

Canadian Military Exports: Fuelling Wars and Armed Conflicts in the 1990s

Country	War		Deaths		Canadian Military Exports (1990-1999)	Displaced People (in thousands)	
	Began	End	Total	1999		Refugees	Internally
Algeria	1991	—	60,000	>1,000	\$8,062,816	50	100 - 200
Bangladesh	1975	1992	25,000	<25	\$2,750,291	--	50
India					\$4,328,934		
<i>Northeast</i>	1952	—	25,000	>100			
<i>Kashmir</i>	1990	—	30,000	>1,200		15	507
<i>Sikhs</i>	1983	1993	25,000				
Indonesia					\$24,875,079	8	440
<i>Papua (P)</i>	1963	1993	15,000				
<i>Aceh (A)</i>	1975	1991	15,000	50-200			
<i>East Timor</i>	1976	1992	200,000	>50		120	300 - 400
<i>A,P, Moluccas</i>	1997	—	2,000				
<i>oust Sukarno</i>	1998	1998	2,000				
<i>East Timor</i>	1999	—	3,000				
Israel	1965	—	15,000	175-250	3,098,473	3,931	200 - 250
Mexico	1994	1997	1,000		3,230,059	--	16
Peru	1982	1997	30,000	50-100	\$4,686,133	--	70
Philippines					\$4,749,595		
<i>NPA</i>	1972	—	40,000	<100		45	200
<i>Moros</i>	1972	—	50,000				
Sri Lanka	1983	—	70,000	>4,000	\$372,094	110	560
Turkey	1984	—	40,000	300-600	\$45,910,381	31	500 - 1,000
U.K.	1969	—	1,500	3	\$415,304,520	--	--
Totals			649,500	± 6,150 - 6,730	\$514,138,316	4,310	2,827 - 3,527

Notes:

“**War: Began**”: The year when armed force began or recommenced.

“**Total Deaths**”: Figures reflect the median or mean of often widely disparate estimates listed in various sources.

“**Deaths: 1999**”: These figures refer to the total battle-related deaths, i.e., deaths caused by the warring parties.

“**Canada's Military Exports**”: DFAIT did not publish data for Canada's military exports prior to 1990.

“**Displaced People**”: Estimates refer to those who fled due to persecution or armed conflict (as of Dec. 31, 1999): “**Refugees**” fled to other countries, “**Internally**” refers to those who fled but remained within the country.

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