UGANDA - OVERVIEW OF REFUGEES AND ASYLUM-SEEKERS

as of 31-Aug-2025

Key Facts

Individuals 1,946,518
- Refugees 1,907,431
- Asy. Seeker 39,087

Households 525,361
- Refugees 498,562
- Asy. Seeker 26,800

Elderly 3 % 54,734

Women & Children 78 % 1,512,916

Under 18 52 % 1,018,874

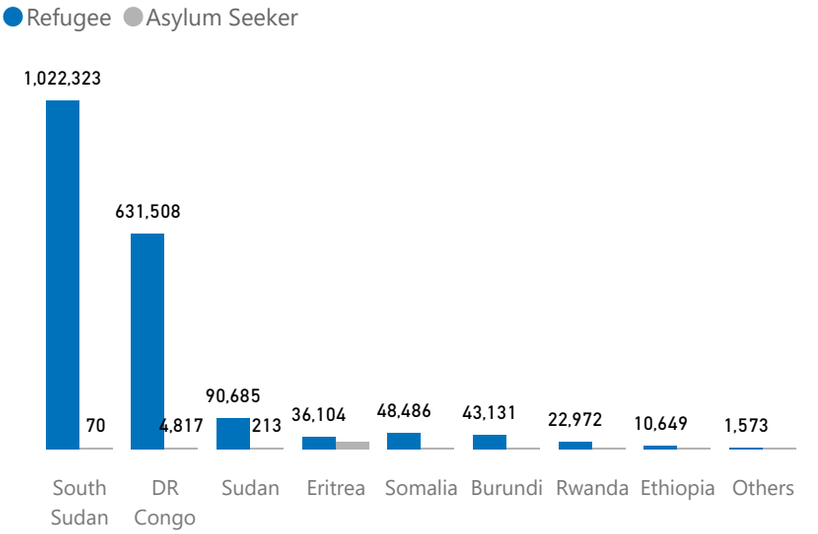
Female 51 % 995,514

Under 12 35 % 681,623

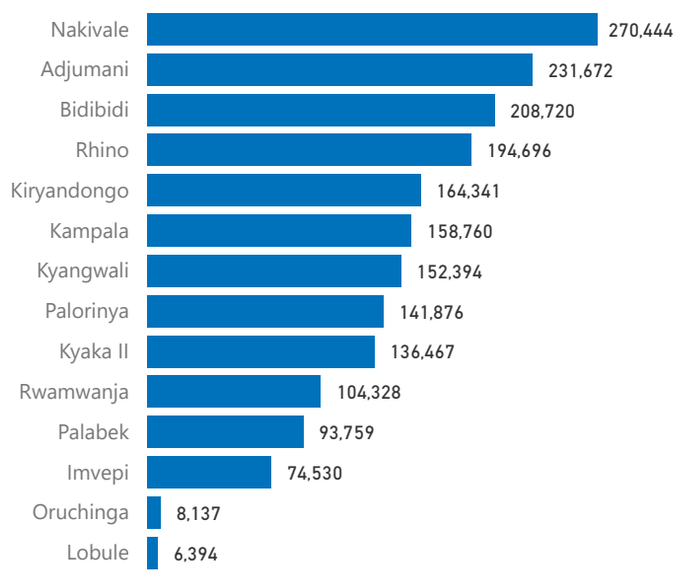
Youth (15-24) 25 % 490,241

Urban 8 % | Settlements 92 %

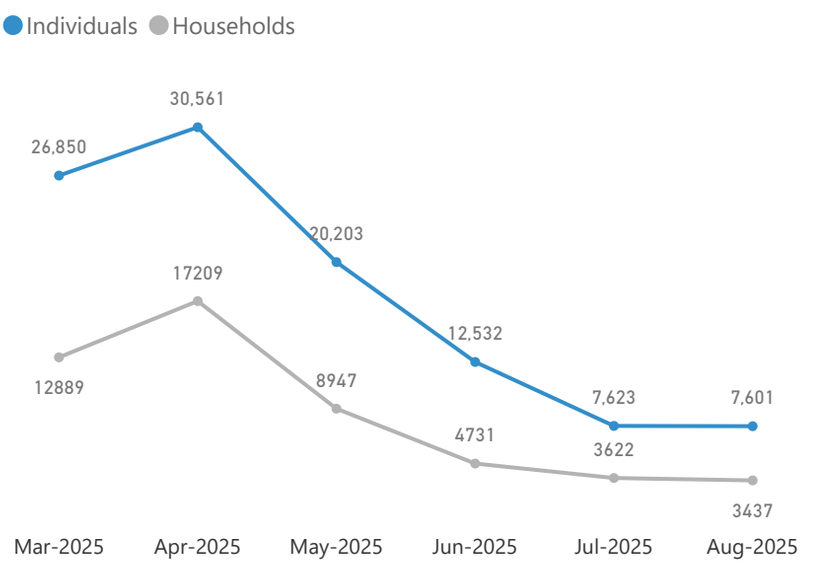
Country of Origin and Legal/Refugee Status



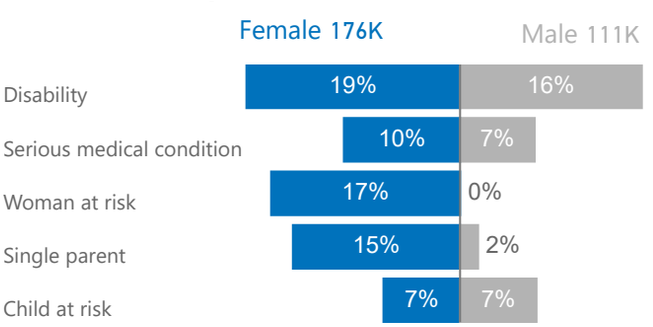
Population by settlement



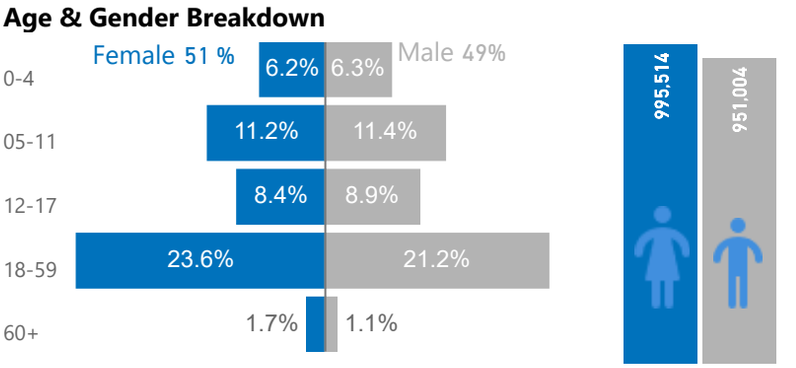
New arrival registration trend (last 6 months)



Most Common Specific Needs



Age & Gender Breakdown



Since the start of the year, 134,708 individuals seeking asylum, including 65,410 from the DR Congo, 39,651 from South Sudan, and 25,296 from Sudan have been registered in Uganda. 19,437 new births were also registered during the year. In total the population increased by 9,584 individuals (0.5%) from last month. Since the start of the conflict in Sudan in Mid-April 2023, 87,396 Sudanese fleeing the conflict have been registered in Uganda. Similarly, the situation in the DR Congo has resulted in increased arrivals into Uganda. There are currently 636,325 registered DR Congolese in Uganda, up 74,445 since end 2024.

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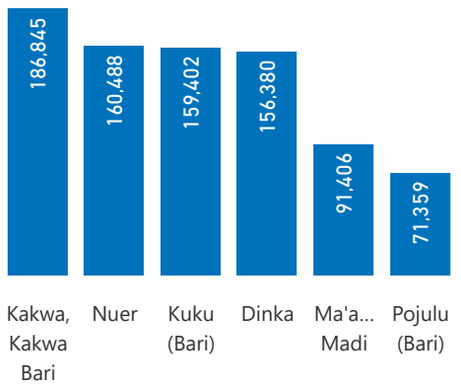
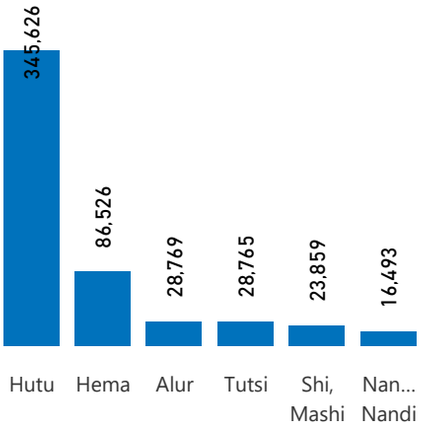
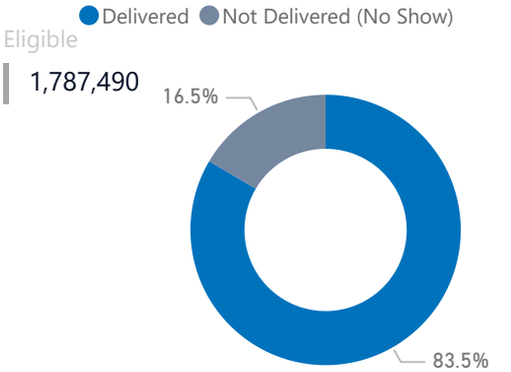


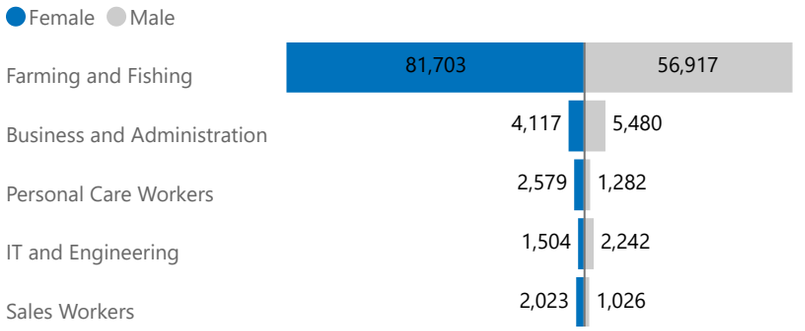
Main Congolese Ethnicities



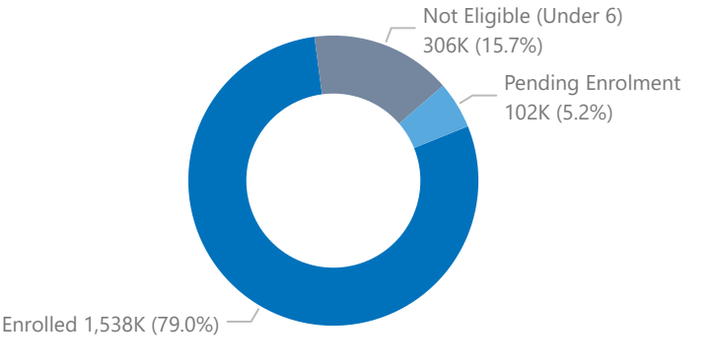
Access to Food/Cash Assistance

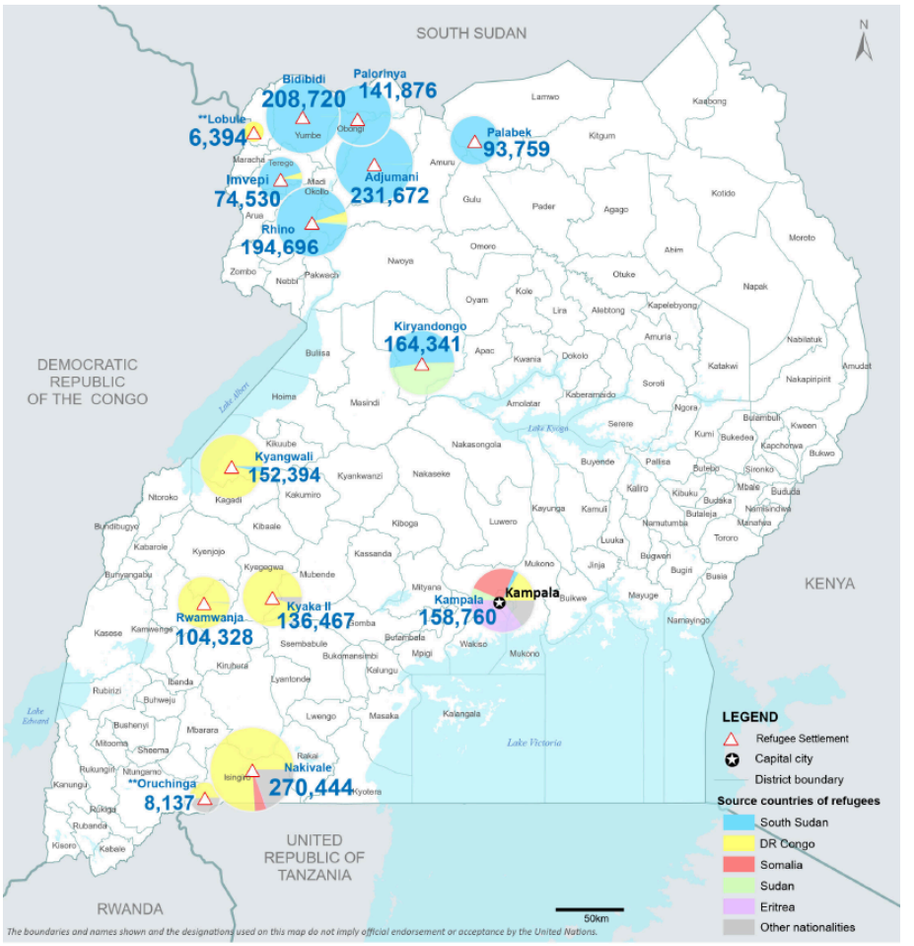


Main Occupations

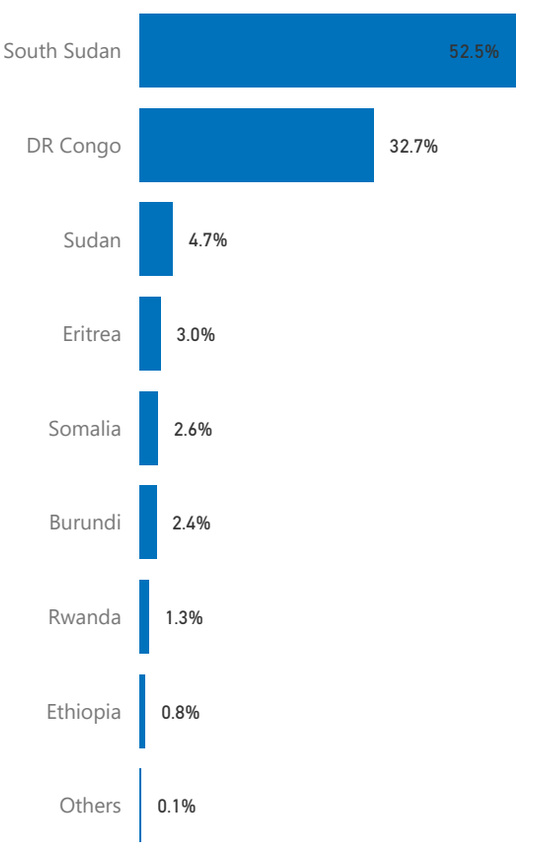


Biometric Enrolment





Main Countries of Origin



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