

TUNISIA

1951 Convention:	State party	Region (MDGs):	Developing regions
1967 Protocol:	State party	Sub-region (MDGs):	Northern Africa
United Nations:	Africa		
Bureau (UNHCR):	Central Asia, South West Asia, North Africa and the Middle East	Other UN country groupings:	Not applicable
Region (UNHCR):	North 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*	99	19	199	176	506	528	454	436	97	102
Asylum-seekers**	-	-	-	64	29	27	16	12	18	11
Returned refugees***	4	-	-	2	-	-	-	1	-	-
Internally displaced	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Returned IDPs	..	..	..	..	-	-	-	-	-	-
Various/others	..	..	..	..	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	..	..	..	..	535	555	470	449	115	113

* 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	-	-	59	14	39	-	-	-	-	-
Individually recognized*	-	-	-	21	39	26	1	-	-	7
Resettlement	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Durable solutions</i>										
Voluntary repatriation**	-	-	3	55	-	4	3	1	-	-
Resettlement	-	-	1	2	-	12	12	-	-	11
Naturalization	1	-	1	-	-	-	-

* 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	-	-	-	100	87	81	38	37	33	37
1951 Convention status	-	-	-	21	39	26	1	-	-	7
Allowed/humanitarian	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Responsibility (2002): UNHCR

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	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.0	0.0
Per 1,000 inhabitants	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Per 1,000 km ²	0.6	0.1	1.3	1.1	3.3	3.4	2.9	2.8	0.6	0.7
<i>Total population of concern to UNHCR</i>										
Per 1 USD GDP/capita	..	..	..	..	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1
Per 1,000 inhabitants	..	..	..	..	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Per 1,000 km ²	..	..	..	..	3.4	3.6	3.0	2.9	0.7	0.7

* 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	3	31	8	-	43	2%	7%	72%	19%	42%
Male	5	6	41	7	-	59	8%	10%	69%	12%	58%
Total	6	9	72	15	-	102	6%	9%	71%	15%	100%

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

2. Population of concern--location*

Type	Total
Camps/centers	-
Urban	102
Dispersed/various	11
Total	113
Camps/centers	0%
Urban	90%

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

3. Refugee population--legal basis

Type	Total
1951 UN Convention	-
1969 OAU Convention	-
UNHCR Mandate	102
Other/unknown*	-
Total	102
1951 Convention	0%

* Including allowed to remain for humanitarian reasons.

4. Refugee population--recognition

Type	Total
Prima facie (group)	-
Individually recognized	102
Other/unknown	-
Total	102
Prima facie (group)	0%
Individually recognized	100%

C. REFUGEES AND ASYLUM-SEEKERS IN TUNISIA -- 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
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* 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 TUNISIA -- 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
Germany	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,047
Switzerland	-	-	-	-	135	246	349	420	522	592
France	-	-	120	187	248	278	293	291	297	320
Sweden	91	115	121	127	148	152	152	117	98	95
Canada	-	76	60	47	61	68	85	68	103	92
Other	13	21	32	45	106	188	361	311	348	398
Total	104	212	333	406	698	932	1,240	1,207	1,368	2,544

* 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
Germany	753	422	313	327	298	338	191	241	177	194
Switzerland	47	-	-	77	95	153	187	173	146	163
Sweden	26	-	23	22	8	12	12	24	22	87
Canada	30	25	44	46	32	31	72	120	106	59
Other	302	204	109	121	132	134	113	210	166	180
Total	1,158	651	489	593	565	668	575	768	617	683

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

Data generally not available for industrialized countries

Location name	Type*	Total
Tunis	URB	100

Location name	Type*	Total
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*CAM = Camps/centers; URB = Urban; RUR = Rural/dispersed/various.

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F. HOST COUNTRY INDICATORS FOR TUNISIA

