



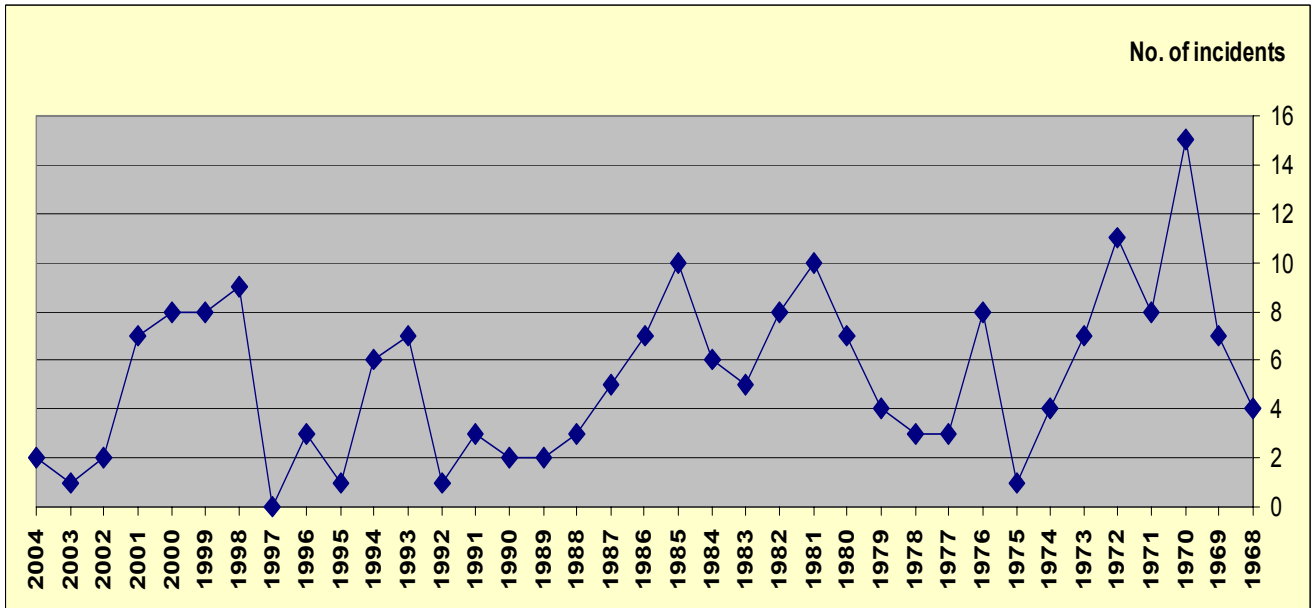
Aerial terrorism 1968-2004:

*Aviation terrorism is a deliberately violent act, sometimes indiscriminate, aimed at a civilian aviation carrier and/or against passengers and/or crew **on board**, conducted by individuals, clandestine agents or sub-national groups in order to promote general political objectives but not to fulfill personal benefits exclusively.*

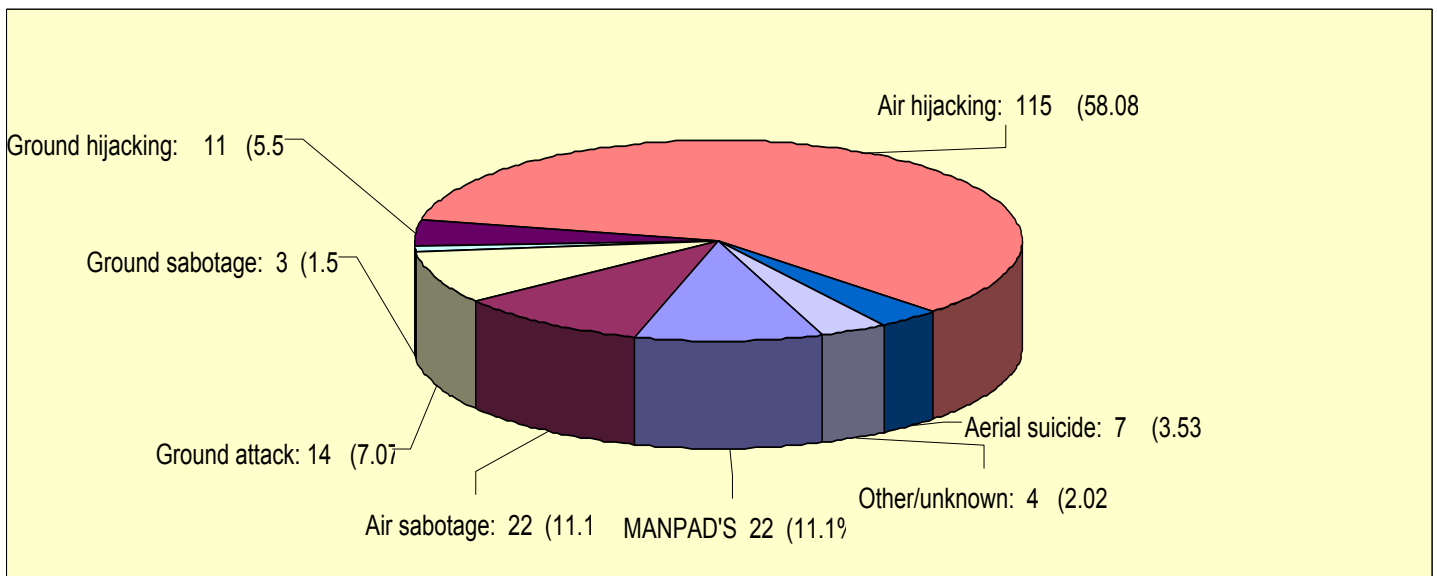
Type of incidents:

- i. Hijacking or an attempt to hijacking the civilian aircraft *itself* (during flight or on the ground), for the purpose of fulfilling the hijacker/s demand/s.
- ii. Hijacking the civilian aircraft as well as *taking hostages* (during flight or on the ground).
- iii. In-flight assassination: or an in-flight assassination attempt: this type of terrorism refers to a deliberate act of violence against a targeted person, motivated by political ideology.
- iv. Sabotaging or an attempt at sabotaging a civilian aircraft or cargo aircraft in the air or on the ground,.
- v. Destroying the civilian aircraft, whether casualties and/or injuries ensued, or where the incident was ended by releasing the hostages.
- vi. Downing or an attempt to down the civilian aircraft by anti-air missiles or shooting from the ground at an aircraft during take-off, flight or landing .
- vii. Using the civilian aircraft as a 'flying bomb' and flying it into a selected prestigious target by a suicide bomber: the aircraft may host passengers or it may host the hijacker alone.

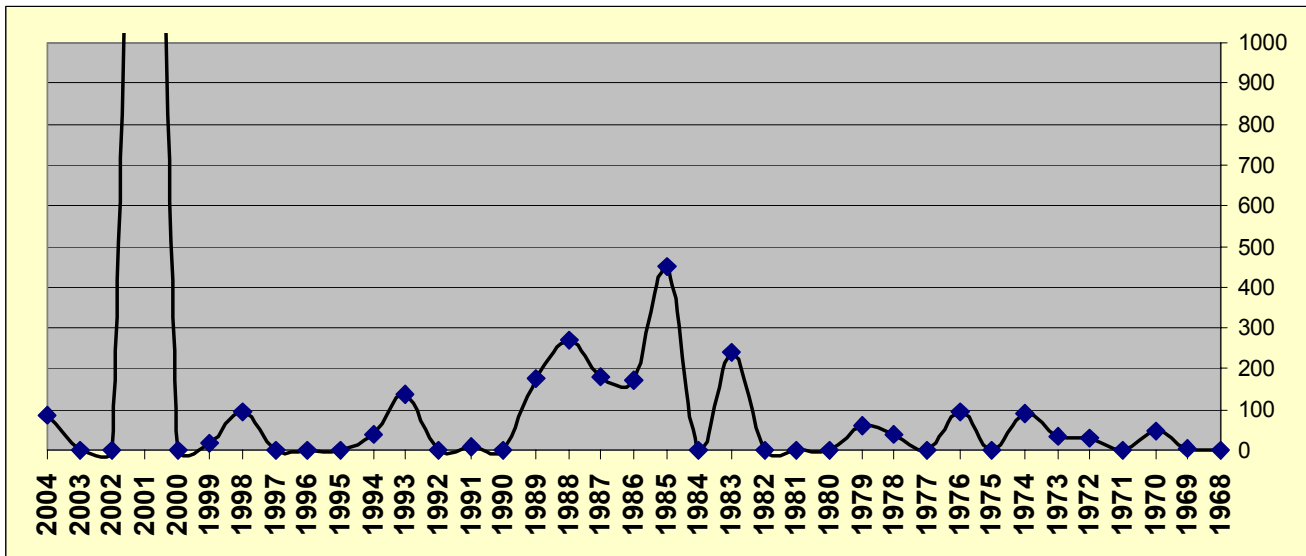
Aviation terrorism incidents 1968-2004:



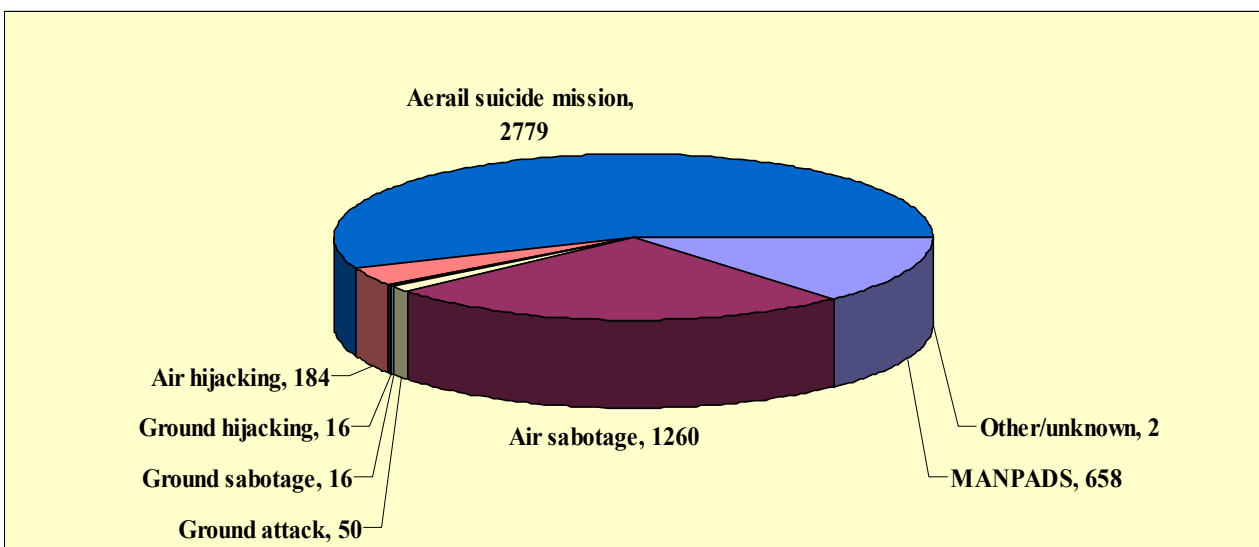
Distribution of aerial terrorism 1968-2004:



Aviation terrorism casualties 1968-2004:



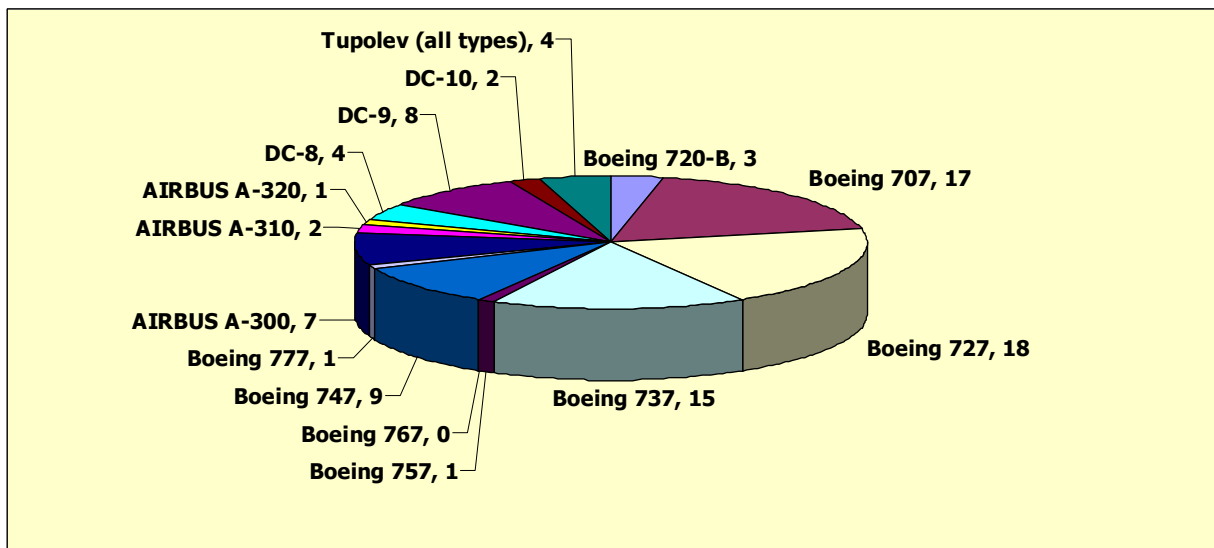
Type of attack and amount of casualties:



*. Total casualties: **4965**

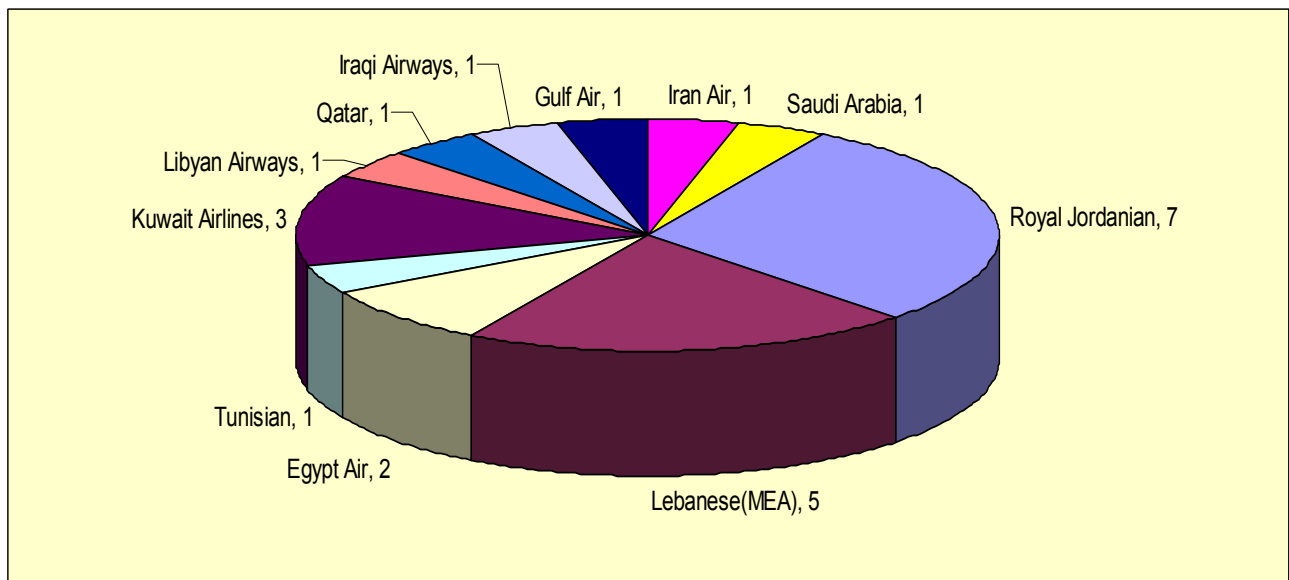


Distribution of hijackings* per aircraft type:

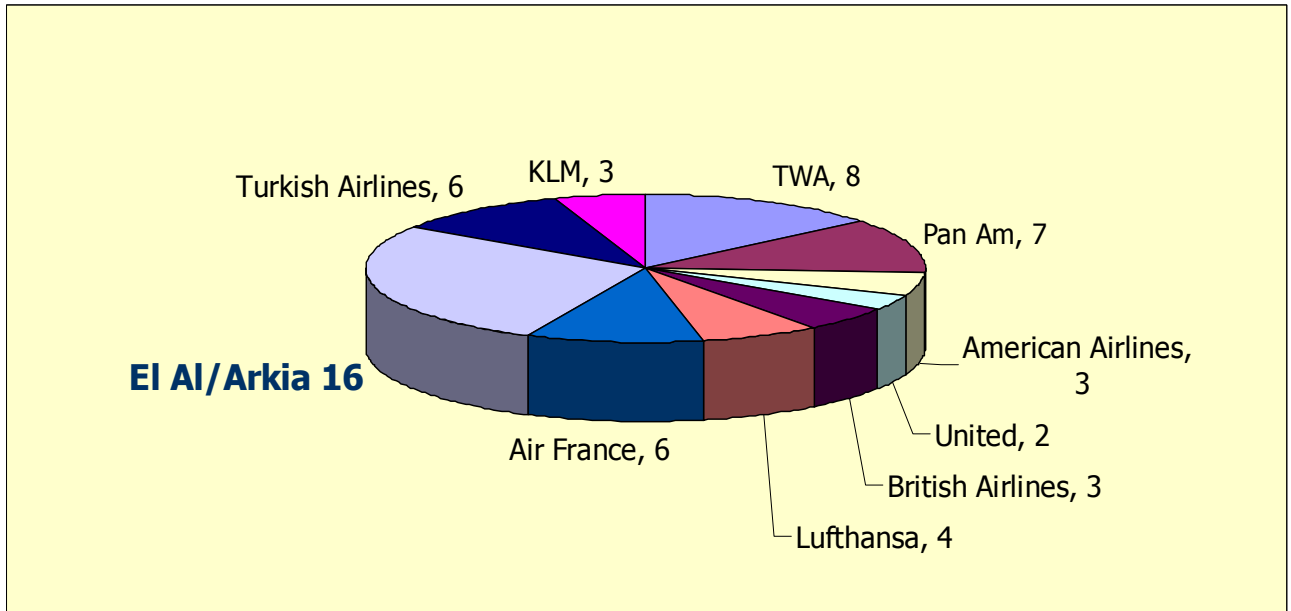


*. Hijacking as a 'rolling action'. Hijacking for the purpose of 'immediate action' i.e., suicide mission tactic is not counted.

Distribution of aerial terrorism - Arab airlines:



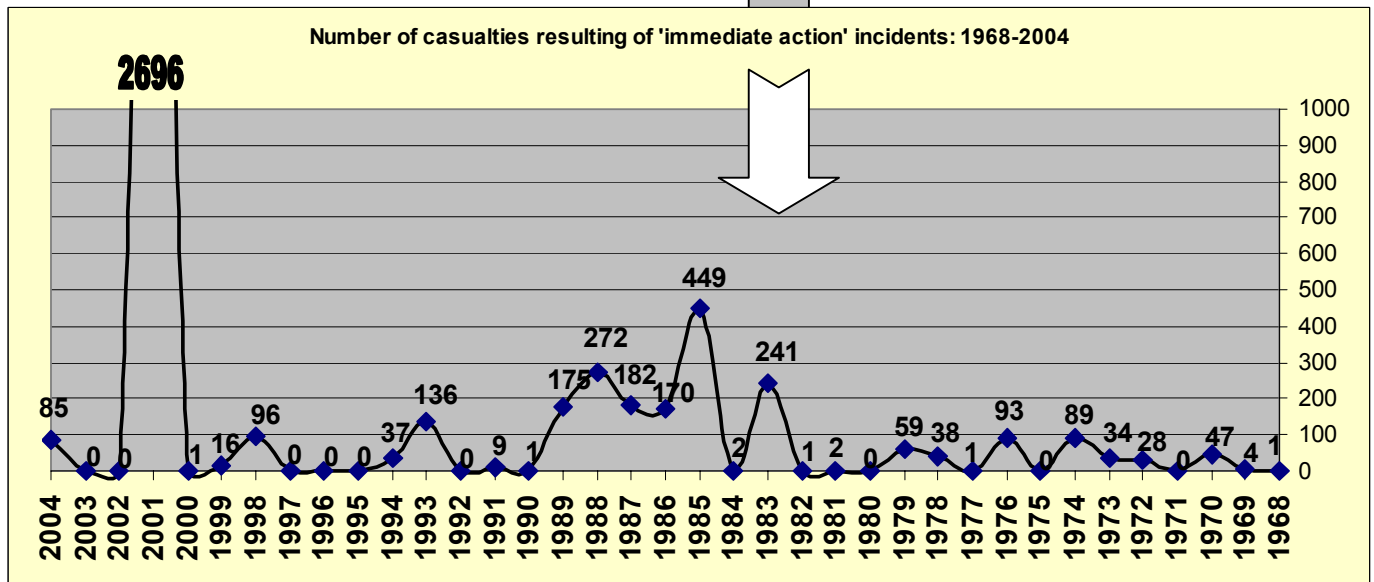
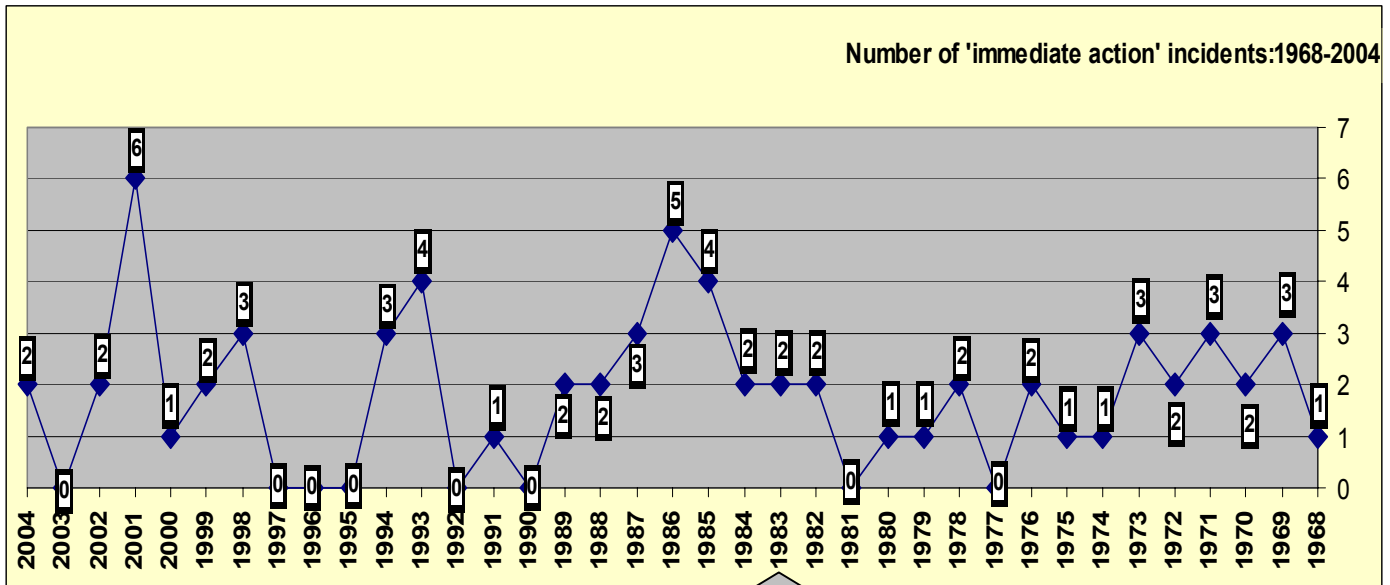
Distribution of aerial terrorism - American and Western Airliners:



distribution of 'immediate action' incidents 1968-2004:

'Fundamental period'

'Moderate period'



Distribution of incidents per terrorist organizations :

Number of incidents	Organization
12	PFLP
11	Amal- Lebanese Shiite organization
8	Fatah
8	PFLP-GC
7	Al -Qaeda
7	Khalistani/ Sikh terrorists
6	ANYLP (Arab Nationalist Youth for the Liberation of Palestine)
5	Abu Nidal (ANO)
5	Eritrean Liberation Front (ELF)
5	Hezbollah
5	Checnians
4	UNITA
4	PFLP-Waddi Haddad faction
4	Black September
4	Japanese Red Army (JRA)
4	FARC
4	SPLA- Sudanese People's Liberation Army
4	Abkhazian separatists
4	Congolese rebels
4	LTTE/ELAM-Tamil Tigers
3	Lybian affiliation
3	Colombian M-19 group
3	Croatian National Movement
3	CREB-Salvadoran Leftists and Puerto Rican Independistas
3	Afghan/Hezb-I Islami affiliation
2	Arab Liberation Front for Eritrea (ALFE)
2	Moro National Liberation Front (MNLF)
2	Joshua Nkomo's Zimbabwe Peoples Revolution Army (ZIPRA)
1	15 May Abu Ibrahim faction
1	Abu Mussa faction
1	GIA Armed Islamic Group
1	HUM-Harakat ul- Mujahidin Islamic affiliated group
1	Alianca Libertadora Nacional (ALN)
1	FSLN (South America)
1	Jammu and Kashmir Liberation Front (JKLF)
1	The Jordanian National Liberation Movement
1	Organization of Victims of Zionist Occupation (Palestinian affiliation)
1	Turkish Liberation Army (TPLA)
1	al Zulfikar (Pakistani affiliation)
1	Jihad Commando Group (Indonesian affiliation)
1	DHKP-C (Turkish nationalist)
1	Kashmiri militants affiliated to Hizbul-Mujahidden
1	Tanzanian Revolutionary Youth Movement
1	Black Brigade- Lebanese affiliation
1	North Korean affiliation
1	Ansar Allahh Lebanese group
1	ELN
1	EI Condor- (exiled Cubans)
1	Huto rebels
1	Baluchistan Students Federation
42	No established affiliation and/or acting alone



Distribution of types of attack and types of aircraft:

Total Incidents per aircraft	MANPADS	Air sabotage	Ground attack	Ground sabotage	Ground hijacking	Air hijacking	Aerial Suicide mission	Other/ Unknown type of attack	Type of Incident Type of aircraft
10	1		1		1	7			Airbus A-300
1						1			Airbus A-310
2*			2*			1			Airbus A-320*
0			2*						Airbus A-330*
0			1*						Airbus A-340*
1	1								Antonov 24
3	2		1						Antonov 26
1						1			AVRO RJ-100
2						2			BAC-1-11
1						1			Beechcraft 199D
4			1			3			Boeing 720B
33	2	6	6	1	1	17			Boeing 707
24	1	1	1		1	18		2	Boeing 727
19	2	1			1	15			Boeing 737
4	1					1	2		Boeing 757
3							3		Boeing 767
17		7			1	9			Boeing 747
1						1			Boeing 777
6		1			1	4			Caravelle
2	1				1				Cesna
1		1							Convair 990A
1						1			Convair 580
1						1			C-46
1			1						C-130
2						2			DC-3
1						1			DASH-7
5		1				4			DC-8
9		1				8			DC-9
4	1	1				2			DC-10
1		1							Embraer 110
1	1								Falcon 50
3	1					2			Fokker F-27
1						1			Fokker 50
1				1					Hawker 748
1						1			Illushin 18
2	1			1					Lockheed L-1011
1						1			MD-82
5	2		1				1	1	Tupolev 134
5	1					3	1		Tupolev 154
1						1			Tupolev 156
3					1	2			VC-10
1			1						Viscount 800
1	1								Viscount 782-D
1	1								Viscount 748-D
1						1			YAK - 40
4	1				3				Helicopter
6	1	1				3		1	Other aircraft
198	22	22	14	3	11	115	7	4	Total incidents

Aircraft and type of attack market with '*' is a single attack of the LTTE on Bandranaike International airport (24 July 2001). Since it is considered as one attack, is is counted as one incident, despite the destruction/ damage of five Airbus aircraft.