

Soldiers Feared Dead As Boko Haram Hits Borno Military Base

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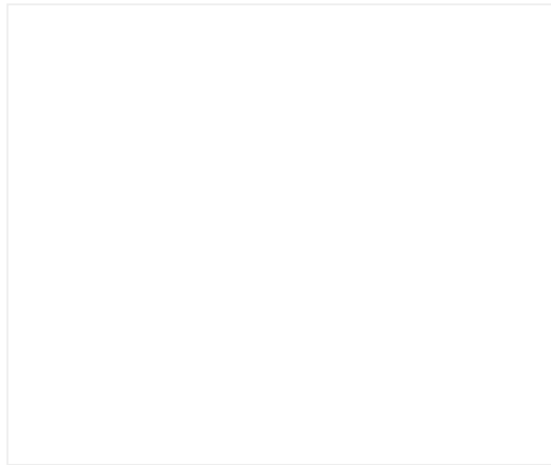


Suspected Boko Haram insurgents have attacked a military base in Ngamdu, Kaga local government area of Borno State.

Daily Trust gathered that the incident happened in the wee hours of Friday.



The insurgents, in large numbers, attacked the troops at the camp along Maiduguri-Damaturu highway.



Motorists and commercial drivers said as a result of the attack, the military blocked Ngamdu road until around 11:20am.

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“I left Damaturu very early with the hope of arriving Mai
reaching Ngamdu, the road was closed.”

“Some security personnel told us to be patient that there w
Boko Haram attacked the soldiers and killed some of ther

said



Sources in the town revealed that terrorists took the soldier unaware.

“The attack lasted for hours before the insurgents retreated, but they killed and wounded soldiers,” he said

A security source told our correspondent that the casualty was not much as reported.

“Well, the terrorists attempted an ambush but our gallant soldiers have repelled them, and we have the a good fight,” he said.

When asked about the casualty, he said, “Yes some soldiers were wounded and taken to hospital, but the many insurgents were also killed.”

The military is yet to react to the development as of the time of filing this report.