

DEMOGRAPHICS

 **11 households (79 individuals) affected by the fire**

TOP PRIORITY NEEDS OF AFFECTED HOUSEHOLDS



Shelter



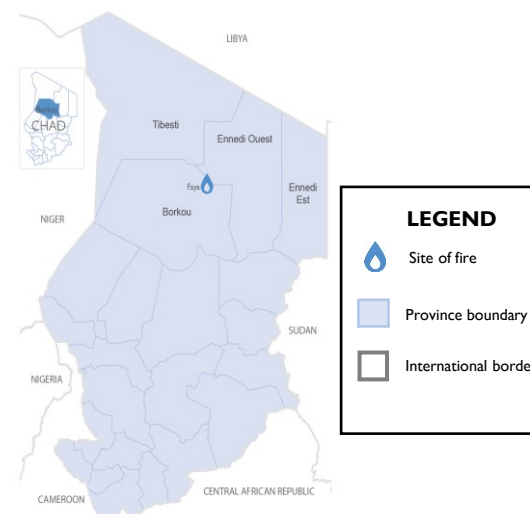
Non-Food Items



Livelihood



Water





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METHODOLOGY






	Assessment conducted in affected areas	X
	Assessment conducted through phone interviews with key informants	

SUMMARY OF THE EVENT

The objective of the Emergency Tracking Tool (ETT) is to collect information on large and sudden population movements as well as security and climactic emergencies. Information is collected through phone interviews with key informants and direct observation.

Following a fire of unknown origin that occurred on 12 October 2021 in the Andjalai neighbourhood in the town of Faya (Province of Borkou), DTM conducted an assessment on 13 October 2021 to assess the fire's impacts. The fire affected 11 households (79 persons) burning the homes of eight of them and making three others to leave their homes preventively. Critical damage to palm gardens, livestock and water supplies was reported.

OBSERVATIONS AND ANALYSIS

	8 households (regrouping 63 individuals) were completely burnt down. These people are hosted by family members or friends of the community. The houses of 3 other households (16 individuals) were spared by the fire, but residents left their homes preventively to take refuge with relatives in the community.
	The 8 households whose houses were burnt down lost most of their Non-Food Items (NFI). The most urgent NFI needs are sleeping mats, blankets, hygiene kits and kitchen utensils.
	Date, gum Arabic and vegetable fields, the affected community's main means of livelihood, were severely damaged by the fire. Among cattle 7 sheep, 1 donkey and 30 chickens were burnt. Because of the severity of the damage caused by the fire, the community indicated that affected crops were no longer suitable for farming and harvest. Access to arable land is therefore a primary need.
	Two individuals, a women and a child, incurred injuries of second degree burns. At the moment of data collection, they had not received treatment for their burns.
	The fire completely damaged 30 water pumps. Access to drinking water is an urgent need of the community.