

《伊拉克首都遭炸弹袭击24人死亡》

据伊拉克内政部消息，周四上午，巴格达什叶派堡垒遭受连串炸弹袭击致24人死亡，66人受伤。

BAGHDAD - Up to 24 people were killed and 66 others wounded in a spate of bomb attacks in Baghdad Shi'ite bastions on Thursday morning, an Interior Ministry source told Xinhua.

"Our latest reports said that 24 people were killed and 66 wounded by the attacks in the districts of Sadr City and Kadhmiah," the source said on condition of anonymity.

The deadliest attack occurred in Baghdad's northern Shi'ite district of Kadhmiah when two booby-trapped cars parked near crowded intersections detonated and killed 15 people and wounded 31 others, the source said.

Two more attacks occurred in the Shi'ite bastion of Sadr City district in eastern Baghdad when one of the attacks took place by a booby-trapped motorcycle that targeted a crowd of construction workers gathering near an intersection in the district, the source added.

A second attack took place at a busy intersection near the al-Sadr hospital in the same neighborhood of Sadr City when two roadside bombs detonated in a quick succession, he said.

The source said the total toll of the attacks of Sadr City at nine people killed and 35 wounded.

Many Iraqis are worried about a resurgence of ethnic and sectarian violence that once nearly torn the country apart few years ago.