# UNHCR COTE D'IVOIRE

## Situation Report on asylum seekers in the North

**31 December 2023**

## Key Figures

**44,579**
Estimated **Arrivals**
**8,176 Households**

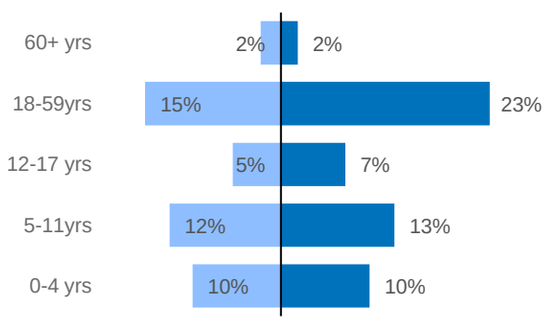
**36,729 ****
Individuals **registered**
**8,404 Household**
(**) 33,366 with biometrics

**14,241**
Person with Specific Need

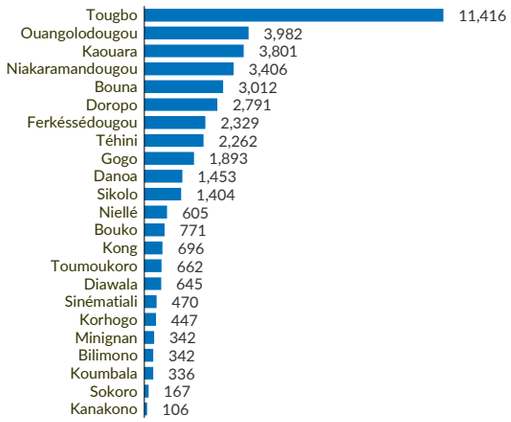
**13,975**
Children at School Age

### Age and Gender Breakdown*

Male (45%) — Female (55%)



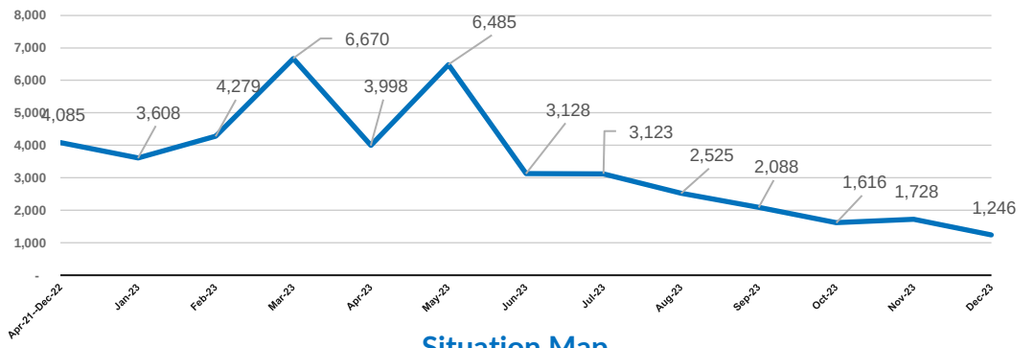

### Sub-prefectures hosting asylum seekers*



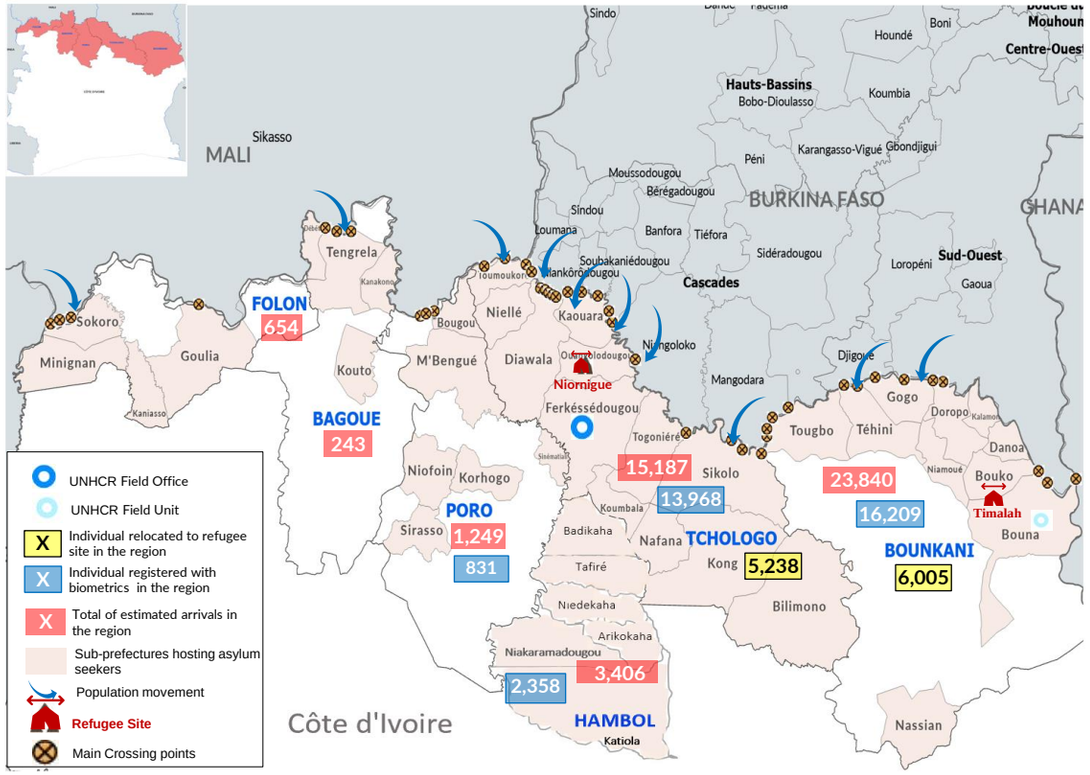

*(*) sub-prefecture having received at least 100 asylum seekers*

*New arrivals from Burkina Faso and Mali are currently registered as asylum seekers. The main reasons for the departure of asylum seekers from their villages in Burkina Faso are **armed conflicts / generalized insecurity, threats, intimidation and attacks** by **non-state armed groups** in the villages. **3,406** asylum seekers have been staying in Niakara Department, Hambol Region. Local authorities have identified them and signaled their presence to CNS in October 2023.*
*They arrived since April 2023 and remained in the communities*

### Trend of arrivals/identified

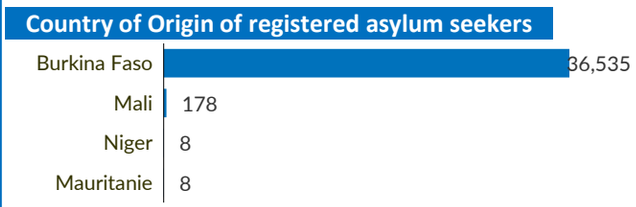



### Situation Map

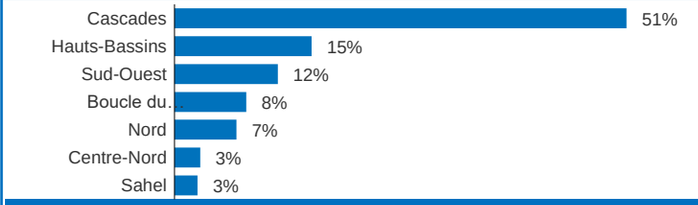



*(*) The data is exclusively that of biometrically registered persons.*
*The boundaries and names shown and the designations used on this map do not imply official endorsement or acceptance by the United Nations.*

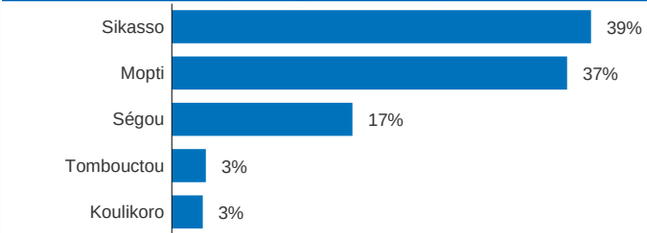
### Country of Origin of registered asylum seekers




### Principal regions of origin in Burkina Faso

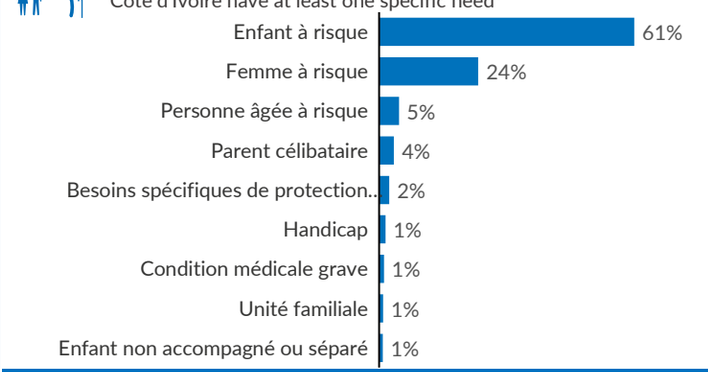



### Principal regions of origin in Mali



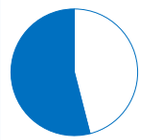

### Distribution of specific needs*

**52%**
of the population of asylum seekers from Burkina Faso or Mali in Côte d'Ivoire have at least one specific need*

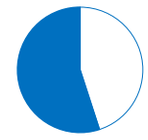



### Children and women in reproductive age*

**57%**
of the asylum seekers population in Côte d'Ivoire are children.



**55%**
of the female asylum seekers population are of reproductive age (13-49 years).



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