

# **DISPLACEMENT TRACKING MATRIX (DTM)**

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Context: The crisis currently affecting the Lake Chad Basin states results from a complex combination of factors, including conflict with Non-State Armed Groups, extreme poverty, underdevelopment and a changing climate, which together have triggered significant displacement of populations. As of 31 October 2021, Cameroon, Chad, Niger and Nigeria were hosting an estimated 5,417,841 affected individuals made up of Internally Displaced Persons (IDPs), Refugees (both in- and out-of-camp), Returnees (Former IDPs and Returnees from abroad) and Third Country Nationals (TCNs). 76 per cent of the affected population (representing 4,100,676 individuals) were located in Nigeria, while 11 per cent resided in Cameroon (607,520 individuals), 9 per cent in Chad (476,548 individuals) and 4 per cent in Niger (233,097 individuals).



+6% (Jan—Oct 2021) 1,914,497 Returnees (former IDPs) (35%)

+19% (Jan—Oct 2021) 225,643 Returnees from abroad (4%)

+11% (Jan—Oct 2021) 263,067 Refugees (5%)

+10% (Jan—Oct 2021)

### **CAMEROON**



+20% IDPs (Jan—Oct 2021)

- 357,631 IDPs
- 128,990 Returnees (former IDPs)
- 6,267 Returnees from abroad
- 114,632 Refugees

#### **CHAD**



+3% IDPs (Jan—Oct 2021)

- 406,573 IDPs
- 22,112 Returnees (former IDPs)
- 29,263 Returnees from abroad
- 18,600 Refugees

#### **NIGERIA**



+8% IDPs (Jan—Oct 2021)

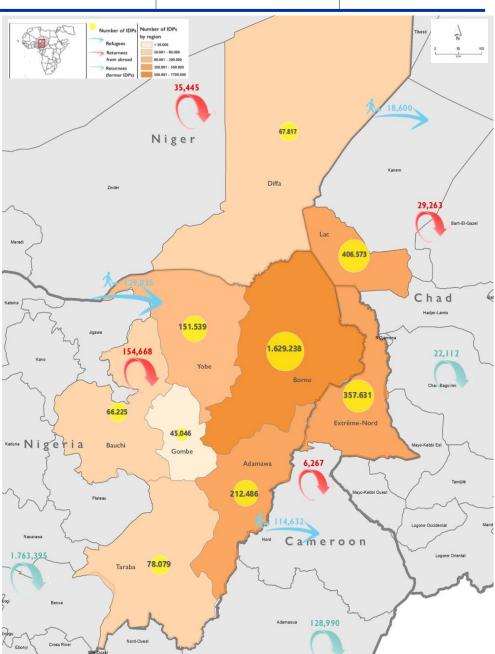
- 2,182,613 IDPs
- 1,763,395 Returnees (former IDPs)
- 154,668 Returnees from abroad

## NIGER



-38% IDPs (Jan—Oct 2021)

- 67,817 IDPs
- 35,445 Returnees from abroad
- 129,835 Refugees



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Sources and dates: DTM Cameroon (Round 23 – August 2021), DTM Chad (Round 16 – September 2021), DTM Nigeria (Round XXXVIII – September 2021), Government of Niger (31/08/2021), DREC-M/R/UNHCR Niger (July 2021), UNHCR Cameroon (30/07/2021), CNARR & UNHCR (30/07/2021).

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