

**MALI**

1951 Convention:	State party	Region (MDGs):	Developing regions
1967 Protocol:	State party	Sub-region (MDGs):	Sub-Saharan Africa
United Nations:	Africa		
Bureau (UNHCR):	West Africa		
Region (UNHCR):	West Africa	Other UN country groupings:	Least Developed Country, Landlocked Developing Country

**A. REFUGEES, ASYLUM-SEEKERS AND OTHERS OF CONCERN TO UNHCR****1. Population of concern to UNHCR, end of year**

Category	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
Refugees	17,916	18,234	12,552	13,598	8,302	8,412	8,439	9,095	10,009	11,256
Asylum-seekers*	-	54	450	548	606	710	804	719	715	1,085
Returned refugees**	39,022	21,976	34,496	26,889	5,045	5	-	-	-	-
Internally displaced	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Returned IDPs	..	..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Stateless/Others	..	..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	..	..	47,498	41,035	13,953	9,127	9,243	9,814	10,724	12,341

\* Pending applications. 1995: data available for industrialized countries only. \*\* Also based on country of asylum reports.

**2. Refugees--displacement and durable solutions during the year**

Category	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
<i>Arrivals</i>										
Prima facie/group basis	56	761	31	-	-	-	-	616	-	457
Individually recognized*	-	19	31	6	312	163	27	82	484	864
Resettlement	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Durable solutions</i>										
Voluntary repatriation**	-	200	5,660	1,015	5	7	7	-	162	67
Resettlement	-	-	15	-	2	51	-	15	7	9
Naturalization	..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

\* Includes Convention status and allowed to remain for humanitarian reasons, first instance and appeal. 1995: industrialized countries only. \*\* Also based on country of return reports.

**3. Asylum and refugee status determination during the year (incl. appeal/review)**

Responsibility (2004): Government

Category	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
New applications	-	77	450	223	675	289	127	132	496	1,245
1951 Convention status	-	19	31	6	312	163	27	82	484	864
Allowed/humanitarian	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

**4. Indicators of host country capacity and contributions**

Indicator*	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
<i>Refugees</i>										
Per 1 USD GDP/capita	56.0	57.0	39.2	42.5	25.9	26.3	26.4	28.4	31.3	35.2
Per 1,000 inhabitants	1.3	1.3	0.9	1.0	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.8
Per 1,000 km <sup>2</sup>	14.3	14.5	10.0	10.8	6.6	6.7	6.7	7.2	8.0	9.0
<i>Total population of concern to UNHCR</i>										
Per 1 USD GDP/capita	..	..	148.4	128.2	43.6	28.5	28.9	30.7	33.5	38.6
Per 1,000 inhabitants	..	..	3.5	3.0	1.0	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.8	0.9
Per 1,000 km <sup>2</sup>	..	..	37.9	32.7	11.1	7.3	7.4	7.8	8.5	9.8

\* Refugees and Total population of concern to UNHCR: annual estimates (Table A.1). Figures for GDP per capita, national population and land area are the most recent available estimates.

**B. DEMOGRAPHIC CHARACTERISTICS, LOCATION, LEGAL BASIS AND RECOGNITION, END OF 2004****1. Population of concern to UNHCR--demographic characteristics\***

Sex	<5	5-17	18-59	60+>	Various	Total	<5 (%)	5-17 (%)	18-59 (%)	60+> (%)	F/M (%)
Female	1,076	1,896	1,845	135	-	4,952	22%	38%	37%	3%	40%
Male	663	2,544	4,000	182	-	7,389	9%	34%	54%	2%	60%
Total	1,739	4,440	5,845	317	-	12,341	14%	36%	47%	3%	100%

\* May not reflect the total population of concern to UNHCR.

**2. Population of concern--location\***

Type	Total
Camps/centers	287
Urban	5,409
Dispersed/various	6,645
Total	12,341
Camps/centers	2%
Urban	44%

\* May not reflect the total population of concern to UNHCR.

**3. Refugee population--legal basis**

Type	Total
1951 UN Convention	3,147
1969 OAU Convention	8,109
UNHCR Mandate	-
Other/unknown*	-
Total	11,256
1951 Convention	28%

\* Including allowed to remain for humanitarian reasons.

**4. Refugee population--recognition**

Type	Total
Prima facie (group)	8,109
Individually recognized	3,147
Other/unknown	-
Total	11,256
Prima facie (group)	72%
Individually recognized	28%

## C. REFUGEES AND ASYLUM-SEEKERS IN MALI -- MAIN ORIGIN

## 1. Refugee population, end of year--main origin (main nationalities in 2004)

Origin	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
Mauritania	16,997	16,764	11,103	11,627	6,110	6,115	6,117	6,121	6,148	6,185
Côte d'Ivoire	-	-	7	1	-	-	-	617	1,504	2,704
Sierra Leone	531	893	715	1,222	1,311	1,415	1,436	1,448	1,411	1,344
Liberia	218	357	443	352	391	380	381	382	397	446
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	-	-	44	55	70	77	77	84	89	106

## 2. Asylum applicants during the year--main origin (main nationalities during 2004 -- 1995 data only incl. industrialized asylum countries)

Origin	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
Côte d'Ivoire	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	3	405

## D. REFUGEES AND ASYLUM-SEEKERS FROM MALI -- MAIN COUNTRIES OF ASYLUM

## 1. Refugee population, end of year--main countries of asylum (main countries in 2004)

Asylum country*	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
Germany	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	151	164	180
France	156	146	133	121	111	108	108	115	108	113
Canada	103	46	33	34	40	33	44	56	65	73
United States	23	37	48	52	62	53	-	57	55	65
Other	76,937	54,969	17,801	3,495	174	170	159	152	69	52
Total	77,219	55,198	18,015	3,702	387	364	311	531	461	483

\* UNHCR estimates for most industrialized countries.

## 2. Asylum applicants during the year--main asylum countries (main countries in 2004 -- 1995 data only incl. industrialized asylum countries)

Asylum country	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
France	504	485	237	427	1,661	2,945	2,940	2,413	1,241	859
Spain	20	80	105	16	1	3	9	26	63	253
Switzerland	-	47	47	50	66	78	142	168	101	106
Germany	41	28	43	33	23	41	87	70	43	50
Austria	-	-	1	2	4	3	4	8	8	48
Other	306	84	54	47	64	67	101	144	108	130
Total	871	724	487	575	1,819	3,137	3,283	2,829	1,564	1,446

## E. POPULATION OF CONCERN IN MALI -- MAIN LOCATIONS, END OF 2004

Data generally not available for industrialized countries

Location name	Type*	Total
Kayes	R	6,190
Bamako	U	5,410
Zegoua	R	240
Sikasso	R	200
Loulouni	C	150

\*CAM = Camps/centers; URB = Urban; RUR = Rural/dispersed/various.

Location name	Type*	Total
Faragouaran	C	140

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## F. HOST COUNTRY INDICATORS FOR MALI

