

# EHAGL REGION UNHCR's Drought response in Ethiopia, Kenya and Somalia

as of 31 March 2023

# **OVERVIEW**

Following poor rainfall in recent years, along with changing climatic conditions, the Horn of Africa region is facing a catastrophic drought. The drought is severely affecting millions of refugees, internally displaced persons (IDPs) and their host communities in Ethiopia, Kenya and Somalia. This dashboard provides a summary of new internal and cross-boarder displacements from and into drought-affected areas, as conflict, insecurity and environmental elements continue to displace communities across the region. It also presents the existing refugee populations hosted in drought-affected areas.

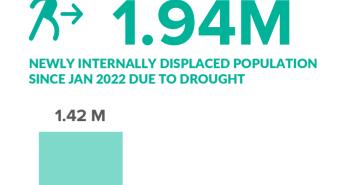
## **NEW DISPLACEMENTS**

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DROUGHT AFFECTED AREAS SINCE JAN 2022

### New refugee and asylum-seeker arrivals into drought affected areas

|                                     | By Country of Origin |         |             |        |          |
|-------------------------------------|----------------------|---------|-------------|--------|----------|
| By location in<br>Country of Asylum | Ethiopia             | Somalia | South Sudan | Others | Total    |
| Dadaab                              | 1,328                | 91,525  | 179         | 208    | 93,240** |
| Kakuma                              | 1,005                | 1,846   | 22,568      | 19,309 | 44,728   |
| Kenya Total                         | 2,333                | 93,371  | 22,747      | 19,517 | 137,968  |
| Melkadida Camps                     | -                    | 104,003 | -           | -      | 104,003  |
| Ethiopia Total                      | -                    | 104,003 | -           | -      | 104,003  |
| Somalia Total                       | 2,946                | -       | -           | -      | 2,946    |
| Grand Total                         | 5,279                | 197,374 | 22,747      | 19,517 | 244,917  |





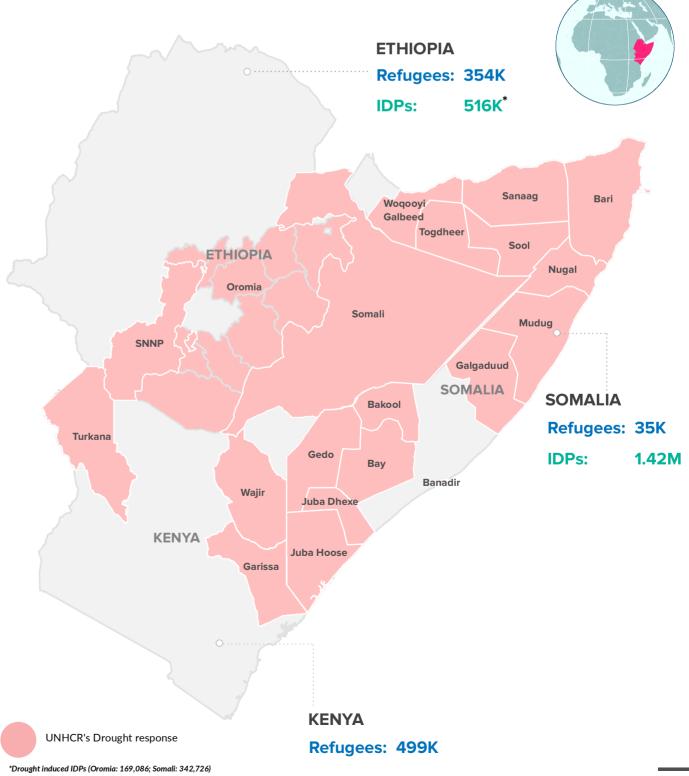
Source | Ethiopia: IOM DTM National Displacement report 14 Source | Somalia: Protection & Return Monitoring Network (PRMN)

\*Figure includes registered and non-registered new arrivals. \*\*This figure is part of more than 100,000 arrivals to the Dadaab camps in the last several years in urgent need of shelter and other services.

## **EXISTING DISPLACEMENTS**

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# **UNHCR'S DROUGHT RESPONSE IN ETHIOPIA, KENYA AND SOMALIA**



| Kenya    | Garissa - <b>(Ifo,Hagadera,Dagahaley</b><br><b>Camps)</b>    | 240,984 |
|----------|--|---------|
|          | Turkana - <b>(Kakuma,Kalobeyei)</b>                          | 257,761 |
|          | Total  | 498,745 |
| Ethiopia |  |         |
|          | Somali - (Melkadida, Jijiga and<br>new influx from Somalia ) | 344,914 |
|          | SNNP - (South Omo-Kangaten)                                  | 4,938   |
|          | Oromia - (Dilo, Magado, Moyale)                              | 4,037   |
|          | Total  | 353,889 |
| Somalia  |  |         |
|          | Woqooyi Galbeed  | 16,603  |
|          | Bari   | 9,871   |
|          | Nugal  | 2,827   |
|          | Banadir  | 2,743   |
|          | Mudug  | 1,501   |
|          | Other  | 1,836   |
|          | Total  | 35,381  |
|          | Grand Total  | 888,015 |

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

Final boundaries between the Republic of Sudan and the Republic of South Sudan and Somalia and Ethiopia has not yet been determined. Final status of the Abyei area is not yet determined.

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