Context
Following the outbreak of armed conflict in Sudan on 15 April 2023, Ethiopia is receiving thousands of forcibly displaced people at several points of entry along the land border between Sudan and Ethiopia. Amongst the forcibly displaced are thousands of Sudanese and Ethiopian nationals, many of whom were recognized as refugees in Sudan. Arrivals are screened using a protection screening tool to identify and address specific needs. With this information and to support the government of Ethiopia, UNHCR is working with the government on operational responses, considering its international protection responsibilities to the displaced people due to the situation in Sudan.

Joint RRS/UNHCR missions are underway to screen and assess land for reception and sheltering of those who need this protection support, in partnership with regional authorities, other UN agencies and NGOs.

Key figures
- **1,465** Total new arrivals in need of international protection
- **1,452** Newly arrived refugees
- **13** Ethiopian returnees

Nationality breakdown
- **1,339** Eritreans
- **66** Sudanese
- **45** South Sudanese

Gender breakdown
- **Female**: 53%
- **Male**: 47%

Daily arrival trends

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