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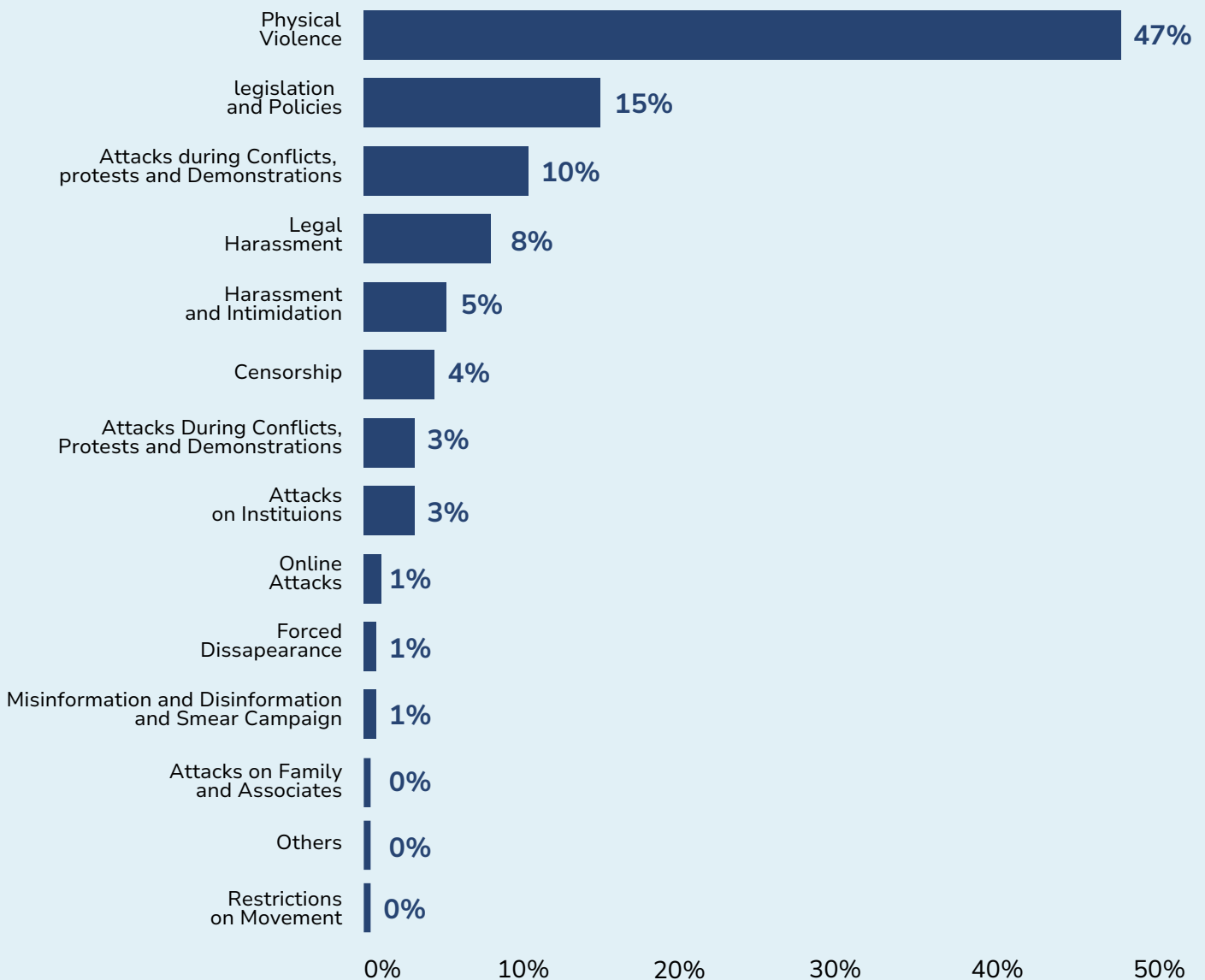
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Introduction

In recent years, the coverage of various societal issues by newspapers has taken on increasing significance, particularly in contexts where the integrity of democratic institutions and the safety of civic space actors are in jeopardy.

This comprehensive analysis examines a series of critical themes reflected across five Nigerian newspapers, focusing on the nuanced treatment of issues and topics such as "Attacks on Institutions," "Legal Harassment," "Misinformation and Disinformation," "Censorship," and "Physical Violence," among others.

Percentage of News Topic Coverage in all 5 Newspapers



Each section examined how selected newspapers reported these vital issues, assessing the language, the framing of incidents, and the overall impact such coverage has on public perception and discourse. The analysis covered other serious ramifications of "Forced Disappearance" and "Online Attacks," where the press, on the one hand, is a guardian of truth, and on the other hand, a target of state suppression. The coverage of "Physical Violence" and the targeted "Attacks on Family and Associates" reveals the human cost civic space activists often have to pay and also sheds light on the often-overlooked consequences for individuals connected to those in the limelight.

Furthermore, the analysis sheds light on the coverage of "Legislation and Policies," revealing how newspapers inform the public about governmental actions and potential legislative changes that could affect citizens' lives.

Through a comparative analysis of the coverage of civic space threats among five National Newspapers in Nigeria - Tribune, Leadership, Guardian, Daily Trust, and This Day, this report aims to shed light on the varying degrees of attention these topics receive across different newspapers, emphasising the pivotal role media plays in shaping societal narratives and influencing the broader context of civil liberties and human rights.

Research Methodology

Research Objective

The primary aim of this research is to analyse and understand the patterns, frequency, and nature of reported attacks on civic space actors including journalists, particularly focusing on incidents documented during conflicts, protests, and demonstrations. This research utilises randomly sampled data from five newspapers, with a sample size of 274.

Data Collection

The source of the data utilised in this analysis is derived from programmed queries conducted on the websites of five major national newspapers in Nigeria: Tribune, Guardian, Leadership, Daily Trust, and This Day. The timeframe for the sampled cases predominantly spans from October 2016 to October 2024. Within this dataset, the information is organized into various categories, including news topics, sub-topics, dates, headlines, and the specific newspapers from which the articles were sourced.

Data Analysis Approach

In our descriptive analysis, we focused on several key aspects. First, we calculated the frequency of reported attacks across different newspapers, allowing us to understand how these incidents are reported by the sampled newspapers. Additionally, we conducted a categorical analysis to examine the distribution of cases based on topics and sub-topics. This examination helped us identify common patterns and trends within the data, enhancing our understanding of the underlying dynamics.

Comparative Analysis

In our research, we conducted a cross-source comparison to examine the frequency and nature of attacks as reported by various newspapers. This approach allowed us to identify any potential reporting biases or differences in narrative among the publications.

Tools and Software

The study deployed Microsoft Excel as the primary tool for data cleaning. This software allowed us to organize and refine our data effectively. For the subsequent stages of statistical analysis and the creation of visualizations, we turned to Dataphyte's Nubia AI, which proved invaluable in processing and presenting our data in a clear and insightful manner.

Ethical Considerations

Confidentiality was a top priority in handling data, particularly when it involved sensitive or personally identifiable information. Additionally, it is important to recognize and address any potential biases that may arise in newspaper reporting, as well as the limitations inherent in the datasets used.

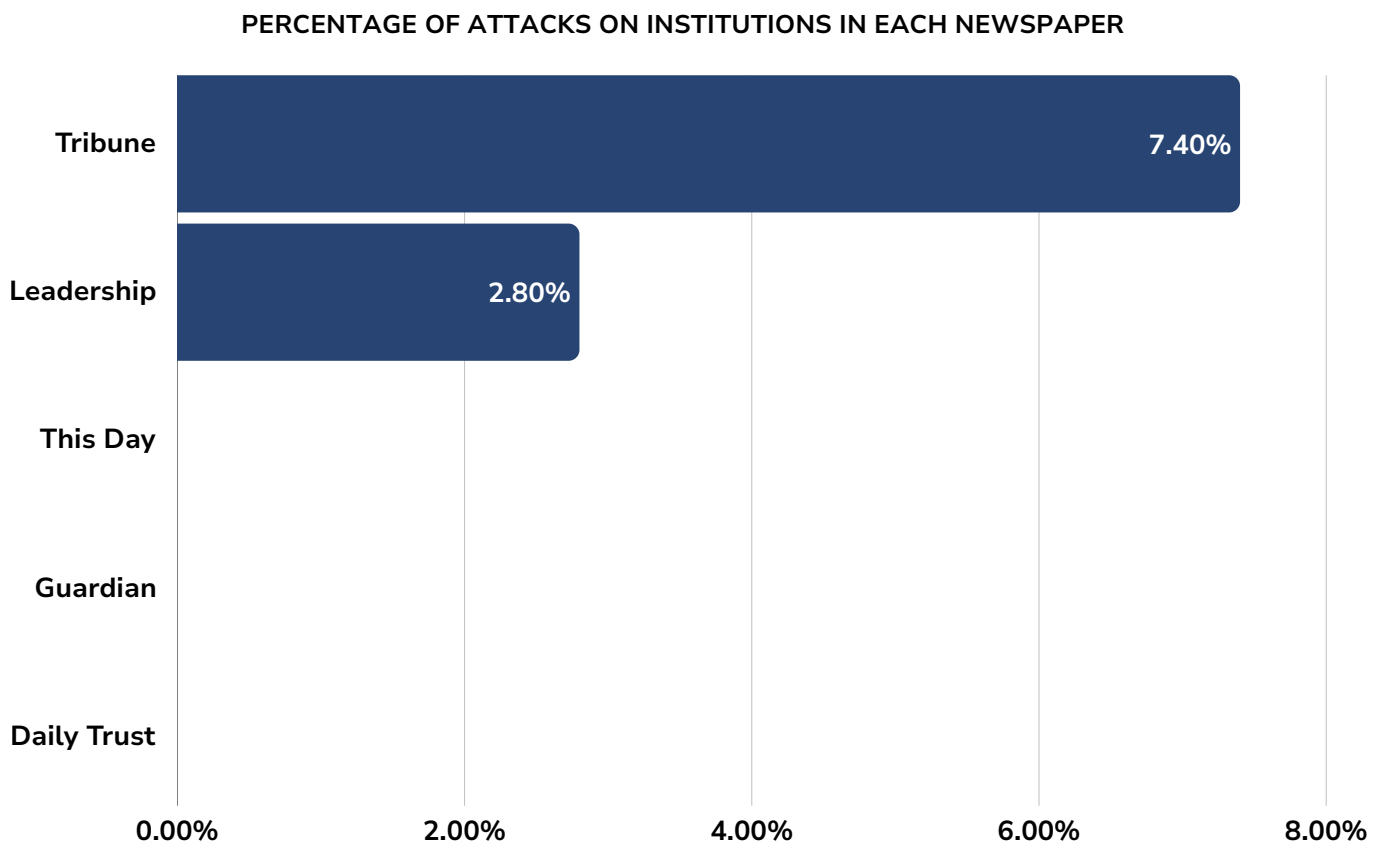
Limitations

The dataset in question is restricted to information obtained through specific queries of news websites. This limitation means it may not encompass reports that were not captured by these particular queries. Additionally, the analysis is bounded by a defined time frame, primarily covering the period from October 2016 to October 2024.

Overall, the research undertook a thorough approach to examining the dataset concerning reported attacks on journalists. By integrating both quantitative and qualitative analysis techniques, the research seeks to offer a complete perspective on the difficulties faced by civic space actors, as well as the various narratives put forth by different media outlets.

Coverage of "Attacks on Institutions" across Newspapers

The coverage of attacks on institutions is crucial as it highlights threats to organisational structures, public safety, and governance. Analyzing how different newspapers report on these incidents can provide insights into their editorial focus and the importance placed on addressing institutional security and resilience.



Percentage of Coverage on Attacks on Institutions:

Tribune Newspaper



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NUJ calls for restraint over EFCC'S vacate notice to Sun Newspaper

by **Temitope Adegbuyi** — December 16, 2019 in Latest News Reading Time: 2 mins read

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Notable Focus: Tribune dedicates 7.4% of its articles to attacks on institutions, indicating a significant editorial commitment to addressing issues related to organizational security and public safety. This focus reflects the newspaper's role in highlighting threats to institutional structures and advocating for resilience.

Yakubu Inspects Burnt INEC Office, Reassures On 2023 Polls

By **Femi Oyeweso** — 2 years ago News



Limited Coverage: Leadership allocates 2.8% of its coverage to attacks on institutions, suggesting some level of editorial attention to these issues, though not as prominent as Tribune.

Other Newspapers (Guardian, Daily Trust, This Day)

No Reported Coverage: Guardian, Daily Trust, and This Day have no reported articles focusing on attacks on institutions. This absence suggests that these newspapers may prioritize other societal or political issues over institutional security concerns.

Comparative Insights

Tribune's Leading Focus: With 7.4% of its coverage dedicated to attacks on institutions, Tribune demonstrates a strong editorial focus on addressing threats to organizational structures and advocating for institutional resilience.

Leadership's Limited Focus: At 2.8%, Leadership provides some attention to these issues, indicating awareness of the challenges related to institutional security, though not as extensively as Tribune.

Absence in Other Newspapers: The lack of coverage in Guardian, Daily Trust, and This Day suggests a focus on other pressing societal or political issues, possibly due to editorial choices prioritizing different topics over institutional security.

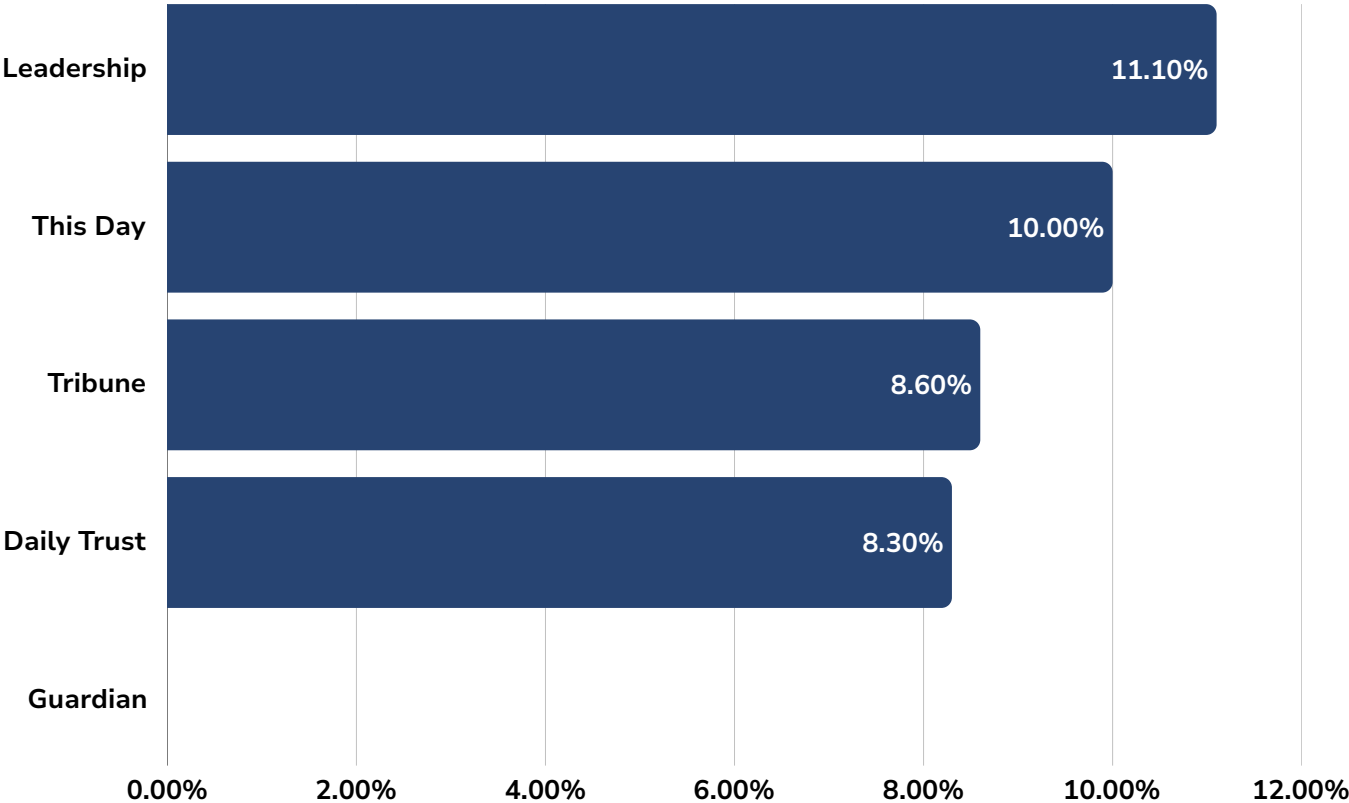
Conclusion

This analysis reveals varying degrees of emphasis on attacks on institutions across different newspapers. Tribune leads with notable coverage, reflecting a strong editorial focus on addressing threats to organizational structures and advocating for resilience. Leadership provides limited coverage, while Guardian, Daily Trust, and This Day appear to prioritize other issues. Understanding these differences can offer readers insights into each newspaper's priorities and their approach to reporting on institutional security and resilience.

Coverage of "Legal Harassment" across Newspapers

The coverage of legal harassment is vital as it addresses issues related to the misuse of legal systems, rights protection, and justice. Analyzing how different newspapers report on these incidents can provide insights into their editorial focus and the importance placed on defending individual rights and highlighting legal injustices.

PERCENTAGE OF LEGAL HARASSMENT IN EACH NEWSPAPER



Percentage of Coverage on Legal Harassment

Tribune Newspaper



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NLC threatens nationwide strike over Ajaero's arrest

•says his arrest a brazen act of lawlessness

by **Christian Appolos** — September 9, 2024 in **Top News** Reading Time: 4 mins read

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Significant Focus: Tribune dedicates 8.6% of its articles to legal harassment, indicating a strong editorial commitment to addressing issues related to the misuse of legal systems and rights protection. This focus underscores the newspaper's role in advocating for justice and highlighting legal injustices.

Security Agencies Arrested 45 Nigerian Journalists In 2 Years – Investigation

By [Ejike Ejike](#) and [Tarkaa David](#) — 5 months ago News



Moderate Coverage: Leadership allocates 11.1% of its coverage to legal harassment, reflecting a substantial editorial focus on defending individual rights and addressing legal challenges. This indicates a commitment to informing readers about potential misuses of legal systems.

NEWS

DSS Arrests Investigative Journalist At Lagos Airport



Balanced Reporting: Daily Trust reports 8.3% of its content on legal harassment, suggesting a diverse editorial strategy that includes coverage of legal injustices along with other important topics.

Your Justification of Arrests, Harassments of Our Leaders Confirms Allegation of Collusion with Police, Osun PDP Tackles APC

NIGERIA | 2 years ago



Focused Coverage: This Day allocates 10.0% of its articles to legal harassment, indicating a moderate level of emphasis compared to other newspapers.

Guardian Newspaper

No Reported Coverage: Guardian has no reported articles focusing on legal harassment, suggesting that this topic may not be a primary editorial focus compared to other issues.

Comparative Insights

Leadership's Strong Focus: With 11.1% of its coverage dedicated to legal harassment, Leadership demonstrates a strong editorial focus on defending individual rights and addressing legal challenges, highlighting the importance of justice.

Tribune's Advocacy: At 8.6%, Tribune shows significant attention to these issues, indicating a commitment to informing readers about potential misuses of legal systems.

Balanced Approaches: Daily Trust and This Day provide moderate attention to legal harassment, with coverage ranging from 8.3% to 10.0%, suggesting their approach includes a mix of topics alongside legal injustices.

Absence in Guardian: The lack of coverage in Guardian suggests a focus on other pressing societal or political issues, possibly due to editorial choices prioritizing different topics over legal harassment.

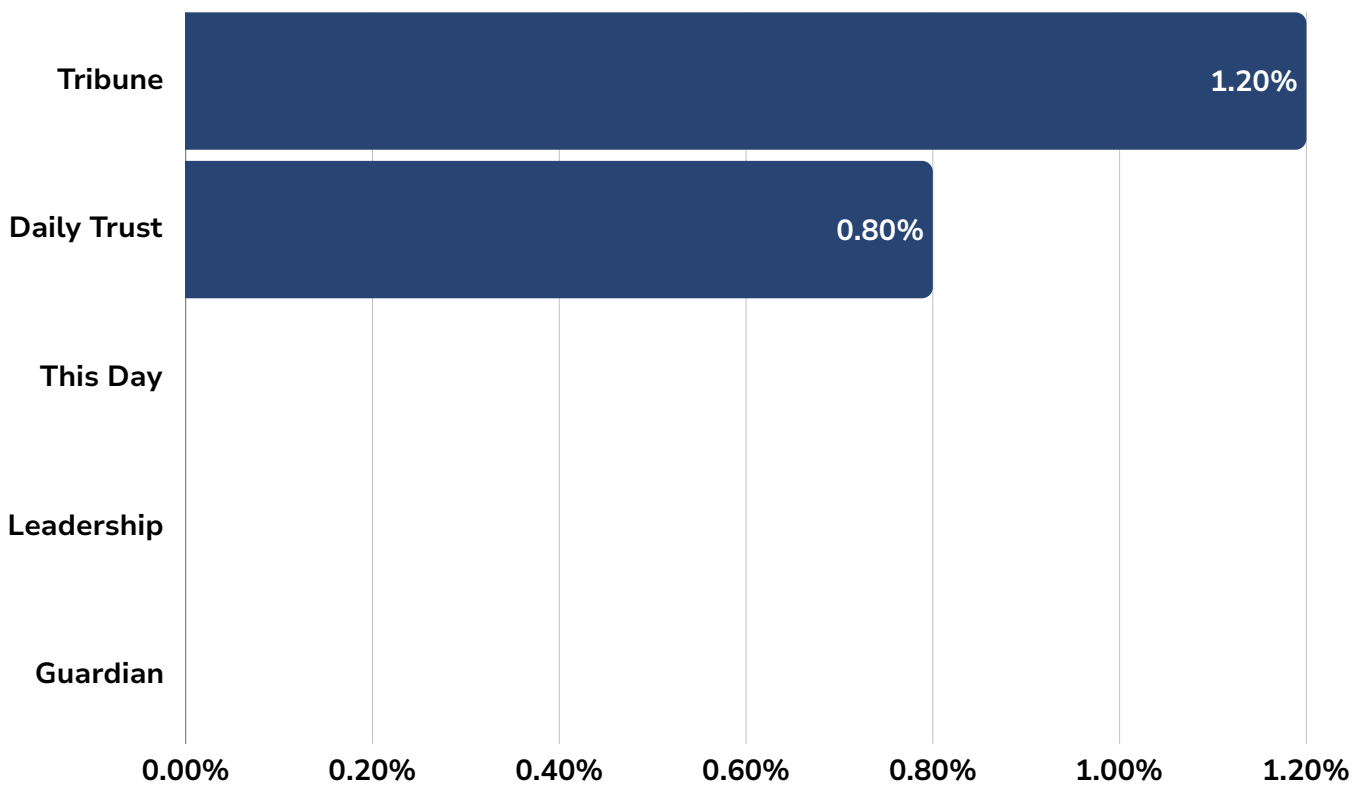
Conclusion

This analysis reveals varying degrees of emphasis on legal harassment across different newspapers. Leadership leads with significant coverage, reflecting a strong editorial focus on defending individual rights and addressing legal challenges. Tribune, Daily Trust, and This Day provide moderate coverage, while Guardian appears to prioritize other issues. Understanding these differences can offer readers insights into each newspaper's priorities and their approach to reporting on legal injustices and rights protection.

Coverage of "Misinformation and Disinformation and Smear Campaign" across Newspapers

The coverage of misinformation, disinformation, and smear campaigns is crucial as it addresses the challenges of truth, credibility, and reputation in the media landscape. Analyzing how different newspapers report on these issues can provide insights into their editorial focus and the importance placed on combating false narratives and protecting journalistic integrity.

PERCENTAGE OF MISINFORMATION AND DISINFORMATION IN EACH NEWSPAPER



Percentage of Coverage on Misinformation, Disinformation, and Smear Campaign

Tribune Newspaper



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CSO debunks SERAP's allegations against DSS

by **Kazeem Biriowo** — September 11, 2024 in **Latest News** Reading Time: 3 mins read

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Minimal Coverage: Tribune is one of the two newspapers that covers misinformation, disinformation, and smear campaigns, with 1.2% of its articles dedicated to this topic. This indicates a limited editorial focus on the issue, suggesting that while recognized, it may not be a primary reporting priority compared to other topics.

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FACT CHECK: Is Malami's Claim On Journalists' Safety In Nigeria Accurate?



Minimal Coverage: Daily Trust is the only newspaper that covers misinformation, disinformation, and smear campaigns, with 0.8% of its articles dedicated to this topic. This indicates a limited editorial focus on the issue, suggesting that while recognized, it may not be a primary reporting priority compared to other topics.

Other Newspapers (Guardian, Tribune, Leadership, This Day)

No Reported Coverage: Guardian, Tribune, Leadership, and This Day have no reported articles focusing on misinformation, disinformation, and smear campaigns. This absence suggests that these newspapers may prioritize other societal or political issues over this specific challenge of credibility and truth.

Comparative Insights

Daily Trust's Singular Focus: At 0.8%, Daily Trust stands out as the only newspaper providing coverage on misinformation, disinformation, and smear campaigns. This reflects some level of editorial attention to the challenges of truth and credibility in the media landscape, albeit not extensively.

Absence in Other Newspapers: The lack of coverage in Guardian, Tribune, Leadership, and This Day suggests that these newspapers do not prioritize reporting on these issues, potentially due to editorial choices focusing on broader societal or political issues.

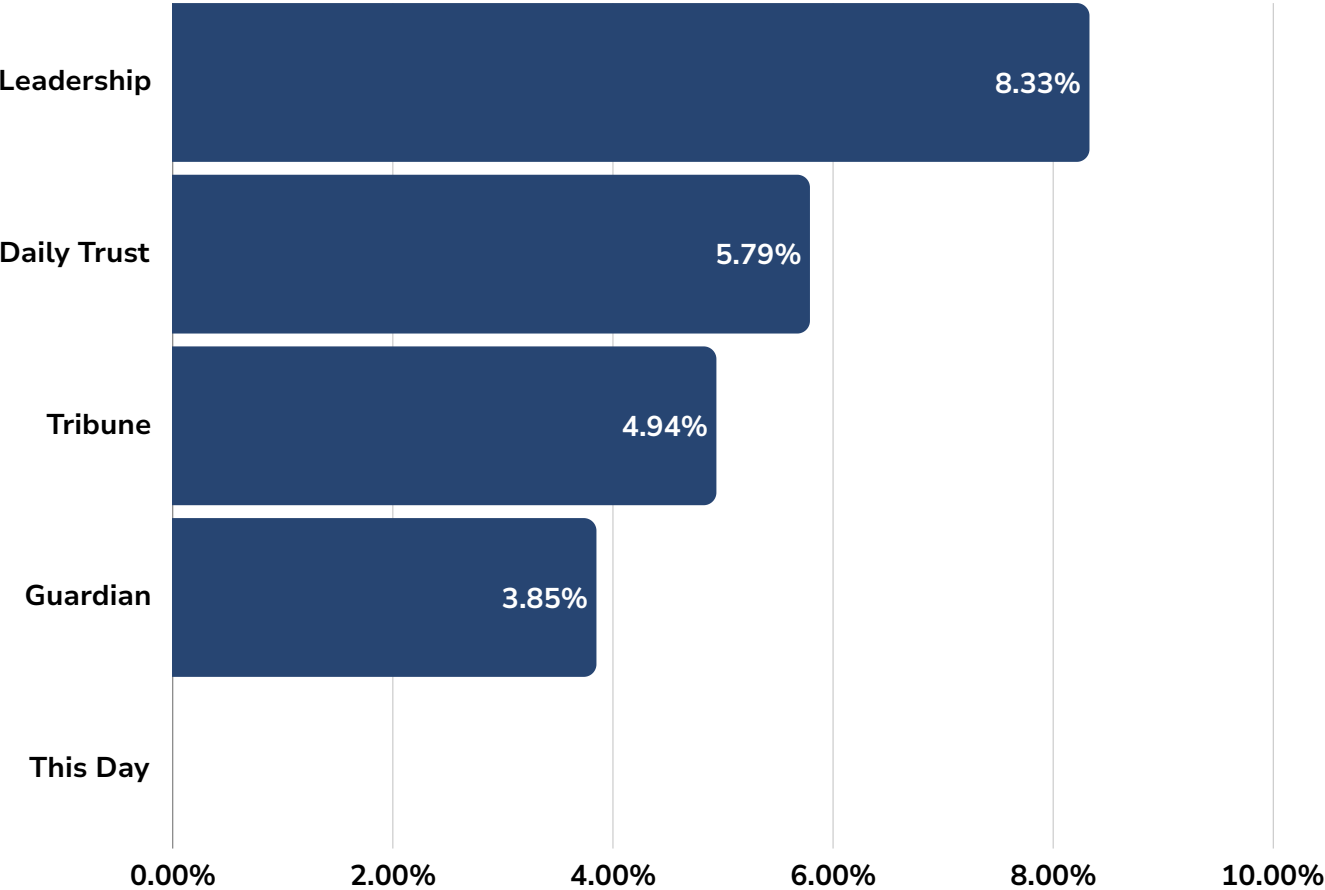
Conclusion

This analysis highlights a notable gap in coverage of misinformation, disinformation, and smear campaigns across most newspapers, with only Daily Trust providing minimal attention to this topic. The lack of widespread coverage may reflect editorial decisions to focus on other pressing societal issues or the challenges of addressing false narratives. Understanding these editorial choices can offer readers insights into each newspaper's priorities and their approach to combating misinformation and protecting journalistic integrity in their reporting.

Coverage of "Harassment and Intimidation" across Newspapers

The coverage of harassment and intimidation is essential as it addresses issues related to personal safety, workplace environments, and societal interactions. Analyzing how different newspapers report on these topics can provide insights into their editorial focus and the importance placed on addressing intimidation and harassment in various contexts.

PERCENTAGE OF HARASSMENT AND INTIMIDATION ARTICLES BY NEWSPAPER



Percentage of Coverage on Harassment and Intimidation

Leadership Newspaper



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Bye-election: Borno PDP Decries Intimidation Of Voters By Security Personnel

By Francis Okoye — 1 year ago News



Substantial Coverage: Leadership dedicates 8.3% of its articles to harassment and intimidation, indicating a significant editorial commitment to addressing issues related to personal safety and societal interactions. This focus reflects the newspaper's role in highlighting intimidation concerns and advocating for safer environments.

Newspaper vendors protest police intimidation, harassment in Abia

by **Uchechukwu Nwafor** — June 4, 2021 in **Latest News** Reading Time: 3 mins read

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Moderate Focus: Tribune allocates 4.9% of its coverage to harassment and intimidation. This indicates a balanced editorial approach, addressing these issues while also focusing on other important societal topics.

NEWS

MRA Condemns Harassment Of Citizens By DSS For Exercising Right To Information



Limited Coverage: Daily Trust reports 5.8% of its content on harassment and intimidation, suggesting some level of editorial attention to these issues, though not as prominent as Leadership.

Breaking News: Babangida declares Abiola winner of 1993 presidential election 

Media

Attack on press freedom: How not to be progressives, pro-democrats

By **Ngozi Egenuka**

14 October 2024 | 4:10 am



Minimal Coverage: Guardian dedicates 3.8% of its articles to harassment and intimidation, reflecting a minor editorial focus on addressing intimidation and related concerns.

This Day Newspaper

No Reported Coverage: This Day has no reported articles focusing on harassment and intimidation, indicating that this topic may not be a primary editorial focus compared to other issues.

Comparative Insights

Leadership's Leading Focus: With 8.3% of its coverage dedicated to harassment and intimidation, Leadership demonstrates a strong editorial focus on addressing personal safety and societal interactions, highlighting the importance of advocating for safer environments.

Tribune and Daily Trust's Balanced Approach: Tribune and Daily Trust provide moderate attention to these issues, with coverage ranging from 4.9% to 5.8%, suggesting their approach includes a mix of topics alongside harassment and intimidation.

Minimal Focus in Guardian: At 3.8%, Guardian offers limited coverage, indicating some editorial attention to these issues, though not as extensively as Leadership.

Absence in This Day: The lack of coverage in This Day suggests a focus on other pressing societal or political issues, possibly due to editorial choices prioritizing different topics over harassment and intimidation.

Conclusion

This analysis reveals varying degrees of emphasis on harassment and intimidation across different newspapers. Leadership leads with significant coverage, reflecting a strong editorial focus on addressing personal safety and societal interactions.

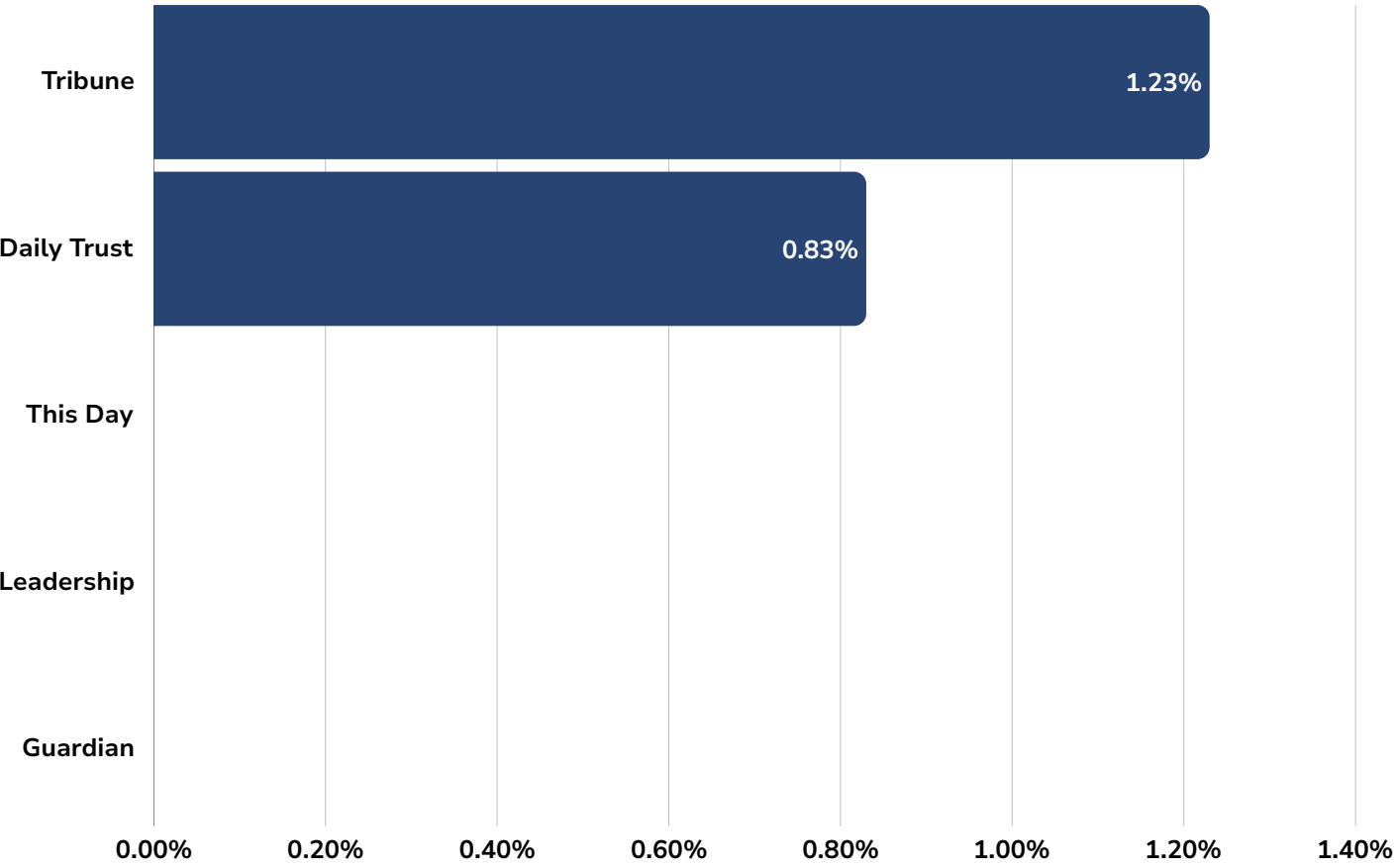
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limited attention, and This Day appears to prioritize other issues. Understanding these differences can offer readers insights into each newspaper's priorities and their approach to reporting on intimidation and harassment issues.

Coverage of "Forced Disappearance" across Newspapers

The coverage of forced disappearance is crucial as it highlights human rights violations and the challenges of accountability and justice. Analyzing how different newspapers report on these incidents can provide insights into their editorial focus and the importance placed on addressing human rights issues and advocating for justice.

PERCENTAGE OF FORCED DISAPPEARANCE ARTICLES BY NEWSPAPER



Percentage of Coverage on Forced Disappearance

Tribune Newspaper



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Peter Obi seeks release of anonymous whistleblower, PIDOM

• says Nigeria descending into a "Banana Republic"

by Israel Arogbonlo — August 27, 2024 in Latest News Reading Time: 2 mins read

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Minimal Coverage: Daily Trust is the only newspaper that covers forced disappearance, with 0.8% of its articles dedicated to this topic. This indicates a limited editorial focus on the issue, suggesting that while recognized, it may not be a primary reporting priority compared to other topics.

Daily Trust Newspaper

Minimal Coverage: Daily Trust is the only newspaper that covers forced disappearance, with 0.8% of its articles dedicated to this topic. This indicates a limited editorial focus on the issue, suggesting that while recognized, it may not be a primary reporting priority compared to other topics.

Other Newspapers (Guardian, Tribune, Leadership, This Day)

No Reported Coverage: Guardian, Tribune, Leadership, and This Day have no reported articles focusing on forced disappearance. This absence suggests that these newspapers may prioritize other societal or political issues over this specific human rights concern.

Comparative Insights

Daily Trust's Singular Focus: At 0.8%, Daily Trust stands out as the only newspaper providing coverage on forced disappearance. This reflects some level of editorial attention to human rights issues and the challenges of addressing accountability and justice.

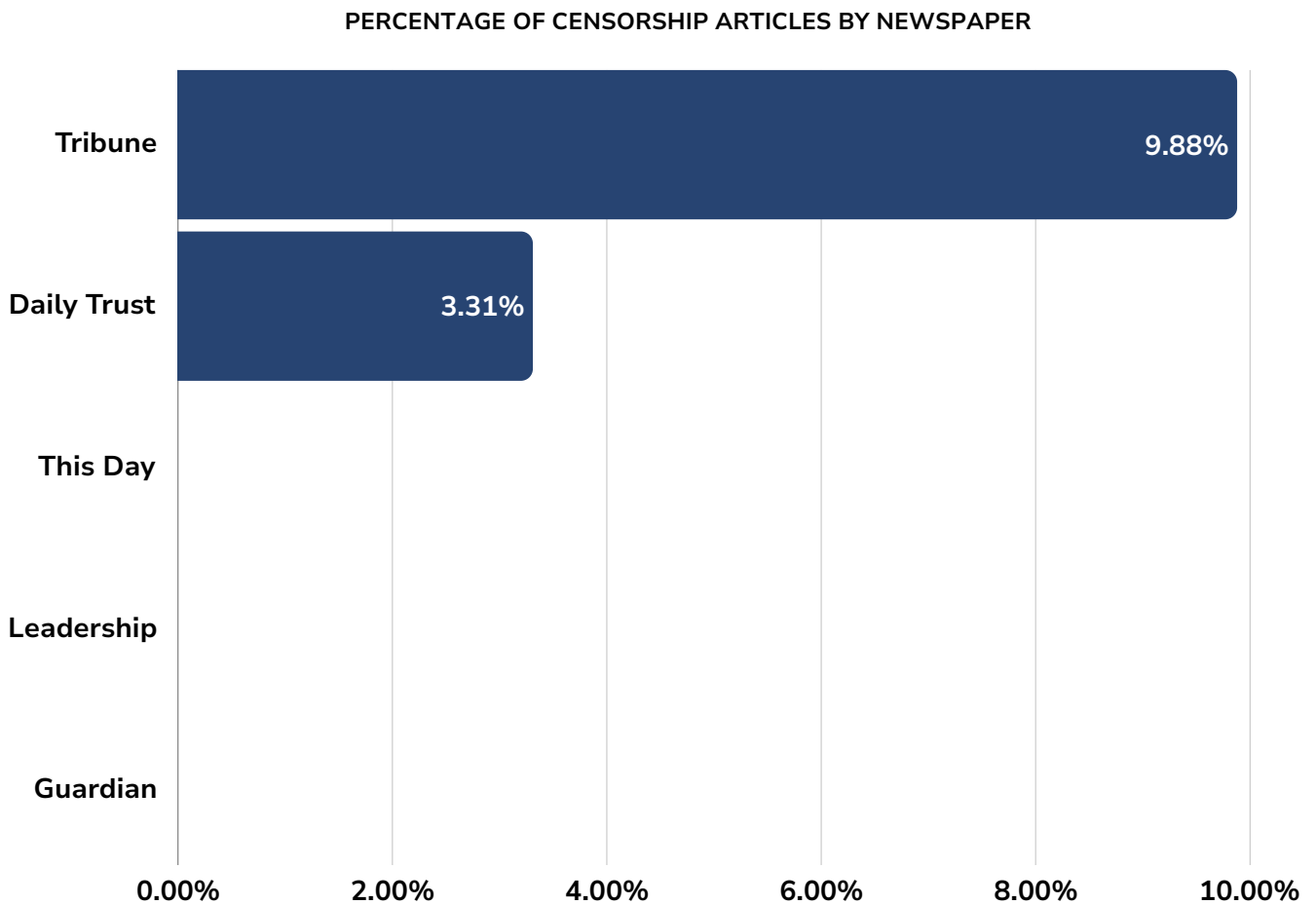
Absence in Other Newspapers: The lack of coverage in Guardian, Tribune, Leadership, and This Day suggests that these newspapers do not prioritize reporting on forced disappearance, potentially due to editorial choices focusing on broader societal or political issues.

Conclusion

This analysis highlights a notable gap in coverage of forced disappearance across most newspapers, with only Daily Trust providing minimal attention to this topic. The lack of widespread coverage may reflect editorial decisions to focus on other pressing societal issues or the challenges of reporting on human rights violations. Understanding these editorial choices can offer readers insights into each newspaper's priorities and their approach to addressing accountability and justice in their reporting.

Coverage of "Censorship" across Newspapers

The coverage of censorship is vital as it addresses issues related to freedom of expression, information access, and media rights. Analyzing how different newspapers report on censorship can provide insights into their editorial focus and the importance placed on defending free speech and highlighting restrictions on information dissemination.



Percentage of Coverage on Censorship

Tribune Newspaper



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Reps' PDP caucus warns Buhari against abuse of democracy, ongoing plan to stifle press freedom

by **Kehinde Akintola** — August 27, 2021 in Latest News Reading Time: 6 mins read

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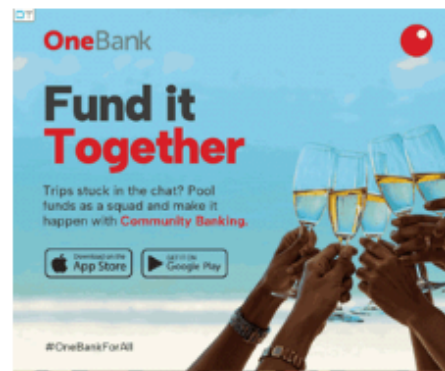
Notable Focus: Tribune dedicates 9.9% of its articles to censorship, indicating a significant editorial commitment to addressing issues related to freedom of expression and media rights. This focus reflects the newspaper's role in advocating for open and unrestricted access to information.

OPINION

Stifling Digital Rights, A Threat To Civic Space, Democracy



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Limited Coverage: Daily Trust allocates 3.3% of its coverage to censorship, suggesting some level of editorial attention to the challenges of free speech and information access, albeit less prominent compared to Tribune.

Other Newspapers (Guardian, Leadership, This Day)

No Reported Coverage: Guardian, Leadership, and This Day have no reported articles focusing on censorship. This absence suggests that these newspapers may prioritize other societal or political issues over covering restrictions on information dissemination.

Comparative Insights

Tribune's Advocacy: With 9.9% of its coverage dedicated to censorship, Tribune demonstrates a strong editorial focus on defending free speech and highlighting restrictions on media rights. This emphasis underscores its role in advocating for open access to information.

Daily Trust's Limited Focus: At 3.3%, Daily Trust provides some attention to censorship, indicating awareness of the challenges related to free speech, though not as extensively as Tribune.

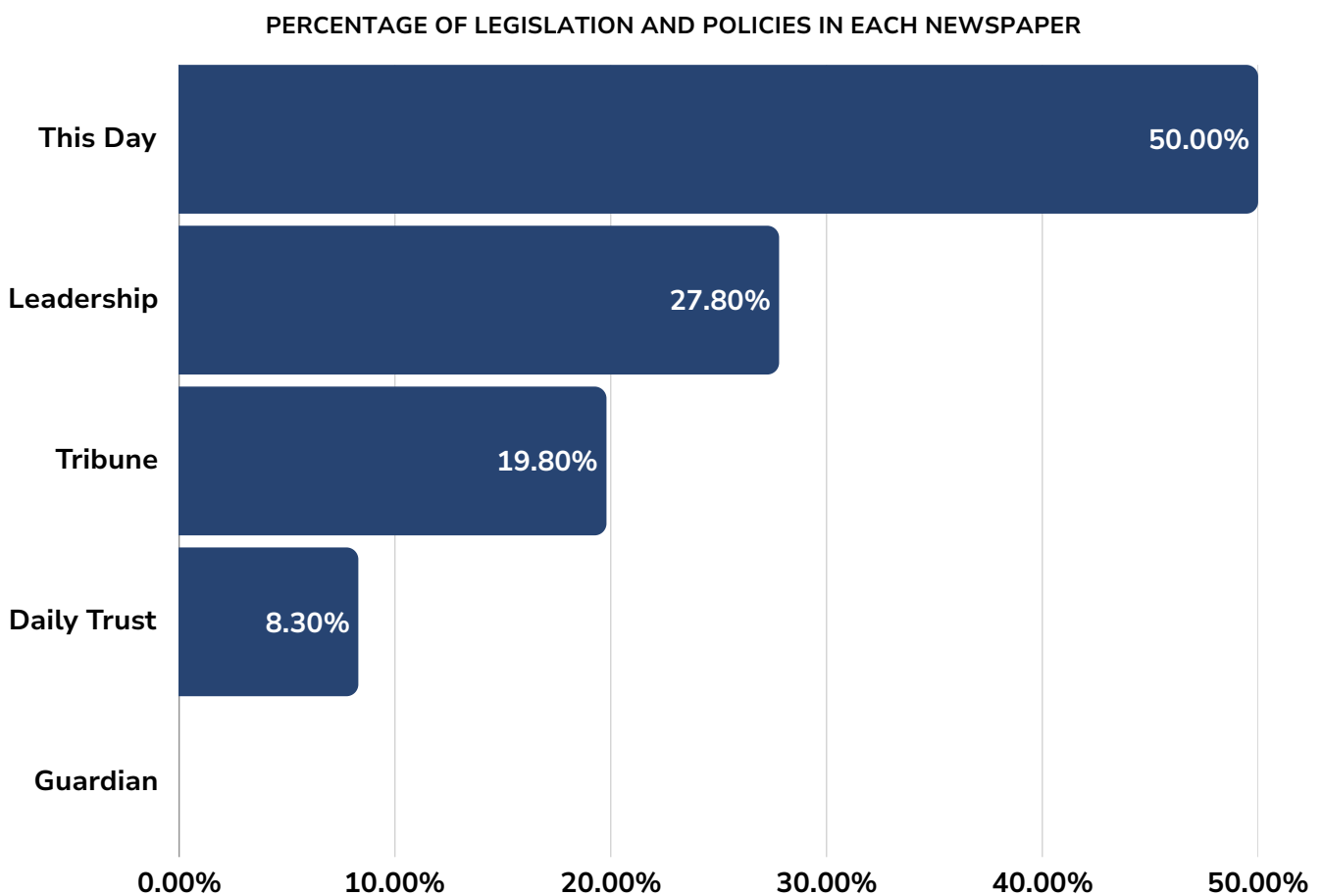
Absence in Other Newspapers: The lack of coverage in Guardian, Leadership, and This Day suggests a focus on other pressing societal or political issues, possibly due to editorial choices prioritizing different topics over censorship.

Conclusion

This analysis reveals varying degrees of emphasis on censorship across different newspapers. Tribune leads with notable coverage, reflecting a strong editorial focus on defending free speech and media rights. Daily Trust provides limited attention to censorship, while Guardian, Leadership, and This Day appear to prioritize other issues over this topic. Understanding these differences can offer readers insights into each newspaper's priorities and their approach to reporting on information access and media rights.

Coverage of "Legislation and Policies" across Newspapers

Coverage of legislation and policies is crucial as it informs the public about governmental actions and potential changes that could affect citizens' lives. Analyzing how different newspapers report on these topics can provide insights into their editorial focus and the emphasis placed on informing readers about legislative developments and policy implications.



Percentage of Coverage on Legislation and Policies

This Day Newspaper

Monday, 24th February, 2025

THIS DAY

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NGE Expresses Concern Over Plethora of Anti-media/Free Speech Laws

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Dominant Coverage: This Day leads with 50.0% of its articles focused on legislation and policies. This significant emphasis indicates a strong editorial priority towards informing the public about governmental actions and potential changes that could impact citizens' lives.

Journalists Seek Legal Reforms To Protect Media Rights

By — 4 months ago News



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Substantial Focus: Leadership dedicates 27.8% of its articles to this topic, reflecting a strong commitment to covering legislative developments and policy discussions. This focus underscores the newspaper's role in providing insights into governmental actions.

2021 WSAIR: Why media must defend the civic space

by **Akin Adewakun** — December 13, 2021 in **Business** Reading Time: 4 mins read

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Moderate Coverage: Tribune allocates 19.8% of its coverage to legislation and policies. This indicates a balanced approach, with a significant portion of its reporting dedicated to informing readers about legal and policy changes.

OPINION

Time To End Impunity Against Nigerian Journalists



female leadinr interview with journalists outside

Balanced Reporting: Daily Trust reports 8.3% of its content on legislation and policies, suggesting a diverse editorial strategy that includes coverage of legal developments along with other important topics.

Guardian Newspaper

No Reported Coverage: Guardian has no reported articles focusing specifically on legislation and policies, indicating that this topic may not be a primary editorial focus compared to other issues.

Comparative Insights

This Day's Leading Focus: With 50.0% of its coverage dedicated to legislation and policies, This Day stands out as the newspaper with the most intensive focus on this topic, highlighting its commitment to informing the public about governmental actions.

Leadership's Strong Emphasis: At 27.8%, Leadership also prioritizes legislation and policies prominently, though not as extensively as This Day, but notably more than Tribune and Daily Trust.

Balanced Approaches: Tribune and Daily Trust show a relatively balanced approach, with coverage ranging from 8.3% to 19.8%, suggesting their approach includes a mix of topics alongside legislative developments.

Absence in Guardian: The lack of coverage in Guardian suggests a focus on other pressing societal or political issues, possibly due to editorial choices prioritizing different topics.

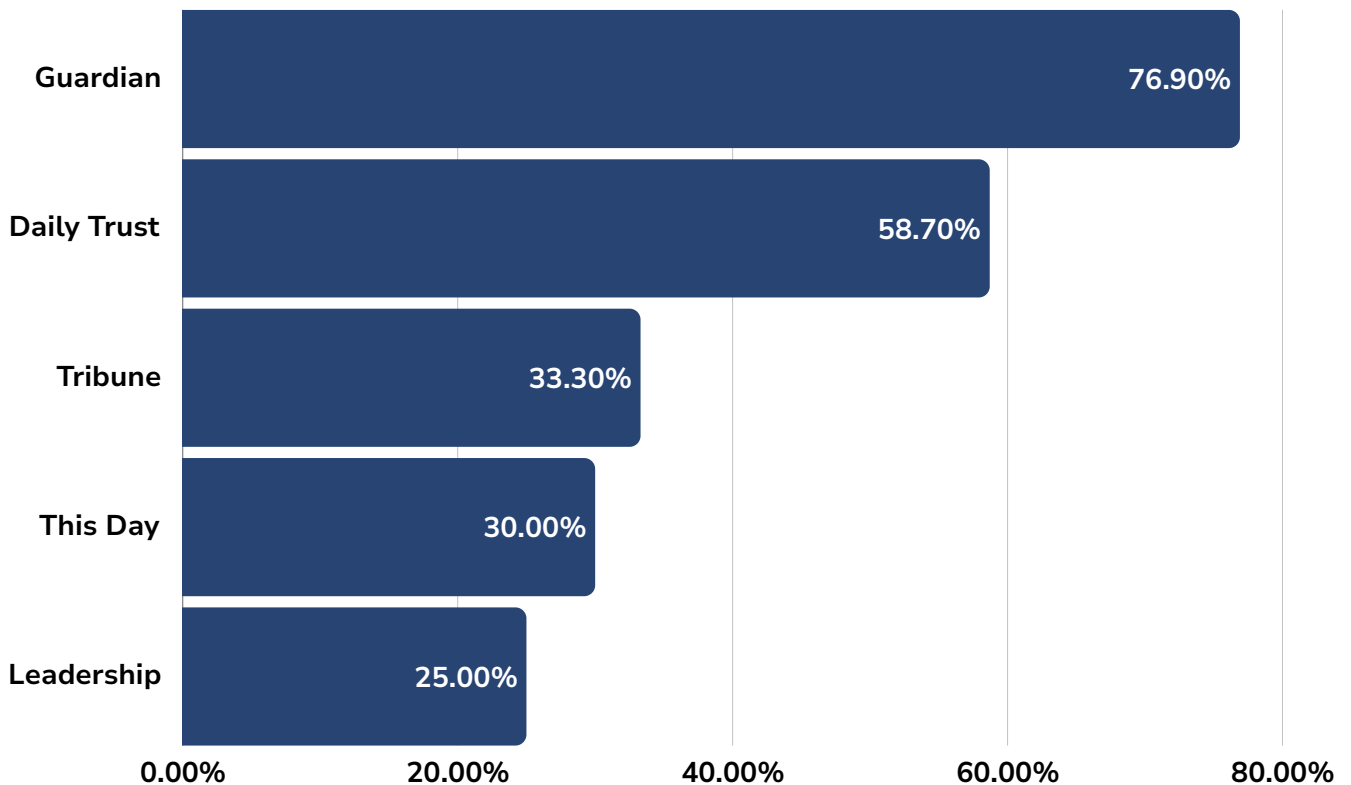
Conclusion

This analysis reveals varying degrees of emphasis on legislation and policies across different newspapers. This Day and Leadership lead with significant coverage, reflecting a strong editorial focus on informing the public about governmental actions and policy implications. Tribune and Daily Trust provide a more balanced coverage, while Guardian appears to prioritize other issues over legislative reporting. Understanding these differences can offer readers insights into each newspaper's priorities and their approach to reporting on legal and policy

Coverage of Physical Violence across Newspapers

Physical violence is a critical issue that newspapers often cover to inform the public about safety and security concerns. Analyzing how different newspapers report on this topic can provide insights into their editorial priorities and the level of emphasis placed on violence-related news.

PERCENTAGE OF PHYSICAL VIOLENCE IN EACH NEWSPAPER



Percentage of Physical Violence Coverage Guardian Newspaper

The screenshot shows the top portion of a Guardian newspaper article. At the top left is the Guardian logo with the tagline 'Conscience. Restored by Truth'. To the right are navigation links for News, Opinion, Lifestyle, Sport, Woman, GuardianTV, and Politics. A red 'Breaking News' banner at the top reads 'FG terminates contract of 98km Oyo-Ogbomoso road awarded to RCC'. Below this is a yellow Zoho advertisement with the text 'Transform your business with Zoho.' and a list of services: Sales, Finance, Marketing, and Support. The article title is 'Armed thugs invade APC event, attack journalists in Bayelsa' in a large, bold font. The author is 'Julius Osahon, Yenagoa' and the date is '14 October 2024 | 2:45 am'. Social media sharing icons for Facebook, Twitter, WhatsApp, and Telegram are visible. The main image shows a person's hand holding a flag with the APC logo (a white triangle with a red 'A' and a white 'P' on a red background) against a blue and white background.

Coverage Dominance: Guardian leads with a significant focus on physical violence, dedicating 76.9% of its articles to this topic. This overwhelming emphasis indicates a strong editorial priority towards reporting incidents of violence, reflecting a commitment to highlighting safety issues.

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Lekki Toll Gate: ECOWAS Court Finds FG Guilty Of Rights Violation



Substantial Coverage: Daily Trust also shows a considerable focus, with 58.7% of its articles covering physical violence. This highlights their approach to addressing societal concerns around violence and public safety.

The assault on journalists by men in uniform

by **Tribune Editorial Board** — April 15, 2024 in **Editorial, Top News** Reading Time: 5 mins read

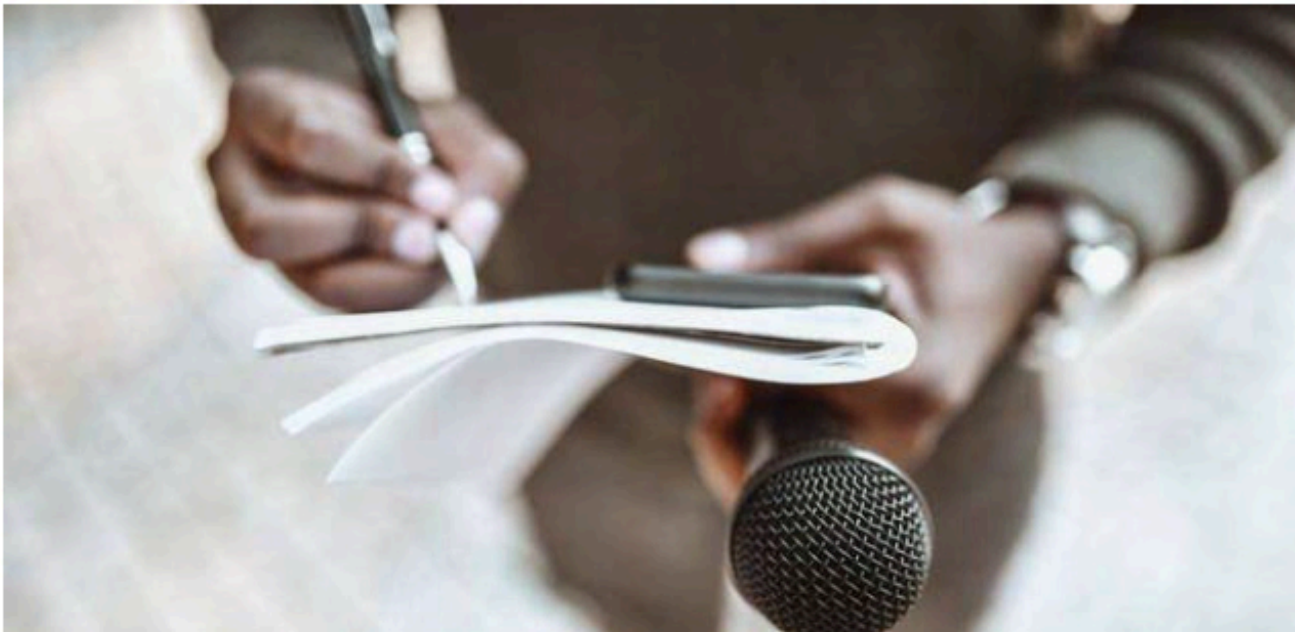
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Moderate Focus: Tribune allocates 33.3% of its coverage to physical violence. While still substantial, this indicates a more balanced approach compared to Guardian and Daily Trust, with attention also given to other pressing issues.

66 Journalists Killed In 2022 – IPI

By [Leadership News](#) — 2 years ago [News](#)



Balanced Reporting: Leadership dedicates 25.0% of its articles to physical violence, suggesting a diverse editorial approach that balances violence coverage with other societal topics.

As Attacks on Nigerian Journalists Increase, Red Cross Provides Life-saving Skills

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Focused Coverage: This Day reports 30.0% of its content on physical violence, indicating a moderate level of emphasis compared to the leading newspapers.

Comparative Insights

Guardian's Exceptional Focus: With 76.9% of its coverage on physical violence, Guardian stands out as the newspaper with the most intensive focus on this topic, nearly doubling the percentage of Leadership and exceeding Tribune and This Day by a significant margin.

Daily Trust's Strong Emphasis: At 58.7%, Daily Trust also prioritizes physical violence prominently, though not as extensively as Guardian, but notably more than Tribune, Leadership, and This Day.

Balanced Approaches: Tribune, Leadership, and This Day show a relatively balanced approach, with physical violence coverage ranging from 25.0% to 33.3%, suggesting a broader editorial focus that includes other important issues.

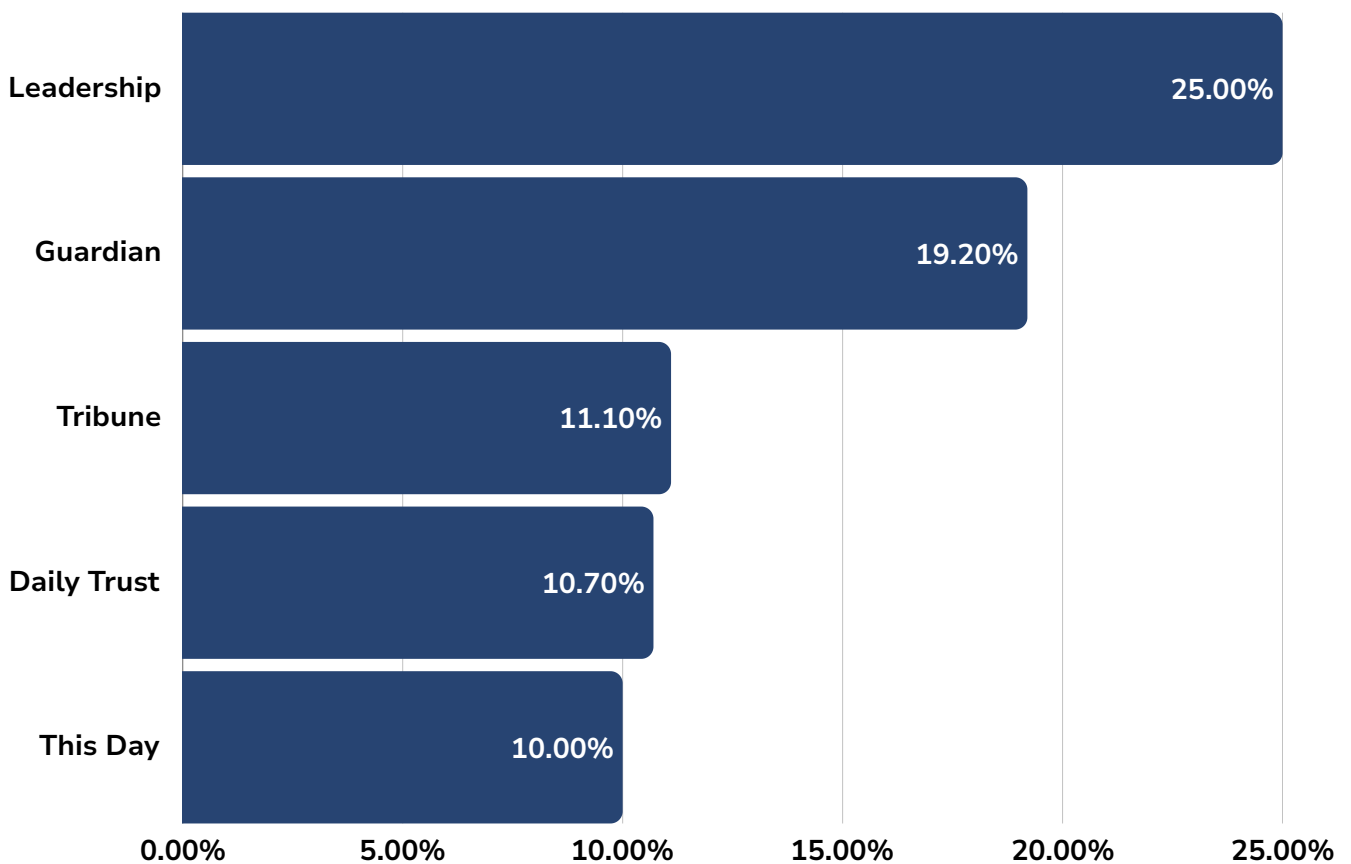
Conclusion

This analysis reveals varying degrees of emphasis on physical violence across different newspapers. Guardian and Daily Trust lead with significant coverage, reflecting a strong editorial focus on safety and violence-related issues. In contrast, Tribune, Leadership, and This Day maintain a more balanced approach, covering physical violence alongside other topics. Understanding these differences can provide readers with insights into each newspaper's editorial priorities and their approach to reporting on societal issues.

Coverage of "Attacks during Conflicts, Protests, and Demonstrations" across Newspapers

The coverage of attacks during conflicts, protests, and demonstrations is crucial as it sheds light on civil unrest and societal tensions. Analyzing how different newspapers report on these events can provide insights into their editorial focus and the importance placed on documenting social movements and public safety incidents.

PERCENTAGE OF ATTACKS DURING CONFLICTS, PROTESTS, AND DEMONSTRATION IN EACH NEWSPAPER



Percentage of Coverage on Attacks during Conflicts, Protests, and Demonstrations

Leadership Newspaper



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Protests Persist In Abuja, Kano As Police Claim 7 Dead, 681 Arrested

By Our Correspondent — 7 months ago News



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Leading Focus: Leadership dedicates 25.0% of its articles to this topic, indicating a strong editorial commitment to covering civil unrest and its implications on society. This focus suggests an emphasis on informing the public about conflicts and protests.

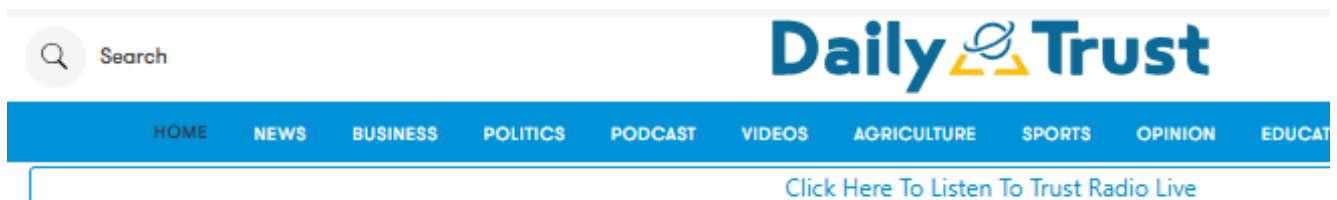
Guardian Newspaper

Significant Coverage: Guardian follows with 19.2% of its articles focused on this topic. This demonstrates a noteworthy commitment to documenting social movements and providing insights into societal tensions.

Tribune Newspaper

Moderate Attention: Tribune allocates 11.1% of its coverage to conflicts, protests, and demonstrations. This indicates a balanced editorial approach, addressing these events while also focusing on other societal issues.

Daily Trust Newspaper



NEWS

IPC Condemns Attacks On Journalists



Balanced Reporting: Daily Trust dedicates 10.7% of its articles to this topic, reflecting a diverse editorial strategy that includes coverage of social unrest along with other important topics.

This Day Newspaper:

Focused Coverage: This Day reports 10.0% of its content on attacks during conflicts, protests, and demonstrations, indicating a moderate level of emphasis compared to the leading newspapers.

Comparative Insights

Leadership's Prominent Coverage: With 25.0% of its articles dedicated to this topic, Leadership leads in emphasizing coverage of attacks during conflicts and demonstrations. This indicates a strong editorial focus on documenting societal tensions and unrest.

Guardian's Commitment: At 19.2%, Guardian shows significant attention to these events, though slightly less than Leadership, demonstrating its dedication to covering societal movements and public safety concerns.

Balanced Approaches: Tribune, Daily Trust, and This Day maintain a balanced editorial strategy, with coverage ranging from 10.0% to 11.1%, suggesting their approach includes a mix of topics alongside conflicts and protests.

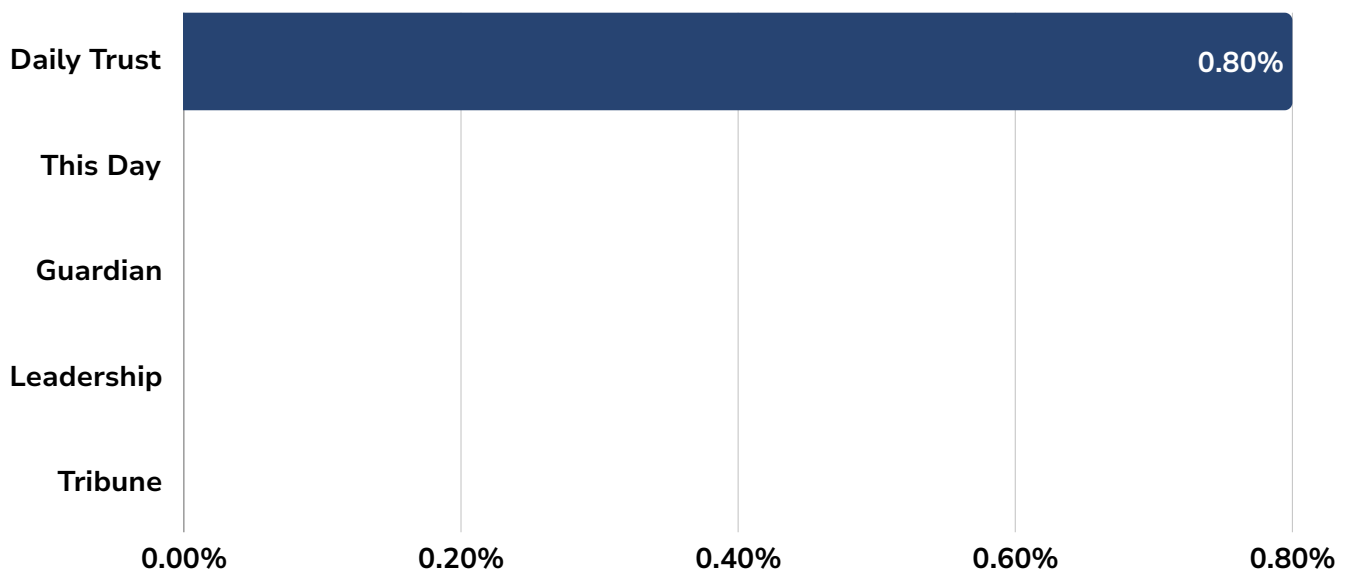
Conclusion

This analysis reveals diverse approaches to covering attacks during conflicts, protests, and demonstrations across different newspapers. Leadership and Guardian lead with significant coverage, highlighting their editorial focus on societal tensions and public safety. Tribune, Daily Trust, and This Day provide a more balanced coverage, reflecting a broader editorial perspective that includes other important issues. Understanding these differences can offer readers insights into each newspaper's priorities and their approach to reporting on civil unrest and societal movements.

Coverage of "Attacks on Family and Associates" across Newspapers

The coverage of attacks on family and associates is a sensitive topic that highlights personal safety and the impact of violence on immediate social circles. Analyzing how different newspapers report on these incidents can provide insights into their editorial focus and the emphasis placed on personal security and related societal issues.

PERCENTAGE OF ATTACKS ON FAMILY AND ASSOCIATES IN EACH NEWSPAPER



Percentage of Coverage on Attacks on Family and Associates:

Daily Trust Newspaper

Minimal Coverage: Daily Trust is the only newspaper that covers this topic, albeit minimally, with 0.8% of its articles dedicated to attacks on family and associates. This indicates a limited editorial focus on this specific aspect of violence, suggesting that other topics may take precedence in their reporting.

Other Newspapers (Guardian, Tribune, Leadership, This Day)

No Reported Coverage: Guardian, Tribune, Leadership, and This Day have no reported articles covering attacks on family and associates. This lack of coverage suggests that these newspapers may prioritize other issues or topics over this specific type of violence.

Comparative Insights

Daily Trust's Singular Focus: Daily Trust stands out as the only newspaper with any coverage on attacks on family and associates, although the coverage is minimal at 0.8%. This indicates some level of editorial attention to personal security issues, albeit not prominently.

Absence in Other Newspapers: The absence of coverage in Guardian, Tribune, Leadership, and This Day suggests that these newspapers do not prioritize reporting on attacks involving family and associates, possibly due to editorial choices focusing on broader societal or political issues.

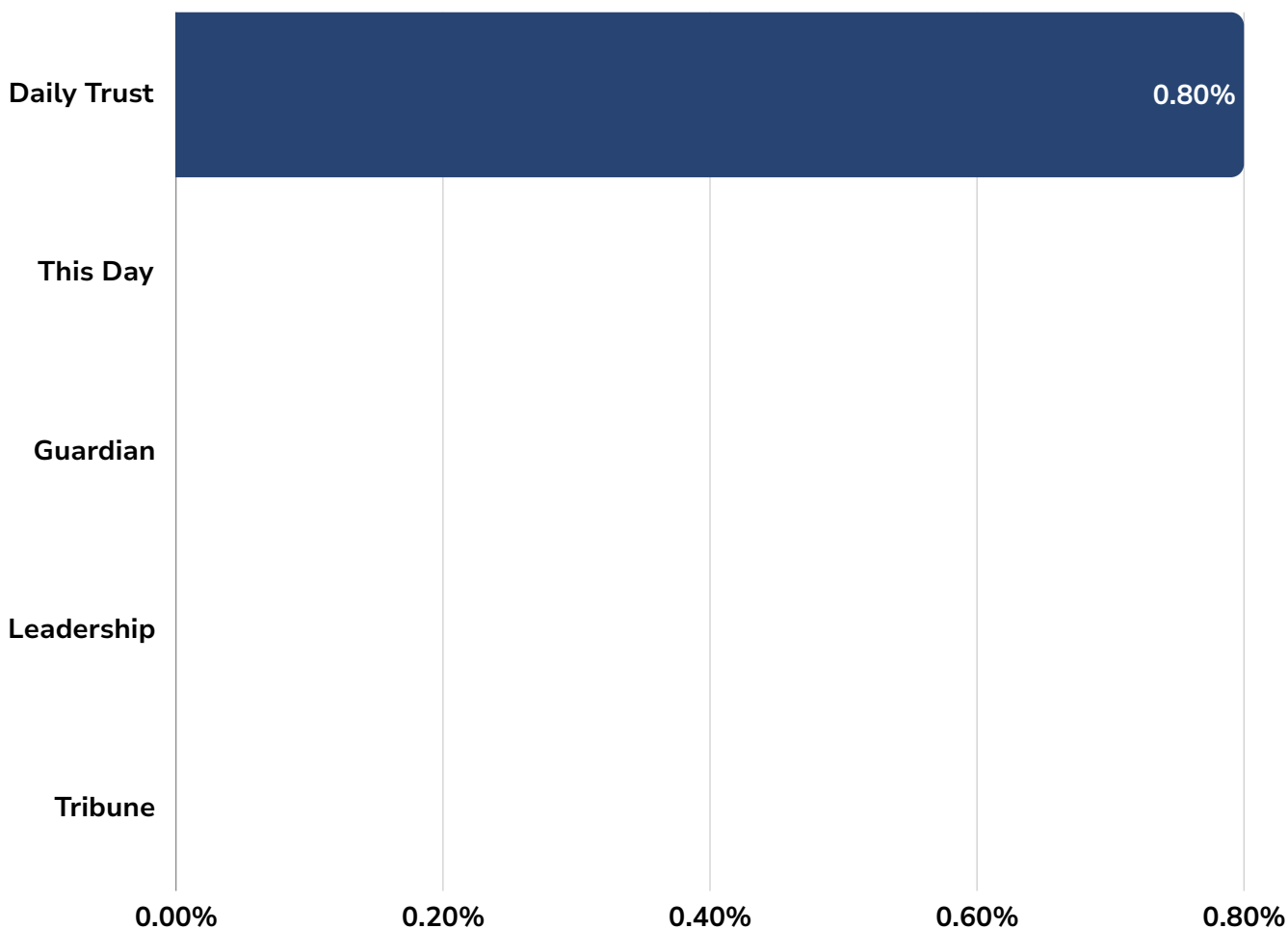
Conclusion

This analysis highlights a notable gap in coverage of attacks on family and associates across most newspapers, with only Daily Trust providing minimal attention to this topic. The lack of widespread coverage may reflect editorial decisions to focus on other pressing societal issues or the challenges of reporting on sensitive personal violence. Understanding these editorial choices can offer readers insights into each newspaper's priorities and their approach to addressing personal safety and security in their reporting.

Coverage of "Online Attacks" across Newspapers

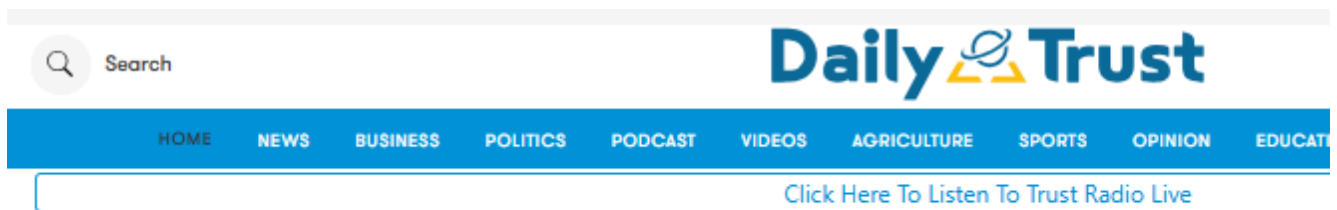
Online attacks represent a modern form of violence and harassment, reflecting the challenges of digital security and privacy. Analyzing how different newspapers report on these incidents can provide insights into their editorial focus and the importance placed on digital safety and cyber issues.

PERCENTAGE OF ATTACKS ON FAMILY AND ASSOCIATES IN EACH NEWSPAPER



Percentage of Coverage on Online Attacks

Daily Trust Newspaper:



INTERNATIONAL

‘3 Out Of 5 Young Activists Face Online Harassment Globally For Posting Human Rights Content’



Limited Coverage: Daily Trust is the only newspaper that covers online attacks, with 2.5% of its articles dedicated to this topic. This indicates an editorial focus on digital safety, highlighting issues related to cyber harassment and online threats, though not extensively.

Other Newspapers (Guardian, Tribune, Leadership, This Day)

No Reported Coverage: Guardian, Tribune, Leadership, and This Day have no reported articles covering online attacks. This absence suggests that these newspapers may prioritize other topics over digital security issues or may not yet fully address the complexities of cyber threats in their reporting.

Comparative Insights

Daily Trust's Unique Coverage: At 2.5%, Daily Trust is the only newspaper addressing online attacks, reflecting some editorial attention to the challenges of digital safety and cyber threats. This coverage indicates an awareness of the growing importance of online security issues.

Absence in Other Newspapers: The lack of coverage in Guardian, Tribune, Leadership, and This Day suggests a potential gap in reporting on online attacks. These newspapers may focus more on traditional forms of violence or other societal issues, leaving digital threats less covered.

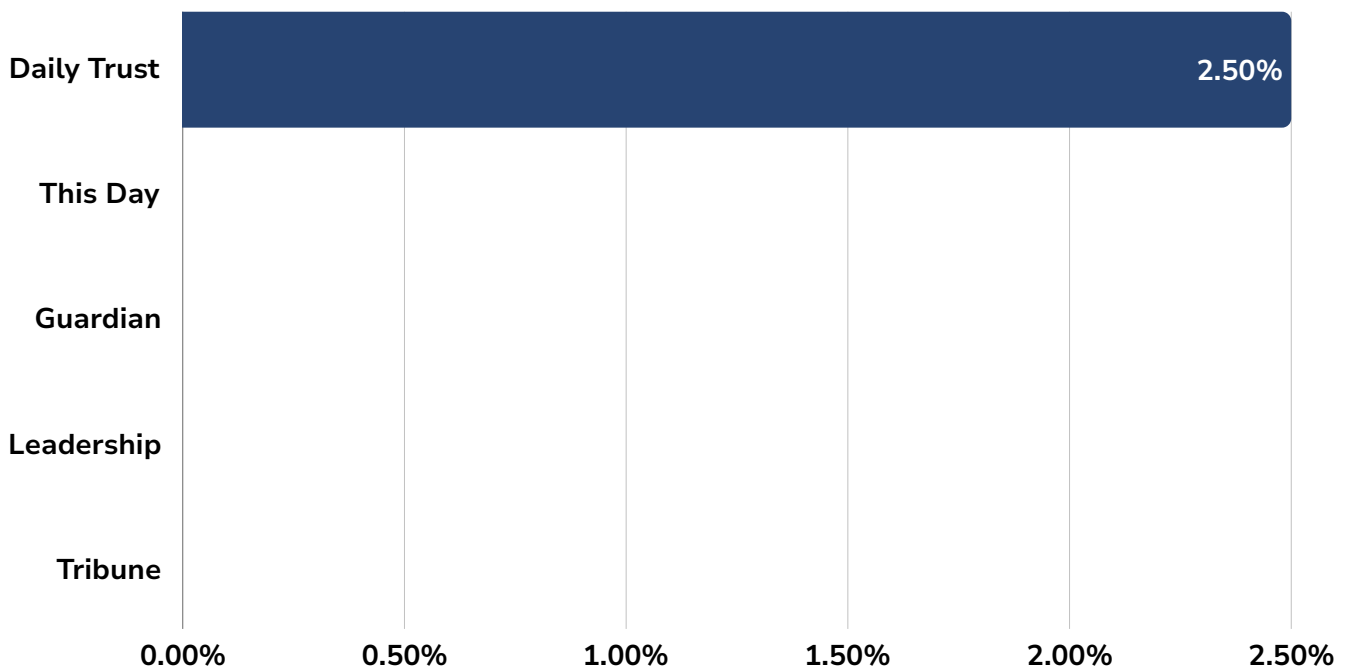
Conclusion

This analysis reveals a limited focus on online attacks across most newspapers, with only Daily Trust providing some attention to this emerging issue. The absence of widespread coverage may reflect editorial decisions to prioritize other pressing societal concerns or the challenges of reporting on complex digital security issues. Understanding these editorial choices can offer readers insights into each newspaper's priorities and their approach to addressing modern threats in their reporting.

Coverage of "Restrictions on Movement" across Newspapers

The coverage of restrictions on movement is vital as it pertains to civil liberties and the freedom of individuals. Analyzing how different newspapers report on these restrictions can provide insights into their editorial focus and the emphasis placed on freedom of movement and related societal issues.

PERCENTAGE OF ONLINE ATTACKS IN EACH NEWSPAPER



Percentage of Coverage on Restrictions on Movement:

Tribune Newspaper

Minimal Coverage: Tribune is the only newspaper that covers restrictions on movement, with 1.2% of its articles dedicated to this topic. This indicates a limited editorial focus on the issue, suggesting that while recognized, it may not be a primary reporting priority compared to other topics.

Other Newspapers (Guardian, Tribune, Leadership, This Day)

No Reported Coverage: Guardian, Daily Trust, Leadership, and This Day have no reported articles focusing on restrictions on movement. This lack of coverage suggests that these newspapers may prioritize other societal or political issues over this specific aspect of civil liberties.

Comparative Insights

Tribune's Singular Focus: At 1.2%, Tribune stands out as the only newspaper providing coverage on restrictions on movement. This reflects some level of editorial attention to issues related to civil liberties and the freedom of individuals to move freely.

Absence in Other Newspapers: The absence of coverage in Guardian, Daily Trust, Leadership, and This Day suggests that these newspapers do not prioritize reporting on movement restrictions, potentially due to editorial choices focusing on broader societal or political issues.

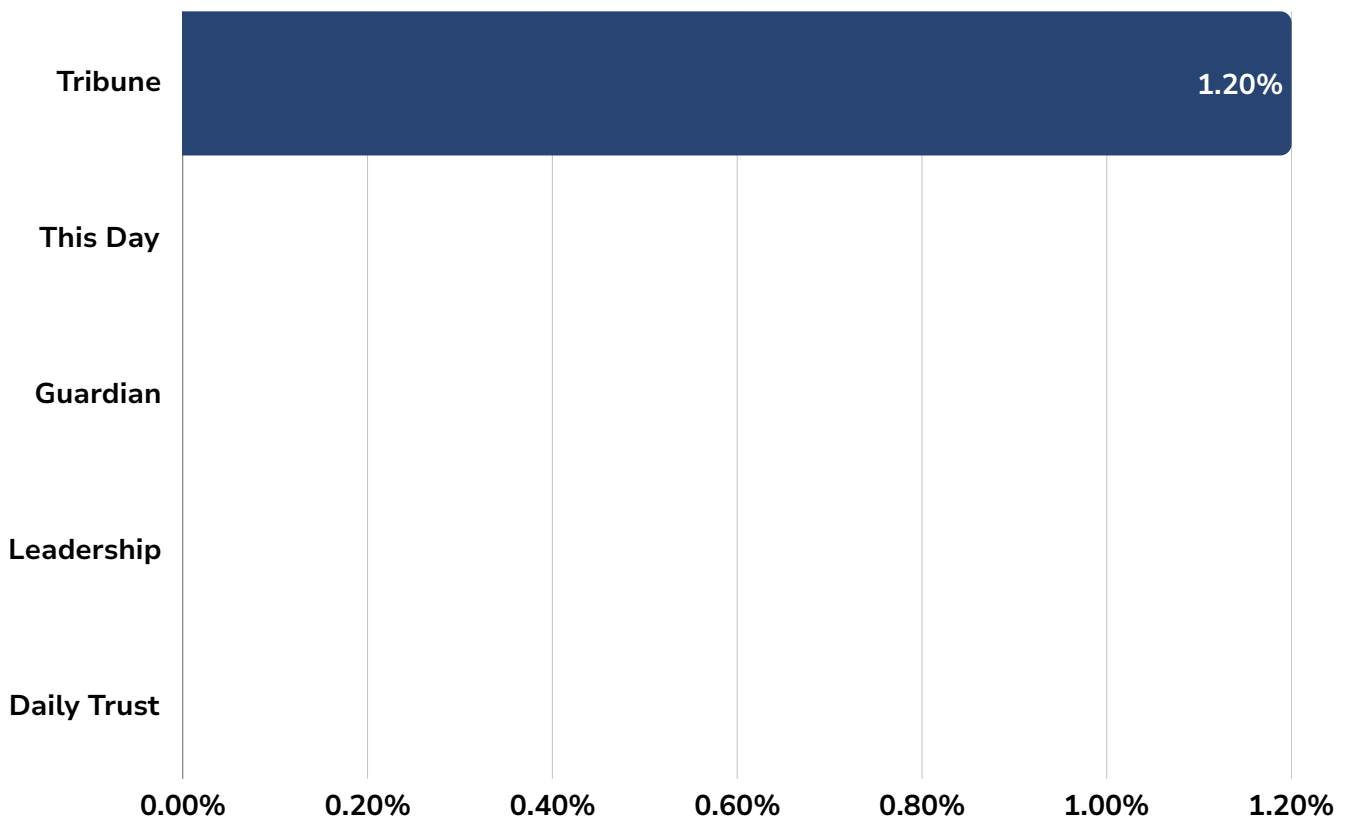
Conclusion

This analysis highlights a notable gap in coverage of restrictions on movement across most newspapers, with only Tribune providing minimal attention to this topic. The lack of widespread coverage may reflect editorial decisions to focus on other pressing societal issues or the challenges of reporting on civil liberties. Understanding these editorial choices can offer readers insights into each newspaper's priorities and their approach to addressing freedom of movement and related issues in their reporting.

Coverage of "Other Civic Space Threats" across Newspapers

The "Others" category in newspaper coverage typically includes diverse topics that do not fall into conventional thematic classifications. Analyzing how different newspapers allocate coverage to this category can provide insights into their editorial focus and their openness to exploring a variety of societal issues.

PERCENTAGE OF RESTRICTIONS ON MOVEMENT IN EACH NEWSPAPER



Percentage of Coverage on Others

Tribune Newspaper:

Minimal Coverage: Tribune is the only newspaper that covers topics categorized as "Others," with 1.2% of its articles dedicated to this category. This indicates a limited editorial focus on diverse or unconventional topics, suggesting that while recognized, these issues are not a primary reporting priority compared to more defined topics.

Other Newspapers (Guardian, Daily Trust, Leadership, This Day):

No Reported Coverage: Guardian, Daily Trust, Leadership, and This Day have no reported articles under the "Others" category. This absence suggests that these newspapers may prioritize more defined societal or political issues over this broad and less conventional category.

Comparative Insights

Tribune's Unique Coverage: At 1.2%, Tribune is the only newspaper providing coverage in the "Others" category. This reflects some level of editorial openness to addressing a variety of topics that do not fit into standard classifications, indicating a willingness to explore diverse societal issues.

Absence in Other Newspapers: The lack of coverage in Guardian, Daily Trust, Leadership, and This Day suggests a focus on more conventional topics, potentially due to editorial choices prioritizing well-defined societal or political issues over the broad "Others" category.

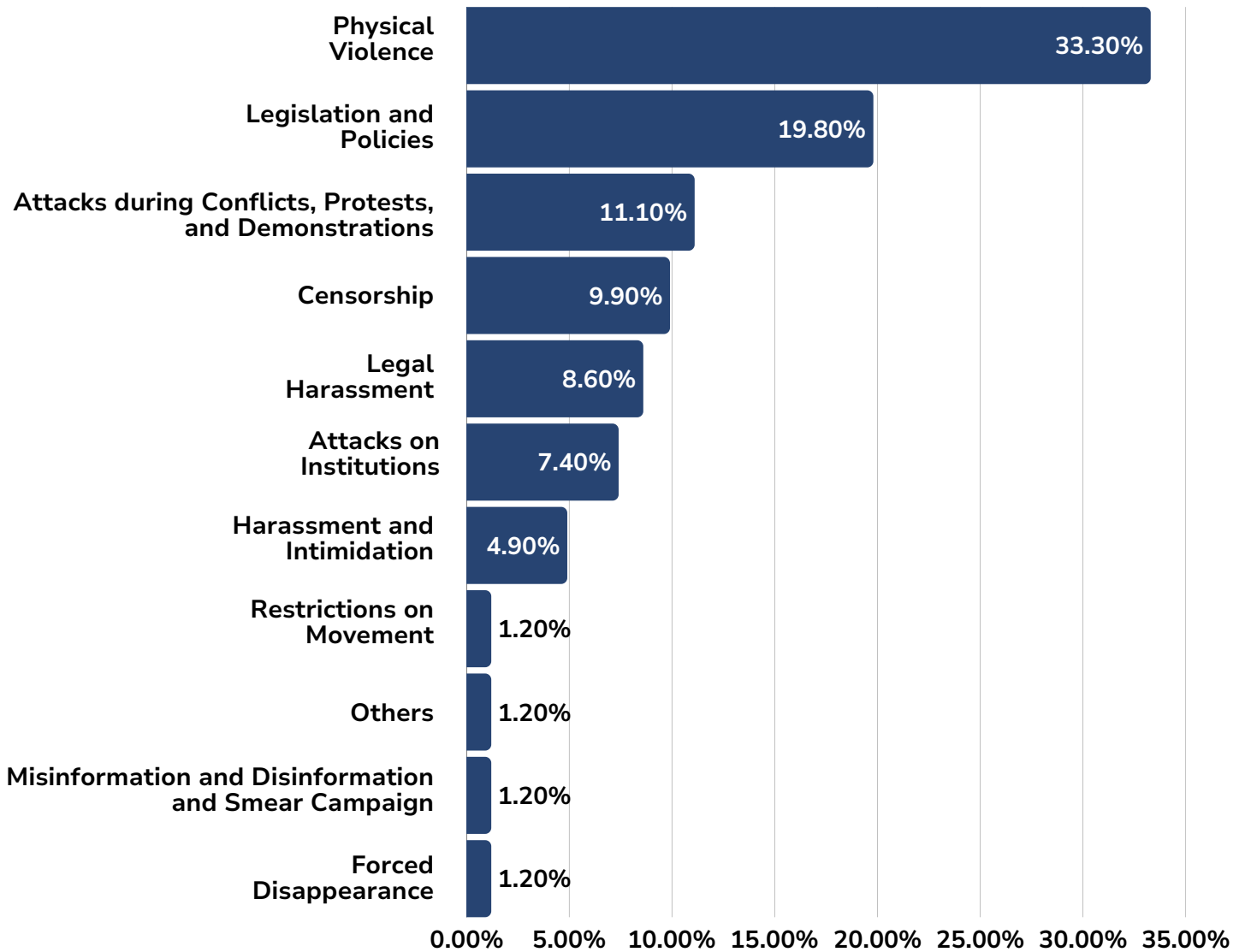
Conclusion

This analysis highlights a gap in coverage of the "Others" category across most newspapers, with only Tribune providing minimal attention to these diverse topics. The lack of widespread coverage may reflect editorial decisions to focus on more conventional issues or the challenges of addressing a wide range of societal concerns within a single category. Understanding these editorial choices can offer readers insights into each newspaper's priorities and their approach to exploring varied societal topics in their reporting.

Analysis of Topic Coverage in Tribune Newspaper

Tribune newspaper's coverage of subtopics provides a deeper understanding of its editorial focus and the specific issues it prioritizes within broader topics. Analyzing the percentage of coverage dedicated to each subtopic can offer insights into the nuances of Tribune's reporting and the detailed issues it considers most significant.

PERCENTAGE OF EACH TOPIC IN TRIBUNE NEWSPAPER



Percentage of Coverage on Key Topics in Tribune Newspaper:

Physical Violence:

Dominant Coverage: Physical violence accounts for 33.3% of Tribune's articles. This substantial emphasis highlights the newspaper's commitment to reporting incidents of violence and underscoring safety and security issues within society.

Legislation and Policies:

Significant Focus: This topic comprises 19.8% of Tribune's coverage, reflecting a strong editorial commitment to informing the public about governmental actions and potential changes that could affect citizens' lives.

Attacks during Conflicts, Protests, and Demonstrations:

Moderate Attention: Tribune allocates 11.1% of its coverage to conflicts, protests, and demonstrations, indicating a balanced editorial approach that addresses societal tensions and public safety.

Censorship:

Considerable Focus: Censorship accounts for 9.9% of Tribune's articles, suggesting an editorial emphasis on defending free speech and highlighting issues related to information access and media rights.

Legal Harassment:

Balanced Reporting: With 8.6% of its articles dedicated to legal harassment, Tribune reflects a commitment to addressing rights protection and the misuse of legal systems.

Other Topics:

Diverse Coverage: Topics like harassment and intimidation (4.9%) and attacks on institutions (7.4%) receive varying attention, indicating a broad editorial strategy that addresses a range of societal concerns.

Comparative Insights:

Balanced Focus on Key Issues: With a distribution of coverage across physical violence (33.3%), legislation (19.8%), and censorship (9.9%), Tribune demonstrates a balanced editorial strategy that addresses a range of societal concerns.

Strong Emphasis on Free Speech: The coverage of censorship (9.9%) underscores Tribune's commitment to defending free speech and addressing issues related to media rights and information access.

Moderate Attention to Social and Legal Issues: The coverage of conflicts (11.1%) and legal harassment (8.6%) reflects Tribune's commitment to informing readers about societal tensions and rights protection.

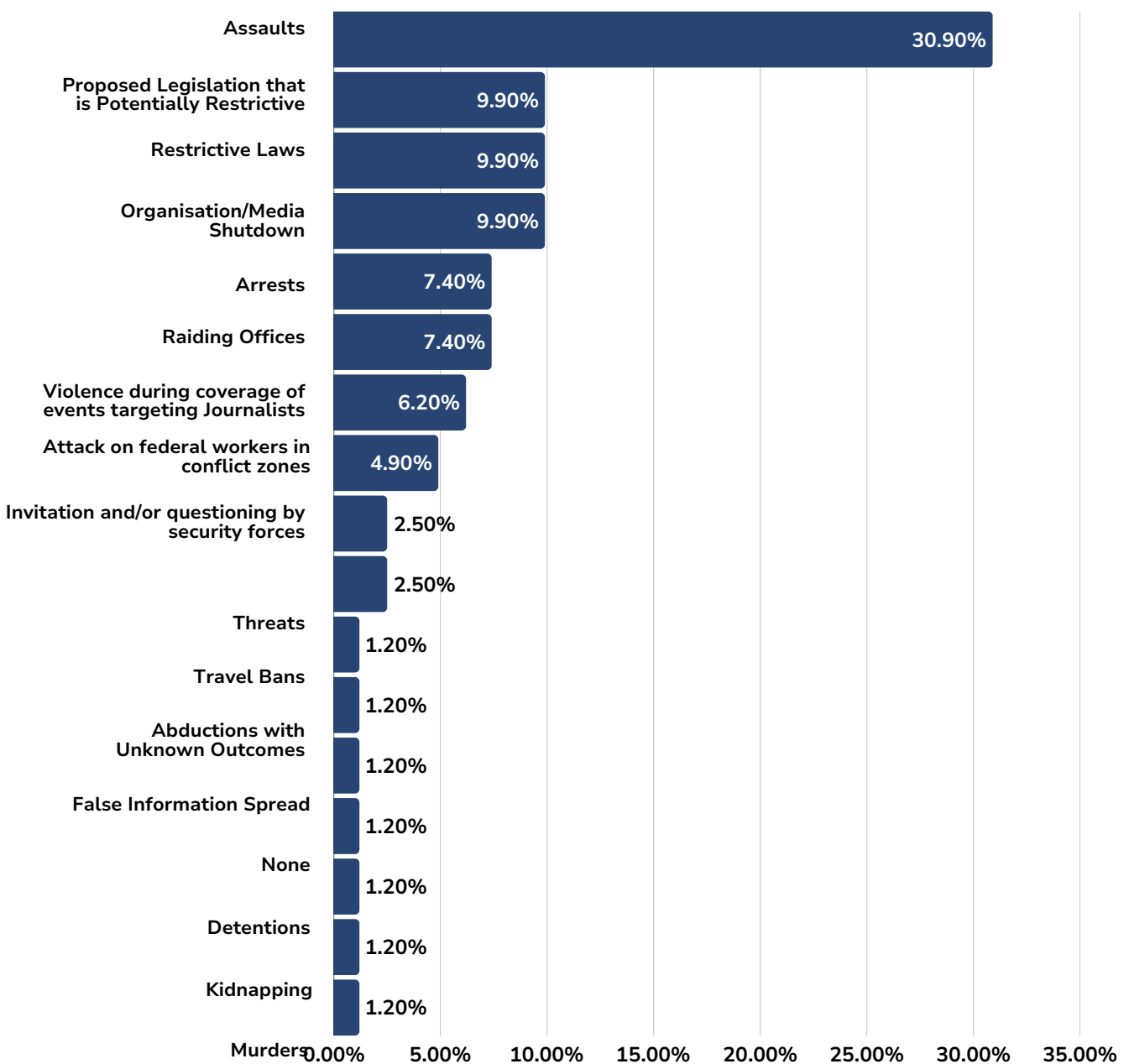
Conclusion

This analysis reveals the thematic priorities of Tribune newspaper, emphasizing physical violence as its dominant focus. The coverage of legislation, censorship, and social issues further underscores its commitment to addressing societal safety and rights protection. Understanding these editorial choices can offer readers insights into Tribune's priorities and its approach to reporting on key societal issues.

Analysis of Subtopics Coverage in Tribune Newspaper

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PERCENTAGE OF EACH SUB-TOPIC IN TRIBUNE NEWSPAPER



Percentage of Coverage on Key Subtopics in Tribune Newspaper:

Assaults

Leading Coverage: Assaults account for 30.9% of Tribune's subtopic coverage. This significant focus underscores the newspaper's commitment to highlighting personal safety and security issues, reflecting its role in addressing violence-related concerns.

Proposed Legislation that is Potentially Restrictive

Strong Focus: This subtopic makes up 9.9% of the coverage, indicating a focus on legislative developments that could impact civil liberties, underscoring Tribune's role in safeguarding rights.

Restrictive Laws

Substantial Attention: With 9.9% of its subtopic coverage, Tribune continues its focus on ensuring that legislative developments do not infringe upon rights, highlighting its commitment to rights protection.

Organisation/Media Shutdown

Considerable Focus: This subtopic also accounts for 9.9% of the coverage, indicating attention to issues related to media rights and the challenges of information access.

Arrests

Moderate Coverage: Arrests represent 7.4% of the subtopic coverage, reflecting Tribune's focus on documenting legal actions and their implications on societal interactions and rights protection.

Other Subtopics

Diverse Coverage: Subtopics like raiding offices (7.4%), violence during coverage of events targeting journalists (6.2%), and attacks on human rights defenders (4.9%) each account for smaller percentages, reflecting a broad editorial strategy that addresses a range of societal concerns.

Comparative Insights:

Focus on Safety and Legislative Challenges: With 30.9% coverage dedicated to assaults, Tribune demonstrates a strong editorial focus on personal safety. Additionally, the emphasis on potentially restrictive legislation (9.9%) reflects its commitment to addressing legislative challenges.

Balanced Attention to Media and Rights Issues: The coverage of media shutdowns (9.9%) and arrests (7.4%) underscores Tribune's commitment to informing readers about media rights and the implications of legal actions.

Highlighting Legal and Societal Concerns: By dedicating coverage to restrictive laws (9.9%) and raiding offices (7.4%), Tribune emphasizes the importance of legal rights and societal interactions, reflecting its role in addressing pressing issues.

Conclusion

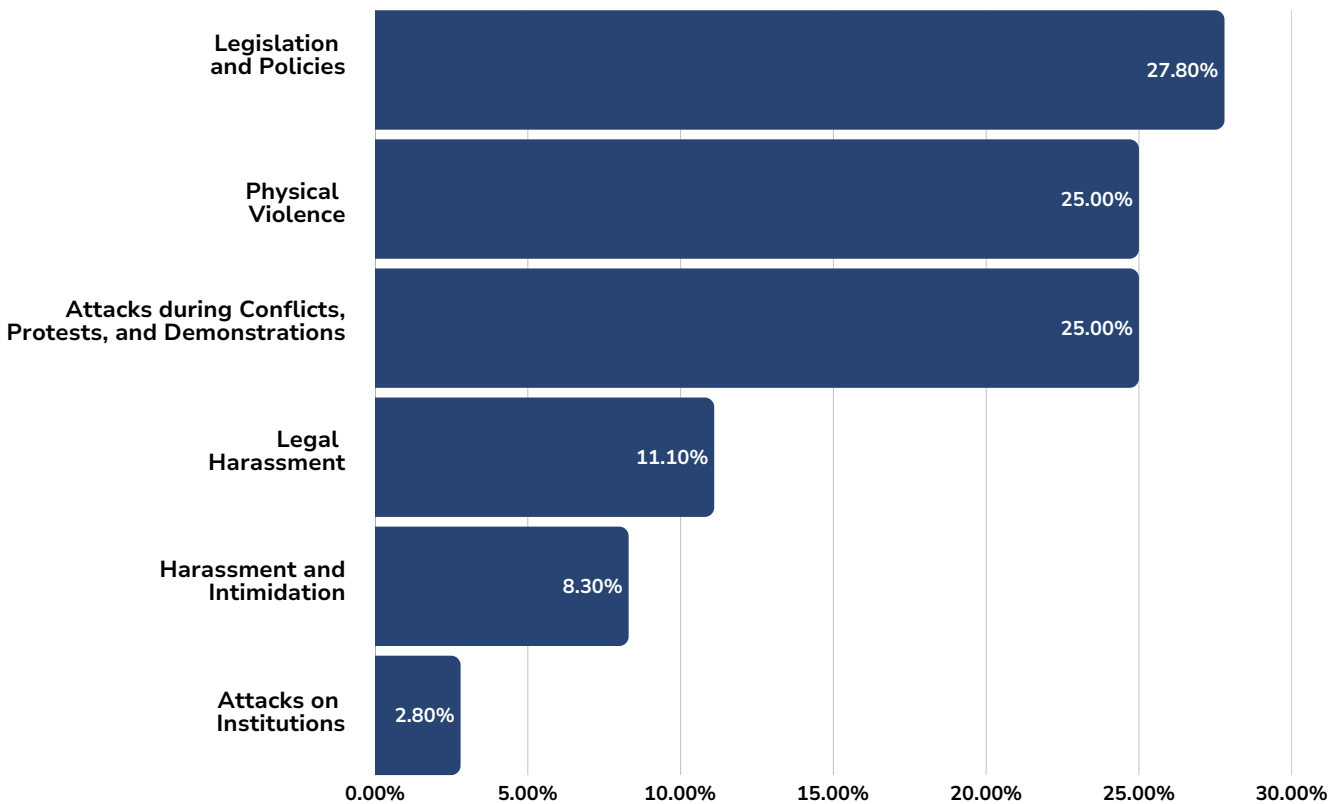
This analysis reveals the nuanced priorities of Tribune newspaper, emphasizing assaults and legislative challenges as its dominant subtopic focus. The coverage of media rights and legal issues further underscores its commitment to addressing societal security and rights protection. Understanding these editorial choices can offer readers insights into Tribune's priorities and its approach to reporting on detailed societal issues.

LEADERSHIP

Analysis of Topic Coverage in Leadership Newspaper

Leadership newspaper's coverage spans various topics, reflecting its editorial focus and the priorities it places on informing the public about societal issues. Analyzing the percentage of coverage dedicated to each topic can provide insights into the newspaper's thematic emphasis and the issues it considers most pertinent.

PERCENTAGE OF EACH TOPIC IN LEADERSHIP NEWSPAPER



Percentage of Coverage on Key Topics in Leadership Newspaper:

Legislation and Policies

Leading Coverage: Leadership dedicates 27.8% of its articles to legislation and policies. This substantial focus highlights the newspaper's commitment to informing the public about governmental actions and potential changes that could affect citizens' lives, underscoring its role in providing insights into legislative developments.

Physical Violence

Strong Focus: Physical violence accounts for 25.0% of Leadership's coverage. This indicates a considerable editorial priority towards reporting incidents of violence, reflecting a commitment to highlighting safety and security issues within society.

Attacks during Conflicts, Protests, and Demonstrations:

Balanced Attention: This topic comprises 25.0% of Leadership's articles, reflecting a strong editorial commitment to documenting social movements, civil unrest, and the implications on public safety.

Legal Harassment

Moderate Coverage: Legal harassment represents 11.1% of the articles, indicating a focus on defending individual rights and addressing legal challenges, suggesting a commitment to informing readers about potential misuses of legal systems.

Harassment and Intimidation

Limited Focus: At 8.3%, articles on harassment and intimidation reflect some editorial attention to personal safety concerns and societal interactions, though not as prominent compared to the dominant themes.

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Attacks on Institutions

Minimal Coverage: Attacks on institutions account for 2.8% of the coverage, indicating limited editorial focus on issues related to organizational security and public safety.

Comparative Insights

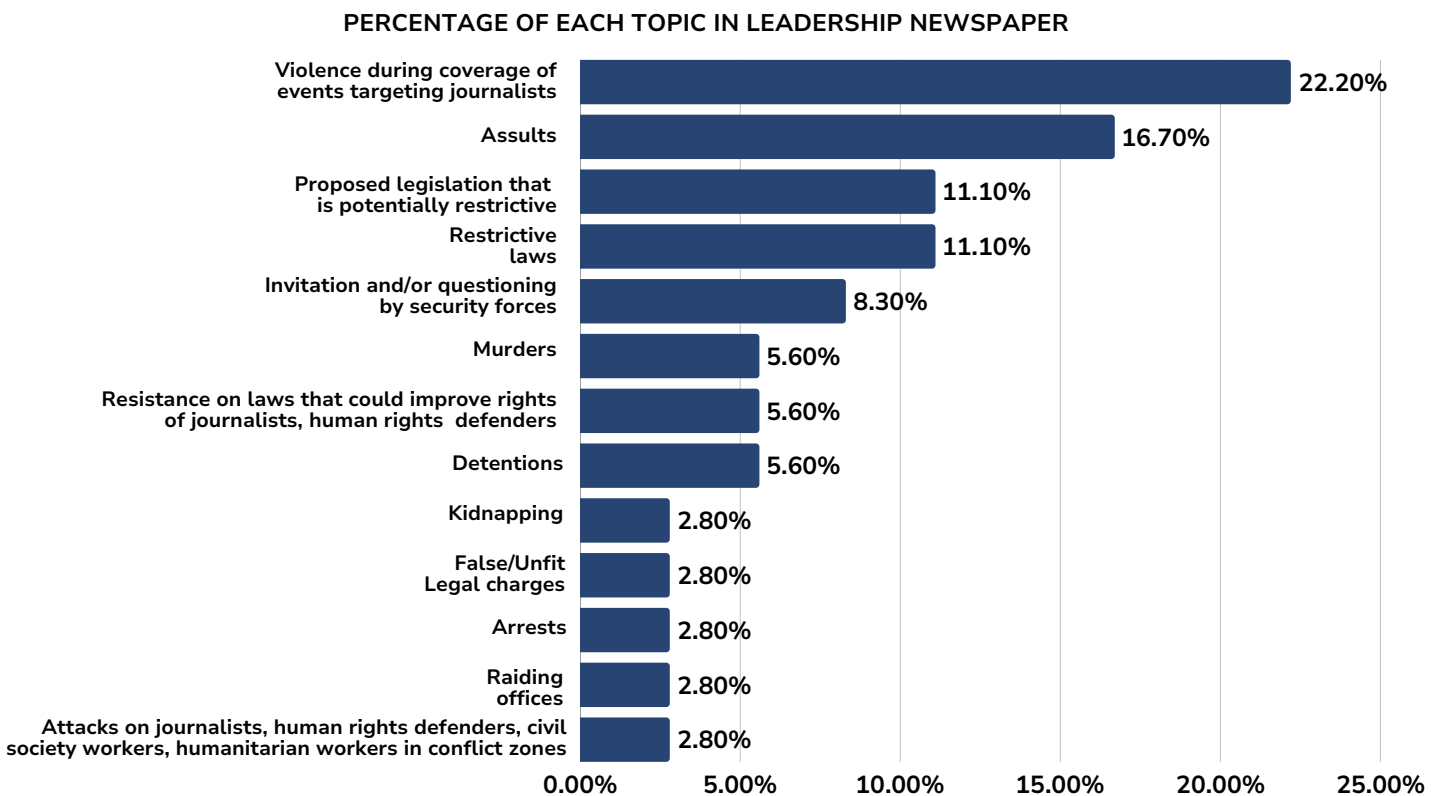
Balanced Focus on Key Issues: With a nearly equal distribution of coverage between legislation and policies (27.8%), physical violence (25.0%), and conflicts (25.0%), Leadership demonstrates a balanced editorial strategy that addresses a range of societal concerns.

Conclusion

This analysis reveals the thematic priorities of Leadership newspaper, emphasizing a balanced focus across legislation, violence, and conflicts. The coverage of legal harassment further underscores its commitment to addressing rights protection and societal safety. Understanding these editorial choices can offer readers insights into Leadership's priorities and its approach to reporting on key societal issues.

Analysis of Subtopic Coverage in Leadership Newspaper

Leadership newspaper's coverage of subtopics provides a deeper understanding of its editorial focus and the specific issues it prioritizes within broader topics. Analyzing the percentage of coverage dedicated to each subtopic can offer insights into the nuances of Leadership's reporting and the detailed issues it considers most significant.



Percentage of Coverage on Key Subtopics in Leadership Newspaper

Violence during Coverage of Events Targeting Journalists

Leading Coverage: This subtopic accounts for 22.2% of Leadership's subtopic coverage. This significant focus underscores the newspaper's commitment to highlighting the challenges faced by media professionals and advocating for their safety in challenging environments.

Assaults

Strong Focus: Physical violence accounts for 25.0% of Leadership's coverage. This indicates a considerable editorial priority towards reporting incidents of violence, reflecting a commitment to highlighting safety and security issues within society.

Proposed Legislation that is Potentially Restrictive

Substantial Attention: With 11.1% of its subtopic coverage, Leadership highlights concerns over legislative developments that could impact civil liberties, underscoring its role in safeguarding rights.

Restrictive Laws

Balanced Coverage: Restrictive laws also represent 11.1% of the subtopic coverage, indicating continued focus on ensuring legislative developments do not infringe upon rights.

Invitation and/or Questioning by Security Forces

Moderate Focus: This subtopic accounts for 8.3% of the coverage, reflecting Leadership's attention to legal actions and their implications on societal interactions and rights protection.

Other Subtopics

Diverse Coverage: Subtopics like murders (5.6%), resistance on rights-improving laws (5.6%), and detentions (5.6%) each account for smaller percentages, reflecting a broad editorial strategy that addresses a range of societal concerns.

Comparative Insights

Focus on Media and Legal Challenges: With 22.2% coverage dedicated to violence against journalists, Leadership demonstrates a strong editorial focus on media safety, reflecting its commitment to addressing challenges faced by professionals in the field.

Balanced Attention to Legislation and Rights Issues: The coverage of restrictive laws (11.1%) and potentially restrictive legislation (11.1%) underscores Leadership's commitment to informing readers about legal developments and their societal implications.

Highlighting Personal Safety and Security: By dedicating 16.7% of its coverage to assaults, Leadership emphasizes the importance of personal safety and security, reflecting its role in addressing pressing violence-related concerns.

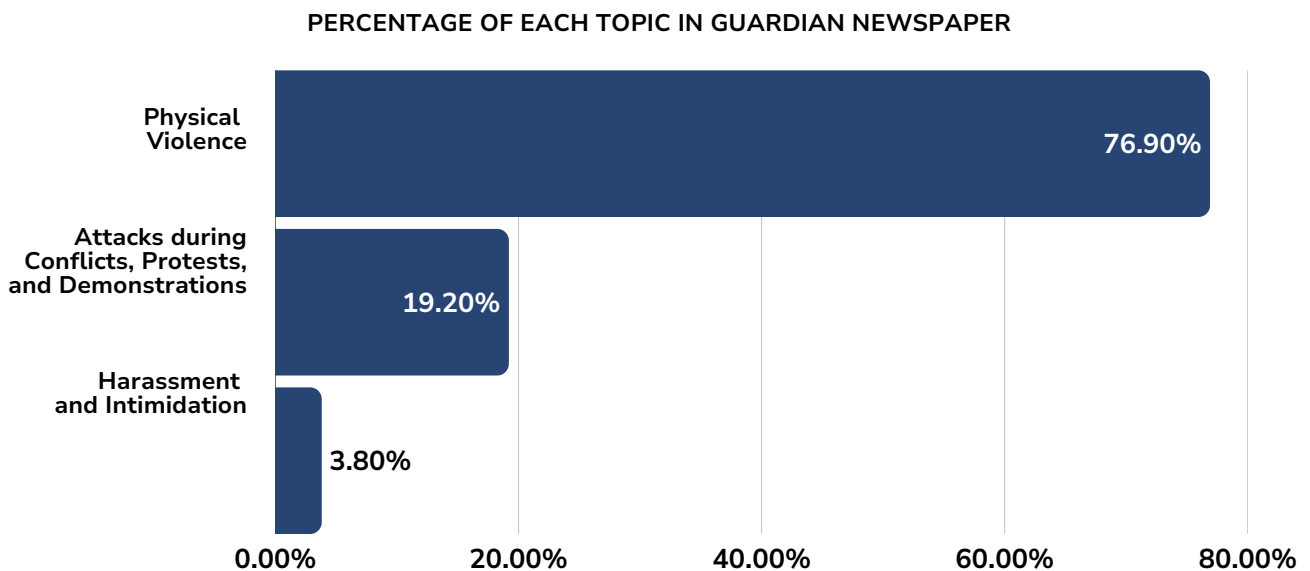
Conclusion

This analysis reveals the nuanced priorities of Leadership newspaper, emphasizing media safety and legislative challenges as its dominant subtopic focus. The coverage of personal safety and legal issues further underscores its commitment to addressing societal security and rights protection. Understanding these editorial choices can offer readers insights into Leadership's priorities and its approach to reporting on detailed societal issues.

GUARDIAN

Analysis of Topic Coverage in Guardian Newspaper

Guardian newspaper's coverage spans various topics, reflecting its editorial focus and the priorities it places on informing the public about societal issues. Analyzing the percentage of coverage dedicated to each topic can provide insights into the newspaper's thematic emphasis and the issues it considers most pertinent.



Percentage of Coverage on Key Topics in Guardian Newspaper:

Physical Violence

Overwhelming Coverage: Physical violence dominates Guardian's coverage, accounting for 76.9% of its articles. This substantial emphasis highlights the newspaper's commitment to reporting incidents of violence and underscoring safety and security issues within society.

Attacks during Conflicts, Protests, and Demonstrations

Significant Focus: This topic comprises 19.2% of Guardian's coverage, reflecting a strong editorial commitment to documenting social movements, civil unrest, and the implications on public safety.

Harassment and Intimidation

Limited Coverage: Harassment and intimidation represent 3.8% of the articles, indicating some editorial focus on personal safety concerns and societal interactions, though not as prominent compared to the dominant themes.

Other Topics

No Reported Coverage: Guardian does not report on several other topics, such as legislation and policies, legal harassment, and online attacks, suggesting that these issues may not be prioritized compared to the topics mentioned above.

Comparative Insights

Physical Violence as a Priority: With 76.9% of its coverage dedicated to physical violence, Guardian demonstrates a strong editorial focus on safety and security, highlighting its role in addressing violence-related concerns.

Balanced Focus on Social Unrest: The coverage of attacks during conflicts (19.2%) underscores Guardian's commitment to reporting on societal tensions and public safety, although not as extensively as physical violence.

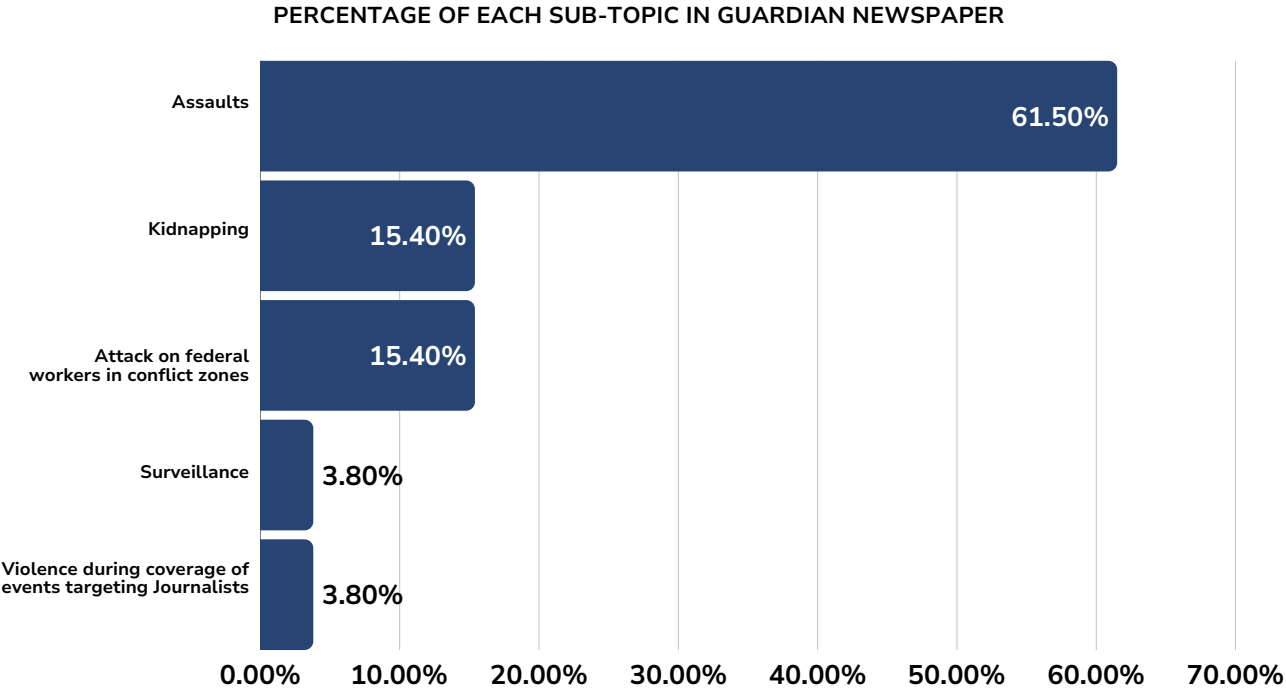
Minimal Emphasis on Harassment: At 3.8%, the coverage of harassment and intimidation reflects limited attention to these issues, indicating that other topics may take precedence in Guardian's reporting.

Conclusion

This analysis reveals the thematic priorities of Guardian newspaper, emphasizing physical violence as its dominant focus. The coverage of social unrest further underscores its commitment to addressing societal safety and tensions. Understanding these editorial choices can offer readers insights into Guardian's priorities and its approach to reporting on key societal issues.

Analysis of Subtopic Coverage in Guardian Newspaper

Introduction: Guardian newspaper's coverage of subtopics provides a deeper understanding of its editorial focus and the specific issues it prioritizes within broader topics. Analyzing the percentage of coverage dedicated to each subtopic can offer insights into the nuances of Guardian's reporting and the detailed issues it considers most significant.



Percentage of Coverage on Key Subtopics in Guardian Newspaper

Assaults

Dominant Coverage: Assaults account for a significant 61.5% of Guardian's subtopic coverage. This focus underscores the newspaper's commitment to highlighting personal safety and security issues, reflecting its role in addressing violence-related concerns.

Kidnapping

Notable Attention: Kidnapping makes up 15.4% of the subtopic coverage, indicating a focus on reporting incidents involving personal security and threats to safety. Attacks on Journalists, Human Rights Defenders, Civil Society Workers, Humanitarian Workers in Conflict Zones:

Significant Focus: This subtopic, also at 15.4%, reflects Guardian's commitment to reporting on threats faced by individuals in conflict zones, emphasizing the importance of protecting those who work in challenging environments. Proposed Legislation that is Potentially Restrictive

Surveillance

Limited Coverage: Surveillance accounts for 3.8% of the subtopic coverage, indicating some editorial attention to issues related to privacy and monitoring, though not as prominent compared to violence-related topics.

Violence during Coverage of Events Targeting Journalists

Minimal Attention: With 3.8% of its subtopic coverage, Guardian highlights the challenges faced by media professionals, albeit to a lesser extent than other subtopics.

Comparative Insights

Assaults as a Dominant Focus: With 61.5% of its subtopic coverage dedicated to assaults, Guardian demonstrates a strong editorial focus on personal safety and violence-related issues, reflecting its commitment to addressing pressing security concerns.

Balanced Focus on Safety and Rights Issues: The coverage of kidnapping (15.4%) and attacks on journalists (15.4%) underscores Guardian's commitment to informing readers about threats to safety and the importance of protecting human rights defenders.

Limited Attention to Surveillance and Media Challenges: At 3.8%, the coverage of surveillance and violence against journalists reflects some editorial attention to these issues, though not as extensively as personal safety concerns.

Conclusion

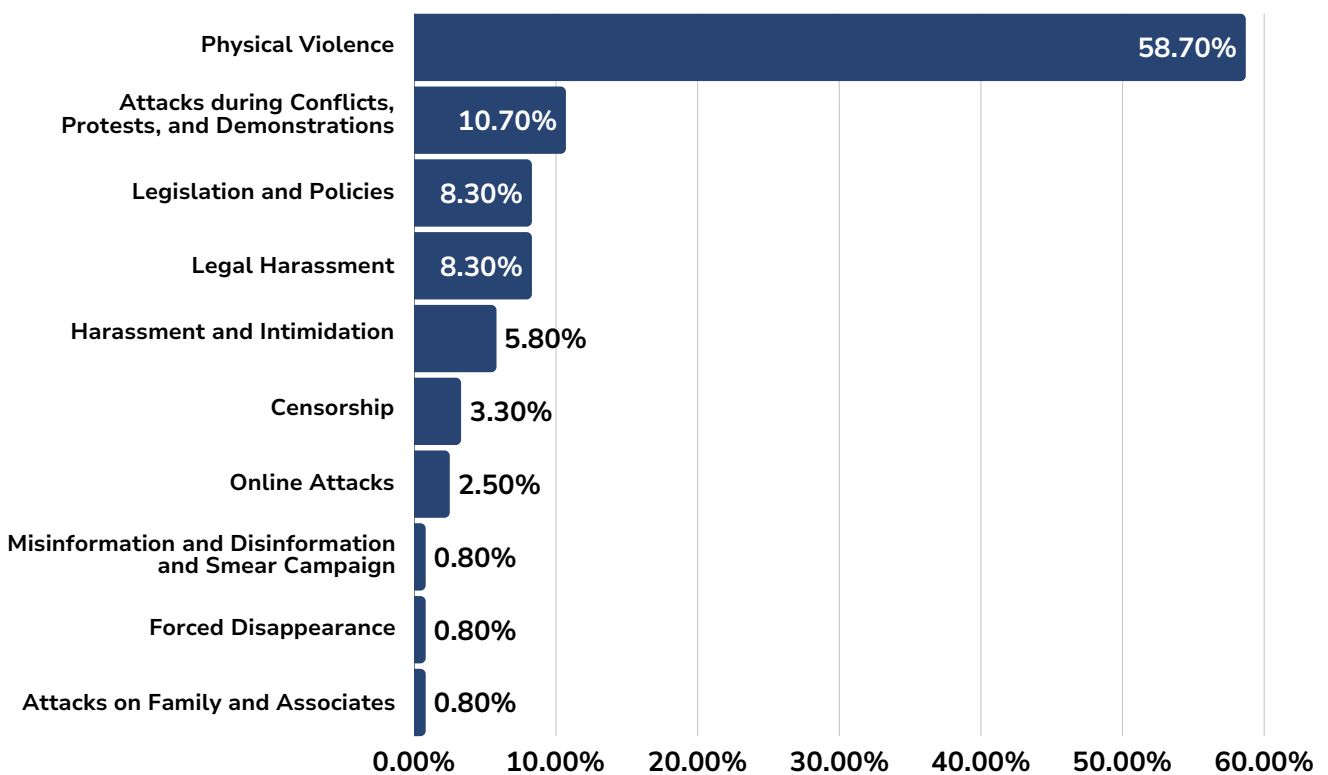
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DAILY TRUST

Analysis of Topic Coverage in Daily Trust Newspaper

Daily Trust newspaper's coverage spans various topics, reflecting its editorial focus and the priorities it places on informing the public about societal issues. Analyzing the percentage of coverage dedicated to each topic can provide insights into the newspaper's thematic emphasis and the issues it considers most pertinent.

PERCENTAGE OF EACH TOPIC IN DAILY TRUST NEWSPAPER



Percentage of Coverage on Key Topics in Daily Trust Newspaper:

Physical Violence

Dominant Coverage: Physical violence accounts for a significant 58.7% of Daily Trust's articles. This substantial emphasis highlights the newspaper's commitment to reporting incidents of violence and underscoring safety and security issues within society.

Attacks during Conflicts, Protests, and Demonstrations

Notable Focus: This topic comprises 10.7% of Daily Trust's coverage, reflecting a strong editorial commitment to documenting social movements, civil unrest, and the implications on public safety.

Legislation and Policies

Moderate Attention: Legislation and policies account for 8.3% of the articles, indicating an editorial focus on informing the public about governmental actions and potential legislative changes.

Legal Harassment

Balanced Reporting: Legal harassment also represents 8.3% of coverage, suggesting a commitment to addressing issues related to rights protection and the misuse of legal systems.

Harassment and Intimidation

Considerable Focus: With 5.8% of articles dedicated to this topic, Daily Trust highlights personal safety concerns and societal interactions, reflecting its role in addressing intimidation issues.

Other Topics

Limited Coverage: Topics like censorship (3.3%), online attacks (2.5%), and misinformation (0.8%) receive minimal attention, indicating that these may not be prioritized compared to the dominant themes.

Comparative Insights

Physical Violence as a Priority: With 58.7% of its coverage dedicated to physical violence, Daily Trust demonstrates a strong editorial focus on safety and security, highlighting its role in addressing violence-related concerns.

Balanced Focus on Social Unrest and Legal Issues: The coverage of attacks during conflicts (10.7%) and legal harassment (8.3%) underscores Daily Trust's commitment to reporting on societal tensions and rights protection.

Moderate Emphasis on Legislation: At 8.3%, the coverage of legislation and policies reflects a balanced approach to informing readers about governmental actions, though not as extensively as physical violence.

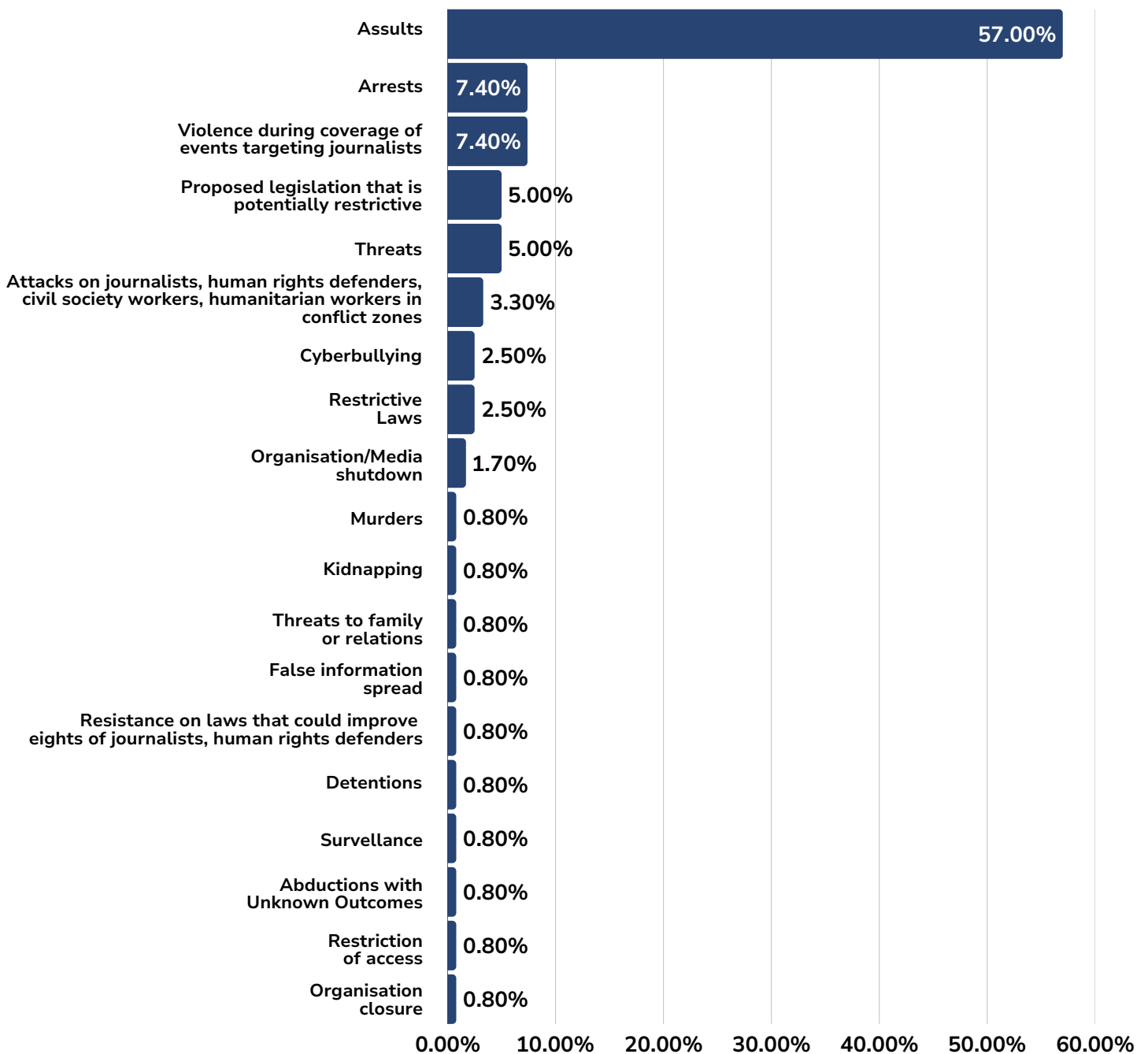
Conclusion

This analysis reveals the thematic priorities of Daily Trust newspaper, emphasizing physical violence as its dominant focus. The coverage of social unrest, legal issues, and harassment further underscores its commitment to addressing societal safety and rights protection. Understanding these editorial choices can offer readers insights into Daily Trust's priorities and its approach to reporting on key societal issues

Analysis of Subtopic Coverage in Daily Trust Newspaper

Daily Trust newspaper's coverage of subtopics provides a deeper understanding of its editorial focus and the specific issues it prioritizes within broader topics. Analyzing the percentage of coverage dedicated to each subtopic can offer insights into the nuances of Daily Trust's reporting and the detailed issues it considers most significant.

PERCENTAGE OF EACH SUB-TOPIC IN DAILY TRUST NEWSPAPER



Percentage of Coverage on Key Subtopics in Daily Trust Newspaper:

Assaults

Overwhelming Coverage: Assaults account for a dominant 57.0% of Daily Trust's subtopic coverage. This focus underscores the newspaper's commitment to highlighting personal safety and security issues, reflecting its role in addressing violence-related concerns.

Arrests

Significant Attention: Arrests make up 7.4% of the subtopic coverage, indicating a focus on documenting legal actions and their implications on societal interactions and rights protection.

Violence during Coverage of Events Targeting Journalists

Notable Focus: This subtopic, also at 7.4%, reflects Daily Trust's commitment to reporting on threats faced by media professionals, emphasizing the importance of protecting journalists in challenging environments.

Proposed Legislation that is Potentially Restrictive

Moderate Coverage: With 5.0% of its subtopic coverage, Daily Trust highlights concerns over legislative developments that could impact civil liberties, underscoring its role in safeguarding rights.

Threats

Considerable Focus: Threats account for another 5.0% of the subtopic coverage, indicating attention to intimidation issues and their impact on personal and public safety.

Other Subtopics

Diverse Coverage: Subtopics like cyberbullying (2.5%), restrictive laws (2.5%), and various others each account for smaller percentages, reflecting a broad editorial strategy that addresses a range of societal concerns.

Comparative Insights

Assaults as a Dominant Focus: With 57.0% of its subtopic coverage dedicated to assaults, Daily Trust demonstrates a strong editorial focus on personal safety and violence-related issues, reflecting its commitment to addressing pressing security concerns.

Balanced Attention to Legal and Rights Issues: The coverage of arrests (7.4%) and potentially restrictive legislation (5.0%) underscores Daily Trust's commitment to informing readers about legal actions and their societal implications.

Highlighting Media Safety Challenges: By dedicating 7.4% of its coverage to violence against journalists, Daily Trust emphasizes the importance of protecting media professionals and advocating for their safety in challenging environments.

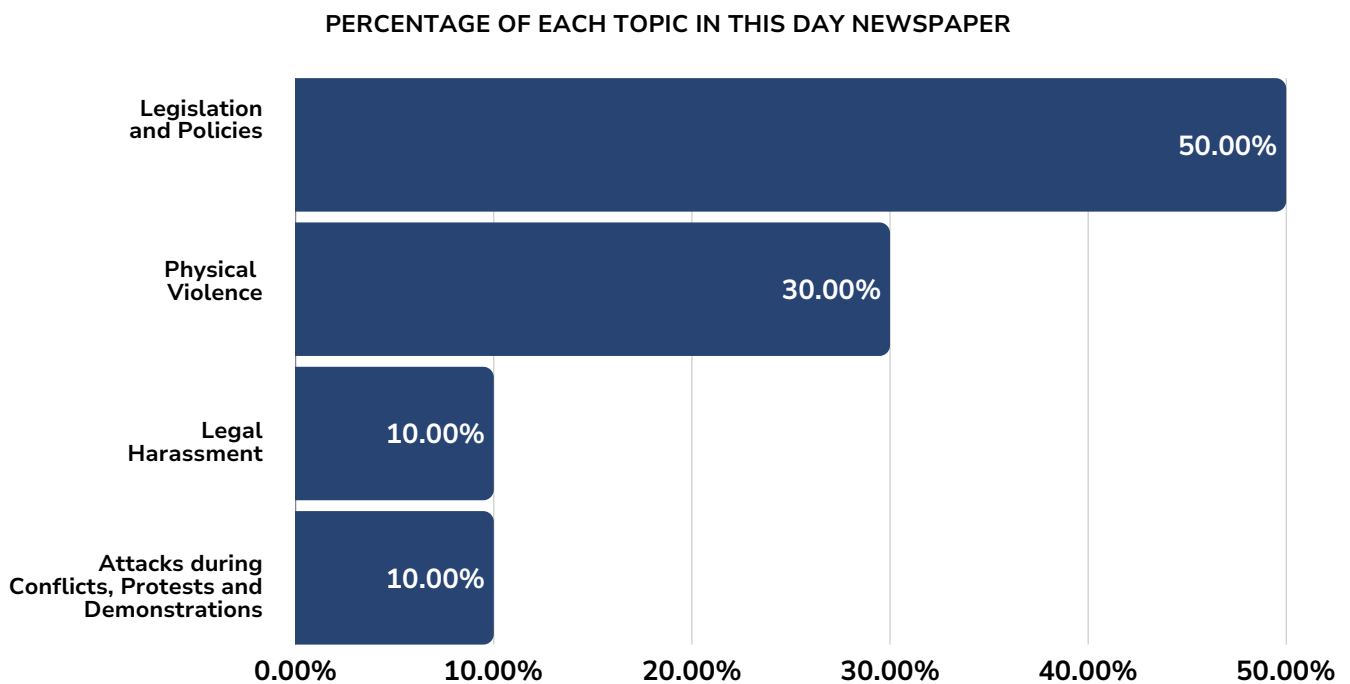
Conclusion

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THIS DAY

Analysis of Topic Coverage in This Day Newspaper

This Day newspaper's coverage spans various topics, reflecting its editorial focus and the priorities it places on informing the public about societal issues. Analyzing the percentage of coverage dedicated to each topic can provide insights into the newspaper's thematic emphasis and the issues it considers most pertinent.



Percentage of Coverage on Key Topics in This Day Newspaper

Legislation and Policies

Dominant Coverage: This Day dedicates a significant 50.0% of its articles to legislation and policies. This substantial emphasis highlights the newspaper's commitment to informing the public about governmental actions and potential changes that could affect citizens' lives, underscoring its role in providing insights into legislative developments.

Physical Violence

Strong Focus: Physical violence accounts for 30.0% of This Day's coverage. This indicates a considerable editorial priority towards reporting incidents of violence, reflecting a commitment to highlighting safety and security issues within society.

Legal Harassment

Moderate Attention: This Day allocates 10.0% of its articles to legal harassment, indicating an editorial focus on defending individual rights and addressing legal challenges. This coverage suggests a commitment to informing readers about potential misuses of legal systems.

Attacks during Conflicts, Protests, and Demonstrations

Focused Coverage: This topic comprises 10.0% of This Day's reporting, reflecting a moderate level of emphasis on documenting social movements and civil unrest. This coverage highlights the newspaper's dedication to reporting on societal tensions and public safety concerns.

Other Topics

Lack of Coverage: This Day does not report on several other topics, such as censorship, misinformation, and online attacks, suggesting that these issues may not be prioritized compared to the topics mentioned above.

Comparative Insights

Legislation and Policies as a Priority: With 50.0% of its coverage dedicated to legislation and policies, This Day stands out for its intense focus on informing the public about governmental actions and potential legislative changes.

Balanced Yet Focused Approach: While legislation and policies dominate, This Day maintains a balanced focus on physical violence and legal harassment, indicating a comprehensive editorial strategy that addresses a range of societal issues.

Moderate Emphasis on Social Unrest: At 10.0%, the coverage of attacks during conflicts and protests highlights This Day's commitment to reporting on societal tensions, though not as extensively as legislation and violence.

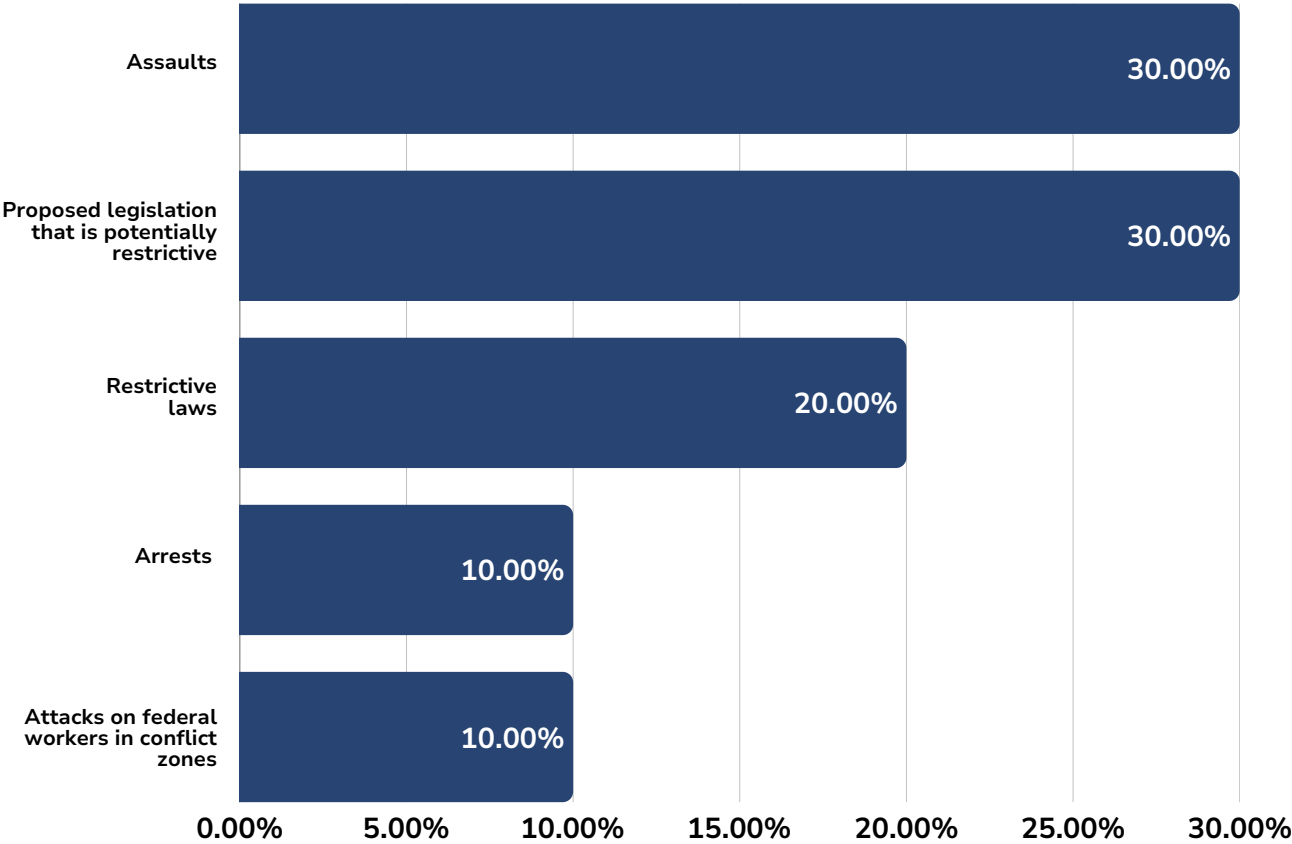
Conclusion

This analysis reveals the thematic priorities of This Day newspaper, emphasizing legislation and policies as its dominant focus. The coverage of physical violence and legal harassment further underscores its commitment to addressing societal safety and rights protection. Understanding these editorial choices can offer readers insights into This Day's priorities and its approach to reporting on key societal issues.

Analysis of Subtopic Coverage in This Day Newspaper

This Day newspaper's coverage of subtopics provides a deeper understanding of its editorial focus and the specific issues it prioritizes within broader topics. Analyzing the percentage of coverage dedicated to each subtopic can offer insights into the nuances of This Day's reporting and the detailed issues it considers most significant.

PERCENTAGE OF EACH SUB-TOPIC IN THIS DAY NEWSPAPER



Percentage of Coverage on Key Subtopics in This Day Newspaper

Assaults

Significant Coverage: Assaults account for 30.0% of This Day's subtopic coverage. This focus indicates a strong editorial commitment to highlighting personal safety and security issues, reflecting the newspaper's role in addressing violence-related concerns.

Proposed Legislation that is Potentially Restrictive

Equal Emphasis: Also comprising 30.0% of subtopic coverage, This Day dedicates significant attention to proposed restrictive legislation. This highlights the newspaper's commitment to informing the public about potential legislative changes that could affect civil liberties.

Restrictive Laws

Considerable Focus: Restrictive laws make up 20.0% of This Day's subtopic coverage, indicating a continued focus on safeguarding freedoms and ensuring that legislative developments do not infringe upon rights.

Arrests

Moderate Attention: Arrests account for 10.0% of the subtopic coverage, reflecting This Day's focus on documenting legal actions and their implications on societal interactions and rights protection.

Attacks on Journalists, Human Rights Defenders, Civil Society Workers, Humanitarian Workers in Conflict Zones

Targeted Coverage: This subtopic also comprises 10.0% of the coverage, highlighting This Day's commitment to reporting on threats faced by individuals in conflict zones and emphasizing the importance of protecting those who work in challenging environments.

Comparative Insights

Balanced Focus on Legislation and Violence: With equal emphasis on assaults and proposed restrictive legislation (30.0% each), This Day demonstrates a balanced editorial strategy that addresses both violence-related concerns and potential legislative impacts on civil liberties.

Continued Emphasis on Legal and Rights Issues: The focus on restrictive laws (20.0%) and arrests (10.0%) underscores This Day's commitment to informing readers about legal actions and their societal implications.

Highlighting Challenges in Conflict Zones: By dedicating 10.0% of its coverage to attacks on journalists and human rights defenders, This Day emphasizes the importance of protecting those at risk in conflict areas, reflecting its role in advocating for safety and rights.

Conclusion

This analysis reveals the nuanced priorities of This Day newspaper, emphasising a balanced focus on violence and legislative issues. The coverage of legal actions and challenges in conflict zones further underscores its commitment to addressing societal safety and rights protection. Understanding these editorial choices can offer readers insights into This Day's priorities and its approach to reporting on detailed societal issues.

Summary

The comparative analysis of newspaper coverage reveals significant disparities in the emphasis placed on various societal issues. Notably, Tribune dedicates 33.3% of its articles to physical violence, reflecting a strong editorial commitment to reporting safety and security issues. Leadership focuses 27.8% of its coverage on legislation and policies, underscoring its role in informing the public about governmental actions.

Guardian leads with 76.9% of its articles on physical violence, highlighting its commitment to addressing violence-related concerns.

Daily Trust balances its coverage with 58.7% of articles on physical violence and notable attention to social unrest (10.7%).

This Day prioritizes legislation and policies with 50.0% of its coverage, indicating a strong focus on informing readers about potential legislative changes.


The analysis also highlights minimal coverage of issues like "Online Attacks" and "Forced Disappearance," with only Daily Trust providing limited attention. Similarly, topics like "Misinformation and Disinformation" receive sparse coverage, with only Daily Trust dedicating 0.8% of its articles to this challenge.

Overall, the findings underscore the diversity in editorial focus among newspapers, with some prioritizing violence and legislation, while others address broader societal issues, albeit with varying degrees of emphasis. Understanding these editorial choices offers insights into each newspaper's priorities and their approach to reporting on key societal issues.

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