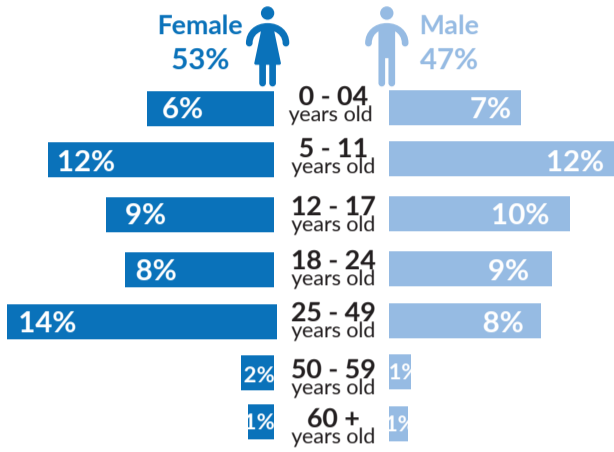


Context

Ethiopia is the third largest refugee hosting country in Africa, home to over 946,000 refugees and asylum seekers—mainly from South Sudan, Somalia and Eritrea. Following the recent outbreak of armed conflict in **Sudan** (April 2023) and **Lascanood Somalia** (February 2023), Ethiopia is receiving thousands of forcibly displaced people at several points of entry. UNHCR and the Government of Ethiopia through the Refugees and Returnees Service (RRS), in partnership with regional authorities, other UN agencies and NGOs are working to provide safe asylum access, documentation, protection and solutions to those who need humanitarian support.

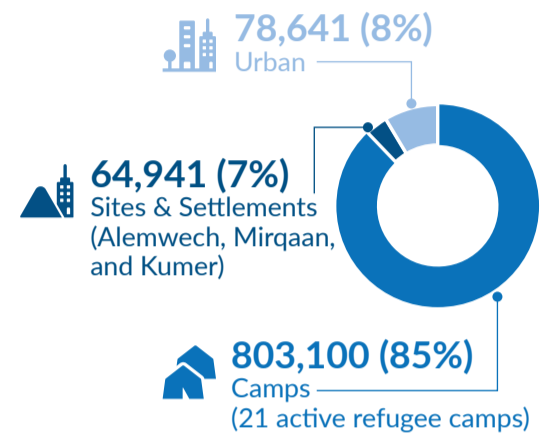
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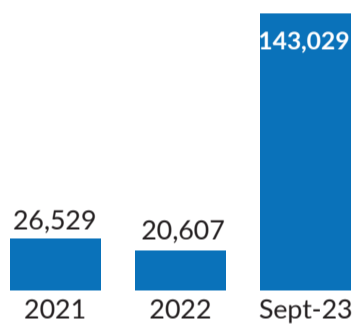
Country of origin breakdown

Country of origin	Total Individuals	Percentage
South Sudan	417,419	44%
Somalia	302,195	32%
Eritrea	167,382	18%
Sudan	50,573	5%
Kenya	4,035	<1%
Yemen	2,494	<1%
DR Congo	1,076	<1%
Syrian Arab Republic	662	<1%
Others	846	<1%
Total	946,682	

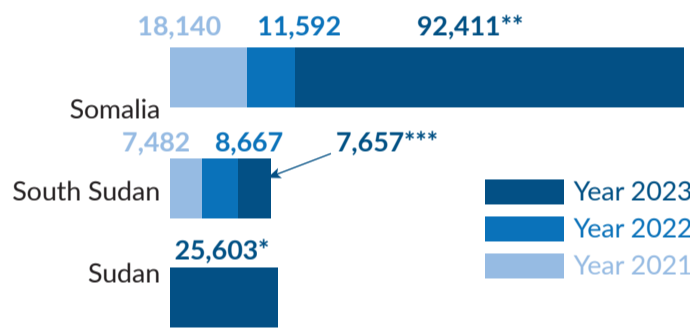
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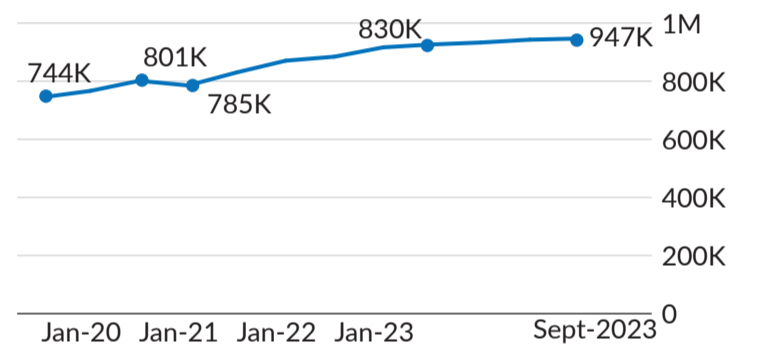
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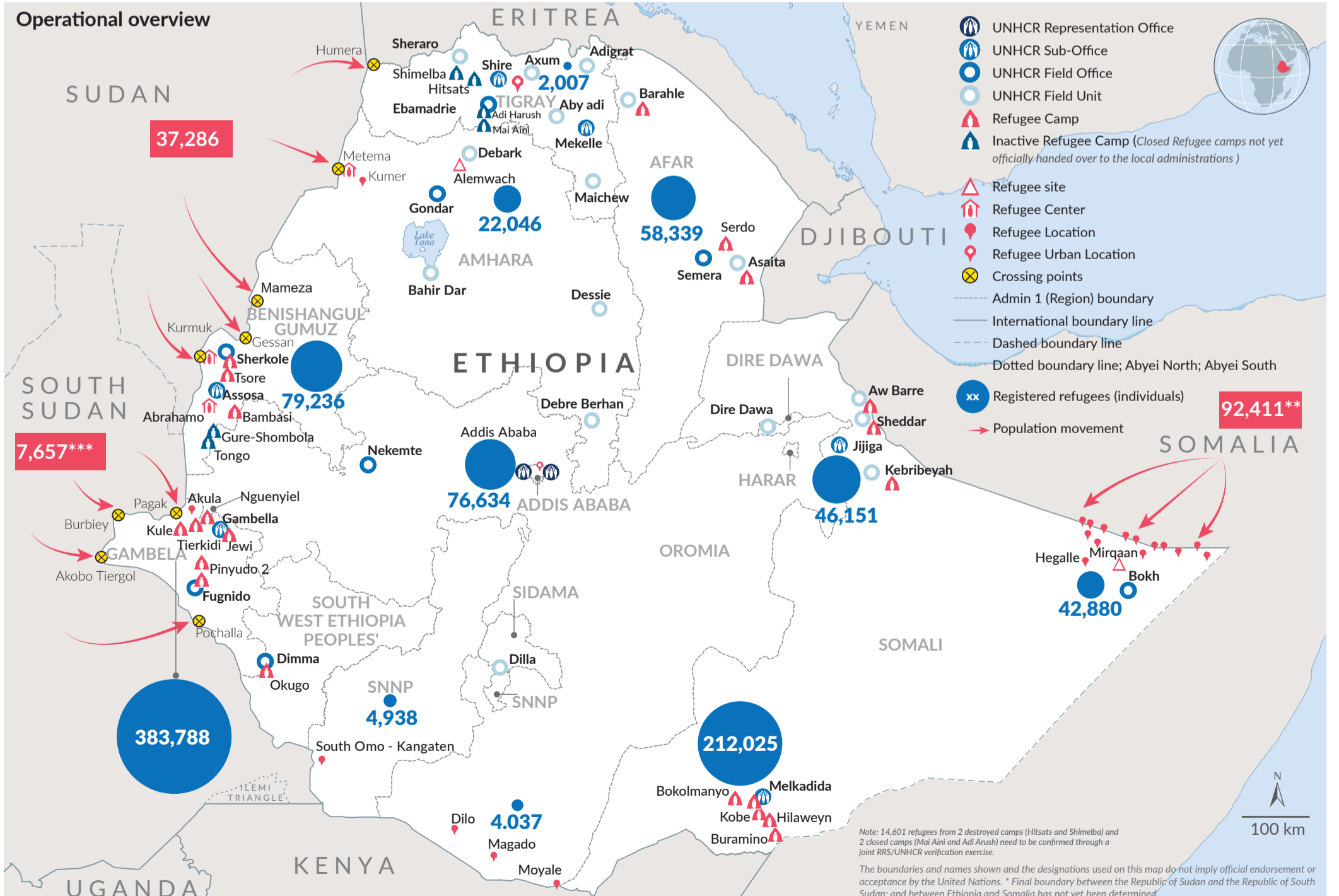
New arrivals by country of origin



Total population trend



Operational overview



*Sudan Emergency: New arrivals in need of international protection from April 2023 to September 2023, pending individual registration. A Total of 37,286 individuals pre-registered, including 25,603 Sudanese and 11,683 other nationalities

**Level 1 registration figure. Individual registration is ongoing including nationality screening checks.

***New arrivals from South Sudan; Level 1 registration figure.

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