



**United Nations Country Team in Turkey  
Daily Situation Report on the Situation Pertaining to Syria**

**April 10-11, 2012**

- ❖ It has been reported that total Syrian population in Turkey is reached to **24,780** persons.

**10 April 2012**

Arrivals: 242 persons

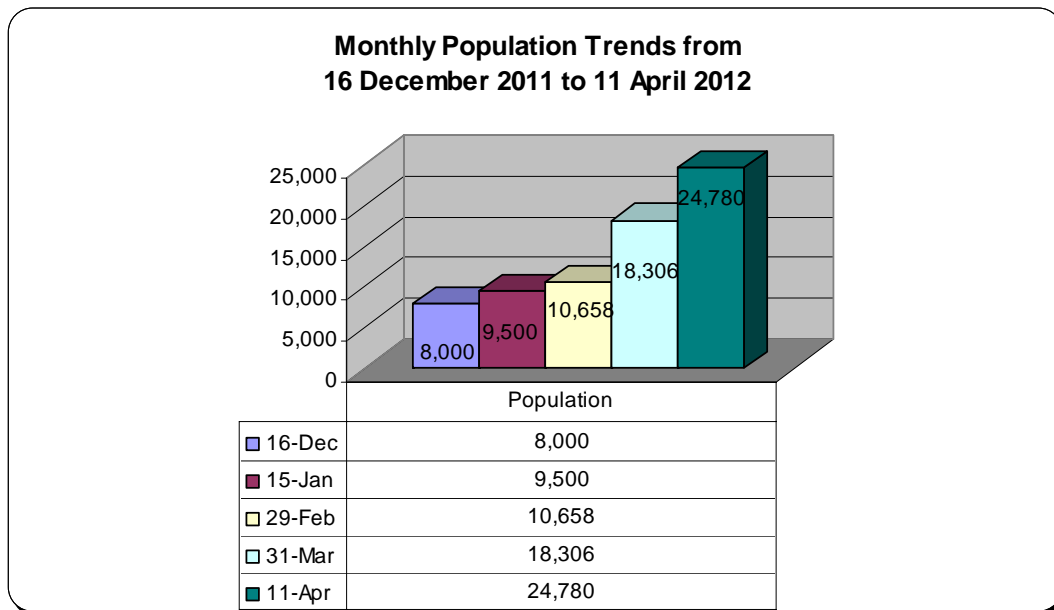
Returns: 138 persons

**11 April 2012**

Arrivals: 191 persons

Returns: 113 persons.

Increase in the arrivals from December 16, 2011 to April 11, 2012 is reflected below.



Currently arrivals from Syria are assisted in the border provinces of Hatay, Gaziantep, Kilis and Şanlıurfa.

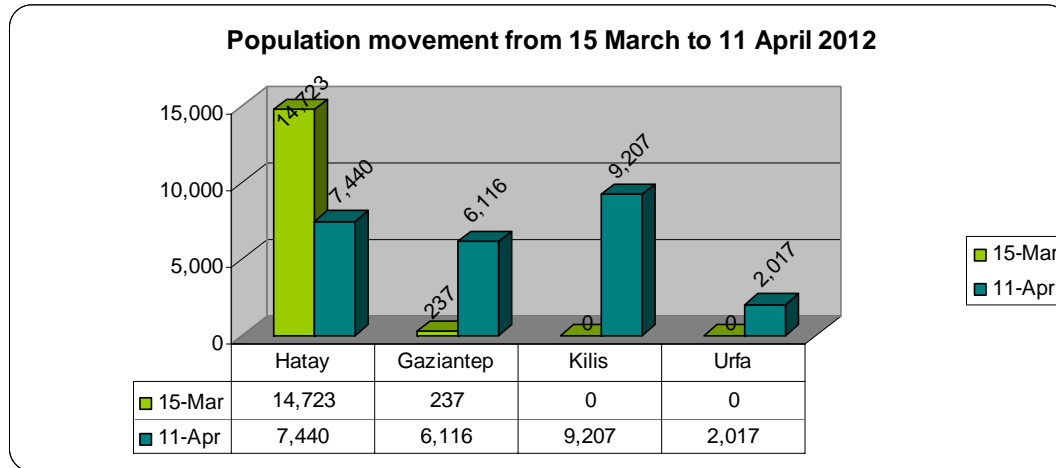
As of April 11, 2012 the city breakdown in the region is as follows:

- Hatay population<sup>1</sup>: 7,440 individuals

<sup>1</sup>: The population of the Kuyubaşı/Karbeyaz, Yayladağı 2 (YIBO), Altınözü I (TEKEL) and Reyhanlı camps in Hatay is moved to Islahiye camp in Gaziantep and to Öncüpınar container site in Kilis. It has been reported

- Gaziantep population in Islahiye<sup>2</sup>: 6,116 individuals.
- Kilis population in Öncüpınar container site: 9,207 individuals
- Şanlıurfa population in Ceylanpınar: 2,017 individuals

Population movement from Hatay to Gaziantep (Islahiye Camp), Kilis (Öncüpınar Container site) and Şanlıurfa (Ceylanpınar), from March 15<sup>3</sup> to April 10, 2012 is reflected below.



Please find below the map of the region including current 10 camps in Hatay, Kilis, Gaziantep and Şanlıurfa as April 11, 2012.



### Highlights:

that these empty camps will be kept for while as standby and there is some use of these camps for new arrivals.

<sup>2</sup> : There are two locations in Islahiye; Nurdağı Sport Center and Islahiye tent city but population figure is for all.

<sup>3</sup> 15 March is the date of first movement took place from Hatay.

- ❖ It has been reported that, on April 10, 2012, 145 persons who entered through Reyhanlı and 97 persons who entered through Kilis borders.
- ❖ On April 11, 2012, 173 persons entered through Kilis borders and settled in Kilis Container site. Currently there are 2,000 containers in the site and 1,775 of them are in use.
- ❖ It has also been reported that 18 persons entered through Hatay borders and settled in Islahiye tent camp with other 481 persons from Hatay.
- ❖ The UN and Arab League Special Envoy's visit was reported in the all local dailies.

### **Meetings and contacts:**

#### **a) The visit of the UN and Arab League Special Envoy to Syria - 10 April 2012:**

- ❖ The UN and Arab League Special Envoy for Syria, Mr. Kofi Annan, made a visit to Hatay/Kilis on April 10, 2012. The UNHCR Representative in Turkey provided him with a briefing on his arrival regarding the situation of Syrians under temporary protection in Turkey, and the overall context since the first arrivals to Turkey in April 2011. Following this, the Special Envoy accompanied by the MFA, AFAD, and UN Officials including the Representative flew by helicopter over Kilis Container site and then on to Yayladağı camp in Hatay where the Special Envoy met with Syrian representatives and listened to their concerns.
- ❖ On return to Antakya/Hatay, the Special Envoy met with the State Minister / Deputy Prime Minister Mr. Beşir Atalay at the airport where the overall situation was discussed followed by a joint press conference.

#### **b) Contact with Kızılay (Turkish Red Crescent) Disaster Management – Gaziantep**

- ❖ It has been reported by Kızılay Disaster Management that 1,600 family tents and 13,860 blankets donated by UNHCR in an emergency airlift have arrived in Hatay for immediate use in the area.