

ETHIOPIA

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:	
Bureau (UNHCR):	East and Horn of Africa		Least Developed Country, Landlocked Developing Country
Region (UNHCR):	East and Horn of Africa		

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	390,528	323,067	262,160	257,689	197,959	152,554	132,940	130,274	115,980	100,817
Asylum-seekers	144	139	130	2,014	38	3	19	10	40	209
Returned refugees*	28,001	10,034	12,762	1,867	2,936	9,365	213	30	7	147
Internally displaced	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Returned IDPs	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Stateless persons	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Others of concern	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total	..	333,240	275,052	261,570	200,933	161,922	133,172	130,314	116,027	101,173

* 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	13,950	10,036	7,200	11,201	18,381	9,613	724	2,589	-	-
Individually recognized*	17	7	15	1,850	67	3	7,200	1,604	2,244	3,027
Resettlement	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Durable solutions										
Voluntary repatriation**	-	50,030	47,882	22,990	48,332	50,677	29,860	9,245	9,559	4,110
Resettlement	9	207	597	833	896	534	466	622	594	1,240
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	Responsibility (2005): Government
New applications	146	69	34	19	73	5	7,217	1,613	2,282	3,198	
1951 Convention status	17	-	15	1,850	67	3	7,200	1,604	2,244	3,027	
Allowed/humanitarian	-	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	

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	3,778.3	3,125.6	2,536.4	2,493.1	1,915.2	1,475.9	1,286.2	1,260.4	1,122.1	975.4
Per 1,000 inhabitants	5.0	4.2	3.4	3.3	2.6	2.0	1.7	1.7	1.5	1.3
Per 1,000 km ²	345.2	285.5	231.7	227.8	175.0	134.8	117.5	115.1	102.5	89.1
Total population of concern to UNHCR										
Per 1 USD GDP/capita	..	3,224.1	2,661.1	2,530.7	1,944.0	1,566.6	1,288.4	1,260.8	1,122.5	978.8
Per 1,000 inhabitants	..	4.3	3.6	3.4	2.6	2.1	1.7	1.7	1.5	1.3
Per 1,000 km ²	..	294.5	243.1	231.2	177.6	143.1	117.7	115.2	102.5	89.4

* 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	11,130	15,455	21,063	747	-	48,395	23%	32%	44%	2%	48%
Male	11,619	17,992	22,314	-	706	52,631	22%	35%	43%	0%	52%
Total	22,749	33,447	43,377	747	706	101,026	23%	33%	43%	1%	100%

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

2. Population of concern--location*

Type	Total
Camps/centers	100,505
Urban	521
Dispersed/various	-
Total	101,026
Camps/centers	99%
Urban	1%

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

3. Refugee population--legal basis

Type	Total
1951 UN Convention	5,724
1969 OAU Convention	95,093
UNHCR Mandate	-
Other/unknown*	-
Total	100,817
1951 Convention	6%

* Including allowed to remain for humanitarian reasons.

4. Refugee population--recognition

Type	Total
Prima facie (group)	95,002
Individually recognized	5,815
Other/unknown	-
Total	100,817
Prima facie (group)	94%
Individually recognized	6%

C. REFUGEES AND ASYLUM-SEEKERS IN ETHIOPIA -- 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
Sudan	75,743	56,868	58,580	70,262	71,732	80,934	89,952	94,899	90,451	73,927
Somalia	287,761	249,235	195,345	180,862	121,096	67,129	37,532	28,276	16,470	15,901
Eritrea	-	-	-	-	3,276	4,212	5,126	6,754	8,719	10,700
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	41	44	42	40	43	53	60	76	82	122
Djibouti	18,000	8,000	3,000	1,503	1,560	60	55	62	58	51

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

Origin	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Eritrea	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,066	1,580	2,187	2,966
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	7	5	9	12	5	4	5	26	37	158
Burundi	5	1	4	-	-	-	5	4	9	61

D. REFUGEES AND ASYLUM-SEEKERS FROM ETHIOPIA -- 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
Kenya	7,109	8,634	8,099	8,191	4,053	13,541	11,202	11,139	12,595	14,862
Sudan	51,467	44,284	35,559	35,396	34,132	16,120	14,571	15,251	14,812	14,633
United States	10,230	7,832	5,600	7,849	9,765	11,536	12,454	12,835	12,980	13,844
Germany	-	-	-	-	-	-	8,134	7,966	6,669	5,146
Canada	3,750	2,543	1,724	1,405	1,635	2,034	2,244	2,873	3,549	3,986
Other	23,714	21,108	19,698	18,214	16,825	15,766	12,635	12,613	12,545	12,990
Total	96,270	84,401	70,680	71,055	66,410	58,997	61,240	62,677	63,150	65,461

* 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
South Africa	663	449	872	810	306	278	1,277	1,544	2,795	2,899
Kenya	-	356	1,751	7,002	5,597	4,911	1,802	2,308	1,742	1,992
Yemen	108	632	169	242	274	1,330	1,765	672	830	1,380
Eritrea	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	195	248	1,218
United States	948	961	868	1,101	1,445	1,467	1,287	890	976	707
Other	4,389	3,374	3,544	2,690	6,215	3,742	3,762	6,516	3,669	3,376
Total	6,108	5,772	7,204	11,845	13,837	11,728	9,898	12,125	10,260	11,572

E. POPULATION OF CONCERN IN ETHIOPIA -- MAIN LOCATIONS, END OF 2005

Data generally not available for industrialized countries

Location name	Type*	Total
Fugnido (Gambella)	CAM	26,590
Bonga (Gambella)	CAM	18,500
Sherkole (Assosa)	CAM	16,360
Kebribayah (Jijiga)	CAM	15,780
Shimelba (Shire/Shiraro)	CAM	10,680

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

Location name	Type*	Total
Dimma (Gambella)	CAM	8,620
Yarenja (Bamboudi)	CAM	3,970
Addis Ababa	URB	520

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F. HOST COUNTRY INDICATORS FOR ETHIOPIA

