

MALAWI

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):	Southern Africa	Least Developed Country, Landlocked Developing Country	
Region (UNHCR):	Southern Africa		

A. REFUGEES, ASYLUM-SEEKERS AND OTHERS OF CONCERN TO UNHCR

1. Population of concern to UNHCR, end of year

Category	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
Refugees*	713,607	90,242	1,018	1,268	280	1,245	1,700	3,900	6,200	2,166
Asylum-seekers**	-	-	-	781	1,270	565	1,346	-	-	11,068
Returned refugees***	1	7	55	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Internally displaced	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Returned IDPs	..	..	..	..	-	-	-	-	-	-
Various/others	..	..	..	..	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	..	..	..	..	1,550	1,810	3,046	3,900	6,200	13,234

* UNHCR estimates for most industrialized countries. **Pending applications. 1993-1995: data available for industrialized countries only. ***Also based on country of asylum reports.

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

Category	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
<i>Arrivals</i>										
Prima facie/group basis	190	1,104	-	557	-	-	786	-	-	-
Individually recognized*	-	-	-	295	-	104	140	-	-	667
Resettlement	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Durable solutions</i>										
Voluntary repatriation**	345,089	624,467	-	-	-	102	-	-	10	-
Resettlement	4	-	-	-	-	5	-	-	1	40
Naturalization	..	..	..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

* Includes Convention status and allowed to remain for humanitarian reasons, first instance and appeal. 1993-1995: industrialized countries only. ** Also based on country of return reports.

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

Category	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
New applications	-	-	-	450	709	297	301	900	-	7,086
1951 Convention status	-	-	-	295	-	104	140	-	-	667
Allowed/humanitarian	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Responsibility (2002): Government

4. Indicators of host country capacity and contributions

Indicator*	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
<i>Refugees</i>										
Per 1 USD GDP/capita	4,506.0	569.8	6.4	8.0	1.8	7.9	10.7	24.6	39.1	13.7
Per 1,000 inhabitants	60.1	7.6	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.5	0.2
Per 1,000 km ²	6,021.6	761.5	8.6	10.7	2.4	10.5	14.3	32.9	52.3	18.3
<i>Total population of concern to UNHCR</i>										
Per 1 USD GDP/capita	..	..	..	..	9.8	11.4	19.2	24.6	39.1	83.6
Per 1,000 inhabitants	..	..	..	..	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.5	1.1
Per 1,000 km ²	..	..	..	..	13.1	15.3	25.7	32.9	52.3	111.7

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

B. DEMOGRAPHIC CHARACTERISTICS, LOCATION, LEGAL BASIS AND RECOGNITION, END OF 2002

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	1,537	2,694	2,360	6	-	6,597	23%	41%	36%	0%	50%
Male	1,375	2,824	2,412	26	-	6,637	21%	43%	36%	0%	50%
Total	2,912	5,518	4,772	32	-	13,234	22%	42%	36%	0%	100%

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

2. Population of concern--location*

Type	Total
Camps/centers	13,234
Urban	-
Dispersed/various	-
Total	13,234
Camps/centers	100%
Urban	0%

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3. Refugee population--legal basis

Type	Total
1951 UN Convention	-
1969 OAU Convention	2,166
UNHCR Mandate	-
Other/unknown*	-
Total	2,166
1951 Convention	0%

* Including allowed to remain for humanitarian reasons.

4. Refugee population--recognition

Type	Total
Prima facie (group)	-
Individually recognized	2,166
Other/unknown	-
Total	2,166
Prima facie (group)	0%
Individually recognized	100%

C. REFUGEES AND ASYLUM-SEEKERS IN MALAWI -- MAIN ORIGIN

1. Refugee population, end of year--main origin (main nationalities in 2002)

Origin*	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
Rwanda	2	-	258	523	15	681	603	1,939	3,761	813
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	27	-	302	373	81	314	500	1,154	1,478	627
Burundi	8	-	90	115	41	191	360	608	750	596
Somalia	142	-	332	251	141	55	220	182	175	119

* UNHCR estimates for most industrialized countries.

2. Asylum applicants during the year--main origin (main nationalities during 2002 -- data available for industrialized asylum countries only)

Origin	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
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Data not available

D. REFUGEES AND ASYLUM-SEEKERS FROM MALAWI -- MAIN COUNTRIES OF ASYLUM

1. Refugee population, end of year--main countries of asylum (main countries in 2002)

Asylum country*	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
Other										
Total		60								

* UNHCR estimates for most industrialized countries.

2. Asylum applicants during the year--main asylum countries (main countries in 2002 -- data available for industrialized asylum countries only)

Asylum country	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
Other										
Total		51								

E. POPULATION OF CONCERN IN MALAWI -- MAIN LOCATIONS, END OF 2002

Data generally not available for industrialized countries

Location name	Type*	Total	Location name	Type*	Total
Dzaleka	CAM	13,230			

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

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F. HOST COUNTRY INDICATORS FOR MALAWI

