

## TARABA

# 10 die as 2 petrol tankers collide in Zing

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**10 people died in Zing, Taraba State yesterday when two petrol tankers collided and burst into flames.**

The incident occurred at 2.30 pm when the two tankers loaded with petrol, one coming from Yola and the other from

Jalingo, had a head-on collision in the middle of the town and went up in flames.

A witness, Mallam Musa Sani, told *Daily Trust* in a telephone interview that the fire spread and several outlying houses and shops were burnt.

He said the number of the

dead might increase as many residents were feared to have been trapped in their burning houses.

The only road linking Jalingo and Yola where the incident occurred was closed down as the two tankers and affected houses were still in flames by press time.