator was later arrested and confessed to the killing. Some reports linked the motive to personal and family tensions, while others noted that officials and media framed the case as a "family dispute."
56	Roghieh	Gharib	Tabriz	East Azarbaijan	Undeclared	02/31/1404	05/21/2025	Stabbed		Husband			Family Dispute	Yes		Yes	https://trnyur.com/3d8887y	A 45-year-old man attacked his family in Tabriz. He stabbed his wife, Roghieh Gharib, to death and seriously injured their daughter. Both victims were transferred to the hospital; the mother died from her injuries while the daughter remains in critical condition. The perpetrator was arrested, and the motive was reported as "family disputes."
57	Fatemeh	Ghazalsoufi	Amol	Mazandaran	18	05/23/1404	08/14/2025	Gunshot		Undeclared		Yes	Family Dispute			No	https://trnyur.com/7au3xy	A man carried out a multi location, family massacre in northern Iran, killing nine relatives, including his wife, children, extended family, member members, before committing suicide. The motive was reported as long-standing domestic conflicts between the attacker and his wife, including previous threats to commit violence.

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58	Hatameh	Ghazalsofi	Amol	Mazandaran	13	05/23/1404	08/14/2025	Gunshot		Undeclared		Yes	Family Dispute			No	https://tinyurl.com/7su3xgz	A man carried out a multi location, family massacre in northern Iran, killing nine relatives, including his wife, children, extended family, member members, before committing suicide. The motive was reported as long-standing domestic conflicts between the attacker and his wife, including previous threats to commit violence.
59	Maleh	Ghazalsofi	Amol	Mazandaran	39	05/23/1404	08/14/2025	Gunshot		Undeclared		Yes	Family Dispute			No	https://tinyurl.com/7su3xgz	A man carried out a multi location, family massacre in northern Iran, killing nine relatives, including his wife, children, extended family, member members, before committing suicide. The motive was reported as long-standing domestic conflicts between the attacker and his wife, including previous threats to commit violence.
60	Someyeh	Ghazalsofi	Amol	Mazandaran	42	05/23/1404	08/14/2025	Gunshot		Undeclared		Yes	Family Dispute			No	https://tinyurl.com/7su3xgz	A man carried out a multi location, family massacre in northern Iran, killing nine relatives, including his wife, children, extended family, member members, before committing suicide. The motive was reported as long-standing domestic conflicts between the attacker and his wife, including previous threats to commit violence.
61	Mahtab	Ghazizadeh	Sari Prison	Mazandaran	47	11/18/1403	02/09/2025	Execution		Government			Spousal murder				https://hampar.net/news/2025/02/09/mahtab-ghazizadeh-47-ye-azadshahr-1/	Mahtab Ghazizadeh, 47 was executed by the government on the alleged charge of spousal murder.
62	Najibeh	Hasan-khani	Rezvanshahr	Gilan	40	11/28/1403	02/18/2025	Immolation		Husband			Marital Choice: Initiating divorce/separation			Yes	https://shorturl.at/VL62B	Najibeh Hasan-khani, 40, was killed by her husband in Rezvanshahr. She was set on fire inside her car and later died from severe burns. The perpetrator, a 45-year-old man, was arrested after the crime. The motive was reported as "family disputes," following her request for divorce.
63	Zeynab	Hatami	Yasuj	Kohgiluyeh and Boyer-Ahmad	37	09/17/1404	12/8/2025	Slaughtered		Cousin			Marital Choice: Rejected Marriage/Proposal	Yes		Yes	https://hampar.net/news/2025/12/08/zeynab-hatami-37-ye-yasuj-1/	Solmaz Abbasi, a volleyball coach, was killed by her husband in Urmia. She was stabbed to death at her lawyer's office. The perpetrator attempted suicide after the attack. The motive was her request for divorce.
64	Nahid	Hemati	Nahavand Prison	Hamadan	Undeclared	07/23/1404	10/15/2025	Execution		Government			Drug-related offense				https://hampar.net/news/2025/10/15/nahid-hemati-2009-1/	Nahid Hemati was accused of drug-related offenses.
65	Eshrat	Heydari	Khoshab	Razavi Khorasan	45	03/07/1404	08/28/2025	Gunshot		Husband			Family Dispute			Undeclared	https://tinyurl.com/4eufbn5	Eshrat Heydari, 45, was killed by her husband in Khoshab County. She was shot with a handgun during a domestic dispute. The perpetrator was her husband. The motive was reported as "family disputes."

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66	Elahe	Hossein-Nejad	Islamshahr	Tehran	24	03/04/1404	06/25/2025	Stabbed		Other			Control: Mobile Phone Theft or Kidnapping, Sexual Assault and Murder			Yes	https://tinyurl.com/5ayh3t4	Elaheh Hossein-Nejad, a 24-year-old Iranian woman, was found murdered after 11 days missing, sparking national concern. Authorities claimed the motive was phone theft, but conflicting reports suggest attempted sexual assault and raise doubts about the official narrative. Her family was pressured into silence, limiting transparency around the case. The suspect reportedly had a history of violence, while Elaheh had supported the "Woman, Life, Freedom" movement. The case has become a symbol of broader concerns about systemic violence and lack of protection for women in Iran.
67	Seyyedeh Donya	Hosseini	Kermanshah	Kermanshah	23	11/29/1403	02/17/2025	Stabbed		Father			Honor			Yes	https://shorturl.at/8en1	Seyyedeh Donya Hosseini, 23, was killed by her father in Kermanshah. The perpetrator, Seyed Yadollah Hosseini, stabbed her multiple times. He was arrested shortly after the crime. The motive was reported as "honor"-related, following her return to her family home after divorce.
68	Zeinab	Hosseini	Mehrshahr	Alborz	5	02/10/1404	04/30/2025	Stabbed		Father			Honor			Yes	https://tinyurl.com/mh3dvs	A man attacked his family in Mehrshahr (Karaj). He stabbed his wife, leaving her critically injured, and killed his 5-year-old daughter, Zeinab Hosseini, then buried her body in Qazvin. The perpetrator was identified and investigated. The motive was reported as suspicion of infidelity and doubts about paternity.
69	Shahin	Ibn-Ali	Chamahin	Esfahan	50	12/19/1403	03/09/2025	Gunshot		Daughter's Former Fiance			Marital Choice: Rejected Marriage/Proposal			Committed Suicide	https://tinyurl.com/afzsz8s	Zahra Rafiei, 30, and her mother Shahin Ebn Ali, 50, were killed by Zahra's sutor in Chermahin. The perpetrator, Hamidreza Jafarian (35), used a handgun with a silencer. He died by suicide after committing the killings. The motive was the rejection of his marriage proposal and the breakup of their engagement.
70	Fahrahaz	Imani	Urmia	West Azerbaijan	Undeclared	08/17/1404	11/08/2005	Gunshot		Son		Yes	Family Dispute			Committed Suicide	https://tinyurl.com/3oddrwv	A young man from Urmia used a firearm to kill his mother, his sister, and his wife's mother, and then took his own life with the same weapon. The motive for this act has been reported as "family problems." Reza Siadatian, from the village of Reyhanabad-e Maragah, a rural area of Urmia, used a firearm to kill his mother and sister, identified as Farahnaz Imani and Sana Siadatian, as well as his mother-in-law, whose identity has not yet been confirmed.
71	Hamideh	Jabari	Qom Prison	Qom	41	09/22/1404	12/13/2025	Execution		Government			Spousal murder				https://hampar.net/news/2025/12/13/hamideh-jabari-41-ye-qom-1/	Hamideh Jabari was accused of spousal murder.

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72	Delara	Jahandideh	Jahrom	Fars	38	12/09/1403	02/27/2025	Bludgeoned		Husband			Marital Choice: Initiating divorce/separation			Yes	https://shorturl.at/uS0g	Delara Jahandideh, 38, was killed by her husband in Jahrom. The perpetrator, Kazem Mahmoudi, attacked her with a wooden object, causing fatal skull injuries. She died two days later in hospital after severe head and arm fractures. The motive was her decision to seek divorce, following prior threats and an earlier attempted murder.
73	Mahbubeh	Jalali	Laban Rasht Prison	Gilan	38	08/03/1404	10/25/2025	Execution		Government			Drug-related offense				https://thenews24.ir/1404/08/03	Mahbubeh Jalali was accused of drug-related offenses.
74	Mitra	Jamali	Darab	Fars	34	08/11/1404	11/2/2025	Gunshot		Ex-Husband			Marital Choice: Initiating divorce/separation			Yes	https://tinyurl.com/5bhu75p	Mitra Jamali, 34, was killed by her fiancé (also her cousin) in Darab. The perpetrator shot her with a firearm. He had previously displayed the weapon on social media before the murder. The motive was her decision to end their engagement.
75	Unknown	Jamalzehi	Nehbandan	South Khorasan	Undeclared	01/31/1404	04/20/2025	Bludgeoned		Husband			Family Dispute			Yes	https://tinyurl.com/y5daiup	A pregnant woman was killed by her husband in Nehbandan. She was severely beaten, leading to the loss of her six-month-old fetus and her death shortly after. The perpetrator was arrested following the incident. The motive was reported as "family disputes."
76	Simin	Joghatayi	Taybad	Razavi Khorasan	20	04/21/1404	07/12/2025	Bludgeoned		Brother			Honor			Yes	https://tinyurl.com/57d6m3	Simin Joghatai, a 21-year-old law student, was killed by her brothers in Taybad. She was tortured for a week and ultimately killed by blows to the neck with a shovel. Four brothers were involved and later arrested. The motive was reported as "honor"-related, linked to suspected contact with a boyfriend.
77	Nahid	Jokar	Shiraz Prison	Fars	52	05/09/1404	08/01	Execution		Government			Drug-related offense				https://thenews24.ir/1404/05/09	Nahid Jokar was accused of drug-related offenses.
78	Sogand	Kamangar	Amol	Mazandaran	18	05/23/1404	08/13/2025	Gunshot		Undeclared		Yes	Family Dispute			No	https://tinyurl.com/7au83v	A man carried out a multi location, family massacre in northern Iran, killing nine relatives, including his wife, children, extended family, member members before committing suicide. The motive was reported as long-standing domestic conflicts between the attacker and his wife, including previous threats to commit violence.
79	Arezu	Kami	Gorgan	Golestan	Undeclared	12/04/1403	02/22/2025	Stabbed		Husband			Family Dispute			Yes	https://shorturl.at/OQL4	Arezu Kami, a mother of two, was killed by her husband in Gorgan. She was stabbed with a knife. The perpetrator was arrested after the crime. The motive was reported as "family disputes."
80	Sheyda	Kardgar	Babol	Mazandaran	15	05/20/1404	08/11/2025	Stabbed		Suitor			Marital Choice: Rejected Marriage/Proposal			Yes	https://tinyurl.com/2a3k9a	Shida Kardgar, 15, was killed by a man in Babol. She was stabbed to death in front of her grandmother's home. The perpetrator had previously sought to marry her and attacked after the family refused. The motive was her family's rejection of the marriage proposal, considered "honor"-related.

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81	Shahla	Karimiani	Mahabad	West Azerbaijan	38	07/10/1404	10/02/2025	Undeclared		Husband	Brother-in-Law		Marital Choice: Initiating divorce/separation			Yes	https://tinyurl.com/554we9p3	Shahla Karimi, 38, was killed by her husband and brother-in-law in Mahabad. Her body was discovered in a cemetery 15 days after she went missing. The perpetrator had attempted to cover up the crime by falsely claiming she had left the country. Both suspects were arrested and confessed to the murder and burial of her body.
82	Fatemeh	Karpardaz	Bandar Abbas	Hormozgan	30	09/07/1404	11/28/2025	Gunshot		Husband		Yes	Honor			Yes	https://thenews24.ir/1404/09/07	Fatemeh Karpardaz, 30, was killed by her husband in Bandar Abbas. The perpetrator, Mohsen Haghighi (33), shot her and also killed another man before taking his own life. The killings were carried out with a firearm and followed by the perpetrator's suicide. The motive was described as "honor"-related.
83	Mahnaz	Kasirou	Khodabandeh	Zanjan	30	02/08/1404	04/28/2025	Bludgeoned		Husband			Family Dispute			Undeclared	https://tinyurl.com/2a34wb3j	Mahnaz Kasirou, 30, was killed by her husband in Khodabandeh County. The perpetrator attacked her with a sledgehammer and hammer, targeting her head and face. She was a mother of a young child and died at the scene. The motive was reported as "family disputes."
84	Maryam	Kaviani	Khoramabad	Kermanshah	Undeclared	11/13/1403	02/01/2025	Execution		Government			Spousal murder				https://thenews24.ir/1403/11/13	Maryam Kaviani was accused of spousal murder.
85	Zahra	Khanbabai	Bandar Abbas	Hormozgan	Undeclared	07/23/1404	10/15/2025	Execution		Government			Drug-related offense				https://thenews24.ir/1404/07/23	Zahra Khanbabai was accused of drug-related offenses.
86	Zahra	Khanzadeh	Vakilabad Prison	Razavi Khorasan	Undeclared	10/03/1404	12/24/2025	Execution		Government			Drug-related offense				https://thenews24.ir/1404/10/03	Zahra Khanzadeh was accused of drug-related offenses.
87	Maedeh	Khatibian	Mashhad	Razavi Khorasan	21	02/18/1404	05/09/2025	Stabbed		Husband			Undeclared			Undeclared	https://tinyurl.com/chvay7	Maedeh Khatibian, 21, was killed by her husband in Mashhad. She was stabbed multiple times with a knife. The perpetrator, a 28-year-old man, attempted suicide by cutting his wrist and was hospitalized in critical condition. The motive has not been reported.
88	Zeynab	Khodabandeh	Dastgerd Prison	Esfahan	Undeclared	07/21/1404	10/13/2025	Execution		Government			Drug-related offense				https://thenews24.ir/1404/07/21	Zeynab Khodabandeh was accused of drug-related offenses.
89	Saeedeh	Khodadi	Esfahan Prison	Esfahan	40	07/30/1404	10/22/2025	Execution		Government			Spousal murder				https://thenews24.ir/1404/07/30	Saeedeh Khodadi was accused of spousal murder.
90	Tahereh	Khodami	Sirjan	Kerman	Undeclared	02/10/1404	04/30/2025	Gunshot		Son			Undeclared			Committed Suicide	https://tinyurl.com/2dmlk28z	Tahereh Khodami was killed by her son in Sirjan. She was shot with a hunting firearm. The perpetrator then died by suicide.
91	Mahdiyeh	Kiani	Tabriz Prison	East Azarbaijan	41	10/02/1404	12/23/2025	Execution		Government			Spousal murder				https://thenews24.ir/1404/10/02	Mahdiyeh Kiani was accused of spousal murder.

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92	Somayeh	Kiumarsi	Maragheh	East Azarbaijan	38	06/11/1404	09/02/2025	Slaughtered		Husband		Yes	Honor			Yes	https://tinyurl.com/5m92u4fc	Somayeh Keyomarsi, 38, and her two daughters Sanaz (17) and Maral (9) were killed by the husband/father in Maragheh. The perpetrator, a 41-year-old man, killed them at their home. He later turned himself in to the police. The motive was reported as "honor"-related.
93	Mobina	Kondabi	Kordkuy	Golestan	28	02/17/1404	05/07/2025	Gunshot		Husband			Honor			Yes	https://tinyurl.com/3ss175z	Mobina Kondabi, 28, was killed by her husband in Kordkuy. She was shot with a hunting firearm and died later in hospital. The perpetrator fled but was later arrested. The motive was reported as "honor"-related.
94	Eliana	Koochi	Firouzabad	Fars	23	02/27/1404	05/17/2025	Stabbed		Husband			Marital Choice: Initiating divorce/separation			Yes	https://tinyurl.com/yv33k9z6	A man killed his wife Eliana Koochi (23) and her mother Farideh Bagheri (45) in Firuzabad. He stabbed both victims multiple times, causing fatal injuries. The perpetrator fled but was later arrested. The motive was his wife's request for divorce. (see 18)
95	Zahra	Kordyazdi	Borujen	Chaharmahal and Bakhtiari	Undeclared	01/19/1404	04/08/2025	Strangled		Husband		Yes	Undeclared			Committed Suicide	https://tinyurl.com/v47c9wfm	A 40-year-old man killed his wife Zahra Kordizi and their 5-year-old daughter Shida Moradi in Borujen. He strangled his wife and then shot his daughter with a hunting rifle. The perpetrator later died by suicide. The motive remains unknown.
96	Zahra	Mirghafari	Tabriz Prison	East Azarbaijan	43	08/17/1404	11/8/2025	Execution		Government			Drug-related offense				https://theiranian.net/news/251749/index.html	Zahra Mirghafari was accused of drug-related offenses.
97	Banu	Moghadam	Abhar Prison	Zanjan	59	06/09/1404	08/28/2025	Execution		Government			Killing her son-in-law				https://theiranian.net/news/251749/index.html	Banu Moghadam was accused of murdering her son-in-law.
98	Sakineh (Anbar)	Mohammadi	Fardis	Alborz	47	12/09/1403	02/27/2025	Bludgeoned		Husband			Family Dispute			Yes	https://tinyurl.com/yf9wms	A 47-year-old woman, Sakineh (known as Anbar), was killed by her husband in Fardis. The perpetrator, Vahid Mohammadi, attacked her with a meat tenderizer. He was later arrested and confessed after receiving medical treatment. The motive was reported as "family disputes."
99	Batul	Mohammadi	Kermanshah	Kermanshah	Undeclared	02/11/1404	05/01/2025	Gunshot		Husband			Undeclared			Committed Suicide	https://tinyurl.com/3p3477m	Mohammad Mohammadi killed his wife, mother-in-law, and son in Kermanshah. He used a handgun to shoot the victims and also injured two other family members. The perpetrator then died by suicide using the same weapon. The motive remains unknown.
100	Fatemeh	Mohammadi	Kermanshah	Kermanshah	Undeclared	02/11/1404	05/01/2025	Gunshot		Son-in-Law			Undeclared			Committed Suicide	https://tinyurl.com/3p3477m	Mohammad Mohammadi killed his wife, mother-in-law, and son in Kermanshah. He used a handgun to shoot the victims and also injured two other family members. The perpetrator then died by suicide using the same weapon. The motive remains unknown.

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101	Farzaneh	Moradi	Kozaran	Kermanshah	30	01/09/1404	03/26/2025	Gunshot		Husband		Yes	Reproductive Rights: Pregnant with Twins			Yes	https://tinyurl.com/mxou7b4	Farzaneh Moradi, 30, a pregnant woman and mother of two daughters aged 5 and 8, was killed by her husband in Kuzaran. She was shot with a handgun; her unborn twins also died. The perpetrator, Pedram Safaei, was arrested after the crime. The motive was her pregnancy, specifically because one of the fetuses was female.
102	Sheyda	Moradi	Borujen	Chaharmahal and Bakhtiari	5	01/19/1404	04/08/2025	Gunshot		Father		Yes	Undeclared			Committed Suicide	https://tinyurl.com/v47c9wfm	A man (surname Moradi), around 40, killed his wife Zahra Kordizi and their 5-year-old daughter Shida in Borujen. He strangled his wife and then shot his daughter with a hunting rifle. The perpetrator later died by suicide. The motive remains unknown.
103	Safa	Mostafazade	Maku	West Azerbaijan	31	10/29/1403	01/18/2025	Stabbed		Husband		Yes	Honor			Yes	https://shorturl.at/9Tm	Safa Mostafazadeh, 31, and her 11-year-old son Daniel were killed by the husband/father in Maku (Bazargan). He attacked them with a machete-like weapon, killing both. The perpetrator then died by suicide. The motive was linked to her intention to seek divorce, alongside suspicion and "family disputes."
104	Setareh	Mousipour	Khoy	West Azerbaijan	18	02/01/1404	04/21/2025	Gunshot		Brother-in-Law			Reproductive Rights: Infertility			Yes	https://tinyurl.com/4kwk3m	Setareh Mousapour, 18, was killed by her brother-in-law in Catur (Khoy County). She was a victim of child and forced marriage and was shot with a firearm. She had previously sought refuge with her family due to ongoing abuse. The motive was linked to family pressure and so-called "honor"-related issues.
105	Nahid	Najafi	Bandar Abbas	Hormozgan	Undeclared, Young	01/21/1404	04/10/2025	Beheaded		Husband			Honor	Yes		Committed Suicide	https://tinyurl.com/3ffm9z	Nahid Najafi was killed by her husband in Bandar Abbas. The killing occurred in front of their 7-year-old child, who was beheaded. The perpetrator, a man around 40 known as Javad, died by suicide after the crime. The motive was described as "honor" related, with claims of alleged infidelity.
106	Kima	Navabi	Bonab	East Azarbaijan	15	11/14/1403	02/02/2025	Bludgeoned		Father		Yes	Undeclared	Yes		Committed Suicide	https://shorturl.at/9Tm	A man in Bonab killed his wife and two children. Victims: Shiva Nabavi (44), Kima (15), and Amirali (11). The killings were carried out with an iron pipe and a wooden stick, mainly targeting the head. The motive is unknown; the perpetrator later died by suicide under a truck.
107	Shiva	Navabi	Bonab	East Azarbaijan	44	11/14/1403	02/02/2025	Bludgeoned		Husband		Yes	Undeclared	Yes		Committed Suicide	https://shorturl.at/9Tm	A man in Bonab killed his wife and two children. Victims: Shiva Nabavi (44), Kima (15), and Amirali (11). The killings were carried out with an iron pipe and a wooden stick, mainly targeting the head. The motive is unknown; the perpetrator later died by suicide under a truck.

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108	Nikoo	Nazari	Kuhdasht	Lorestan	27	09/27/1404	12/18/2025	Poisoned		Father	Brother and uncle		Marital Choice: Initiating divorce/separation			Yes	https://hengaw.net/family-violence/2025/12/article-137	Niko Nazari Zarouni, 27, was killed by her father, brother, and uncle in Kuhdasht. She was a victim of child marriage and endured prolonged violence before being killed by forced poisoning. Her family attempted to stage the killing as a suicide. The motive was her request for divorce after ongoing domestic abuse.
109	Yasaman	Nosrati	Shahrood	Semnan	20	02/27/1404	05/17/2025	Strangled		Husband			Honor			Yes	https://tinyurl.com/bd9vab5k	Yasaman Nosrati, 20, was killed by her husband in Shahrood. She was strangled with a belt. The motive was reported as "honor"-related, linked to suspicion of infidelity.
110	Samira	Nourbakhsh	Kermanshah	Kermanshah	37	02/13/1404	05/04/2025	Gunshot		Suitor			Marital Choice: Rejected Marriage/Proposal			Undeclared	https://tinyurl.com/bd9vab5k	Samira Nourbakhsh, 37, was killed by her suitor in Kermanshah. She was shot with a firearm. The perpetrator fled the scene and has not been arrested. The motive was her rejection of his marriage proposal.
111	Zahra	Nourmohammadi	Ilam	Ilam	Undeclared	01/19/1404	04/08/2025	Gunshot		Husband		Yes	Undeclared			Committed Suicide	https://tinyurl.com/5xah3dix	A man identified as Yousef Kahzadani killed his wife Zahra Nourmohammadi and their two sons in Ilam. He used a firearm to shoot all victims. The perpetrator then died by suicide. The motive has not been reported.
112	Sogand	Fakdel	Kavar	Fars	27	05/01/1404	07/23/2025	Gunshot		Uncle			Honor			Undeclared	https://tinyurl.com/bd9vab5k	Sogand Fakdel, a 27-year-old trans woman, was killed by her uncle, allegedly acting on the orders of her father in what was described as a family wedding and died at the scene. The perpetrator was a family member who used a firearm. The motive was reported as "honor"-related, linked to her gender identity.
113	Omolbanin	Golizadeh	Maneh	North Khorasan	47	03/17/1404	06/07/2025	Stabbed		Husband			Family Dispute			Yes	https://tinyurl.com/3d9vab5k	Omolbanin Golizadeh, 47, was killed by her husband in Maneh and Samaljan County. She was stabbed multiple times with a knife. The perpetrator, a 53-year-old man, turned himself in and confessed. The motive was reported as "family disputes," following prior threats after she sought separation.
114	Fatemeh	R	Abadan	Khuzestan	16	06/16/1404	09/07/2025	Stabbed		Uncle	Father		Honor			No	https://tinyurl.com/3d9vab5k	A 16-year-old girl, Fatemeh R., was murdered in Abadan, Iran, by her uncle, allegedly acting on the orders of her father in what was described as an "honor" killing. She was killed by knife wounds, including having her carotid artery cut, and her body was later found at a garbage site. The uncle confessed, and the father reportedly declined to press charges.

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115	Zahra	Rafiei	Charmahin	Esfahan	30	12/19/1403	03/09/2025	Gunshot		Ex-Fiance			Marital Choice: Rejected Marriage/Proposal			Committed Suicide	https://tinyurl.com/bd9vab5k	Zahra Rafiei, 30, and her mother Shahin Ebn Ali, 50, were killed by Zahra's suitor in Charmahin. The perpetrator, Hamidreza Jafarian (35), used a handgun with a silencer. He died by suicide after committing the killings. The motive was the rejection of his marriage proposal and the breakup of their engagement.
116	Mahin	Rahimi	Vakilabad Prison	Razavi Khorasan	Undeclared	09/05/1404	11/26/2025	Execution		Government			Murder				https://tinyurl.com/3d9vab5k	Mahin Rahimi was accused of murder.
117	Nessa	Rastgoo	Urmia	West Azerbaijan	18	08/30/1404	11/21/2025	Stabbed		Husband			Family Dispute		Child Bride	Yes	https://tinyurl.com/ybrus833	Nessa Rastgoo, an 18-year-old woman and victim of child marriage in Urmia, was killed by her husband using a sharp weapon. The motive for the killing has been described as "family disputes." According to information received by the Hengaw Human Rights Organization, on Friday, 30 Aban 1404 (21 November 2025), Nessa Rastgoo, an 18-year-old woman from Urmia, was killed by her husband after he inflicted multiple stab wounds. According to informed sources, this 18-year-old woman, who was a victim of child marriage, was killed only eight months after her marriage. The killing of Nessa Rastgoo by her husband is an example of femicide and a direct consequence of child marriage and systemic violence against women, which, under discriminatory laws and the absence of legal protections in the Islamic Republic of Iran, continues to endanger the lives of many girls and women.
118	Leila	Rostami	Ilam	Ilam	Undeclared, Young	04/11/1404	07/02/2025	Gunshot		Brother-in-Law			Family Dispute			Committed Suicide	https://tinyurl.com/ybrus833	A man identified as Mohammad-Naqi Azadi killed his wife and sister-in-law in Ilam using a firearm, and then committed suicide using the same weapon. The motive for the attack has been reported as "family problems." Mohammad-Naqi Azadi, a resident of Ilam, killed his wife Sedigheh Rostami and his sister-in-law Leila Rostami in one of Ilam's neighborhoods using a handgun (pistol). According to an informed source close to the family, Naqi Azadi, who had a history of criminal offenses and domestic violence, had spent the previous two years in Prison. Sedigheh Rostami, his second wife, had intended to separate from him following his imprisonment. After killing his wife and sister-in-law and wounding another family member, the perpetrator shot himself with the same firearm, resulting in his death.

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119	Sedigheh	Rostami	Ilam	Ilam	Undeclared, Young	04/11/1404	07/02/2025	Gunshot		Husband			Family Dispute			Commit- ed Suicide	https://tinyurl.com/yv7vd75f	A man identified as Mohammad-Naqi Azadi killed his wife and sister-in-law in Ilam using a firearm, and then committed suicide using the same weapon. The motive for the attack has been reported as "family problems. Mohammad-Naqi Azadi, a resident of Ilam, killed his wife Sedigheh Rostami and his sister-in-law Leila Rostami in one of Ilam's neighborhoods using a handgun (pistol). According to an informed source close to the family, Naqi Azadi, who had a history of criminal offenses and domestic violence, had spent the previous two years in Prison. Sedigheh Rostami, his second wife, had intended to separate from him following his imprisonment. After killing his wife and sister-in-law and wounding another family member, the perpetrator shot himself with the same firearm, resulting in his death.
120	Marjan	Sabzi	Dastgerd Prison	Esfahan	Undeclared	02/08/1404	04/28/2025	Execution		Government			Drug-related offense		Lor		https://sharhnews.net/news/26116386-1	Marjan Sabzi was accused of drug-related offenses.
121	Talat	Sabzi	Qom Prison	Qom	47	04/03/1404	06/24/2025	Execution		Government			Spousal murder				https://sharhnews.net/news/26116386-1	Talat Sabzi was accused of spousal murder.
122	Fatemeh	Sadeghi	Jahrom	Fars	39	02/10/1404	04/30/2025	Strangled		Husband			Marital Choice: Initiating divorce/separation			Yes	https://tinyurl.com/yv7vd75f	Fatemeh Sadeghi, 39, was killed by her husband in Jahrom. Her body was found in a park restroom. The perpetrator attempted to stage the scene as suicide. The motive was her request for divorce.
123	Mina	Sadoughi	Shiraz Adelabad	Fars	41	09/05/1404	11/26/2025	Execution		Government			Drug-related offense				https://sharhnews.net/news/26116386-1	Mina Sadoughi was accused of drug-related offenses.
124	Sajedeh	Sandkezehi	Khash	Sistan and Baluchestan	Undeclared, Young	07/19/1404	10/11/2025	Gunshot		Father-in-Law			Family Dispute		Undeclared		https://tinyurl.com/4cva31	Sajedeh Sandakezhi, a young woman originally from the city of Suran was killed by her father-in-law. The mother of two young children was killed by her father-in-law by gunfire from a hunting rifle. A reported conflict between the woman—who had been subjected to violence—and her father-in-law began over a gas cylinder regulator that belonged to Sajedeh. The suspect was arrested after committing the crime, and the funeral ceremony for the victim.
125	Sena	Sayadian	Urmia	West Azerbaijan	Undeclared	08/17/1404	11/8/2025	Gunshot		Brother		Yes	Family Dispute			Commit- ed Suicide	https://tinyurl.com/3od4wxd	A young man from Urmia used a firearm to kill his mother, his sister, and his wife's mother, and then took his own life with the same weapon. The motive for this act has been reported as "family problems." Reza Siadatian, from the village of Reyhanabad-e Maraquad, a rural area of Urmia, used a firearm to kill his mother and sister, identified as Farahnaz imani and Sana Siadatian, as well as his mother-in-law, whose identity has not yet been confirmed.

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126	Farzaneh	Sepahi	Sib & Suran	Sistan and Baluchestan	38	12/19/1403	03/09/2025	Gunshot		Brother			Family Dispute			Yes	https://tinyurl.com/yv7vd75f	Farzaneh Sepahi, 38, was killed by her brother in Sib and Suran County. She was shot in the head and secretly buried by her family. The body was discovered a week later; the case led to arrests and investigation. The motive was reported as "family disputes," following her decision to seek divorce.
127	Zahra	Shahbazi	Ilam	Ilam	28	10/18/1403	01/07/2025	Gunshot		Husband			Family Dispute	Yes	Child Bride	Yes	https://shorturl.at/3XMo	Zahra Shahbazi, 28, was killed by her husband in Ilam. She was a victim of forced marriage and child marriage and was shot in front of her child. The perpetrator fled the scene and has not yet been arrested. The motive was reported as "family disputes."
128	Katayoun	Shamsi	Vakilabad Prison	Razavi Khorasan	Undeclared	08/07/1404	10/29/2025	Execution		Government			Murder				https://sharhnews.net/news/26116386-1	Katayoun Shamsi was accused of murder.
129	Fatemeh	Sheibani	Kerman	Kerman	24	09/03/1404	11/24/2025	Gunshot		Husband			Family Dispute		Undeclared		https://tinyurl.com/43agw8f	In early Azar 1404 (late November 2025), Fatemeh Sheibani, a 24-year-old woman, was shot and killed by her husband in Nodzh Township, Kerman Province. The perpetrator used a handgun (pistol) to kill her inside the city. Government-affiliated media described the motive as "family problems." After the killing, the husband fled the scene and remained at large at the time of reporting.
130	Masumeh	Sheibani	Kerman	Kerman	20	09/03/1404	11/24/2025	Gunshot		Brother-in-Law			Family Dispute		Undeclared		https://tinyurl.com/43agw8f	In the same incident, Masumeh Sheibani, a 20-year-old woman and the sister of Fatemeh Sheibani, was also shot and killed by her brother-in-law using the same firearm in Nodzh Township, Kerman Province. She was killed during the same attack. The perpetrator escaped after the murders, and no arrest had been reported at the time.
131	Sara	Shemshadi	Fuman	Gilan	Undeclared	09/01/1404	11/22/2025	Bludgeoned		Mother-in-Law			Family Dispute	Yes		Yes	https://tinyurl.com/35wh716	A young woman identified as Sara Shemshadi was killed in Fuman County, Gilan Province, by her mother-in-law. The victim was killed by her mother-in-law after being struck multiple times with an iron bar. According to informed sources, after striking the young woman on the head and face, the perpetrator looked the room, leaving her to die from the severity of her injuries. Sara Shemshadi, was killed while her young child was present at the scene.
132	Somayeh	Shirmohmmadi	Gonbadkavus	Golestan	27	09/12/1404	12/3/2025	Undeclared		Thief			Robbery			Yes	https://sharhnews.net/news/26116386-1	Somayeh Shirmohammadi, 27, was killed in Gonbad-e Kavus. Her body was found in a garbage bag. The motive was reported as robbery.

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150	Unknown	Unknown	Juragan	Hamadan	Undeclared	11/14/1403	02/02/2025	Gunshot		Son-in-Law		Yes	Family Dispute			Committed Suicide	https://shonurl.at/72Scf	A man killed his wife, her sister, and her mother in Juragan. He used a handgun to carry out the shootings. Two other family members were injured during the attack. The perpetrator later died by suicide, and the motive was reported as "family disputes."
151	Unknown	Unknown	Kavar	Fars	55	09/04/1404	11/25/2025	Gunshot		Husband			Family Dispute			Yes	https://tinyurl.com/72ssa2b4	A 55-year-old woman in Kavar County, Fars Province, was shot and killed by her 55-year-old husband inside their home on 25 November 2025. The husband used a hunting rifle and, after killing his wife, attempted suicide with the same weapon but survived and was hospitalized. Government-affiliated media described the motive as "family disputes."
152	Unknown	Unknown	Mashhad	Razavi Khorasan	41	06/01/1404	08/25/2025	Gunshot		Husband			Family Dispute			No	https://shonurl.at/y427v	A man killed his wife in Mashhad. The perpetrator, a 44-year-old man, shot his 41-year-old wife inside their car. He then died by suicide using the same firearm. The motive was reported as disputes over dowry and legal complaints.
153	Unknown	Unknown	Meshginshahr	Ardabil	Undeclared, Young	01/26/1404	04/14/2025	Gunshot		Husband			Family Dispute			Yes	https://tinyurl.com/49dwdke0	A woman was killed by her husband in Meshgin Shahr. She was shot in their home. The perpetrator was her husband. The motive was reported vaguely as "severe family disputes."
154	Unknown	Unknown	Qarchak	Tehran	Undeclared, Young	09/11/1404	12/1/2025	Gunshot		Brother			Family Dispute			Yes	https://tinyurl.com/mpa99tzi	A young woman in the city of Qarchak, in Tehran Province, was killed by her brother using a handgun. Government-affiliated media, including Rokna, without disclosing the identities of the victim or the perpetrator, described the motive for this killing as "family problems."
155	Unknown	Unknown	Shadegan	Khuzestan	Undeclared, Young	06/23/1404	06/14/2025	Gunshot		Cousin			Family Homicide			Undeclared	https://tinyurl.com/2cos528a	A young woman in Shadegan County, located in Khuzestan Province, was killed by her cousin using a firearm. According to informed sources, the young woman was shot and killed while she was accompanying her fiancé to a premarital counseling center. State-affiliated media outlets, have described the incident as a "family-motivated killing."
156	Unknown	Unknown	Tehran	Tehran	13	05/06/1404	07/28/2025	Gunshot		Father		Yes	Family Dispute			Yes	https://tinyurl.com/mv34gm0k	The bodies of a young woman and her 13-year-old daughter were discovered in a luxury residential tower in the Chitgar area of Tehran. Both victims died from gunshot wounds to the head. The father of the family has been arrested. Both victims had died as a result of gunshots to the head. During the investigation, the husband of the deceased woman stated that he had left the house in the morning to go to work and that upon returning home, after his father threw him the key, he entered the residence and discovered the bodies of his wife and daughter. He claimed to have no information about how the incident occurred.

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157	Unknown	Unknown	Tehran	Tehran	Undeclared, Young	05/06/1404	07/28/2025	Gunshot		Husband		Yes	Family Dispute			Yes	https://tinyurl.com/mv34gm0k	The bodies of a young woman and her 13-year-old daughter were discovered in a luxury residential tower in the Chitgar area of Tehran. Both victims died from gunshot wounds to the head. The father of the family has been arrested. Both victims had died as a result of gunshots to the head. During the investigation, the husband of the deceased woman stated that he had left the house in the morning to go to work and that upon returning home, after his father threw him the key, he entered the residence and discovered the bodies of his wife and daughter. He claimed to have no information about how the incident occurred.
158	Unknown	Unknown	Boroujerd	Lorestan	Undeclared	10/28/1403	01/17/2025	Gunshot		Brother	Father		Family Dispute			Yes	https://shonurl.at/yHoc5n	A man, with the help of his father, killed three women in Lenjan County. The victims were a middle-aged woman and her two daughters. Their bodies were partially burned and buried in a desert area. The motive was reported as financial disputes.
159	Unknown	Unknown	Boroujerd	Lorestan	Undeclared	10/28/1403	01/17/2025	Gunshot		Brother	Father		Family Dispute			Yes	https://shonurl.at/yHoc5n	A man, with the help of his father, killed three women in Lenjan County. The victims were a middle-aged woman and her two daughters. Their bodies were partially burned and buried in a desert area. The motive was reported as financial disputes.
160	Unknown	Unknown	Boroujerd	Lorestan	Undeclared	10/28/1403	01/17/2025	Gunshot		Brother	Father		Family Dispute			Yes	https://shonurl.at/yHoc5n	A man, with the help of his father, killed three women in Lenjan County. The victims were a middle-aged woman and her two daughters. Their bodies were partially burned and buried in a desert area. The motive was reported as financial disputes.
161	Unknown	Unknown	Noor	Mazandaran	Undeclared, Young	01/20/1404	04/09/2025	Hanged		Husband			Family Dispute			Yes	https://tinyurl.com/7759nma6	A young woman was killed by her husband in Noorbakhs County (Mazandaran). She was strangled with a rope. The perpetrator was arrested after the crime. The motive was reported as "family disputes."
162	Samira	Unknown	Bandar-e Gaz	Golestan	37	11/23/1403	02/11/2025	Immolation		Business Associate			Financial Motive			Yes	https://shonurl.at/yHoc5n	A 37-year-old woman named Samira, a mother of a 6-month-old baby, was killed in Bandar Gaz. The perpetrator abducted her, took her to a forest, killed her, and burned her body. He later confessed after initially reporting her missing. The motive was robbery and revenge.
163	Unknown	Unknown	Nikshahr	Sistan and Baluchestan	Undeclared	11/02/1403	01/21/2025	Immolation		Husband			Undeclared			Yes	https://shonurl.at/yHoc5n	A woman was killed by her husband in Nikshahr. He set her home on fire, causing her death. The perpetrator was later identified and arrested. The motive has not been reported.
164	Unknown	Unknown	Tehran	Tehran	Undeclared	11/29/1403	02/17/2025	Immolation		Husband			Family Dispute			Yes	https://shonurl.at/yHoc5n	A woman was killed by her husband in Tehran. Her body was later set on fire and discovered in the city. The perpetrator was arrested and confessed to the crime. The motive was reported as "family disputes."

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165	Unknown	Unknown	Ghazvin	Ghazvin	Undeclared	12/02/1403	02/20/2025	Run over by car		Husband			Family Dispute			Yes	https://shorturl.at/CBL45	A woman was killed by her husband in Qazvin. He deliberately ran her over with a car after an argument. The perpetrator fled but was later arrested in Tehran. The motive was reported as "family disputes."
166	Unknown	Unknown	Khorramabad	Lorestan	40	04/28/1404	07/19/2025	Slaughtered		Husband		Yes	Family Dispute			Yes	https://tinyurl.com/2c9nsp5z	A man in Khorramabad killed his wife and two children using a bladed weapon, and then attempted suicide using the same weapon. The motive for the attack has been reported as "family problems." According to a report received by the Hengaw Human Rights Organization, on Saturday, 28 Tir 1404 (19 July 2025), a 39-year-old man in Khorramabad killed his 40-year-old wife and his two children, aged 10 and 11, by using a bladed weapon and slitting their throats. The state-affiliated media outlet Rokna, without disclosing the identities of either the perpetrator or the victims, reported that the motive for the crime was family problems. After killing his wife and children, the perpetrator attempted suicide and is currently under medical supervision.
167	Elmira	Unknown	Tehran	Tehran	Undeclared	11/03/1403	01/22/2025	Stabbed		Husband			Marital Choice: Initiating divorce/separation			Yes	https://shorturl.at/VW6B8	Elmira, a young woman, was killed by her husband in Tehran. He stabbed her inside her car after an argument. The perpetrator later confessed and was arrested. The motive was her intention to seek divorce and pursue her dowry rights.
168	Unknown	Unknown	Tehran	Tehran	60	03/08/1404	05/29/2025	Stabbed		Undeclared	Unknown		Undeclared			Undeclared	https://tinyurl.com/2nx4bz4s	A 60-year-old woman was killed in her home in Tehran. She was found in the bathroom with multiple stab wounds. The crime was reported by a friend after her family became concerned. The perpetrator has not been identified, and the motive remains unknown.
169	Unknown	Unknown	Tehran	Tehran	75	06/04/1404	11/25/2025	Stabbed		Thief			Robbery			Yes	https://tinyurl.com/y6b4z5u	A 75-year-old woman was killed in her home in the Ekhtyarieh neighborhood of Tehran on 25 November 2025. She was murdered with a sharp weapon by having her neck artery cut, and the perpetrator stole her gold jewelry from a safe. The suspect has not been identified, and the victim was discovered after her grandchild went to check on her when she did not answer repeated phone calls.

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170	Unknown	Unknown	Tehran	Tehran	37	10/13/1403	01/02/2025	Stabbed	Bludgeoned	Undeclared			Family Dispute			Yes	https://shorturl.at/GNFPV	An unnamed 37-year-old woman was stabbed to death in Nima Park in eastern Tehran. Witnesses reported hearing a woman crying for help. One witness said he saw a young man beating the woman in the bushes and secretly filmed the confrontation; after claiming it was a "family dispute," the man stabbed her multiple times, smashed her mobile phone, and fled. Police believe the victim and attacker knew each other and may have arranged to meet in the park. The victim's body was sent for forensic examination, and police are using the witness's video to identify and arrest the suspect.
171	Unknown	Unknown	Gorgan	Golestan	Undeclared	12/03/1403	02/21/2025	Stabbed		Husband			Family Dispute			Yes	https://shorturl.at/31VRM	A woman was killed by her husband in Gorgan. She was stabbed with a knife. The perpetrator was arrested and confessed to the crime. The motive was reported as "family disputes."
172	Unknown	Unknown	Karaj	Alborz	31	03/21/1404	06/11/2025	Stabbed		Husband			Family Dispute			Committed Suicide	https://tinyurl.com/zbb9v7ga	A man in Karaj murdered his wife using a knife (a bladed weapon) and subsequently attempted to kill himself using the same knife, before ultimately dying by suicide. The motive for the killing has been reported as "family disputes." A 32-year-old man attacked his 31-year-old wife in the Golshahr neighborhood of Karaj, inflicting multiple stab wounds with a knife, resulting in her death. According to the state-affiliated news website Rokna, after killing his wife, the perpetrator used the same knife to stab himself, causing severe injuries. Despite these injuries, he then threw himself from the rooftop of the residence into the courtyard and died at the scene. The identities of the woman or the perpetrator have not been disclosed. It stated that the motive for the killing was "family disputes."
173	Unknown	Unknown	Khorramshahr	Khuzestan	45	02/10/1404	04/30/2025	Stabbed		Husband			Undeclared			Undeclared	https://tinyurl.com/hh7be6fyz	A 50-year-old man killed his wife (45) and adult son (24) in Khorramshahr. He stabbed both victims multiple times. Three others who tried to intervene were seriously injured. The motive has not been clearly reported.
174	Unknown	Unknown	Lahijan	Gilan	48	10/19/1403	01/05/2025	Stabbed		Son-in-Law		Yes	Family Dispute			Yes	https://shorturl.at/51NVR	A 52-year-old man killed three members of his wife's family in Lahijan. The victims were her father (76), mother (46), and brother (38), killed with a shairo weapon. The perpetrator was arrested after the attack. The motive was reported as "family disputes."
175	Unknown	Unknown	Mashhad	Razavi Khorasan	40	06/19/1404	09/10/2025	Stabbed		Ex-Husband			Family Dispute	Yes		Yes	https://tinyurl.com/puqz589	A 50-year-old man in Mashhad killed his 40-year-old ex-wife in front of their daughters by inflicting multiple wounds with a bladed weapon, and then fled the scene. The man identified as Mehrali (last name not disclosed) entered the home of his former wife in Mashhad and killed her by stabbing her multiple times on her side and abdomen. The murder followed multiple threats to her life.

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176	Unknown	Unknown	Mashhad	Razavi Khorasan	45	11/02/1403	01/21/2025	Stabbed		Husband			Family Dispute			Yes	https://shorufi.at/qBhxy	A 45-year-old woman was killed by her temporary husband in Mashhad. She was stabbed 22 times inside her home. The perpetrator fled the scene and is being sought by police. The motive was linked to ongoing severe domestic disputes.
177	Unknown	Unknown	Mashhad	Razavi Khorasan	34	07/28/1404	10/18/2025	Stabbed		Husband			Marital Choice: Initiating divorce/separation			Yes	https://tinyurl.com/4a45u3wv	A 34-year-old Afghan woman was killed by her husband in Mashhad after requesting a divorce. He stabbed her multiple times in their home and fled the scene. The attack occurred in the presence of their teenage son, who witnessed the killing. The suspect was identified as Omid Taheri. The case highlights domestic violence as the reported motive.
178	Unknown	Unknown	Mehrshahr	Alborz	Undeclared	02/10/1404	04/30/2025	Stabbed		Husband			Honor			Yes	https://tinyurl.com/nhbe8z5	A man attacked his family in Mehrshahr (Karaj). He stabbed his wife, leaving her critically injured, and killed his 5-year-old daughter, Zeinab Hosseini, then buried her body in Qezel Hesar. The perpetrator was identified and investigated. The motive was reported as suspicion of infidelity and doubts about paternity.
179	Unknown	Unknown	Rasht	Gilan	30	01/18/1404	04/07/2025	Stabbed		Friend			Personal Dispute			Yes	https://tinyurl.com/hssvny8k	A 30-year-old woman was killed by her friend in Rasht. She was stabbed with a knife. The perpetrator, a 31-year-old man, died by suicide after the crime. The motive was reported as 'personal disputes.'
180	Unknown	Unknown	Shahrood	Semnan	45	05/12/1404	08/04/2025	Stabbed		Friend			Family Dispute			Yes	https://tinyurl.com/3d5x527	A 45-year-old woman was killed in Shahrood by a bladed weapon. The perpetrator was arrested within less than four hours and confessed to the crime. The suspect confessed to committing the killing and cited personal disagreements and motives as the reason for the crime.
181	Unknown	Unknown	Tehran	Tehran	25	05/03/1404	07/25/2025	Stabbed		Husband		Yes	Family Dispute			No	https://tinyurl.com/4yp7hezm	A young Afghan woman and her three young children were killed inside their private residence in Tehran using a bladed weapon and through suffocation. A 25-year-old woman from Afghanistan, along with her three children aged two, three, and five, were killed in their home located in the Morteza-Gerd area of Tehran. The state-affiliated website Rokna, without disclosing the identities of the woman or her children, reported that the woman was killed by knife wounds, while her children—two young boys and one young girl—were killed by suffocation. The bodies of the woman and her children were discovered ten days after their killing, following a report by local residents of the Morteza-Gerd area to the police emergency center. It is reported that the woman was the second wife of an Afghan man who had recently returned to Afghanistan, and that the woman and her children had been living in a rented house.

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182	Unknown	Unknown	Tehran	Tehran	40	02/30/1404	05/20/2025	Stabbed		Husband			Marital Choice: Initiating divorce/separation	Yes		Yes	https://tinyurl.com/4ta3zd8z	A 40-year-old woman was killed by her husband in Tehran. She was stabbed around 40 times inside their home. Their 12-year-old son was present and was locked in a room during the attack. The perpetrator fled the scene and has not yet been arrested. The motive was her decision to end the temporary marriage.
183	Unknown	Unknown	Khoy	West Azerbaijan	Undeclared	10/18/1403	01/05/2025	Stabbed		Husband			Family Dispute			Yes	https://shorufi.at/q2Saf	An unnamed woman in Khoy was reportedly killed by her husband.
184	Unknown	Unknown	Bardaskan	Razavi Khorasan	Undeclared	10/18/1403	01/05/2025	Strangled		Husband			Family Dispute			Yes	https://shorufi.at/5vNVR	A 62-year-old man killed three members of his wife's family in Lahijan. The victims were her father (78), mother (45), and brother (38), killed with a sharp weapon. The perpetrator was arrested after the attack. The motive was reported as 'family disputes.'
185	Unknown	Unknown	Maragheh	East Azarbaijan	32	11/15/1403	02/03/2025	Strangled		Husband			Family Dispute			Yes	https://shorufi.at/d7YU	A 32-year-old woman was killed by her husband in Maragheh. She was strangled at her husband's workplace. The perpetrator later surrendered to police. The motive was reported as 'family disputes.'
186	Unknown	Unknown	Tehran	Tehran	Child	05/03/1404	07/25/2025	Suffocated		Father		Yes	Family Dispute			No	https://tinyurl.com/4yp7hezm	A young Afghan woman and her three young children were killed inside their private residence in Tehran using a bladed weapon and through suffocation. A 25-year-old woman from Afghanistan, along with her three children aged two, three, and five, were killed in their home located in the Morteza-Gerd area of Tehran. The state-affiliated website Rokna, without disclosing the identities of the woman or her children, reported that the woman was killed by knife wounds, while her children—two young boys and one young girl—were killed by suffocation. The bodies of the woman and her children were discovered ten days after their killing, following a report by local residents of the Morteza-Gerd area to the police emergency center. It is reported that the woman was the second wife of an Afghan man who had recently returned to Afghanistan, and that the woman and her children had been living in a rented house.
187	Unknown	Unknown	Sari	Mazandaran	35	02/08/1404	08/25/2025	Undeclared		Thief	Husband		Robbery			Undeclared	https://hangaw.net/farnews/2025/08/article-154	An intruder identified as Behrouz who was known to the victim plots to enter her home to provide medical care while in reality he had conspired with her husband to rob and murder the victim.
188	Unknown	Unknown	Saveh	Markazi	62	10/07/1404	10/28/2025	Undeclared		Husband			Family Dispute			Yes	https://hangaw.net/farnews/2025/10/article-210	A 62-year-old woman was killed by her husband in Saveh. The perpetrator was arrested and confessed to the killing. The motive was reported as 'family disputes.'

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188	Unknown	Unknown	Saveh	Markazi	62	10/07/1404	10/28/2025	Undeclared		Husband			Family Dispute			Yes	https://hengaw.net/fa/news/2025/12/article-210	A 62-year-old woman was killed by her husband in Saveh. The perpetrator was arrested and confessed to the killing. The motive was reported as "family disputes."
189	Unknown	Unknown	Mashhad	Razavi Khorasan	29	07/15/1404	10/7/2025	Bludgeoned	Dismemberment, Immolation	Father			Family Dispute			No	https://tinyurl.com/yac583s3	A 29-year-old woman in Mashhad was killed by her father in a case described as "honor"-related. He struck her with a blunt object, then dismembered and burned her body in a desert area. The family initially reported her missing before the father confessed nine days later. Authorities cited family disputes as the motive, though reports suggest broader context. The crime involved premeditation and attempts to conceal the body.
190	Unknown	Unknown	Pakdasht	Tehran	18	01/23/1404	04/12/2025	Bludgeoned		Brother			Honor			Yes	https://tinyurl.com/4jymc73	An 18-year-old girl was killed by her brother in Pakdasht. The perpetrator, a 20-year-old man, attacked her with a weapon, targeting her neck. He fled the scene but was later arrested in Hamadan. The motive was reported as "honor"-related.
191	Unknown	Unknown	Aligudarz	Lorestan	72	05/09/1404	08/01/2025	Bludgeoned		Husband			Family Dispute			Yes	https://tinyurl.com/35bxyev	72-year-old woman was murdered by her husband in Lorestan province. According to reports, she was murdered using agricultural equipment. The husband was arrested and confessed to his crime.
192	Unknown	Unknown	Estahban	Fars	18	01/13/1404	04/02/2025	Bludgeoned		Father			Family Dispute			Yes	https://tinyurl.com/5yc4p2m	An 18-year-old girl was killed by her father in Estahban. The perpetrator, a 42-year-old man, beat his daughter to death in Mashhad. He fled the scene but was arrested a few hours later. Authorities claim the motive was "family disputes."
193	Unknown	Unknown	Mashhad	Razavi Khorasan	60	09/28/1404	12/19/2025	Bludgeoned		Husband			Family Dispute			Yes	https://hengaw.net/fa/news/2025/12/article-152	A 60-year-old woman was killed by her 70-year-old husband in Mashhad. The perpetrator attacked her with an axe, causing fatal head injuries, and mutilated the body afterward. He later turned himself in to the police and confessed to the murder. The motive was reported as "family and emotional disputes."
194	Unknown	Unknown	Shazand	Markazi	51	01/25/1404	04/14/2025	Bludgeoned		Husband			Family Dispute			Yes	https://tinyurl.com/yw74p88	A 51-year-old woman was killed by her husband in Shazand County. She was severely beaten and later died in hospital from her injuries. The perpetrator attempted suicide, survived, and was arrested. The motive was reported as "family disputes."
195	Unknown	Unknown	Tehran	Tehran	21	09/11/1404	12/1/2025	Bludgeoned		Friend			Sexual Assault			Yes	https://tinyurl.com/mpa9552	A 21-year-old woman was killed in an apartment in the Tehranpars neighborhood by a man named Ali (last name unknown) after being sexually assaulted and physically abused. The apartment owner discovered the body of the 21-year-old woman in a corner of the apartment with her hands and feet bound, bearing signs of torture and rape.

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196	Unknown	Unknown	Yasuj	Kohgiluyeh and Boyer-Ahmad	51	09/24/1404	12/15/2025	Bludgeoned		Son			Family Dispute			Yes	https://hengaw.net/fa/news/2025/12/article-110	51-year-old woman was killed by her son in Yasuj. The perpetrator, a 34-year-old man, attacked her with a meat tenderizer and a wrench, targeting her head and face. He was arrested after the crime. The motive was reported as "family disputes."
197	Ghazal	Unknown	Karaj	Alborz	Undeclared	02/11/1404	05/01/2025	Execution		Government			Spousal murder				https://maasnam.com/news/2025/05/article-186	A woman identified as Ghazal was executed on the spousal murder charges.
198	Unknown	Unknown	Bandar Anzali	Gilan	52	09/06/1404	11/27/2025	Gunshot		Thief			Robbery		Undeclared		https://tinyurl.com/3achd31	A 52-year-old woman was shot and killed in her home in Bandar Anzali, Gilan Province, on 27 November 2025. The perpetrator, a 26-year-old man, had visited her residence the previous day under the pretext of making repairs and, after seeing her jewelry, planned the crime. He returned the next day claiming to continue the repairs, entered the home with a firearm, killed the woman, and stole her gold jewelry. The suspect was later arrested.
199	Unknown	Unknown	Rasht (siahgodan)	Gilan	52	09/20/1404	12/11/2025	Gunshot		Sister's Ex-husband		Yes	Family Dispute			Yes	https://www.eghtesadne.ws.com/758844	A 52-year-old man killed his former sister-in-law (52) and her husband (56) in Rasht. He went to the house intending to kill his ex-wife but attacked the two victims during a confrontation. The perpetrator fled but was arrested within hours by police. The motive was reported as long-standing family disputes and revenge.
200	Unknown	Unknown	Iranshahr	Sistan and Baluchestan	Undeclared	10/04/1404	12/25/2025	Gunshot		Brother			Family Dispute			No	www.rahkaf.com/news/47587	A young man killed his mother and sister in Iranshahr. He used a handgun to shoot both victims. The perpetrator then attempted suicide after the crime. The motive remains unknown and investigations are ongoing.
201	Unknown	Unknown	Kahnooj	Kerman	50	09/20/1404	12/11/2025	Gunshot		Son			Family Dispute			Yes	https://hengaw.net/fa/news/2025/12/article-58	A 50-year-old woman was shot to death by her son in Kahnooj. Family reasons were reported as the excuse for this crime.
202	Unknown	Unknown	Nahvand	Hamadan	Undeclared, Young	09/27/1404	12/18/2025	Gunshot		Brother		Yes	Family Dispute			Yes	https://hengaw.net/fa/news/2025/12/article-101	Yousef Pilevari opened fire on his family in Nahvand. He killed his sister Yasmin Pilevari and his uncle Reza Farhadpour at the scene. His mother and grandmother were seriously injured and hospitalized. The motive remains unknown.
203	Unknown	Unknown	Tabriz	East Azarbaijan	Undeclared	01/31/1404	04/20/2025	Gunshot		Husband			Family Dispute			Yes	https://tinyurl.com/mpc453d	A woman was killed by her husband in Tabriz. The perpetrator, a 53-year-old man, shot her with a handgun outside a counseling center. He was arrested immediately after the crime. The motive was reported as "family disputes."
204	Unknown	Unknown	Tabriz	East Azarbaijan	Undeclared, Young	09/22/1404	12/13/2025	Gunshot		Ex-Husband			Family Dispute			Yes	https://hengaw.net/fa/news/2025/12/article-52	A young woman was killed by her ex-husband in Tabriz. The perpetrator shot her with a firearm at her parents' home. He was later identified and his confession was reported. The motive was reported as "family disputes."

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205	Unknown	Unknown	Urmia	West Azerbaijan	Undeclared	08/17/1404	11/8/2025	Gunshot		Son-in-Law		Yes	Family Dispute			Committed Suicide	https://tinyurl.com/26d44xnd	A man, with the help of his father, killed three women in Lenjan County. The victims were a middle-aged woman and her two daughters. Their bodies were partially burned and buried in a desert area. The motive was reported as financial disputes.
206	Unknown	Unknown	Lonjan	Esfahan	Middle-aged	11/09/1403	01/28/2025	Poisoned		Business Associate			Robbery and Financial Dispute			Yes	https://shorhurl.at/5ZpJ8	A man, with the help of his father, killed three women in Lenjan County. The victims were a middle-aged woman and her two daughters. Their bodies were partially burned and buried in a desert area. The motive was reported as financial disputes.
207	Unknown	Unknown	Lonjan	Esfahan	Undeclared, Young	11/09/1403	01/28/2025	Poisoned		Business Associate			Robbery and Financial Dispute			Yes	https://shorhurl.at/5ZpJ8	A man, with the help of his father, killed three women in Lenjan County. The victims were a middle-aged woman and her two daughters. Their bodies were partially burned and buried in a desert area. The motive was reported as financial disputes.
208	Unknown	Unknown	Lonjan	Esfahan	Young	11/09/1403	01/28/2025	Poisoned		Business Associate			Robbery and Financial Dispute			Yes	https://shorhurl.at/5ZpJ8	A man, with the help of his father, killed three women in Lenjan County. The victims were a middle-aged woman and her two daughters. Their bodies were partially burned and buried in a desert area. The motive was reported as financial disputes.
209	Unknown	Unknown	Damghan	Semnan	49	02/13/1404	05/03/2025	Run over by car		Undeclared			Personal Dispute			Yes	https://tinyurl.com/23s3adn4	A 46-year-old woman was killed by a man in Damghan. The perpetrator, a 27-year-old man, deliberately ran her over with a car after an argument. He fled the scene but was later arrested and confessed. The motive was reported as "personal problems."
210	Unknown	Unknown	Pishva	Tehran	Undeclared, Young	03/19/1404	06/09/2025	Slaughtered		Undeclared			Undeclared			Yes	https://tinyurl.com/yck34k19	A young woman was killed in Pishva. Her body was found abandoned in the area. The perpetrator was arrested. The motive has not been reported.
211	Unknown	Unknown	Baharestan	Tehran	Undeclared, Young	02/05/1404	04/25/2025	Slaughtered		Ex-Husband			Family Dispute			Yes	https://tinyurl.com/dw6x7an	A young woman was killed by her ex-husband in Golestan (Baharestan County). She was stabbed to death at her workplace in a tailoring workshop. The perpetrator, a 51-year-old man, also injured another person and then attempted self-harm. He was hospitalized and is under police custody. The motive was reported as "family disputes."
212	Unknown	Unknown	Golpayegan	Esfahan	42	12/28/1403	03/18/2025	Slaughtered		Husband			Family Dispute			Yes	https://tinyurl.com/yck34k19	A 42-year-old woman, a mother of two, was killed by her husband in Golpayegan. She was attacked with a sharp weapon. The perpetrator fled but was arrested a few hours later. The motive was reported as "family disputes."

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213	Unknown	Unknown	Shahrood	Semnan	58	09/12/1404	12/2/2025	Slaughtered		Son			Family Dispute			Yes	https://hengaw.net/fa/News/2024/12/article-23	A 58-year-old woman was killed by her son in Shahrood. She was attacked with a knife, a relative who tried to intervene was seriously injured. The perpetrator was involved in the attack and the case is under investigation. The motive was reported as "family disputes."
214	Unknown	Unknown	Faruj	North Khorasan	39	01/19/1404	04/08/2025	Stabbed		Husband			Family Dispute			Yes	https://tinyurl.com/6xch3d6x	A 38-year-old woman was killed by her husband in Faruj. She was attacked with a sharp weapon. The perpetrator was arrested immediately after the crime. The motive was reported as "family disputes."
215	Unknown	Unknown	Kelardasht	Mazandaran	Undeclared, Young	03/19/1404	06/09/2025	Stabbed		Husband			Family Dispute			Yes	https://tinyurl.com/yck34k19	A young woman was killed by her husband in Kelardasht. She was attacked with a sharp weapon. The perpetrator fled but was later arrested and confessed. The motive was reported as "family disputes."
216	Unknown	Unknown	Khozestan	Khozestan	Undeclared	01/04/1404	03/24/2025	Stabbed	Dismemberment	Husband			Honor			Yes	https://tinyurl.com/vt3p4ia	A woman was killed by her husband in Khozestan Province. He attacked her with a knife, dismembered her body, and was later arrested. The perpetrator also intended to harm their children but was stopped. The motive was described as a claimed "family tradition" enforcing obedience to the husband.
217	Unknown	Unknown	Maragheh	East Azarbaijan	37	11/07/1403	01/28/2025	Stabbed		Husband			Family Dispute			Yes	https://shorturl.at/5ZpJ8	A 37-year-old woman was killed by her husband in Maragheh. She was stabbed multiple times with a knife. The perpetrator fled but was later arrested in a nearby city. The motive was reported as "family disputes."
218	Unknown	Unknown	Mashhad	Razavi Khorasan	44	05/22/1404	08/13/2025	Stabbed	Bludgeoned and Strangled	Neighbor		Yes	Financial Motive			Yes	https://tinyurl.com/yeb6bxy3	A 44-year-old woman in Mashhad was murdered in her home by a 19-year-old neighbor. He entered by climbing over the wall and attacked her using blunt force, strangulation, and stabbing. The motive was reported as theft of her gold jewelry. He stole the jewelry and fled the scene. The suspect was arrested two days later and confessed to the crime.
219	Unknown	Unknown	Tehran	Tehran	45	09/12/1404	12/2/2025	Stabbed		Son			Honor			Yes	https://hengaw.net/fa/News/2024/12/article-23	As young man murdered his 45 year old mother, stabbing her 86 times with a knife because he suspected that she was having an affair. He committed the murder while the father was in the house. It is unclear if the husband was complicit or not.
220	Unknown	Unknown	Chahrbagh	Esfahan	24	09/13/1404	12/3/2025	Strangled		Mother's Husband			Family Dispute			Yes	https://hengaw.net/fa/News/2024/12/article-30	A 24-year-old woman was killed by her stepfather in Chahrbagh. She was strangled and her body was abandoned in a desert area. The perpetrator was arrested and confessed. The motive was reported as "family disputes."

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221	Unknown	Unknown	Jask	Hormozgan	Undeclared, Young	04/10/1404	07/01/2025	Strangled		Brother			Marital Choice/ Rejected Marriage/Proposal			Undeclared	https://tbrnyur.com/mymms3zks	A young woman was killed by her brother. The motive for the killing has been reported as the perpetrator's opposition to his sister's marriage. The perpetrator has been identified as "Yousef B" and reportedly strangled his sister due to his opposition to her marriage. Following the killing, the perpetrator fled the scene.
222	Unknown	Unknown	Kazeroon	Fars	33	08/05/1404	10/27/2025	Strangled		Husband			Family Dispute			Yes	https://tbrnyur.com/4ajars8	In a separate case in the same county, a 33-year-old woman was strangled to death by her 31-year-old husband using an antenna wire inside their home. She had been reported missing on 5 Aban 1404, and nearly two months later her body was found in a well outside the county. The husband was arrested and confessed, citing "family disputes."
223	Unknown	Unknown	Salmas	West Azerbaijan	Undeclared	09/05/1404	11/26/2025	Strangled		Husband	son		Family Dispute			Yes	https://tbrnyur.com/yvyr4n1	The body of a woman from Ahvaz was discovered in Rig-Abad village, Salmas, after being missing for eight months. Investigations revealed that she had been strangled to death by her husband, who then secretly buried her body with the help of their son and concealed the crime. The family had moved to the area for greenhouse work, and after repeated failed attempts by the woman's relatives to contact her, her disappearance was reported to police. The case came to light after the son confessed during questioning, leading authorities to the burial site. The woman's body was transferred to forensic medicine in Urmia for autopsy.
224	Unknown	Unknown	Tehran	Tehran	Undeclared, Young	02/20/1404	05/10/2025	Strangled		Husband			Family Dispute			Yes	https://tbrnyur.com/4ew93dyu	A young woman was killed by her husband in Tehran. She was strangled inside their home. The perpetrator fled but was later identified, arrested, and confessed. The motive was reported as "severe anger" following an argument.
225	Unknown	Unknown	Tehran	Tehran	55	09/04/1404	11/25/2025	Strangled		Son-in-Law			Financial Motive			Yes	https://tbrnyur.com/4n6z5nr	Murder of a 55-year-old woman in Lavasan, Tehran. Separately, a 55-year-old woman was strangled to death by her son-in-law in Lavasan, Tehran. Her body was discovered several days later in the steam sauna section of her home, showing signs of decomposition. The perpetrator initially fled the scene but was later identified through CCTV footage, arrested, and confessed. He stated that the motive for killing his mother-in-law was financial and family disputes.

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226	Unknown	Unknown	Pakdasht	Tehran	40	07/29/1404	10/21/2025	Suffocated		Husband			Family Dispute			Yes	https://tbrnyur.com/2pk28mab	A middle-aged woman from Pakdasht, located in Tehran Province, was killed by her husband. State-affiliated media have described the motive for the crime under the vague term "family disputes." According to a report received by the Hengaw Human Rights Organization, recently a 40-year-old woman from the village of Kabud Gonbad, in Pakdasht, was killed by her 70-year-old husband in their shared home by suffocation using a blanket. After killing his wife, the perpetrator moved her body to the bathroom of the house and cut the veins in her arm in an attempt to stage the killing as a suicide. The state-affiliated IRNA News Agency, without disclosing the identities of the perpetrator or the victim, described the incident as a "family killing." It is noted that the perpetrator was arrested and confessed to killing his wife.
227	Unknown	Unknown	Taft	Yazd	70	09/04/1404	11/25/2025	Undeclared		Thief			Robbery			Yes	https://tbrnyur.com/4n6z5nr	Murder of a 70-year-old woman in Taft, Yazd Province. In recent days, a 70-year-old woman from Taft County, Yazd Province, was killed by an unidentified man while she was working on agricultural land. After killing her, the perpetrator stole her gold jewelry. He was later identified, arrested, and confessed to the murder.
228	Unknown	Unknown	Arak	Markazi	34	09/20/1404	12/11/2025	Undeclared		Husband			Family Dispute			Yes	https://hngawnews20251212/article-38	34-year-old unnamed woman in Arak was murdered by her husband who named spousal disputes as a motive for his crime.
229	Unknown	Unknown	Bandar Anzali	Gilan	37	10/04/1404	12/25/2025	Undeclared		Son	Ex-husband		Family Dispute			Yes	https://www.mna.ir/news/20250504	A 37-year-old woman was killed in Bandar Anzali. She was murdered by her son with the assistance of her ex-husband. Both perpetrators were identified and arrested within hours. The motive was reported as "family disputes."
230	Unknown	Unknown	Kerman	Kerman	Undeclared, Young	09/28/1404	12/19/2025	Undeclared		Husband			Family Dispute			Yes	https://hngawnews20251212/article-144	A young woman was killed by her husband in Kerman. She was attacked with a sharp weapon. The perpetrator was arrested and confessed to the murder. The motive was reported as "family disputes."
231	Unknown	Unknown	Khomam	Gilan	55	01/19/1404	04/10/2025	Bludgeoned		Son			Undeclared			Yes	https://tbrnyur.com/47yxd0ny	A woman around 55 years old was killed by her son in Khomam (Gilan) province. The perpetrator, a 31-year-old man, attacked her with a hard object. The body was discovered about three days after the murder. The motive remains unknown.
232	Unknown	Unknown	Sari	Mazandaran	82	8/2/1404	4/26/2025	Stabbed		Thief			Robbery			Undeclared	https://hngawnews20250815/article-154	In what appears to be a series of similar cases an 82-year-old woman was assaulted with a knife in her house and murdered before her jewelry was stolen.
233	Shokat	Veysi	Damghan Prison	Semnan	Undeclared	08/18/1404	11/18/2025	Execution		Government			Drug-related offense				https://hngawnews20250815/article-154	Shokat Veysi was accused of drug related offenses.

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234	Mitra	Yasmani	Shiraz Prison	Fars	Undeclared	08/08/1404	08/28/2025	Execution		Government			Drug-related offense				https://hamshahri.com/news/25/11/article-114	Mitra Yasmani was accused of drug-related offenses.
235	Atefeh	Zaghibi	Shushtar	Khuzestan	17	11/10/1403	01/29/2025	Gunshot		Father	Brother		Honor	Yes	Child Bride	Yes	https://shorturl.at/0JkC	Atefeh Zaghibi, 17, was killed by her father and brother in Shushtar. She was shot 16 times while holding her infant. The perpetrators carried out the killing and no effective legal action has been reported. The motive was "honor"-related, linked to her past relationship and marriage.
236	Mahsa	Zahedi	Saravan	Sistan and Baluchestan	19	08/27/1404	11/18/2025	Strangled		Brother-in-Law			Family Dispute			Yes	https://trnyrd.com/5w5ou2of	Mahsa Zahedi, 19, was killed by a relative in Saravan. Her body was found days later after being abandoned. The perpetrator confessed after arrest.
237	Jiran	Zaheri	Esfahan Prison	Esfahan	Undeclared	07/07/1404	10/29/2025	Execution		Government			Spousal murder				https://hobca.ir/news/27/10/article-134	Jiran Zaheri was accused of spousal murder.
238	Aylar	Zaherpoor	Eslamabad-e Gharb	Kermanshah	12	01/14/1404	04/03/2025	Gunshot		Father			Control: Contact with her mother			Yes	https://trnyrd.com/4n5a5mwf	Aylar Zaherpoor, 12, was killed by her father in Eslamabad-e Gharb. The perpetrator, Keyomars Zaherpoor, shot her with a firearm. He later attempted suicide and was taken to hospital. The motive was reported as her contact with her mother after their separation.
239	Mitra	Zamani	Khoramabad	Kermanshah	Undeclared	08/10/1404	10/30/2025	Execution		Government			Spousal murder				https://hamshahri.com/news/25/10/article-149	Mitra Zamani was accused of spousal murder.
240	Mobina	Zareh	Islamshahr	Tehran	30	07/30/1404	10/22/2025	Immolation		Ex-Fiance			Marital Choice: Initiating divorce/separation			Yes	https://trnyrd.com/3v1cksky	Mobina Zareh, 30, was killed by her ex-fiance in Islamshahr. The perpetrator killed her at a workshop and burned her body in an aluminum furnace. Her remains were discovered 10 days later after she was reported missing. The motive was the breakup of their engagement; the perpetrator fled the country.