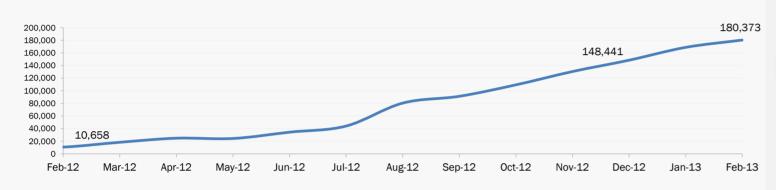
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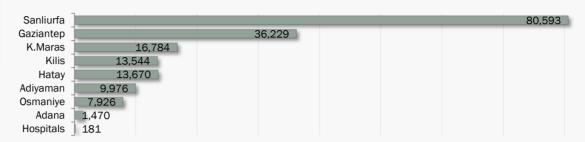
Total number of Syrians in Turkey under Temporary Protection	280,373
Official Population in Camps in Turkey	180,373
Estimated Number of Syrians Living in Urban Areas	100,000
Total Number of Arrivals since April 2011	355,000

Population Trends

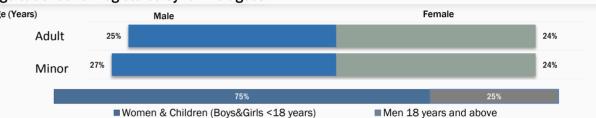


Number of Syrians by Province

The number of Syrians living in the Urban Area are not included







Highlights

- On 12 Feb 2013, the Government Agency for Disaster Management AFAD reported that the total number of Syrians registered in the camps increased to 180.,373 persons (7% increase since end -Jan 2013) including 181 Syrians who are undergoing medical treatment in hospitals. The estimated number of non-camp Syrians in Turkey is estimated to be minimum 100,000 people, bringing the total population of Syrians in Turkey falling within the temporary protection regime to be 280,373 people.
- During the last 24 hrs. (12-13 Feb) 228 Syrians were admitted from the borders while 684 Syrians returned to Syria voluntarily.
- AFAD announced the opening and new admissions to two new camps, including a tent site in Adana (Saricam district) and Nizip-2 container site in Gaziantep province. With these two new camps, the number of operational camps is 17 camps in 8 provinces. According to local authorities, up to four more sites are under construction.
- Local authorities in Gaziantep had opened a coordination center in Gaziantep where non camp Syrians can approach, get registered and are issued an ID Card which will facilitate their access to health and other assistance mechanisms available in Gaziantep province. A similar center is planned for NIzip town and Sanliurfa province. In Gaziantep province the authorities have also prepared a rehabilitation center for longer-term medical treatment following hospitalizations, with a capacity of up to 50 Syrians.
- Despite information and prevention campaigns by camp officials, another fire incident occurred in Akcakale camp which unfortunately caused the death of a 7 year old child. The reason of fire is being investigated.
- •UNICEF plans to support Kizilay to increase staffing for child/educational activities of up to four people in selected camps to support recreational and education activities, to commence officially in the near future with recruitment already
- UNFPA is working with central authorities to increase and ensure regular reporting on surveillance mechanisms among health professionals in camps regarding indicators on reproductive health and STIs and support training for central and local authorities, especially health officials working in camps.
- IOM has provided complementary NFIs to more than 38,000 camp residents, and is discussing further support to camp authorities.
- WFP's food cards system is covering more than 22,000 Syrians in 4 camps in Hatay and the container site in Kilis.



Sources