UGANDA - OVERVIEW OF REFUGEES AND ASYLUM-SEEKERS

as of 30-Nov-2025

Key Facts

Individuals 1,967,186
- Refugees 1,932,134
- Asy. Seeker 35,052

Households 530,378
- Refugees 506,441
- Asy. Seeker 23,937

Elderly 3 % 55,315

Women & Children 78 % 1,528,775

Under 18 52 % 1,030,111

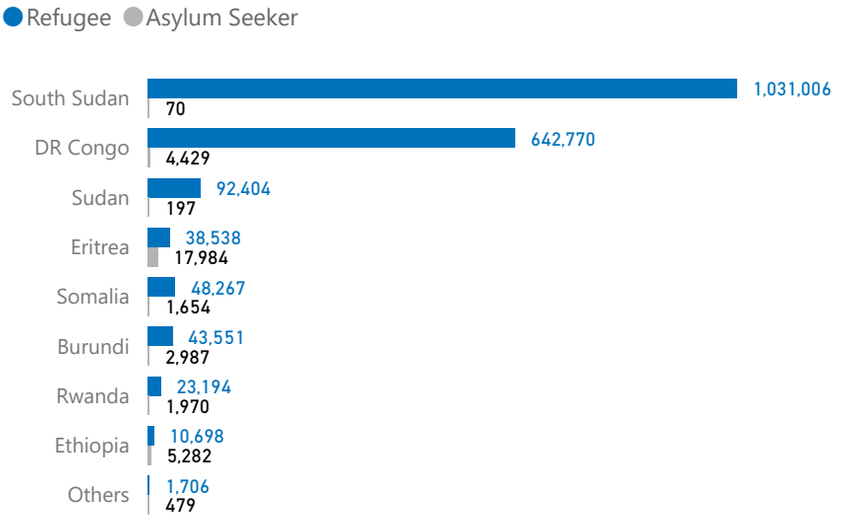
Female 51 % 1,005,785

Under 12 35 % 689,496

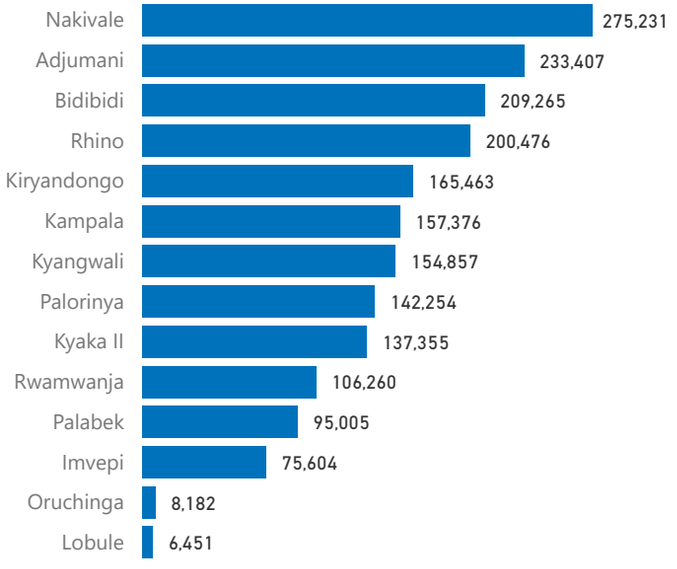
Youth (15-24) 25 % 494,842

Urban 8 % | Settlements 92 %

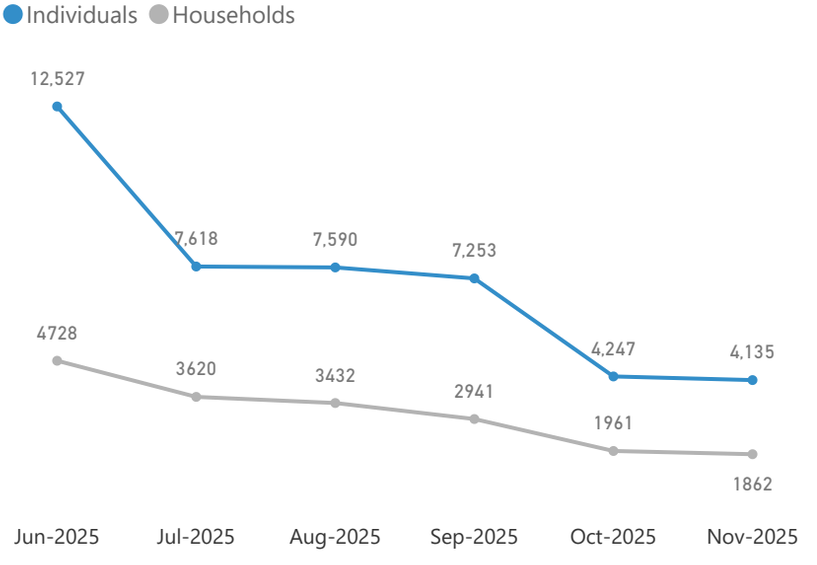
Country of Origin and Legal/Refugee Status



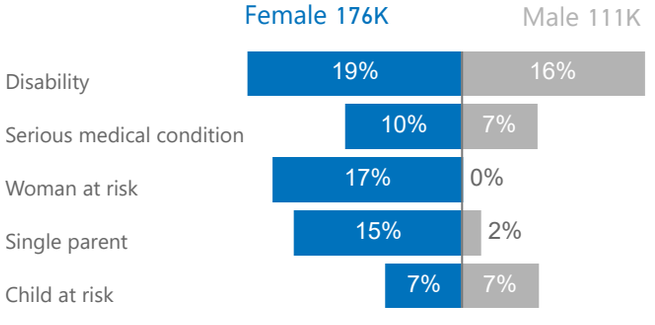
Population by settlement



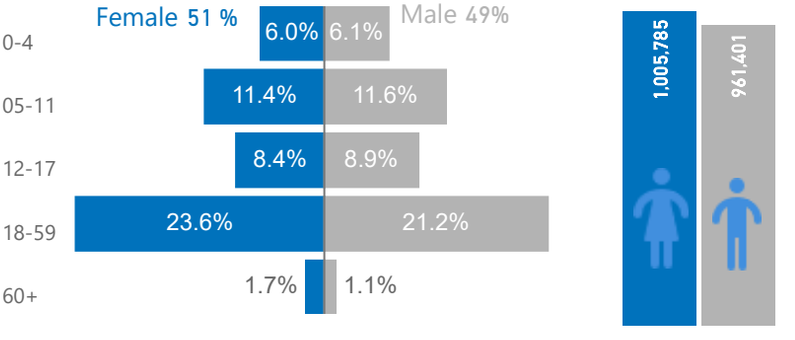
New arrival registration trend (last 6 months)



Most Common Specific Needs



Age & Gender Breakdown



Since the start of the year, 150,254 individuals seeking asylum, including 72,684 from the DR Congo, 45,659 from South Sudan, and 27,046 from Sudan have been registered in Uganda. 27,283 new births were also registered during the year. In total the population increased by 5,668 individuals (0.3%) from last month. Since the start of the conflict in Sudan in Mid-April 2023, 89,089 Sudanese fleeing the conflict have been registered in Uganda. Similarly, the situation in the DR Congo has resulted in increased arrivals into Uganda. There are currently 647,199 registered DR Congolese in Uganda, up 85,319 since end 2024.

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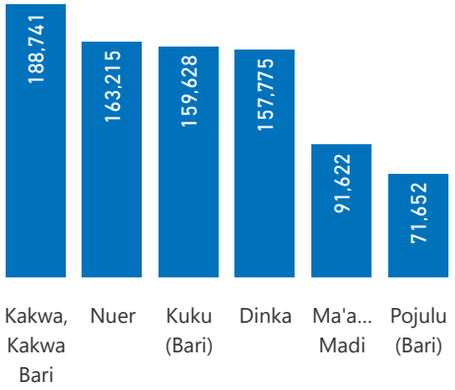
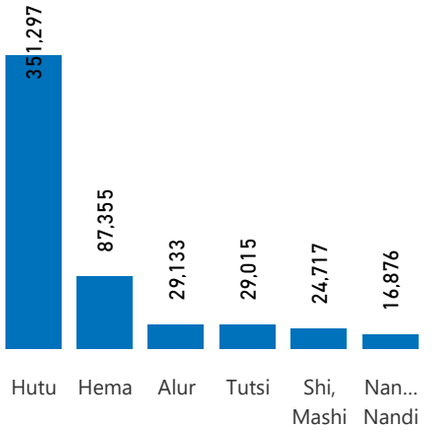
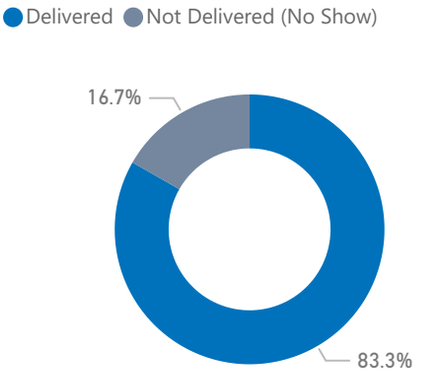


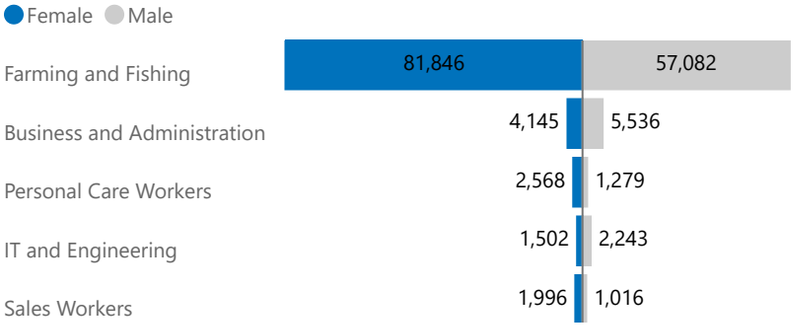
Main Congolese Ethnicities



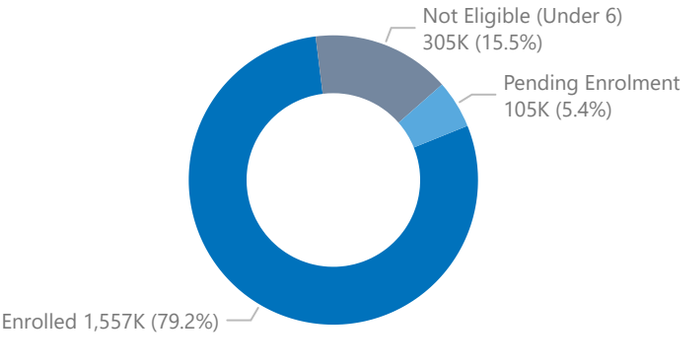
Access to Food/Cash Assistance

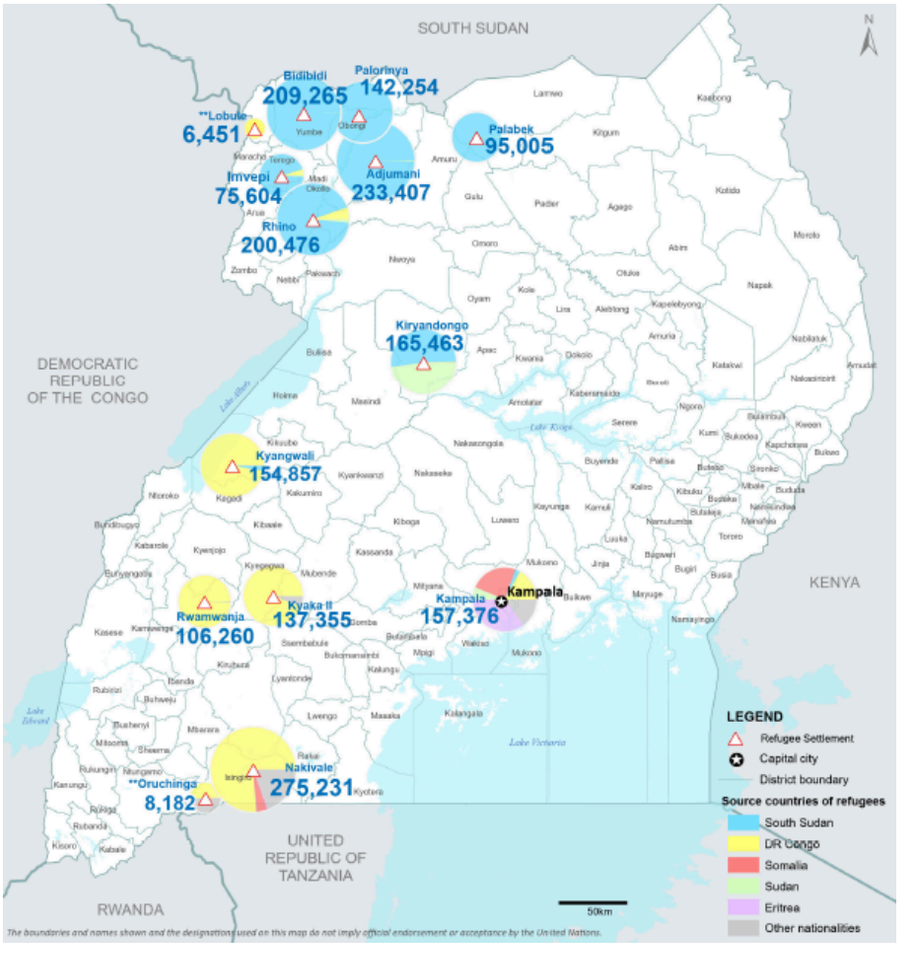


Main Occupations

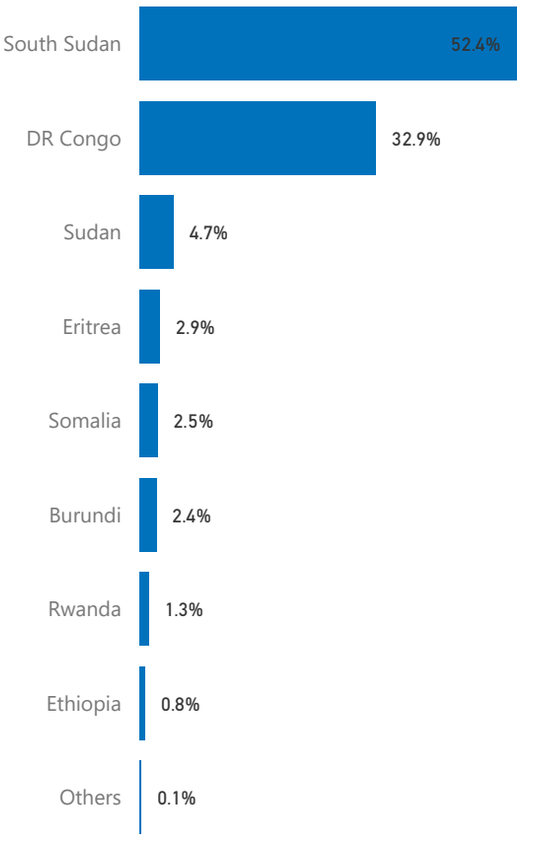


Biometric Enrolment





Main Countries of Origin



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