

In another incident on March 24, 2025, terrorists attacked the Wulgo military formation in Borno State, killing at least 20 Cameroonian troops. They carted away weapons and set the base ablaze.

Security and civilian sources assisting in the counterinsurgency operations said the insurgents disguised themselves as herders to launch the coordinated attack.

“They struck the base around 1 am and engaged troops for nearly three hours before overwhelming the gallant fighters. They burned down the base and took away several weapons.

“Among the cache seized by the terrorists were Soviet-made Shilka guns—lightly armoured, radar-guided anti-aircraft weapons—alongside rifles and ammunition,” a military source said.

So far, neither the Nigerian military nor the Cameroonian authorities have released official details about the stolen or destroyed weapons during the attack.