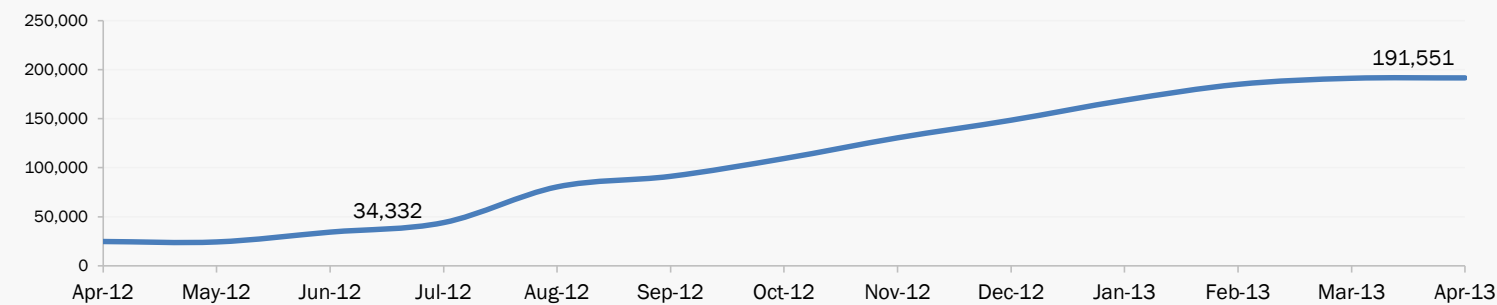


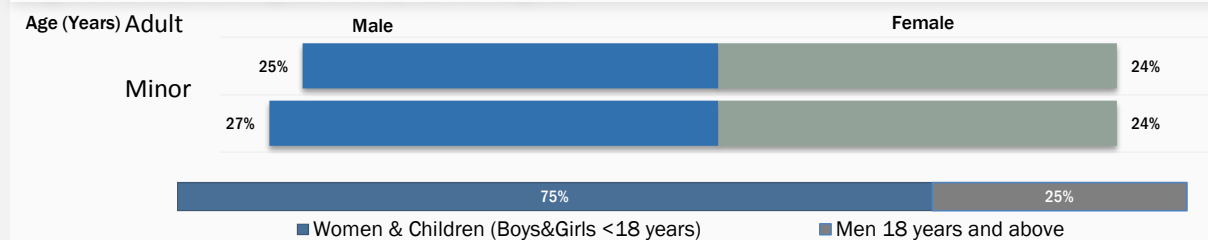
Total Number of Refugees Registered and with Registration Appointments	313,689
Total Number of Refugees in Camps	191,551
Total Number of Refugees Registered outside the Camps	88,953
Total Number of Refugees with Registration Appointments	33,185
Government of Turkey Estimated Total Number of Syrians in Turkey	400,000



The number of Syrians living in the Urban Area are not included



Age & Gender of Registered Syrian Refugees



Highlights

- On 24 April 2013, AFAD - Disaster and Emergency Management Agency of Government of Turkey announced that the total number of Syrians registered and accommodated in 17 camps in 8 provinces is 191,551 including 313 Syrians under medical treatment in the hospitals.
- It was reported by AFAD, that the number of Syrians voluntarily returned to Syria during the 24hrs of 23-24 April is 939 persons while 291 new arrival Syrians were registered and accommodated in the camps during the same period of 23-24 April. Therefore the total number of Syrians registered and accommodated in the camps has slightly decreased than the total of the day before.
- During the meetings with the local authorities in Sanliurfa province, it was reported that a fourth camp in Sanliurfa province will be established in Viransehir with 15,000 capacity and the construction has already started. It is planned that the camp will be open to receive Syrian refugees by end of June 2013. Apart from the 4th camp in Sanliurfa province, there are several other camps which are under construction including the container site in Kilis/Elbeyli which is also expected to receive people during May 2013.
- Also during the meetings with various Provincial Authorities in Sanliurfa, UNHCR was informed that the Coordination Center in Sanliurfa is also about to be completed. At the Center non-camp Syrians will be registered into a central database and ID cards will be issued. Reportedly with the individual ID cards, issued by the authorities, non-camp Syrians will be able to have access to assistance mechanism within the Government institutions as well as by NGOs.
- In Sanliurfa province the local authorities will also establish a school for the children of non-camp Syrians. Reportedly the education will be provided by the Syrian teachers according to the Syrian curriculum. The management of the school will be under the supervision of the Turkish teachers with the support of a private school which will also provide the educational supplies to the children.
- It was reported by the authorities in Sanliurfa, that a fire broke out in Ceylanpinar camp which caused the death of a 12 year old boy. Five other children were severely burned and hospitalized. Reportedly the situation of one of the children in the hospital is still critical. As per initial assessments, the reason of the fire was because of the family used weak cabling to increase the power in their individual tent despite all the warnings and information campaigns by the camp officials. In meetings with AFAD in Ankara the following day they indicated the UNHCR procured tents will be distributed in Ceylanpinar and Akcakale as these new tents are fire resistant, which will improve safety and shelter.



For more information, consult <http://data.unhcr.org/syrianrefugees>