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Overview of Refugees and Asylum-seekers in Sudan

as of 31 July 2026

Refugees and Asylum-seekers

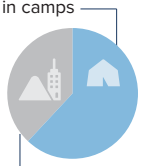
900,819 Individuals

273,821 Households

3 Average Family Size

Population Distribution

68% of population live in camps



32% of population live out of camps

Persons with Disabilities

19,072

3% of registered population are persons with disabilities

* Unaccompanied and Separated Children*

10,348

Despite the ongoing conflict that began in April 2023, Sudan continues to host a substantial number of refugees, totaling 900,819 as of 31 July, 2026. Most of these refugees are from South Sudan (75.7%), followed by Eritrea (15.1%), Ethiopia (7.1%). Among refugees, 273,500 self-relocated to safer areas within Sudan. While 3.6 million departed Sudan to neighboring countries, Sudan still remain a welcoming country of asylum, with 23,494 new arrivals in 2026, mainly from South Sudan, Eritrea and Ethiopia. 68% of the refugees are accommodated in camps, while the remaining 32% live outside of these facilities. 51% of the refugee population is female and 49% are male.

Registration Status

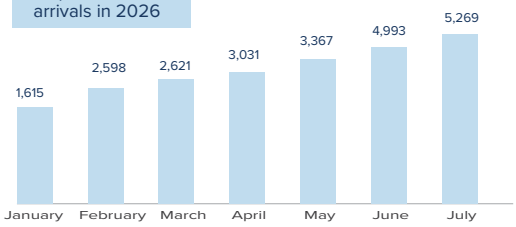
697,196

Individuals registered

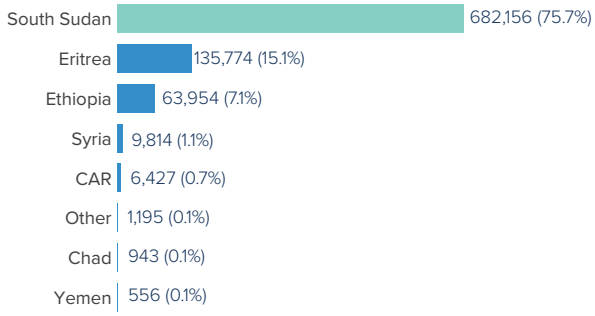
- 77% Individual registration
- 7% Household registration
- 16% Un-registered

New Arrivals Per Month

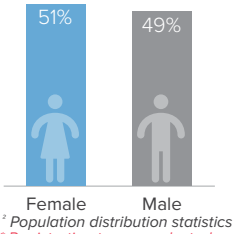
23,494 Total arrivals in 2026

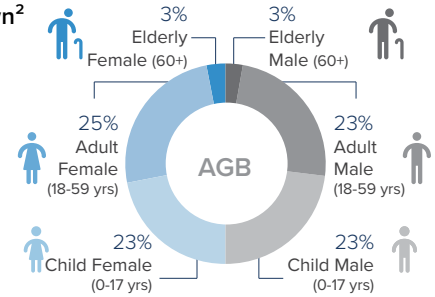


Country of Origin



Age-gender Breakdown[2]





Reproductive- age Women/Girls[2]

59% Females in reproductive-age (13-49 yrs)

Household Distribution[2]

56.7%

56.3% Women headed-household

0.4% Children headed-household

School-age Children[2]

36%

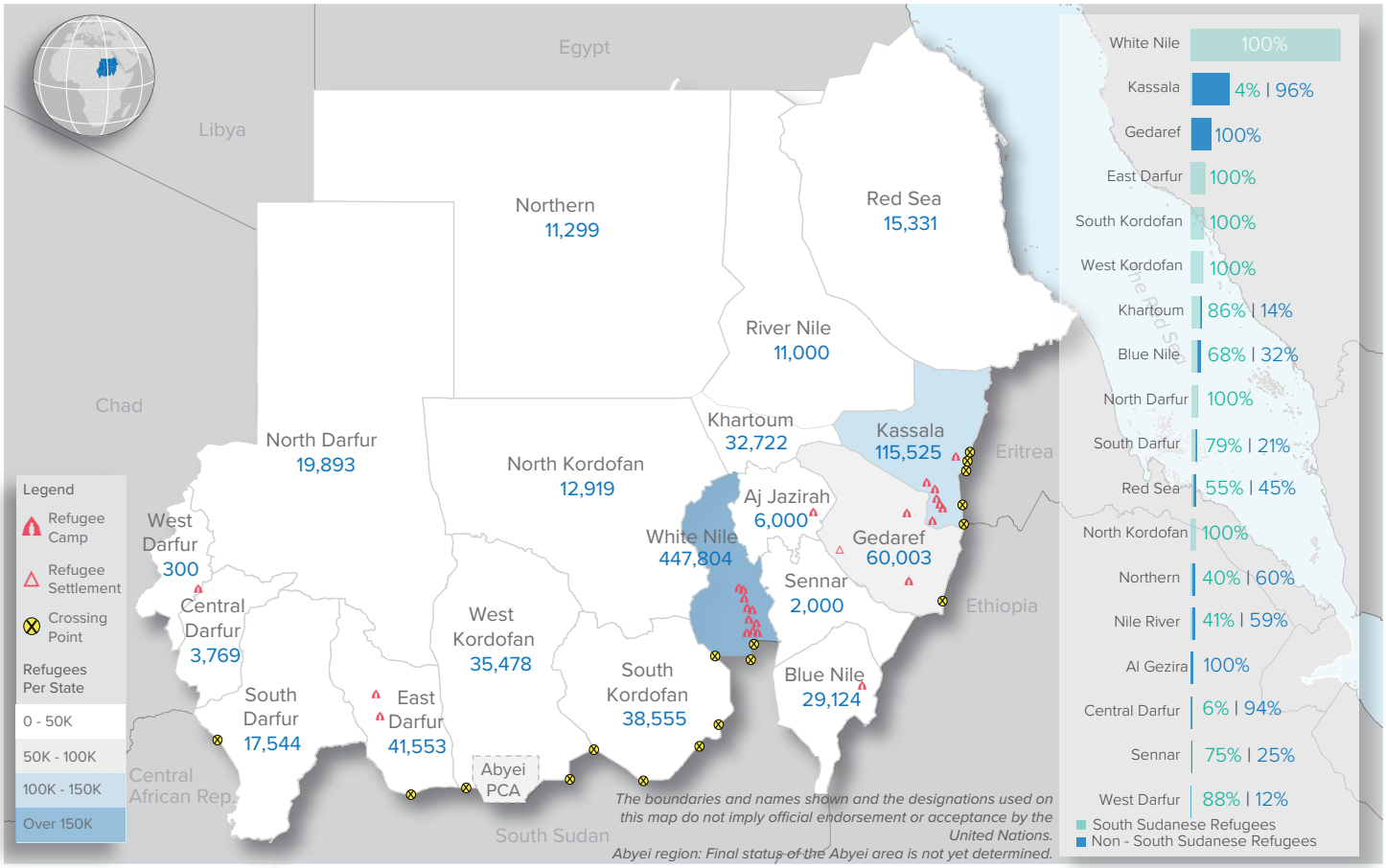
25% Primary school age children (6-13 yrs)

11% Secondary school age children (14-17 yrs)

[2] *Population distribution statistics are based on registered individuals only.*

* *Registration team conducted verification/revision exercise of UASC figures, all cases exceed 18 year old been excluded.*

Sources: UNHCR, Commission of Refugees (CoR), UNICEF



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