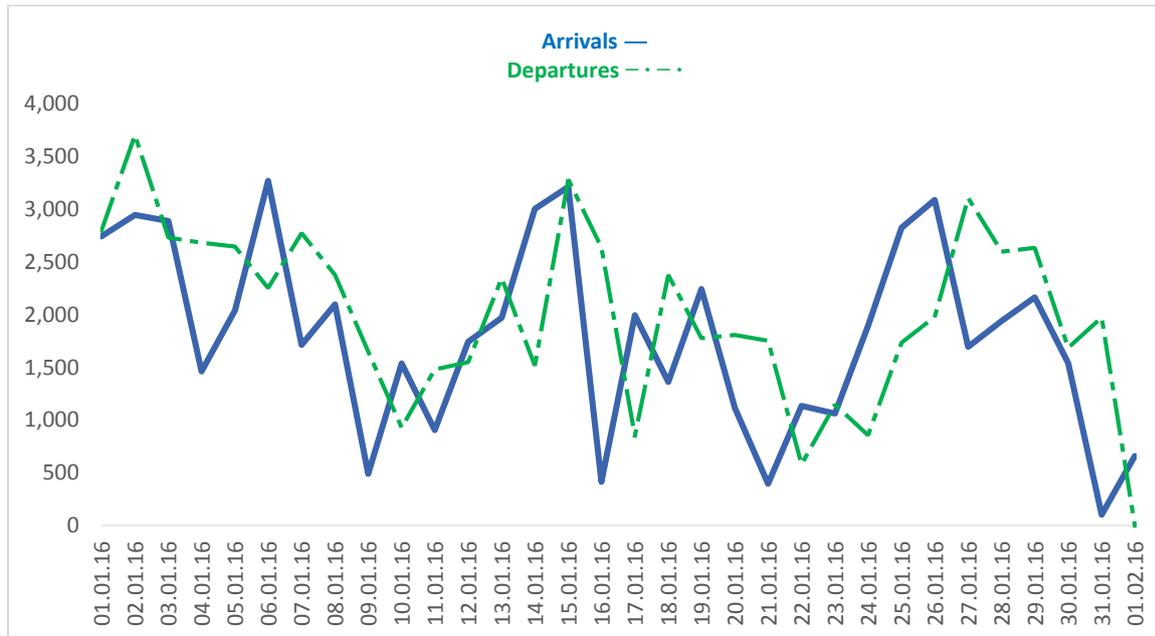


**STATISTICS AND HIGHLIGHTS**

- **660** refugees and migrants arrived: **616** from fYRo Macedonia and **44** from Bulgaria.
- **0** asylum seekers departed to Croatia.

**Because of the ongoing blockage of the railway by taxi drivers in fYRo Macedonia, arrivals remained low. Consequently, there were no departures to Croatia, as too few refugees arrived in Sid to fill a train.**


**SOUTH**

**616** refugees and migrants were assisted at the Miratovac Refugee Aid Point (RAP) upon arrival from fYRo Macedonia.

Police, Gendarmerie, IOM, Philanthropy, Remar, Medical Center, UNHCR, MSF, DRC, World Vision, were active at the RAP. UNHCR/DRC/SPDE distributed 63 winter boots, 4 jackets, 40 bottled water, while UNICEF and Philanthropy/CRS distributed other non-food items.

UNICEF/DRC hosted children and women in their child friendly space.

UNHCR-funded buses transported approximately 600 asylum seekers from Miratovac village to the Reception Centre (RC) in Presevo.

**597** refugees, mainly families from Syria, but also from Afghanistan and Iraq, were registered at the Presevo RC.

UNHCR, SCRM, Police, the BCM/Medical Centre, Red Cross, UNICEF/DRC, Caritas, DRC, and Remar assisted asylum seekers 24/7 at the Presevo RC. IOM, Natan, Humedica, ADRA, Care international/Nexus, SOS Children, OXFAM 484, Global Medic and Youth for Refugees only during the day. Save the Children, APC, Youth for Refugees Atina, Border Free, Mercy Corps and MSF assisted outside the RC.

UNHCR and partners distributed 15 winter boots, UNHCR blankets, winter jackets, socks and 50 water bottles. Medical assistance was provided to 22 asylum seekers inside the RC and the clinics of MSF, Humedica and Natan. The UNICEF/DRC/CSW child friendly space hosted 40 children and 30 mothers.

**EAST**

**44** asylum seekers arrived in Dimitrovgrad from Bulgaria. 38 of them were from Iraq (families with children), four men from Syria and two men from Afghanistan.

In Dimitrovgrad, UNHCR, Sigma Plus, Red Cross, DRC and Divac Foundation distributed food, water, clothes, boots and blankets. Praxis distributed some clothes. WAHA provided 10 medical interventions for minor injuries and respiratory problems to asylum seekers.

## BELGRADE

Over **190** migrants were assisted in Belgrade. The majority were from Morocco, Pakistan, or Algeria.

Most sought aid in food, clothes, use of Internet and referrals to various services, including registration. SCRM, UNHCR/DRC, Red Cross, Asylum Info Centre and Refugee Aid Serbia assisted them at Miksalište. Caritas distributed food and clothes at the park near the railway.

## WEST

Approximately **150** asylum seekers/migrants were accommodated at the Sid RAP during the night, including those denied to board trains in previous day.

Authorities removed the latter in the middle of the night, putting them on busses to an unknown destination.

At the Sid Train Station, UNHCR/HCIT distributed 15 UNHCR blankets, 500 WFP HEB, 744 water bottles, 48 winter jackets, boots, and 50 UNHCR bags.



*A fair day in Adaševci, ©UNHCR, 1 February 2016*

WAHA and IDC/Sid Health Centre provided medical assistance to 15 asylum seekers at the Sid train station.

UNHCR, SCRM, Police, APC, Red Cross Serbia, MSF, CRS/Divac Foundation, BCM, Remar, OM and Czech Volunteers assisted asylum-seekers 24/7, and others World Vision, Intersos, Caritas, TDH, EHO and NSHC during the day.

MSF provided medical assistance to 65 asylum seekers and BCM/Sid Health Centre had other 12 patients. The UNICEF/WV/CSW child friendly space hosted 44 children and 15 mothers.

Three refugees from Iraq arrived in Sid on foot, alleging that in Slovenia police reacted aggressively after finding out that they planned to join relatives in the UK. Other family-members were able to continue to Austria, while the three were deported back to Croatia. They alleged that also in Croatia they were detained and mistreated before being driven to the border and ordered to walk back into Serbia.

The Red Cross and Caritas distributed food on the buses. Remar offered hot tea and of soup. CRS/Divac Foundation distributed adult and children's winter clothes and footwear.

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