

# COLOMBIA

## VENEZUELAN REFUGEES AND MIGRANTS

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Due to the situation in Venezuela, the number of people arriving in Colombia from the neighbouring country continues to increase. By the end of 2019, **1.7 million** Venezuelans were living in Colombia and, according to the population projections in the Response Plan (RMRP), by 2020 there will be **2.4 million** refugees and migrants in the country.

### Venezuelans in Colombia<sup>a</sup>

**1,809,872**

**56.6%** with irregular migration status. **1,025,683**

**43.4%** with regular migration status. **784,234**

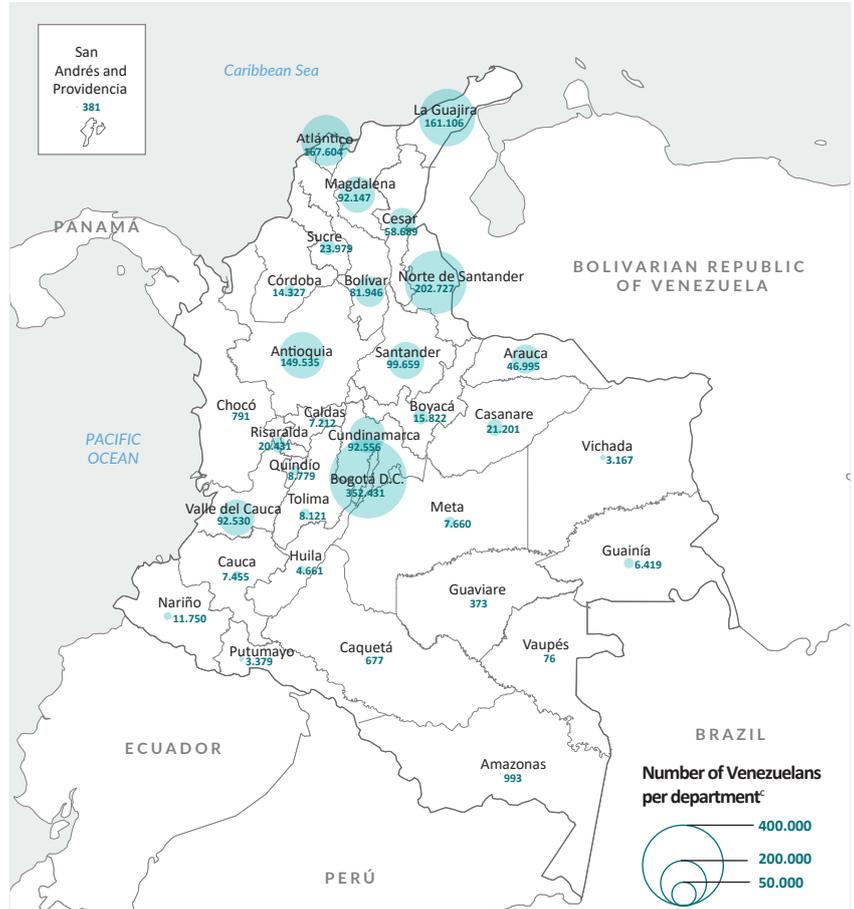
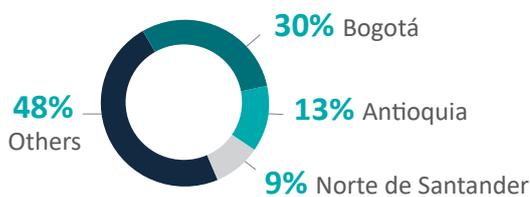
The total number shows a reduction of 0.9%, compared to the last official figure of 1,825,687 as of February 2020.

### With the intention to stay<sup>b</sup>

**661,370** Venezuelans with Special Stay Permits (PEP, by its acronym in Spanish).

**60,854** renewed Phase II permits (from December 24, 2019).

### Departments that concentrate Venezuelan population with PEP:



### In circular movement<sup>b</sup>

**4.98 million** Venezuelans with border mobility cards (TMF, by its acronym in Spanish)

**108,813** cards that have been revoked for misuse since February 8, 2017.

- Official border crossing points
- Areas where the use of TMF is valid



### In transit<sup>b</sup>

**52,797** temporary transit permits issued (PIP-PTT, by its acronym in Spanish).

**77,842** exits from the country to third countries.

**68,819** exits from Colombia into Venezuela.

### Exits through the Rumichaca border crossing 2019/20<sup>b</sup>

**462,828** exits to Ecuador in 2019.

**11,943** exits in 2020.

