

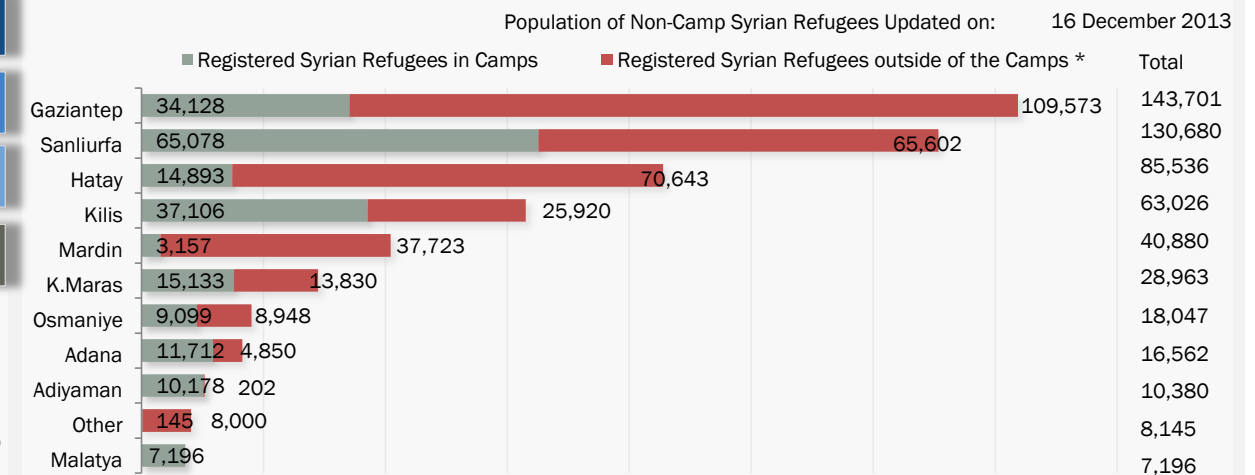
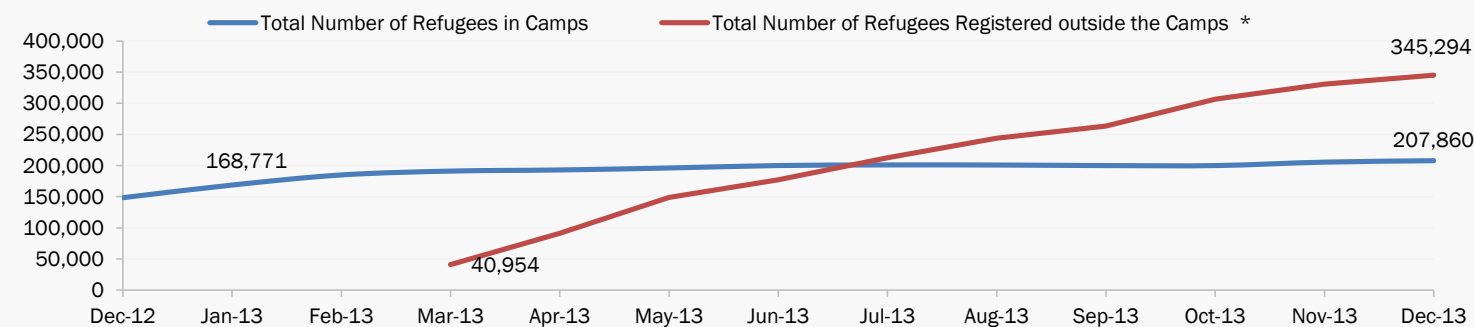
# UNHCR Turkey Syrian Refugee Daily Sitrep

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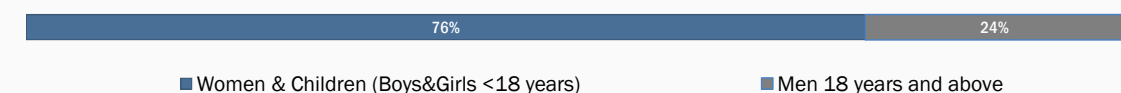


UNHCR Turkey, Ankara

Total Number of Refugees Registered and with Registration Appointments	553,116
Total Number of Refugees in Camps	207,825
Total Number of Refugees Registered outside the Camps *	345,291
Estimated Total Number of Syrians in Turkey	700,000

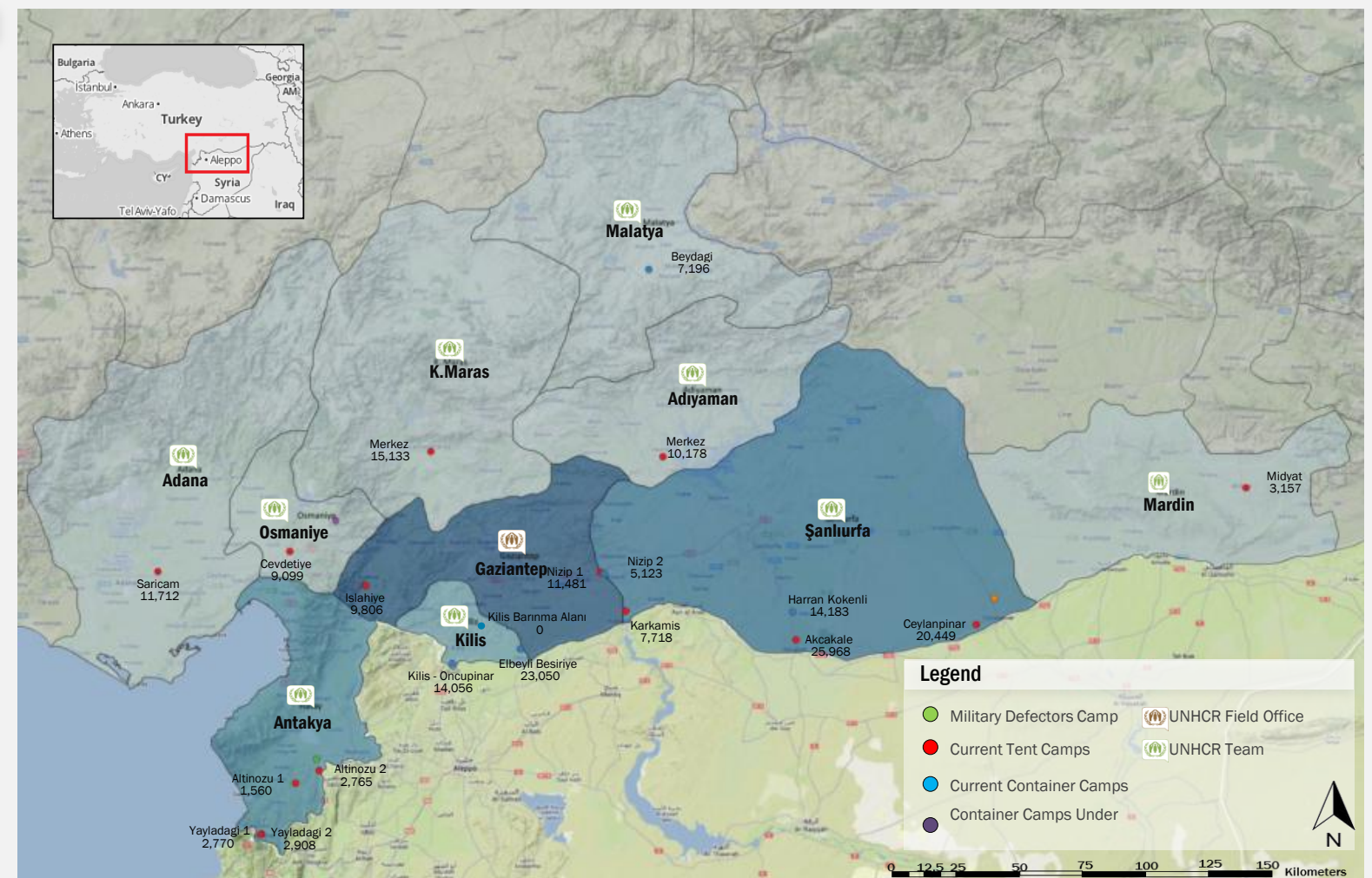


## Age & Gender of Registered Syrian Refugees



## Highlights

- On 18 December 2013, AFAD - the Disaster and Emergency Management Agency of Government of Turkey - announced that the total number of Syrians registered and assisted in 21 camps in 10 provinces was 207,825 including 145 Syrians receiving medical treatment in hospitals. AFAD reported that during the 48 hours of 17-18 Dec 2013, a total of 298 Syrians were admitted and registered in the camps and 333 Syrians have voluntarily returned to Syria. There is no one in the Kilis transit center.
- In Viransehir camp, local officials report that they are planning to set-up additional tents to increase the capacity of the camp. Reportedly once the additional tents are assembled, the camp will have 4,950 tents with capacity for nearly 25,000 persons.
- The camp officials in Viransehir informed that they have received about 550 Syrians living in the communal tents in Ceylanpinar camp. During a meeting with local officials in Nizip town, the UNHCR field team was informed that in coordination with AFAD Ankara, some 400 people living in communal tents will also be transferred to Viransehir.
- In Sanliurfa, the local officials organized a sale exhibition in city center of products of the vocational courses in Akcakale camp. Reportedly this exhibition motivated the women to produce more. In Harran camp the youth committee is working on the first edition of their magazine which is expected to be completed during the week and it will be printed in Arabic and Turkish languages.
- During a meeting with the Sanliurfa provincial office of the population and citizenship, the UNHCR team was informed that Syrian children born in Turkey are issued a document certifying the child's birth in Turkey as a foreigner when and if the parents approach the office with the birth certificate from the hospital, which does not include the child's name and other family details. Reportedly the parents are required to have a valid passport for the issuance of the document certifying the child's birth from the office of the population and citizenship.
- In Nusaybin, local officials informed UNHCR that the construction of the camp is ongoing and 150 tents (rub halls) still need to be assembled. Local officials requested UNHCR to provide supplies (heaters, blankets, kitchen cabinets etc.). It was agreed with AFAD Ankara that UNHCR will send 40 wash containers to Nusaybin camp.



## Sources

AFAD, Turkish Ministry of Foreign Affairs

\*Please note that the number of non-camp refugees are not updated on a daily basis.

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