

Highlights

1. The DRC¹ is the country with the largest internally displaced population in Africa
2. DRC hosts over 0.5 M² refugees and asylum seekers
3. Lack of a proper civil registration system puts many at risk of statelessness in DRC. UNHCR³ joins the United Nations Legal Identity Program to help the DRC government put in place a strong registration system that is inclusive for all types of populations, ensuring that no one is left behind.

Refugees and Asylum Seekers in DRC

(as of 31 July 2021)

535,253

IDPs⁴

(as of 31 July 2021)

5.26 M

Returnees (IDPs)

(as of 31 July 2021)

2.14 M

Refugees
519,188

Asylum Seekers
16,065

Repatriated from DRC to neighboring Countries
(as of 30 June 2021)

5,052

Repatriated from neighboring Countries to DRC
(in 2020)

344

Congolese Refugees In Africa

(as of 31 July 2021)

962,142

- UNHCR Representation
- UNHCR Sub-Office
- UNHCR Field Office
- UNHCR Field Unit
- Refugees Camp
- Refugee Center
- Refugees Settlement
- Relocation Settlement

- Hydrography
- Province Borders
- Other Countries

Total Number of Refugees, Displaced and Returnees

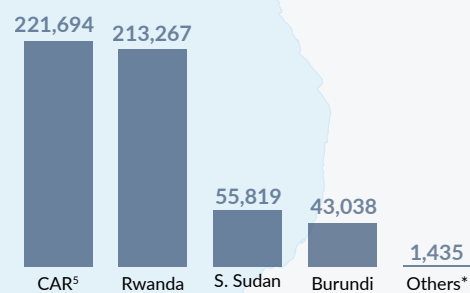
- 14 - 4,057
- 4,058 - 60,256
- 60,257 - 516,095
- 516,096 - 2,488,099

Congolese Refugees from the DRC

XX XXX Figures of Returnees (ex IDPs)

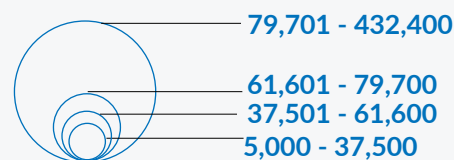
In Black Font : Figures of Congolese Returnees

Number of Refugees and Asylum Seekers by Country of Origin



* Other countries include Republic of Congo, Angola, Sudan, Uganda, Somalia, Syria, Chad, Cameroon, Côte d'Ivoire, Eritrea, Liberia, Mali, Ethiopia, Kenya, Sierra Leone, etc.

Number of Congolese Refugees in Neighboring Countries**



** According to statistics as of July 31, 2021

