

# Overview of Refugee and Asylum-Seekers Population

(as of 31 December 2023)

**1.43** MILLION approx  
TOTAL REGISTERED

**1.35\*** MILLION approx  
AFGHAN (PoR) CARD HOLDERS

**11,558**  
REGISTERED REFUGEES UNDER UNHCR'S MANDATE

**61,655**  
REGISTERED ASYLUM SEEKERS UNDER UNHCR'S MANDATE

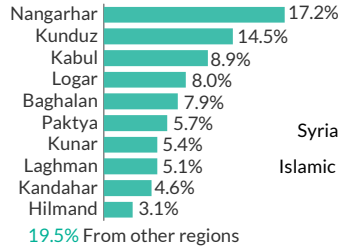


**68.6%**  
OUTSIDE REFUGEE VILLAGES

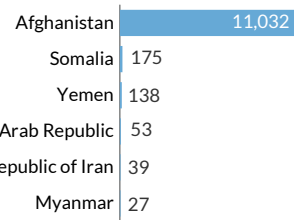


**31.4%**  
LIVING IN REFUGEE VILLAGES

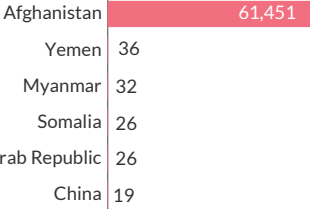
% PLACE OF ORIGIN (TOP 10)



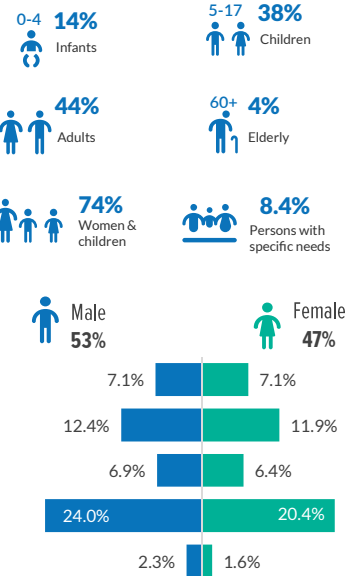
COUNTRY OF ORIGIN (TOP 6)



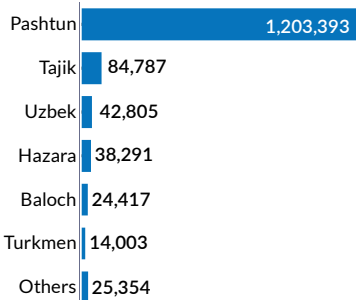
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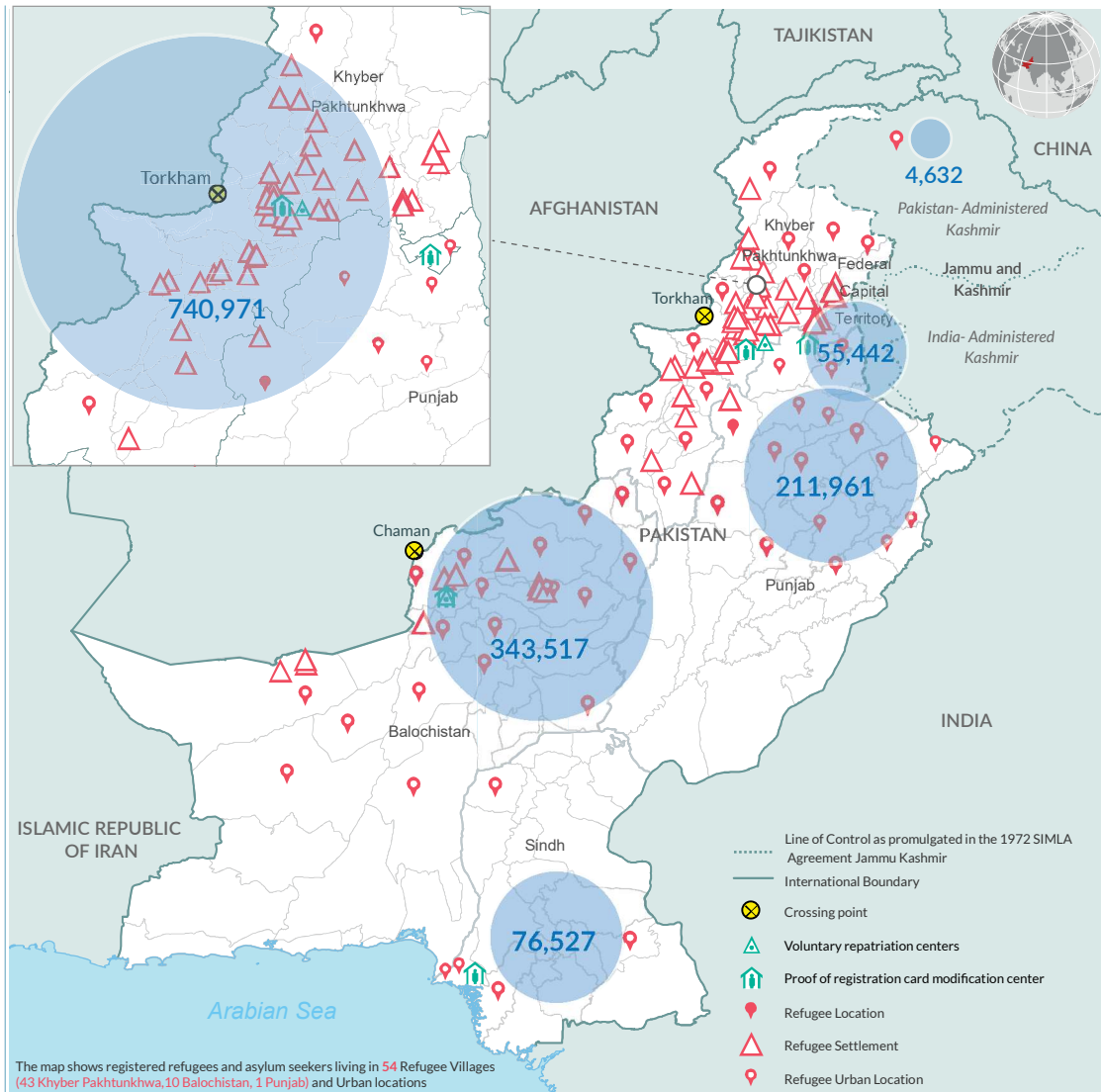
AGE AND GENDER COMPOSITION



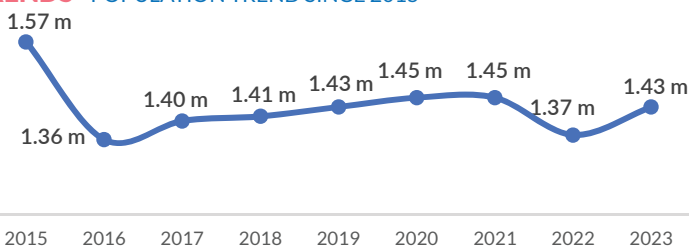
BREAKDOWN BY ETHNICITY



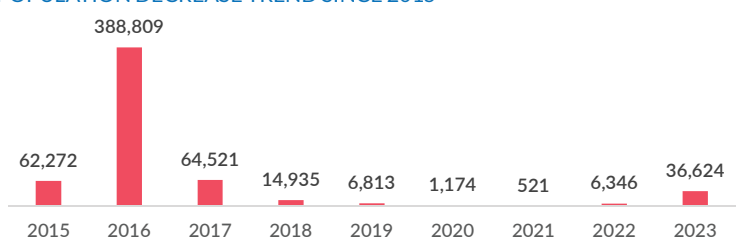
**341,568** Households  
**78,728** (23.0%) Female-Headed



TRENDS POPULATION TREND SINCE 2015



POPULATION DECREASE TREND SINCE 2015\*\*



The Population statistics are compiled monthly using data from the Afghan National Registration (ANR) Database and UNHCR Profile Global Registration System (proGres V4). Statistics are updated as of 31 December 2023.

\*Increases includes 47,9121 birth registration and renewal of POR cards in the 1st quarter of 2023  
\*\*Decreases result from voluntary repatriation, resettlement and inactivation, including due to deaths

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