

FACT SHEET

Somalia

1 - 28 February 2019

Destination

Wog. Galbeed

In February, 24,000 new displacements were monitored by the UNHCR-led Protection and Returns Monitoring Network (PRMN), an increase of 7,000 people compared to last month. Most of the displacements occurred due to evictions in Davniile district. Banadir region. In 2018, an estimated 883,000 were internally displaced due to conflicts, floods and drought according to PRMN.

33,270 refugees & asylum-seekers

As of February 2019, there were 33,270 refugees and asylum-seekers registered in Somalia, mainly from Ethiopia (16.083 asylum seekers and 3.994 refugees) and Yemen (49 asylum seekers and 12,591 refugees). 553 persons were from other countries including Syria (222), Tanzania (119), Eritrea (90) among others.

Ethiopia

Yemen

5,940

Overall, there are an estimated 2.6 million internally displaced people in Somalia.

Since 2014, over 123,000 people have voluntarily returned to Somalia from twelve countries of asylum including Kenya, Yemen, Djibouti, Libya, Tunisia and Eritrea.

Somali spontaneous refugee returnees continue to return to Somalia through different border locations.

24,702 refugee returnees (2014 - 2019)

In total 124,702 Somali refugees have voluntarily returned to Somalia since December 2014 from twelve countries of asylum including Kenya, Yemen, Djibouti, Libya, Tunisia and Eritrea. Of those, UNHCR has provided assistance to 82,978 voluntary returnees from Kenya and 3,684 assisted spontaneous returns from Yemen since 2014 and 2017 respectively.

Kenva

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Yemen

1,721

15 831

1.129

292

524

1,722

2,081

1,854

1,183

3,300

40,475

497

333

8

Population of concern



*Estimated internally displaced persons as of 31 July 2018 (Source: Information Management Working Group)

Returnees, refugee and asylum seekers map





Bari 2.976 22 7.124 Banadir 14,825 127 Banadir 655 3.391 9.318 Bay Togdheer 227 141 36 Gedo 2,922 126 0 Sanaad 7 Middle Juba 1,541 Awdal 31 175 8 Middle Shabelle 798 Nugaal 7 1 0 Lower Shabelle 117 Mudua 3 0 0 Hiraan 42 Sool 0 1 6 Wog. Galbeed 18 Middle Shabelle 0 0 0 Nugaal 13 Lower Shabelle 0 2 0 Bari 12 Lower Juba 0 0 0 Other 35 Other 0 4 1 Unreg. Yemen TOTAL 20,077 12,640 553 82,978 TOTAL

Other

360

Destination

Lower Juba



Somalia Internal DISPLACEMENT

ts Monitored by UNHCR Protection and Return Monioring Network (PRMN)







2019 destination regions

Banadir

Bakool

Lower Juba

Middle Shabelle

Bay

Mudug

Bari

Hiraan

Other

Total

22.000 Other 4,000 41,000 Total

5,000

4,600

4,000

3,100

2,800

2,300

1.700

8,900

41,000

February 2019 destination regions

February 2019 displacement reasons

Other

Total

9,000

13,000

2,301

24,000

Conflict/Insecurity

Drought related







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Sub-Category

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