

139,078

Total refugee returnees in Somalia

95,181

Total assisted refugee returnees in Somalia

43,897

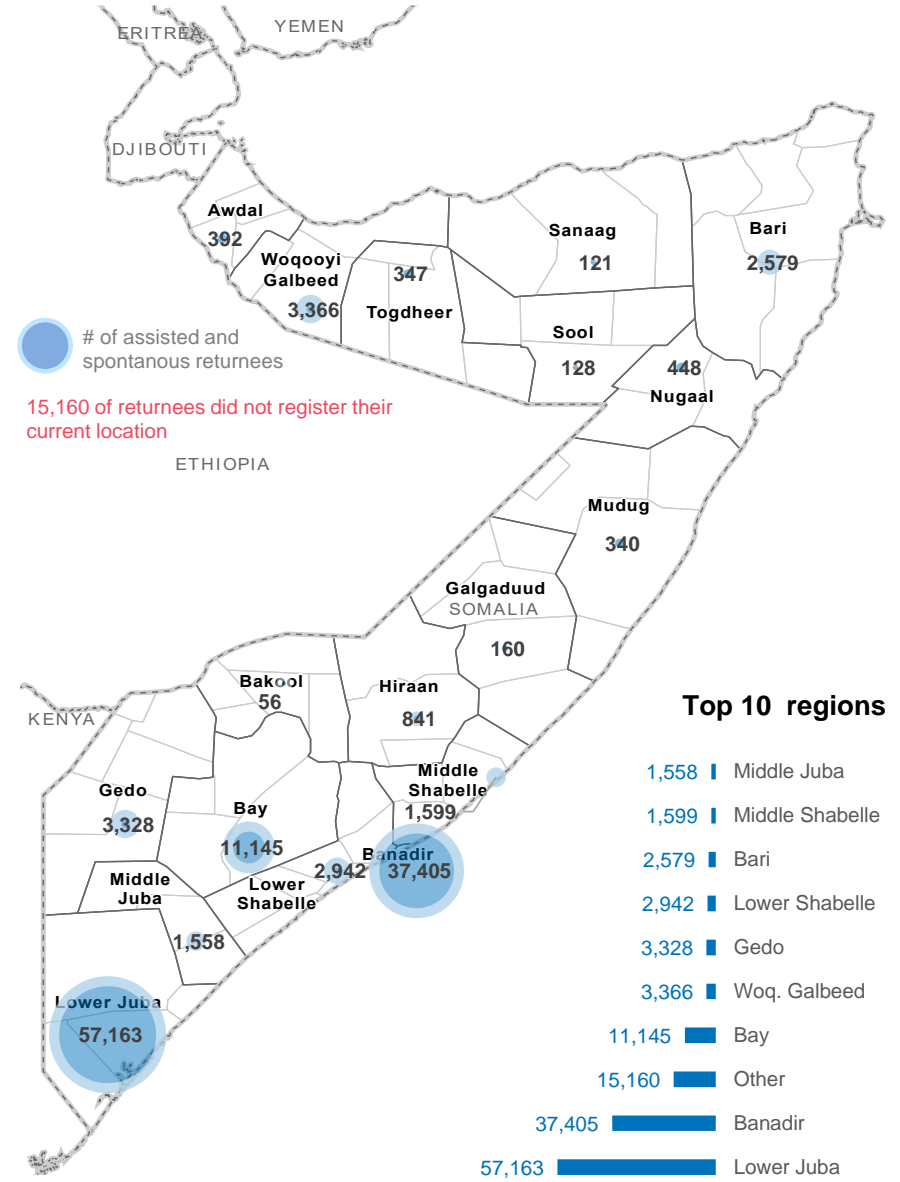
Total spontaneous returnees in Somalia

Data presented in this report relates to returnees arriving in Somalia as of May 2024. Since December 2014, UNHCR has supported 95,181 Somali refugees to return to Somalia.

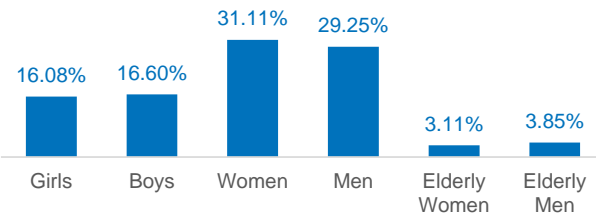
Additionally, a total of 43,897 Somalis were monitored as arriving spontaneously.

Returnees by Country of Asylum

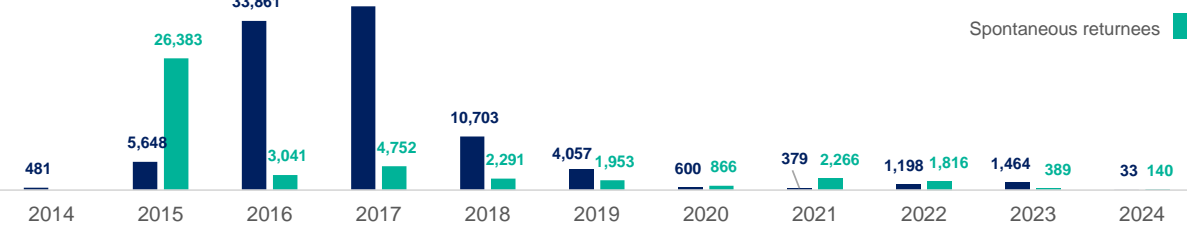
Region	Kenya	Yemen	Other
Awdal	-	375	17
Bakool	1	53	2
Banadir	15,879	20,598	928
Bari	12	2,533	34
Bay	9,705	1,418	22
Galgaduud	15	142	3
Gedo	2,922	361	45
Hiraan	42	777	22
Lower Juba	54,844	2,191	128
Lower Shabelle	104	2,836	2
Middle Juba	1,539	18	1
Middle Shabelle	798	776	25
Mudug	10	312	18
Nugaal	13	412	23
Other	-	14,981	179
Sanaag	-	121	-
Sool	-	125	3
Togdheer	2	332	13
Woq. Galbeed	18	2,968	380
Grand Total	85,904	51,329	1,845



Age and gender



Yearly return trend



KENYA

85,904

Data on destinations for returnees from Kenya is generally based on the place of initial return.

TOP 10 REGIONS

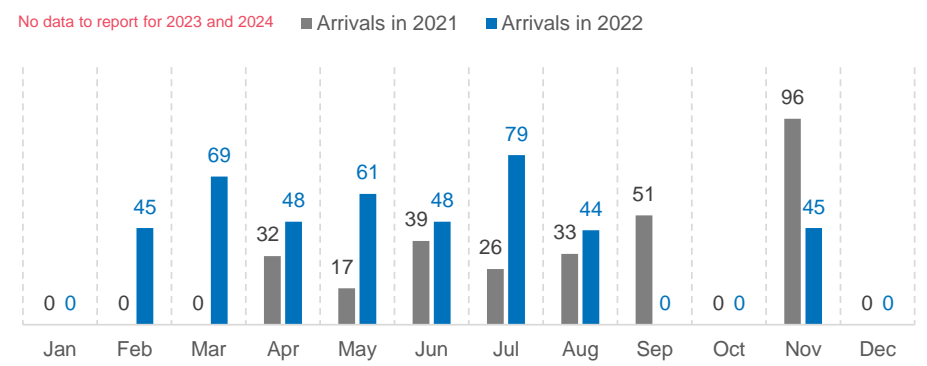
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ARRIVAL BY YEAR*

Year	Assisted returnees	Spontaneous returnees
2022	439	0
2021	294	0
2020	190	0
2019	2,142	0
2018	7,542	0
2017	35,409	0
2016	33,793	0
2015	5,614	0
2014	481	0

*No returns from Kenya since 2023.

ARRIVAL BY MONTH



YEMEN

51,329

In addition to the 7,432 Assisted Spontaneous Returns (ASR) since 2020, approximately 43,897 Somalis were monitored as arriving from Yemen 2020.

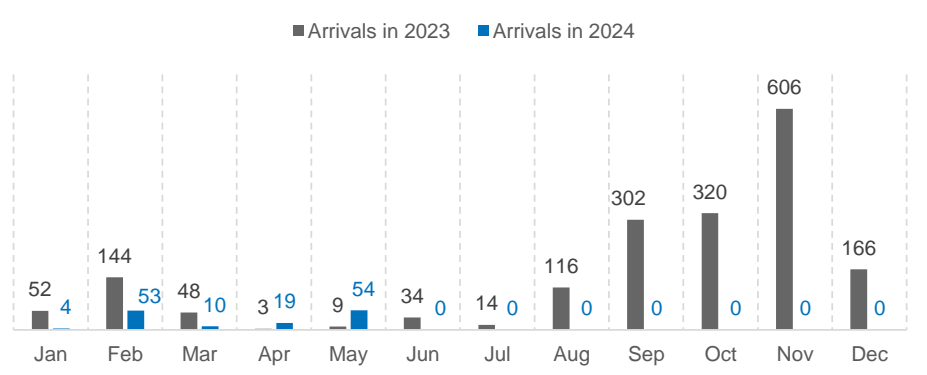
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ARRIVAL BY YEAR

Year	Assisted returnees	Spontaneous returnees
2024	140	389
2023	1,425	591
2022	1,816	1,953
2021	2,266	1,682
2020	866	329
2019	1,953	1,682
2018	2,291	2,591
2017	814	4,752
2016	0	3,041
2015	0	26,383

ARRIVAL BY MONTH



OTHER COUNTRIES

1,845

Other countries mainly returnees from Djibouti (773), Libya (755), and others (317)

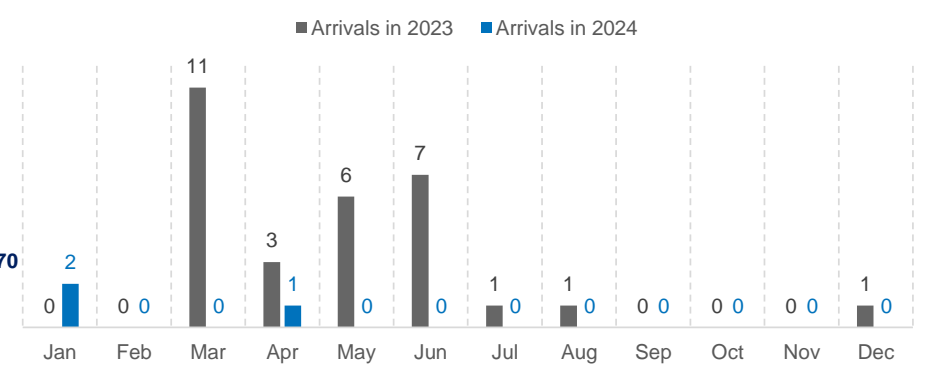
TOP 10 REGIONS

Banadir	928
Woq. Galbeed	338
Lower Juba	128
Gedo	45
Bari	32
Middle Shabelle	25
Other	24
Nugaal	23
Bay	22
Hiraan	22

ARRIVAL BY YEAR

Year	Assisted returnees	Spontaneous returnees
2024	33	140
2023	39	591
2022	168	1,953
2021	85	2,266
2020	81	866
2019	233	1,953
2018	570	2,591
2017	524	4,752
2016	68	3,041
2015	34	26,383

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