

BURUNDI

1951 Convention:	State party	Region (MDGs):	Developing regions
1967 Protocol:	State party	Sub-region (MDGs):	Sub-Saharan Africa
United Nations:	Africa		
Bureau (UNHCR):	Central Africa and the Great Lakes	Other UN country groupings:	Least Developed Country, Landlocked Developing Country
Region (UNHCR):	Central Africa and Great Lakes		

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	20,733	22,028	25,093	22,109	27,136	27,896	40,533	40,971	48,808	20,681
Asylum-seekers	-	200	246	512	6,013	7,994	8,777	10,572	10,712	19,900
Returned refugees*	108,062	90,813	23,790	12,243	6,843	27,885	53,287	82,409	90,321	68,248
Internally displaced	882,900	586,083	100,000	50,000	56,000	20,000	100,000	1,970	855	11,500
Returned IDPs	..	-	-	5,000	-	42,000	-	-	-	-
Stateless persons	-	-
Others of concern	..	-	10,600	10,600	742	-	-	-	-	-
Total	..	699,124	159,729	100,464	96,734	125,775	202,597	135,922	150,696	120,329

* 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	1,644	2,126	7,169	1,351	5,518	2,016	19,060	11,100	20,689	1,518
Individually recognized*	9	200	-	19	-	13	12	17	1,557	788
Resettlement	-	-	16	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Durable solutions										
Voluntary repatriation**	128,227	3,567	5,145	4,318	432	37	455	606	11,530	1,488
Resettlement	26	4	15	17	59	15	6	14	20	22
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
New applications	222	-	-	285	5,501	2,062	795	1,812	2,187	10,039
1951 Convention status	9	-	-	19	-	13	12	17	1,557	788
Allowed/humanitarian	-	200	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Responsibility (2005): Government/UNHCR

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	238.1	253.0	288.2	253.9	311.6	320.4	465.5	470.5	560.5	237.5
Per 1,000 inhabitants	2.7	2.9	3.3	2.9	3.6	3.7	5.4	5.4	6.5	2.7
Per 1,000 km ²	766.0	813.8	927.0	816.8	1,002.5	1,030.6	1,497.5	1,513.6	1,803.2	764.0
Total population of concern to UNHCR										
Per 1 USD GDP/capita	..	8,029.2	1,834.4	1,153.8	1,111.0	1,444.5	2,326.8	1,561.0	1,730.7	1,381.9
Per 1,000 inhabitants	..	92.6	21.2	13.3	12.8	16.7	26.8	18.0	20.0	15.9
Per 1,000 km ²	..	25,828.4	5,901.0	3,711.5	3,573.7	4,646.6	7,484.7	5,021.5	5,567.3	4,445.4

* 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	1,104	2,117	1,521	92	-	4,834	23%	44%	31%	2%	52%
Male	850	2,117	1,320	92	-	4,379	19%	48%	30%	2%	48%
Total	1,954	4,234	2,841	184	-	9,213	21%	46%	31%	2%	100%

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

2. Population of concern--location*

Type	Total
Camps/centers	17,771
Urban	22,504
Dispersed/various	68,411
Total	108,686
Camps/centers	16%
Urban	21%

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

3. Refugee population--legal basis

Type	Total
1951 UN Convention	1
1969 OAU Convention	20,647
UNHCR Mandate	33
Other/unknown*	-
Total	20,681
1951 Convention	0%

* Including allowed to remain for humanitarian reasons.

4. Refugee population--recognition

Type	Total
Prima facie (group)	8,116
Individually recognized	12,565
Other/unknown	-
Total	20,681
Prima facie (group)	39%
Individually recognized	61%

C. REFUGEES AND ASYLUM-SEEKERS IN BURUNDI -- 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
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	20,000	20,000	23,085	20,760	25,847	26,670	39,762	40,568	48,424	20,359
Rwanda	719	2,000	2,000	1,323	1,260	1,220	765	397	378	315

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

Origin	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Rwanda	222	-	-	19	4	45	3	4	19	8,649
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	-	-	-	247	5,482	2,016	789	1,808	2,168	1,379

D. REFUGEES AND ASYLUM-SEEKERS FROM BURUNDI -- 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
United Rep. of Tanzania	385,452	459,420	473,768	498,982	538,448	521,180	540,861	494,209	443,706	393,611
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	30,226	47,004	20,000	19,200	19,760	19,485	19,374	19,552	19,400	19,032
Rwanda	9,611	6,933	1,408	1,371	957	1,670	1,554	1,841	4,719	3,743
South Africa	-	389	601	604	632	1,439	1,715	1,986	2,075	2,183
Zambia	330	1,746	1,474	1,629	1,796	2,417	1,583	2,059	1,839	2,089
Other	3,061	3,631	5,317	5,663	6,491	7,808	9,470	11,990	14,034	18,048
Total	428,680	519,123	502,568	527,449	568,084	553,999	574,557	531,637	485,773	438,706

* 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	318	271	243	539	296	190	1,472	876	1,024	1,031
Malawi	21	188	103	103	153	-	2,018	306	1,259	773
Kenya	-	376	554	204	159	262	127	137	79	590
Rwanda	122	-	196	394	180	181	288	425	400	514
Sweden	7	17	1	3	11	61	135	237	393	427
Other	1,194	2,730	1,608	1,508	1,891	3,308	2,818	3,757	2,409	1,607
Total	1,662	3,582	2,705	2,751	2,690	4,002	6,858	5,738	5,564	4,942

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

Data generally not available for industrialized countries

Location name	Type*	Total
Various	RUR	68,110
Bujumbura	URB	22,500
Gasorwe	CAM	6,880
Musasa	CAM	4,940
Gihinga	CAM	2,320

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

Location name	Type*	Total
Rwisuri	CAM	1,980
Mugano	CAM	870
Songore	CAM	790
Cibitoke	RUR	310

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

F. HOST COUNTRY INDICATORS FOR BURUNDI

