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Refugees & Asylum-seekers in Nigeria

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127,176 Refugees & Asylum-seekers in Nigeria

80,915 Refugees

25,264 Asylum-seekers

20,997 Awaiting Registration

48 Countries of origin

20,239 Living in settlements

CAMEROONIAN POPULATON

106,705 Cameroonian Refugees & Asylum-seekers in Nigeria

76,359 Refugees

23,348 Asylum-seekers

6,998 Awaiting Registration

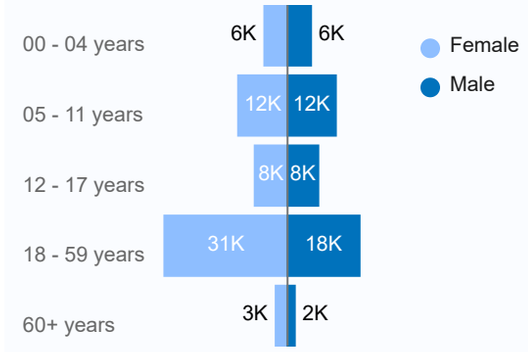
Demographic Profile *

57% Female

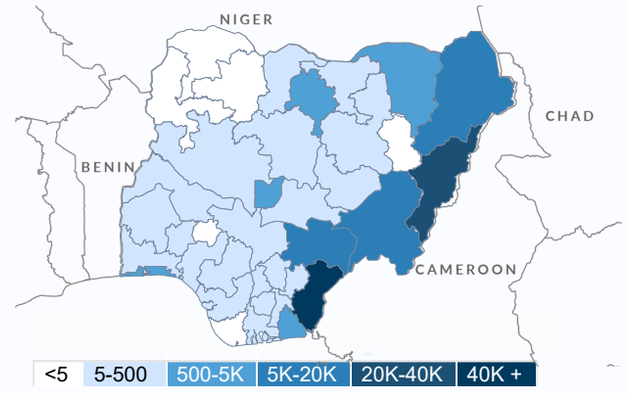
43% Male

49% Children

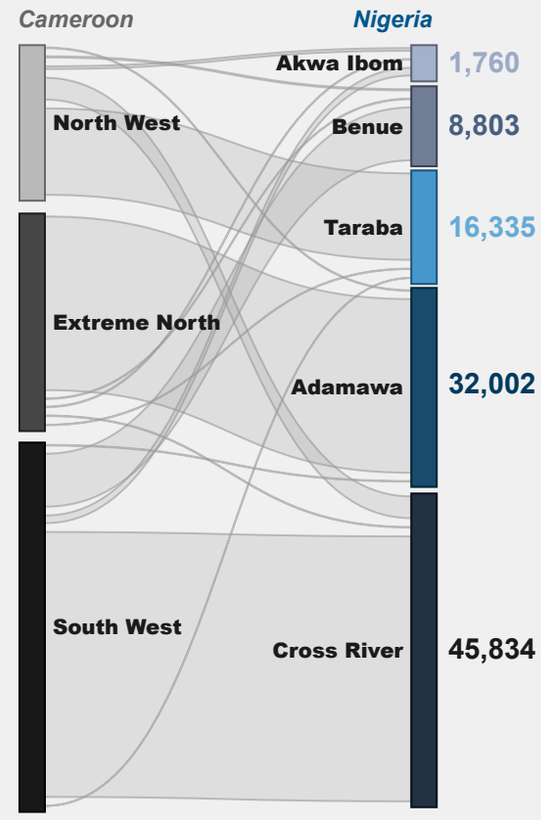
5% Elderly



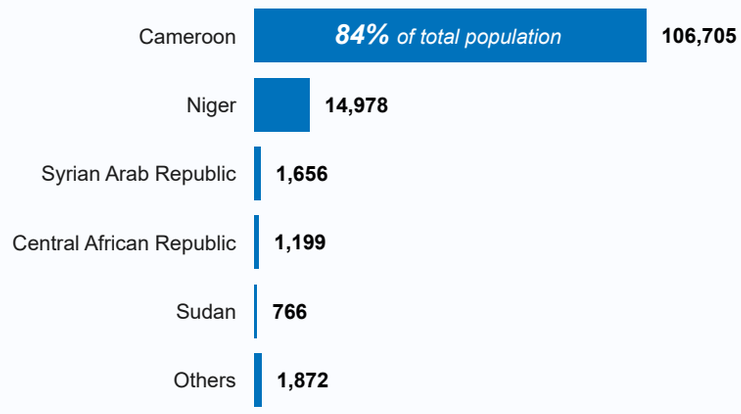
Geograpical Distribution



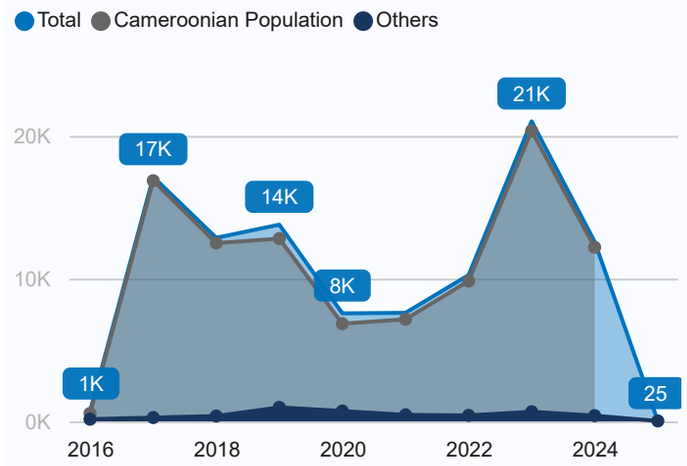
Key Movement Flows from Areas of Origin to Areas of Asylum



Countries of Origin



Trend of New Arrivals



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*Age and gender disaggregation for the population awaiting registration is yet to be determined