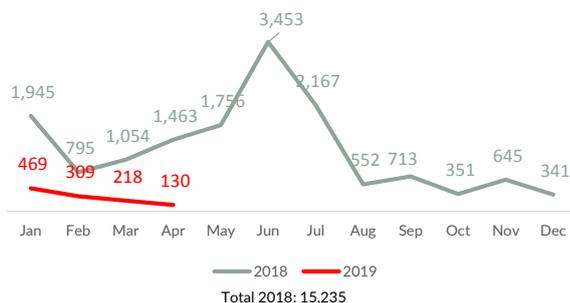


Libya continues to be a transit point for departure from North Africa towards Europe. UNHCR's interventions at disembarkation points in Libya focus on the provision of life-saving assistance and protection monitoring, to identify persons in need of international protection, as well as vulnerable individuals, such as unaccompanied and separated children, elderly, medical cases, women at risk or victims of trafficking. **UNHCR through its partner International Medical Corps provides medical services and core relief items.** In addition, UNHCR rehabilitated WASH facilities at six disembarkation points, in Azzawya, Tripoli (3), Tajoura (Al Hamidiyah) and Alkhums.

As of 30 April 2019, the Libyan Coast Guard rescued/intercepted a total of **1,126 people** in different locations along the Libyan coast. Over the first four months last year, the LCG rescued/intercepted a total of 5,257 refugees and migrants at sea. So far in 2019, Libyan local authorities have recovered **9 bodies** of people who perished while attempting to cross the Mediterranean towards Europe, while **144 people** were reported **missing**.

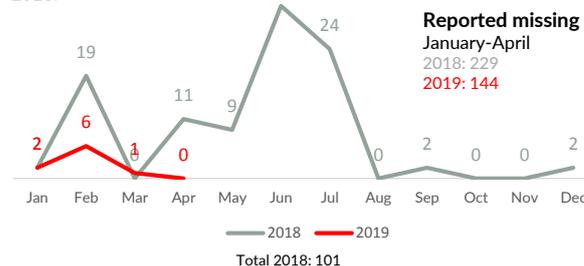
Monthly trends - people rescued/intercepted at sea by the Libyan Coast Guard in 2018-2019

From January to April 2019, **1,126 people** were rescued/intercepted at sea by the Libyan Coast Guard, a decrease of **78.5%** compared to the same period in 2018.

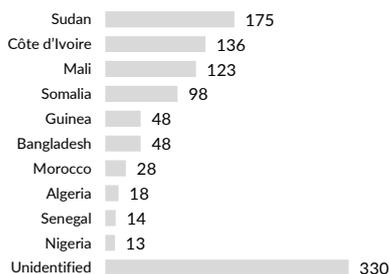


Monthly trends - recorded loss of life in Libyan waters in 2018-2019

From January to April 2019, **9 dead bodies** were recovered in Libyan waters, compared to **32** over the same period in 2018. In addition, **144 people** were reported **missing**, compared to 229 in the same months in 2018.

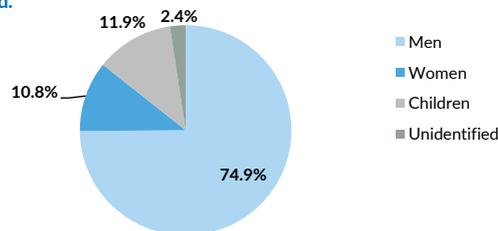


Top 10 nationalities rescued/intercepted at sea by the Libyan Coast Guard in 2019



People rescued/intercepted at sea by the Libyan Coast Guard in 2019 by group

Of the total of 1,126 people rescued/intercepted at sea by the Libyan Coast Guard, **843 were men, 122 women, 134 children and 27 unidentified.**



People rescued/intercepted in 2019 by disembarkation point



UNHCR health posts at disembarkation points

As of 30 April 2019, UNHCR, through its partner International Medical Corps, provided **medical assistance to 116 people** and distributed **593 hygiene kits** at disembarkation points.

