

CÔTE D'IVOIRE

1951 Convention:	State party	Region (MDGs):	Developing regions
1967 Protocol:	State party	Sub-region (MDGs):	Sub-Saharan Africa
United Nations:	Africa	Other UN country groupings:	Not applicable
Bureau (UNHCR):	West Africa		
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A. REFUGEES, ASYLUM-SEEKERS AND OTHERS OF CONCERN TO UNHCR

1. Population of concern to UNHCR, end of year

Category	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Refugees	327,696	208,502	151,182	138,429	120,691	126,239	44,749	75,971	72,088	41,627
Asylum-seekers	25	501	458	662	2,242	2,324	1,142	1,321	2,111	2,443
Returned refugees*	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	16,600	7,594	2
Internally displaced	-	-	-	-	-	-	100,000	38,039	38,039	38,039
Returned IDPs	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Stateless persons	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Others of concern	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total	..	209,003	151,640	139,093	122,933	128,563	145,891	131,931	119,832	82,111

* Based on country of asylum and origin reports.

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

Category	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Arrivals										
Prima facie/group basis	13,241	1,128	14,946	8,738	-	7,544	18,476	40,805	530	-
Individually recognized*	24	24	282	253	180	8,216	128	112	92	60
Resettlement	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Durable solutions										
Voluntary repatriation**	131	587	100,564	31,633	28,284	2,121	22,113	21,054	16,826	33,011
Resettlement	8	410	22	1,161	-	83	1	1,646	4,476	437
Naturalization	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

* Includes Convention status and allowed to remain for humanitarian reasons, first instance and appeal. ** Based on country of asylum and origin reports.

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

Category	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
New applications	29	642	466	497	1,444	8,372	340	388	1,164	638
1951 Convention status	24	24	282	253	180	672	128	112	80	60
Allowed/humanitarian	-	-	-	-	-	7,544	-	-	12	-

Responsibility (2005): Government

4. Indicators of host country capacity and contributions

Indicator*	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Refugees										
Per 1 USD GDP/capita	384.4	244.6	177.4	162.4	141.6	148.1	52.5	89.1	84.6	48.8
Per 1,000 inhabitants	18.1	11.5	8.3	7.6	6.6	7.0	2.5	4.2	4.0	2.3
Per 1,000 km ²	1,013.8	645.0	467.7	428.2	373.4	390.5	138.4	235.0	223.0	128.8
Total population of concern to UNHCR										
Per 1 USD GDP/capita	..	245.2	177.9	163.2	144.2	150.8	171.2	154.8	140.6	96.3
Per 1,000 inhabitants	..	11.5	8.4	7.7	6.8	7.1	8.0	7.3	6.6	4.5
Per 1,000 km ²	..	646.6	469.1	430.3	380.3	397.7	451.3	408.1	370.7	254.0

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

B. DEMOGRAPHIC CHARACTERISTICS, LOCATION, LEGAL BASIS AND RECOGNITION, END OF 2005

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	3,725	6,886	12,201	537	19,697	43,046	16%	29%	52%	2%	52%
Male	3,731	6,369	10,152	469	18,342	39,063	18%	31%	49%	2%	48%
Total	7,456	13,255	22,353	1,006	38,039	82,109	17%	30%	51%	2%	100%

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

2. Population of concern--location*

Type	Total
Camps/centers	36,508
Urban	7,562
Dispersed/various	38,039
Total	82,109
Camps/centers	44%
Urban	9%

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

3. Refugee population--legal basis

Type	Total
1951 UN Convention	518
1969 OAU Convention	41,109
UNHCR Mandate	-
Other/unknown*	-
Total	41,627
1951 Convention	1%

* Including allowed to remain for humanitarian reasons.

4. Refugee population--recognition

Type	Total
Prima facie (group)	40,255
Individually recognized	1,372
Other/unknown	-
Total	41,627
Prima facie (group)	97%
Individually recognized	3%

C. REFUGEES AND ASYLUM-SEEKERS IN CÔTE D'IVOIRE -- MAIN ORIGIN

1. Refugee population, end of year--main origin (main nationalities in 2005)

Origin	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Liberia	327,288	207,014	148,910	135,649	117,749	122,846	43,000	74,180	70,402	39,919
Congo	-	-	94	357	453	510	575	583	539	560
Sierra Leone	-	1,089	1,596	1,773	1,779	2,116	360	334	339	339
Rwanda	160	132	231	266	258	287	302	304	257	247
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	-	17	31	61	87	140	150	181	192	207

2. Asylum applicants during the year--main origin (main nationalities during 2005)

Origin	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Togo	-	2	-	-	-	15	26	11	13	214
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	2	104	72	60	72	41	112	89	400	199
Congo	-	185	258	413	114	34	80	88	215	95
Sierra Leone	-	3	-	-	-	337	-	77	433	55

D. REFUGEES AND ASYLUM-SEEKERS FROM CÔTE D'IVOIRE -- MAIN COUNTRIES OF ASYLUM

1. Refugee population, end of year--main countries of asylum (main countries in 2005)

Asylum country*	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Liberia	-	-	-	-	-	-	19,158	20,000	12,408	6,592
Guinea	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,188	9,552	4,735	3,233
Mali	-	7	1	-	-	-	617	1,504	2,704	2,712
France	17	-	14	-	-	42	111	317	647	1,075
United Kingdom	15	60	120	120	375	410	500	678	754	831
Other	236	293	402	442	398	406	1,167	1,586	2,407	3,895
Total	268	360	537	562	773	858	23,741	33,637	23,655	18,338

* UNHCR estimates for most industrialized countries.

2. Asylum applicants during the year--main asylum countries (main countries in 2005)

Asylum country	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
France	25	13	44	101	350	727	600	1,420	1,106	1,147
Mali	-	1	-	-	-	-	3	405	1,200	742
Guinea	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	971	776	601
Italy	-	-	-	-	6	14	93	348	183	586
Cameroon	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	66	77	396
Other	623	489	552	574	1,264	1,103	2,225	7,272	2,830	2,954
Total	648	503	596	675	1,620	1,844	2,921	10,482	6,172	6,426

E. POPULATION OF CONCERN IN CÔTE D'IVOIRE -- MAIN LOCATIONS, END OF 2005

Data generally not available for industrialized countries

Location name	Type*	Total
Abidjan	RUR	38,040
Tabou	CAM	22,270
Abidjan	URB	7,560
Nicla	CAM	6,070
Guiglo	CAM	4,810

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

Location name	Type*	Total
Tabou TC	CAM	3,360

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F. HOST COUNTRY INDICATORS FOR CÔTE D'IVOIRE

