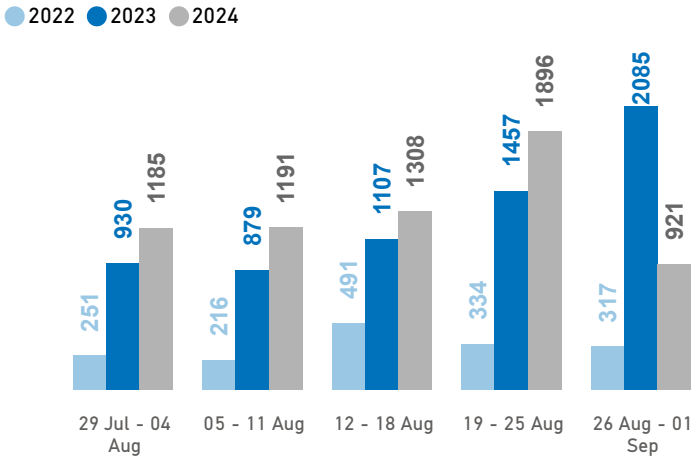
Aegean Islands Weekly Snapshot

Sea arrivals

This week, the Aegean islands saw 921 arrivals, a decrease from last week's 1,896.
The average of the daily arrivals on the Aegean islands for this week is 132.



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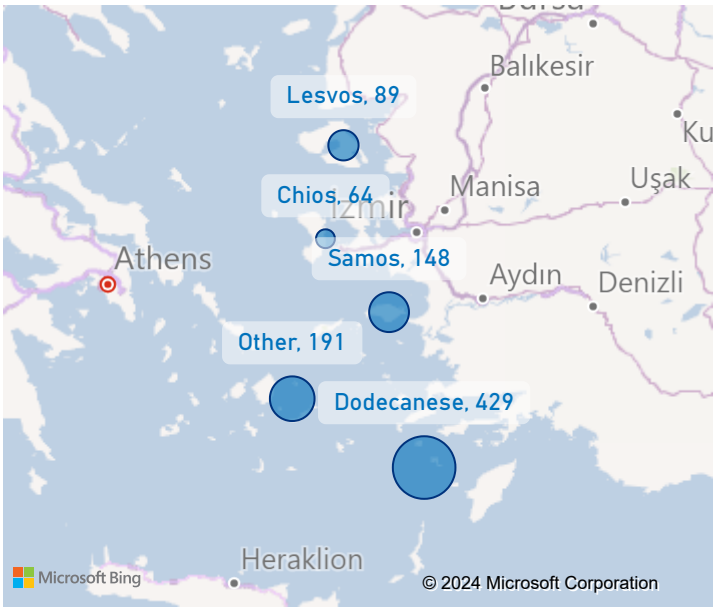
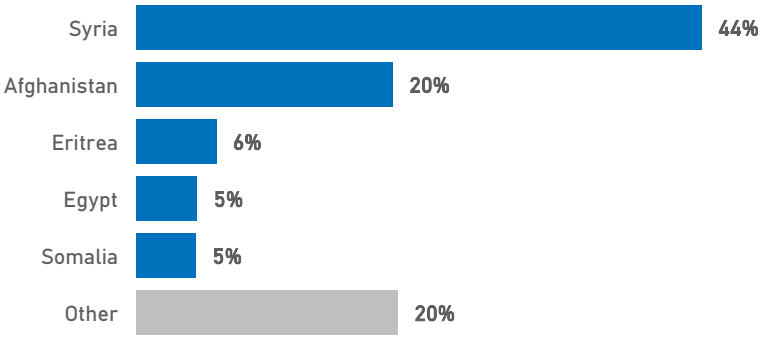
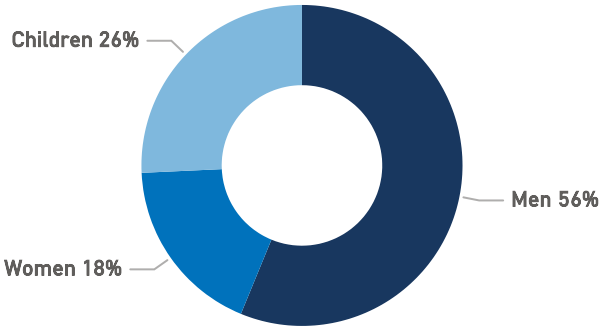


Population in the CCACs

Currently, 8,021 refugees and migrants reside in the Closed Controlled Access Center(s).

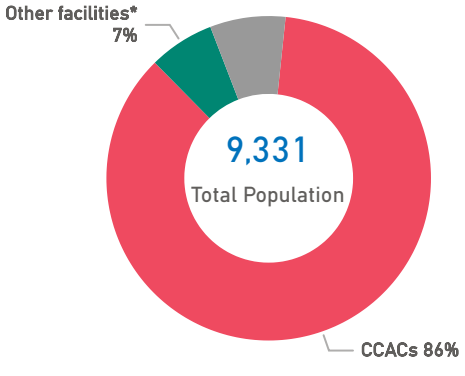
Most of them are from Syria (44%), Afghanistan (20%) and Eritrea (6%). Men account for 56% of the population, women for 18% and children for 26%.





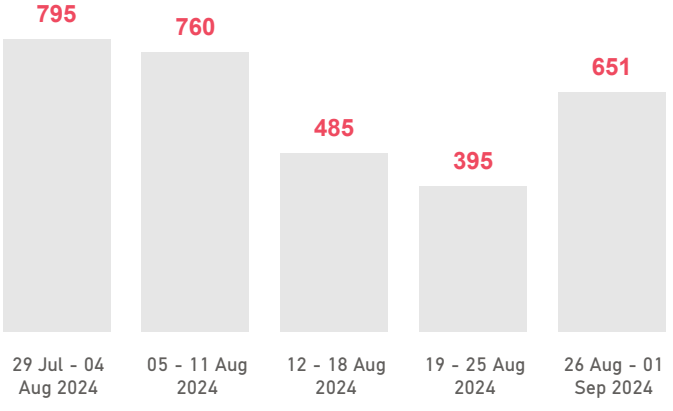
Population on the Islands

There are 9,331 refugees and migrants on the Aegean islands. Out of this total, 8,021 reside at the CCACs and 608 are hosted in other facilities. UNHCR estimates that there are also 702 self-accommodated in the islands.



Departures

This week, 651 refugees and migrants departed from the Aegean islands to the mainland.



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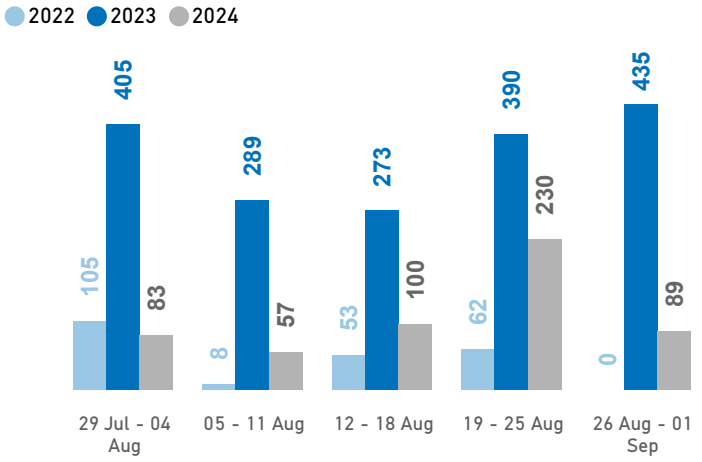
Lesvos Weekly Snapshot

Sea arrivals

This week, Lesvos saw 89 arrivals, a decrease from last week's 230.

The average of the daily arrivals on Lesvos for this week is 13.



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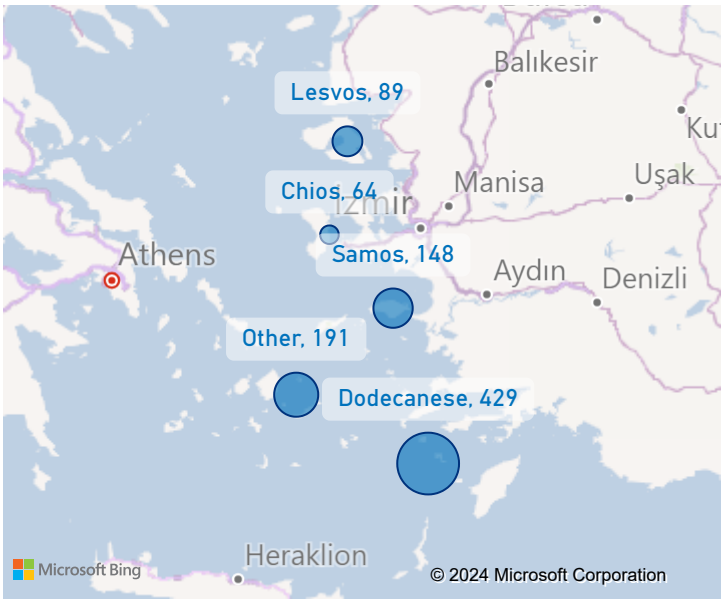
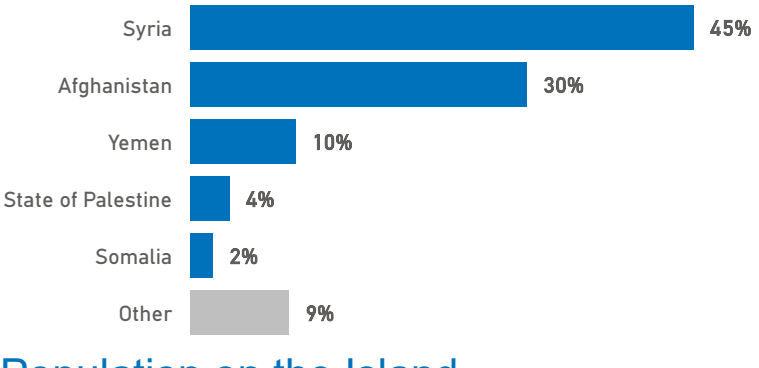
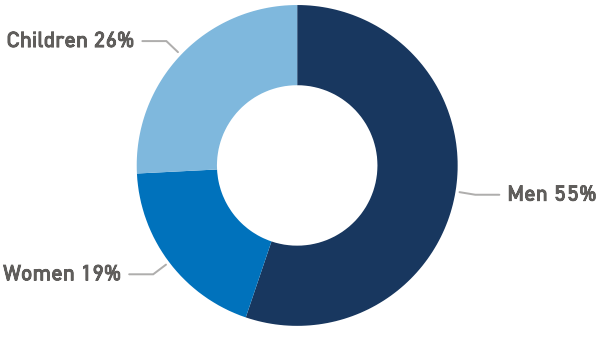


Population in the CCAC

Currently, 1,051 refugees and migrants reside in the Closed Controlled Access Center.

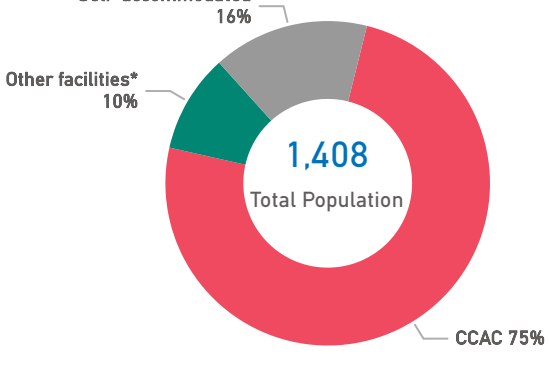
Most of them are from Syria (45%), Afghanistan (30%) and Yemen (10%). Men account for 55% of the population, women for 19% and children for 26%.





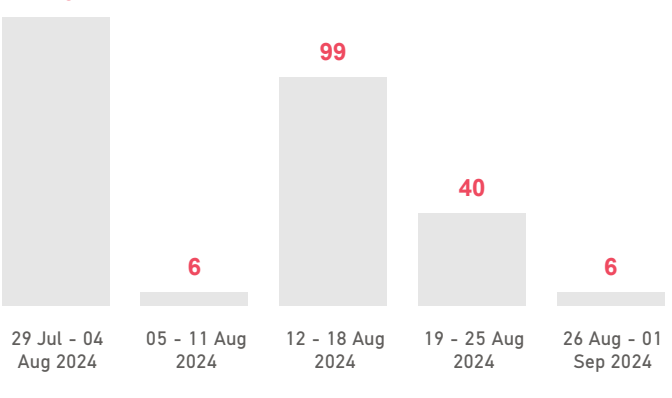
Population on the Island

There are 1,408 refugees and migrants on Lesvos. Out of this total, 1,051 reside at the CCAC and 138 are hosted in other facilities. UNHCR identified 219 self-accommodated refugees in the island up to this date.



Departures

This week, 6 refugees and migrants departed from Lesvos to the mainland.



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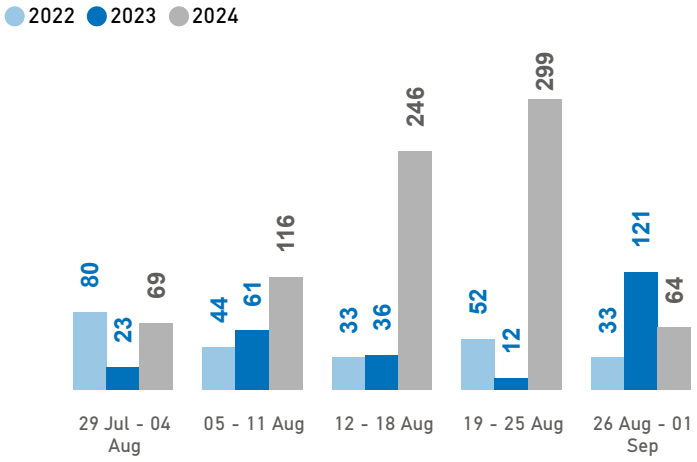
Chios Island Weekly Snapshot

Sea arrivals

This week, Chios island saw 64 arrivals, a decrease from last week's 299.

The average of the daily arrivals on Chios island for this week is 9.



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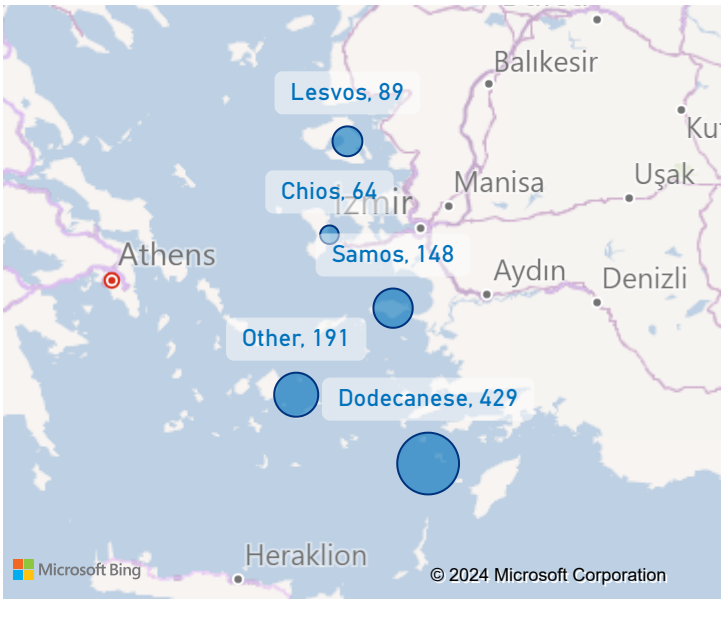
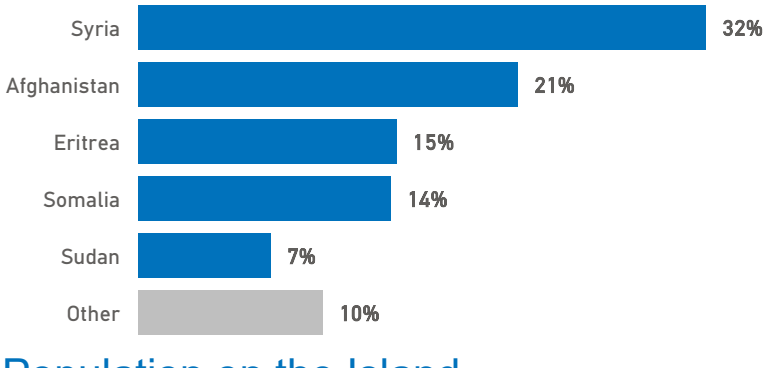
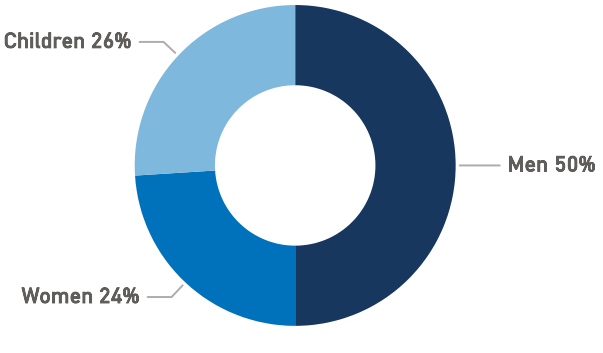


Population in the CCAC

Currently, 1,022 refugees and migrants reside in the Closed Controlled Access Center.

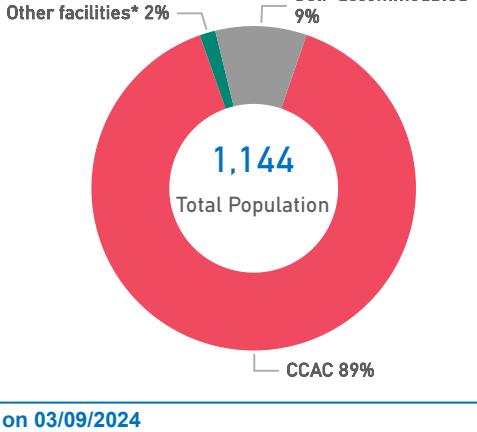
Most of them are from Syria (32%), Afghanistan (21%) and Eritrea (15%). Men account for 50% of the population, women for 24% and children for 26%.





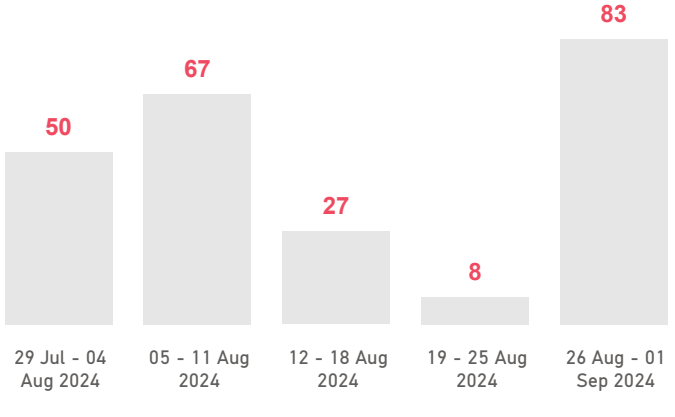
Population on the Island

There are 1,144 refugees and migrants on Chios island. Out of this total, 1,022 reside at the CCAC and 18 are hosted in other facilities. UNHCR estimates that there are also 104 self-accommodated in the island.



Departures

This week, 83 refugees and migrants departed from Chios island to the mainland



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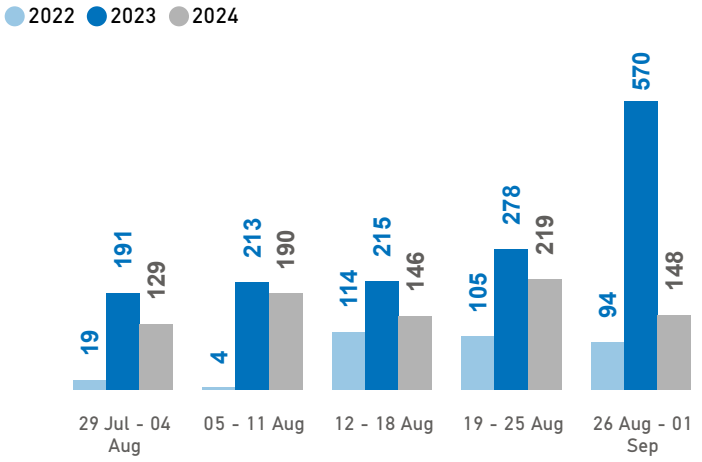
Samos Island Weekly Snapshot

Sea arrivals

This week, Samos island saw 148 arrivals, a decrease from last week's 219.

The average of the daily arrivals on Samos island for this week is 21.



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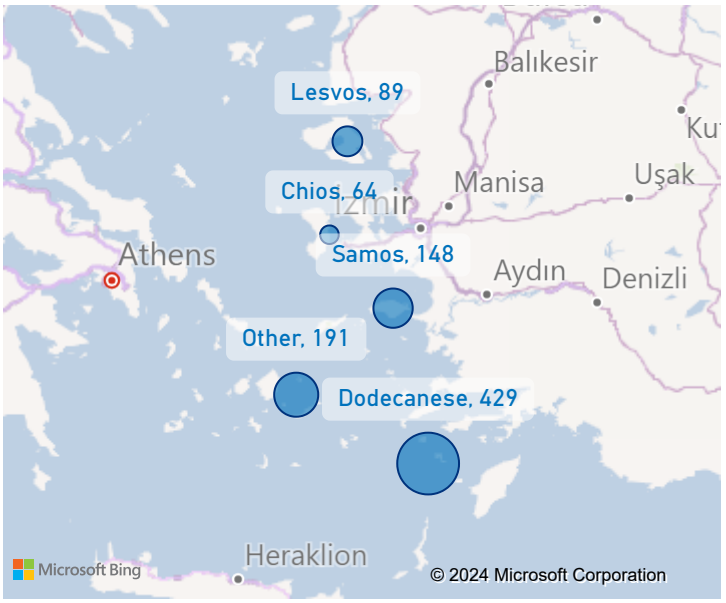
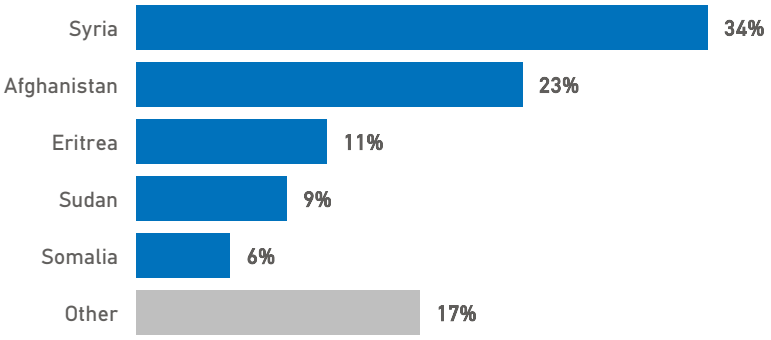
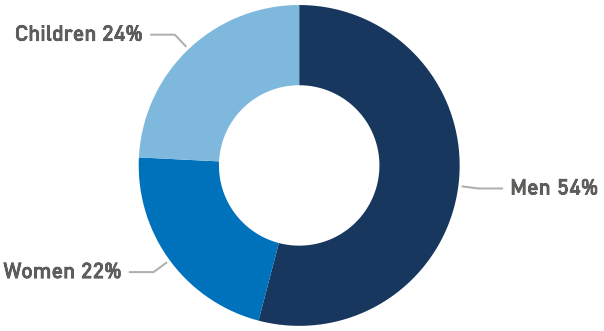


Population in the CCAC

Currently, 2,244 refugees and migrants reside in the Closed Controlled Access Center.

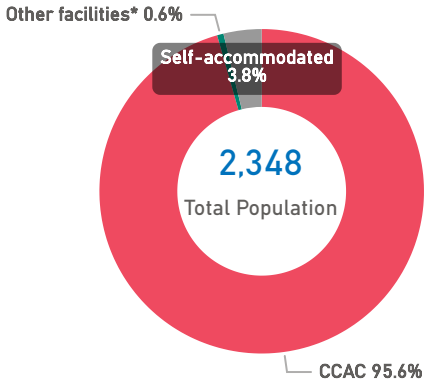
Most of the registered population are from Syria (34%), Afghanistan (23%) and Eritrea (11%). Men account for 54% of the population, women for 22% and children for 24%.





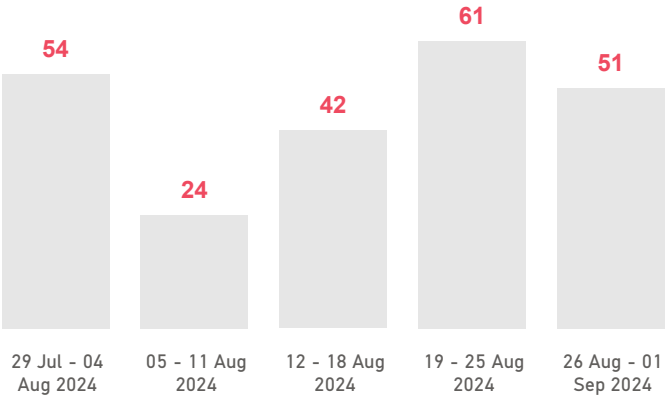
Population on the Island

There are 2,348 refugees and migrants on Samos island. Out of this total, the 2,244 reside at the CCAC and 15 are hosted in other facilities. UNHCR estimates that there are also 89 self-accommodated in the island.



Departures

This week, 51 refugees and migrants departed from Samos island to the mainland.



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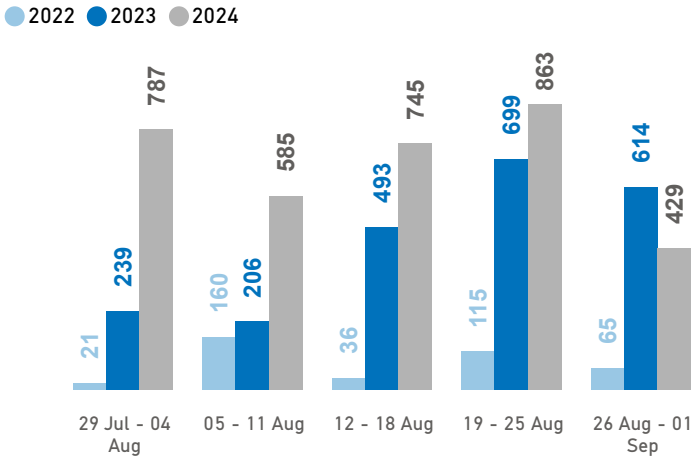
Dodecanese Islands Weekly Snapshot

Sea arrivals

This week, the Dodecanese islands saw 429 arrivals, a decrease from last week's 863.

The average of the daily arrivals on the Dodecanese islands for this week is 61.



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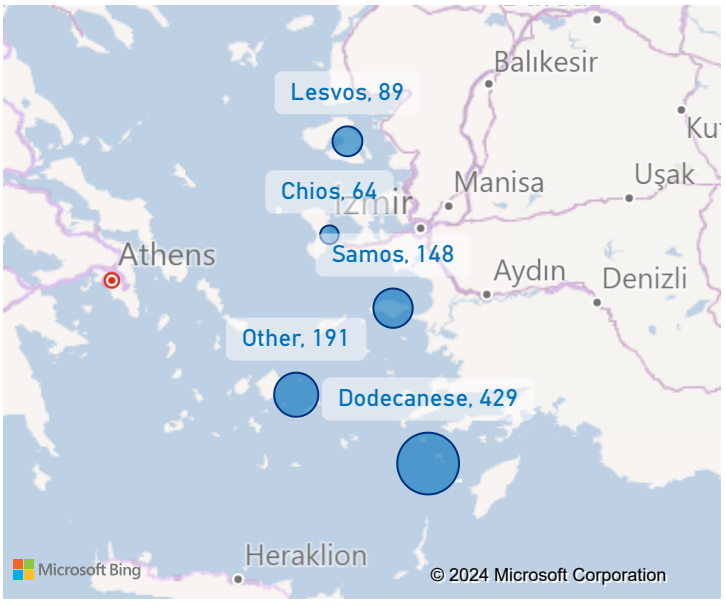

Population in Kos CCAC and Leros CCAC

Currently, 3,704 refugees and migrants reside in Kos CCAC and Leros CCAC.

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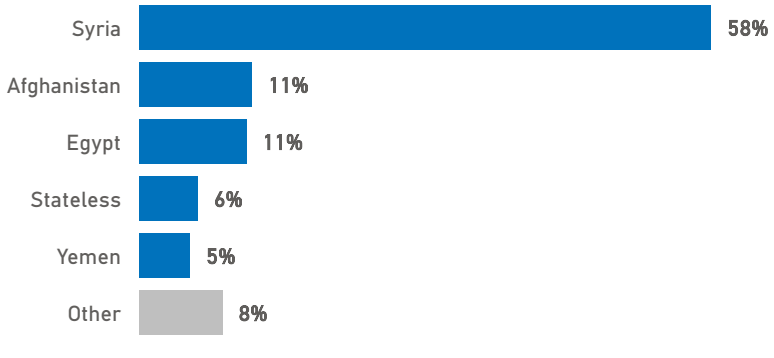
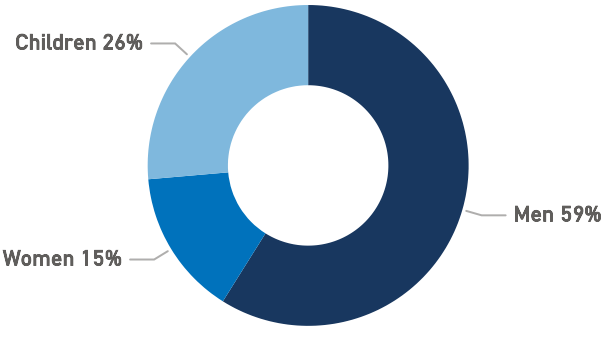
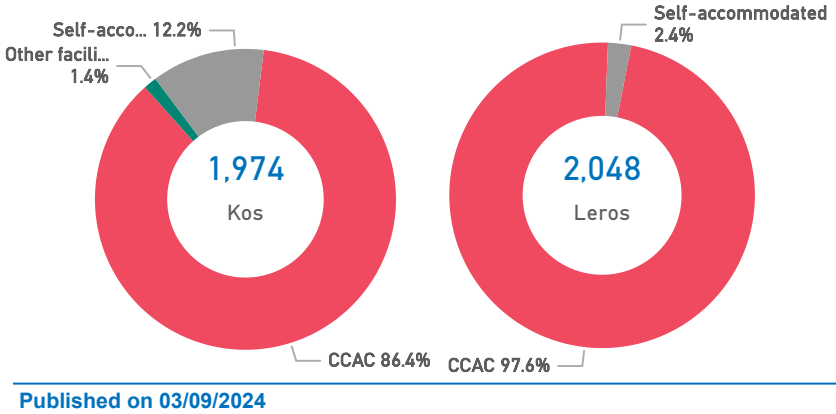




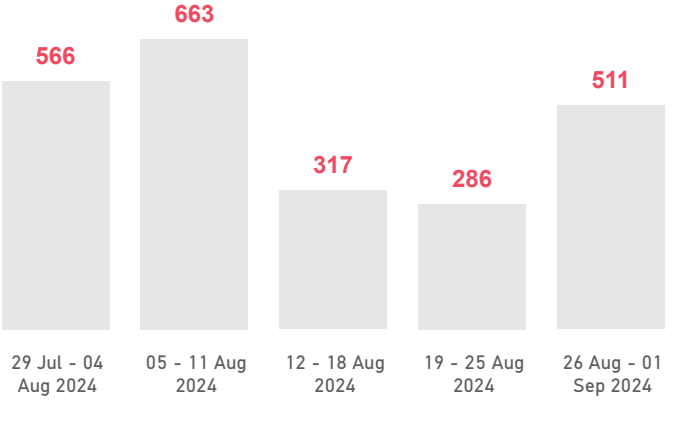
Population on the Dodecanese Islands

There are 4,022 refugees and migrants on the Dodecanese islands. Out of this total, 1,706 reside at the CCAC in Kos, and 1,998 at the CCAC Leros. In Kos, an estimated 240 people are self-accommodated and an additional 28 are hosted in other facilities, while in Leros, an estimated 50 people are self-accommodated, with an additional 0 being hosted in other facilities.



Departures

This week, 511 refugees and migrants departed from the Dodecanese islands to the mainland.



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