

Many killed in Gombe multiple blasts

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blasts at the Dadin Kowa and Tashan Dukku motor parks in Gombe metropolis.

A unspecified number of people were killed late yesterday in multiple

Though the police could not give any casualty figure, witnesses reported about 10

persons died with scores injured.

Our correspondents gathered that the first blast at the Dadin Kowa Park went off close to a mosque as people were preparing for the evening prayers while the

second was close to a meat seller by the park's gate.

Police spokesman, DSP Fwaje Atajiri, said they were in the process of evacuating victims and could not give any

casualty figure.

The blasts came less than a week after a similar one that claimed 50 lives in the Gombe main market when people were shopping for the Sallah.

NEC meets today