

KEY FIGURES

2,375,846

INTERNALLY DISPLACED PERSONS (IDPs)
in North-East, 95% due to insurgency, and 5% communal clashes.
2,210,834 in Borno, Adamawa and Yobe states.
Source: DTM - Round 43, Feb 2023.

969,757

INTERNALLY DISPLACED PERSONS (IDPs)
IDPs, 474,744 are in North-West while 495,013 are in North-Central
Source: DTM - Round 9 for Northwest and Northcentral, Mar 2022.

2,100,180

RETURNEES
Cumulative since 2015, 160,198 or 8% are former refugees who returned spontaneously with some passing through IDP Situation.
Source: DTM - Round 43, Feb 2023. Since beginning of 2022, UNHCR has registered 24,737 spontaneous refugee returns. In addition 3,880 refugees returned through voluntary repatriation from Cameroon since the beginning of 2021.

336,862

NIGERIAN REFUGEES REGISTERED IN CAMEROON, CHAD, AND NIGER
Source: UNHCR March 2023.

93,129

REFUGEES AND ASYLUM-SEEKERS REGISTERED IN NIGERIA
Source: UNHCR March 2023.

SITUATION OVERVIEW

The situation in the North-East remains largely volatile with attacks in several Local Government Areas (LGAs) in Borno, Yobe and Adamawa (BAY) States continuing to cause displacement and casualties among civilians, IDPs and returnees.

In addition, Cameroonian refugees affected by the crisis between the government and activists calling for secession of the anglophone region are seeking refuge in Nigeria. Their arrival has since presented a new dimension to the already complex humanitarian situation.

