In May 2020, a total of 3,049 movements were observed across Ethiopia's five flow monitoring points (FMPs). This represents a 53% decrease in daily average movement in comparison with April 2020 when an average of 209 movements per day were observed. The average daily movement has been impacted by measures taken to contain the spread of CoVID-19 in the region. It has gone down from 376 average daily movement in February to 247 in March, 209 in April and 98 during May 2020.

Following border closures and movement restrictions in the region due to the CoVID-19 pandemic, the incoming movements (62%) are significantly higher than outgoing movements (38%) for the second month in a row. A total of 1,168 movements were observed leaving Ethiopia, of which 474 (41%) were going to Somalia. 1,881 movements were entering Ethiopia, of which 892 (47%) were observed coming from Djibouti. The incoming movement from Djibouti is unusual and likely people returning from unsuccessful attempt to cross to Yemen/KSA. The majority of the observed population was male (72%), while 28% was female. 4% of those moving were children, out of which close to three quarters were boys.

**VULNERABILITY PROFILE**

- 0.5% Children under 5 years
- 0.4% Male Unaccompanied children
- 0.3% Female Unaccompanied children
- 0.3% Lactating Mothers
- 0.2% Pregnant Females

**NATIONALITIES OF PEOPLE ON THE MOVE**

- Ethiopia 98.1%
- Eritrea 1.7%
- Somalia 0.2%
- Djibouti 0.03%

**TYPE OF FLOW**

- Return 59.6%
- Economic reasons 27.8%
- Family reasons 3.0%
- Travel to collect aid (food, cash or other items) 2.7%
- Buy goods for personal consumption 2.2%
- Other 0.8%

*Flow monitoring dashboard is updated on a monthly basis. The next report will appear in the 2nd week of June, 2020 reflecting movements observed throughout the month of May 2020.*