

Populations of Concern to UNHCR



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Regions	Others of Concern						Total Population of Concern
	Refugees	Asylum-seekers	Returned Refugees	Internally Displaced Persons (IDPs)	Returned IDPs	Various	
1 Great Lakes	1,211,429	34,420	53,337	23,458	42,000	0	1,364,644
2 West and Central Africa	570,074	21,110	101,079	196,116	0	0	888,379
3 East and Horn of Africa	966,757	13,758	99,243	0	0	1,420	1,081,178
4 Southern Africa	366,051	21,798	13,117	202,000	0	0	602,966
5 North Africa	183,639	581	2	0	0	29,500	213,722
6 The Middle East	463,388	29,264	2,200	0	0	138,000	632,852
7 South-West Asia	4,066,803	580	26,105	1,200,000	0	0	5,293,488
8 Central Asia	97,757	2,606	2,343	0	0	100,000	202,706
9 South Asia	322,684	270	297	683,286	0	0	1,006,537
10 East Asia and the Pacific	616,134	18,955	18,184	0	0	2,356	655,629
11 Eastern Europe	294,294	7,934	375	1,281,464	47,362	678,788	2,310,217
12 South-Eastern Europe	459,578	640	146,072	741,626	151,588	85,000	1,584,504
13 Central Europe and the Baltic States	18,711	23,228	39	0	0	4,452	46,430
14 Western Europe	1,717,569	300,974	0	0	0	0	2,018,543
15 North America and the Caribbean	644,742	441,696	1	0	0	0	1,086,439
16 Central America	25,831	2,660	10	0	0	0	28,501
17 South America	10,510	5,203	183	720,000	0	0	735,896
TOTAL	12,035,951	925,677	462,587	5,047,950	240,950	1,039,516	19,752,631

Notes

1. Data are generally provided by governments, based on their own definitions and methods of data collection.
2. Figures as at 31 December 2001 (subject to change).