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Reported number of spontaneous refugee returnees*

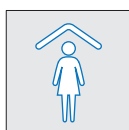
*This number represents the total returns corroborated from November 2017 to date

1,065 recorded in 2019

Household-based sample survey for spontaneous refugee returnees in 2019

Of the surveyed households **100%** have a refugee ID or ration card, and **100%** arrived after the signing of the R-ARCSS on 12th September 2018.


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 Households of
250 individuals Surveyed

58%

 Female-headed
 households

90%

 Intended to stay in SSD
 permanently

Main border crossing points

Battima/Dingimo

173 Inds / **13** HHs

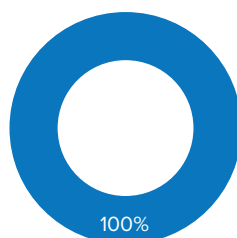
Bamboli

47 Inds / **13** HHs

Source Yubu

30 Inds / **5** HHs

Place of residence in South Sudan



County of origin

Settlements in CoA

Obo

229 Inds / **27** HHs

Bangui

21 Inds / **2** HHs

Main reasons for return

Push factor:

- ❶ Inadequate livelihood opportunity in country of asylum
- ❷ Inadequate access to basic services in country of asylum
- ❸ Insecurity in country of asylum

Pull factor:

- ❶ Improved security situation in South Sudan
- ❷ Improved availability of services in South Sudan
- ❸ Reunite with family members

Mode of transport


93%

 returned
 on foot

7%

returned by bicycle

Mode of payment


93%

 did not pay any money as
 they travelled on foot

3%

 Paid on their own for
 the travel

Vulnerability


10

 children at
 risk

6

 women at
 risk

2

 elderly at
 risk

1

 impaired / illness
 / disability

Top 5 reported protection incidents during travel

- ❶ Loss/theft of belongings
- ❷ Medical emergencies
- ❸ Confiscation of refugee card and/or ration card
- ❹ Extortion of money

No of times

 23
 9
 2
 1

*In coordination with the office of the Relief and Rehabilitation Commission (RRC), UNHCR and its partners triangulate received reports at community level with local government authorities, religious groups, traditional leaders, civil society and community members as well as refugee returnees themselves.

The boundaries and names shown and the designations used on this map do not imply official endorsement or acceptance by the United Nations.

Final status of the Abyei area is not yet determined. Source: Geographic data: UNHCR, UNCS, UNDP. Returnee statistics: UNHCR and partners

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