

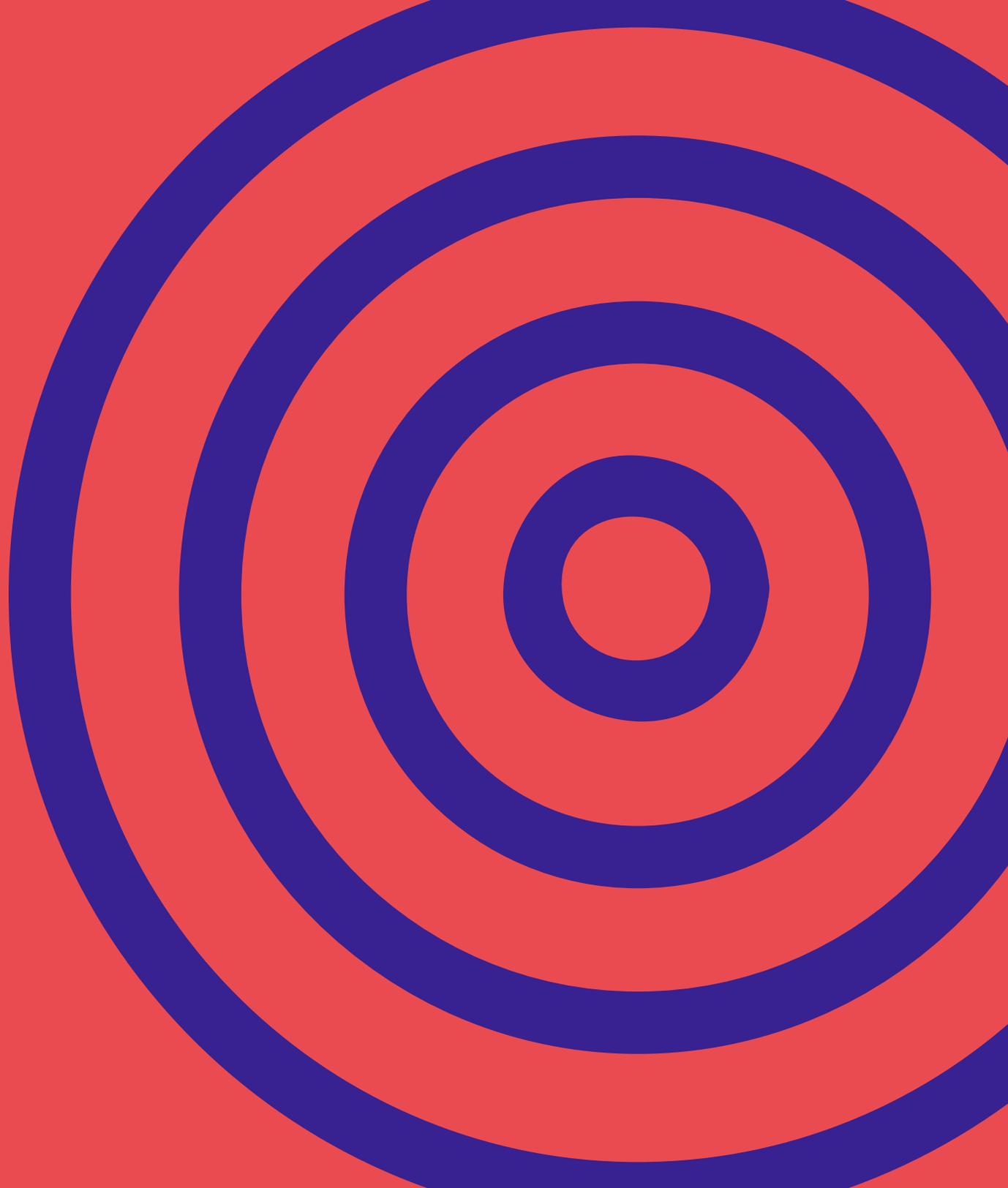
A graphic consisting of four concentric red circles on a dark blue background, resembling a target. The text is centered within the innermost circle.

**ARMED  
VIOLENCE  
MONITORING  
PLATFORM**

# WHAT?

The Armed Violence Monitoring Platform (AVMP) is a digital platform fact-checking incidents with firearms happening in South East Europe daily. It gathers detailed data since 2014 from Albania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Kosovo\* , the Republic of Moldova, Montenegro, Serbia and the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia.

\*Reference to Kosovo shall be understood to be in the context of Security Council Resolution 1244 (1999)





## **WHY?**

**The purpose of the AVMP is to make essential data available to all interested parties working on small arms and light weapons control. The AVMP can serve as an informative tool for interventions with the overarching goal of a more effective arms control framework and the reduction of their negative impact on civilians.**

# WHERE?

Data is daily collected using local media clippings, online search engines and relevant firearms-related reports of public institutions. Quality Assurance is conducted by SEESAC to ensure the accuracy of the information contained in the platform.



# WHAT DOES IT SHOW?

## Total daily count of firearms incidents

The total number of all firearms related incidents in South East Europe for the current month and visualized by day.

## Geographical placement of firearms incidents

A map highlighting the distribution of firearms incidents throughout the region per day.

## Details about latest incidents

Reports on the latest 3 incidents happening in the region, including location, a short summary and the option to find out more information.



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## Key data visualized

The user can compare trends in the region regarding types of incident, perpetrator and victim gender, type of incident, outcome for the victim, relationship and macrolocation by year, month and location. These will appear visualized as graphs and include number of incidents.

## Comparable trends

The user can compare trends related to firearms including on the type and number of incidents, month, location, gender of victim and perpetrator.

## Searchable incidents database

The reports section offers the user the possibility to see all types of incidents taking place in all locations at all times and also to select what incidents are being highlighted by location (all locations registered included), type of incident and a specific timeframe.



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