

## **COUNTRY OVERVIEW**

TOTAL POPULATION (2021)a

21.7

HUMAN DEV. INDEX

183 (1=High, 188= Low)



GDP PER CAPITA. CURRENT, US\$ (2020)°

857.9

## POPULATION LIVING IN RURAL AREAS 74%

UNDER 25 YEARS

60%

NATIONALS LIVING UNDER NATIONAL POVERTY LINE

40%



**GDP GROWTH RATE** (2020)9

1.9%

# YOUTH EMPLOYMENT RATE (15-24 YEARS)<sup>a</sup>

8.6%



NET OFFICIAL DEV. ASSIST. RECEIVED IN 2021 (% OF GNI)d

## POLICY DOCUMENTS FAVORABLE TO NATIONAL **INCLUSION OF THE FORCIBLY DISPLACED (FD)**

#### **NATIONAL DOCUMENTS**

- Burkina Faso Refugee Law
- Plan national de développement économique et social (PNDES II) 2021-2025

#### **UNHCR DOCUMENTS**

- Stratégie pluriannuelle des moyens de subsistance des personnes sous mandat du HCR au Burkina Faso 2022-2025
- Crisis in the Sahel: UNHCR emergency and protection response (2020)
- Baseline assessment of the situation of IDPs, refugees, asylum seekers and host communities in Burkina Faso; planned for 2022

## **BURKINA FASO LEI FINANCIALS (2022)**



■ Total needs (Million US\$) Funded (Million US\$)



- Received to date (June 2022)
- Gap

## **OPERATIONAL CONTEXT**

Mali

LEI intervention areas

# PoC | 5088 - 20911 | 20912 - 45156 | 45157 - 80938 | 80939 - 223056 | 223057 - 657041 | UNHCR Country office

**MUNHCR Sub-office** OUNHCR Field office

UHCR Field unit

OLD<sup>b</sup>

Refugees and asylum seekers (June 2022) 27.043



Niger

#### LEI REGIONAL STRATEGY

Foster the socio-economic inclusion, enhance the self-reliance and build the resilience of the FD and host community members through the use of data and analytics for more targeted assistance; inclusion in development and social protection projects; and joint programming with institutional partners.

## LEI NATIONAL STRATEGY

Sustainably reduce the dependency on humanitarian aid to enhance the self-reliance and resilience of the FD by strengthening livelihoods and supporting local area-based development efforts and innovation.

## **Partnerships**



#### STAKEHOLDERS SUPPORTING LEI

	GOVERNMENT ACTORS CONAREF, VAO, SP-PIF	GOVERNMENT ACTORS Maison de l'entreprise, SFTP Mining (East)
-	NGO & CIVIL SOCIETY DRC, OCADES, Plan Burkina, VSF	POCs COMMUNITY GROUP
'	IFIS OR DEV. BANKS CBM, MICROFI, WB, BAOBAB, RCPB	UNITED NATIONS AGENCIES FAO, ILO, UNDP, WFP (joint action plan), IOM

## **IMPLEMENTING PARTNER**

VSF is the only implementing partner for UNHCR's LEI activities. For the year 2022, these activities cover 22 communes for the benefit of IDPs and refugees.

#### **OPERATIONAL CONTEXT**

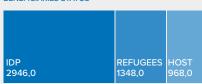
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NUMBER OF LIVELIHOODS & ECONOMIC INCLUSION BENEFICIARIES (2021)

Côte d'Ivoire

5,262

**BENEFICIARIES STATUS** 



Centre

Ghana

Centre-Quest

## PROFILE OF LEI BENEFICIARIES

Togo

33% are with a dependency ration over 2

Benin

- 6% are over 65 years old
- 1% of youth are under 18
- 1.1% of refugees aged 18-30 are enrolled in tertiary education and 0.1% in certified technical and vocational training (TVET)

# % OF DIRECT BENEFICIARIES FROM THE CREATION OF MICROENTERPRISES IN 2022



- REFUGEES
- IPDs
- HOST

#### MAIN LIVELIHOOD ASSISTANCE NEEDS OF THE FD

- Livestock
- Agriculture (including gardening) Vocational training
- Handicraft
- Financial education
- Transformation of plastic waste

## REFUGEES IN BURKINA FASO HAVE THE RIGHT TO

- Work
- Access/Own land for agriculture
- Own property for business
- · Access formal financial services
- Open a bank account

#### CHALLENGES FACED BY THE FORCIBLY DISPLACED

- Delays in accessing/renewing ID cards (IDPs)
- Employers lack of knowledge about refugees' rights
- Community tension over land ownership High unemployment (similarly to nationals)
- Difficulty in matching skills with opportunities (IDPs)
- Access to employment opportunities only in selected sectors

REFUGEES TRAINED IN BREEDING OR MARKET GARDENING (2021)<sup>1</sup>

DEVELOPED AN IGA